

elevated himself and his calling to an equal plane with the surgeon and his calling, and feels equal responsibilities with the surgeon, we may expect better results than we have yet seen. There is no doubt the work is better done than it was even five years ago, and a study of this little pamphlet may help some erring soul, who still uses chloroform indiscriminately, to come into the fold of a wider knowledge and give up some of his foolhardy practices. s.

A Manual of Acute Poisoning. Giving classification, varieties, and individual substances usually met with in emergency poisoning, with special symptoms, simple tests, chemical antidotes, physiologic antagonists, and treatments. Together with methods for use in first aid to the injured. By JOHN W. WAINWRIGHT, M.D., member of the American and New York State Medical Associations, the American Chemical Society, etc. New York: C. R. Pelton. 1905.

This brochure may find a useful place as an aid to the practitioner in some cases of acute poisoning, but has very little to recommend itself as a first aid to the injured. A. J. H.

Lea's Series of Medical Epitomes.

Alling and Griffin's Diseases of the Eye and Ear. A Manual for Students and Physicians. By ARTHUR N. ALLING, M.D., Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology in Yale University, and OVIDUS ARTHUR GRIFFIN, B.S., M.D., late Demonstrator of Ophthalmology and Otology, University of Michigan, and Oculist and Aurist, University Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan. In one 12mo volume of 263 pages, with 83 illustrations. Philadelphia and New York: Lea Brothers & Co., Publishers. Cloth, \$1.00 net. 1905.

For quizzing purposes, the questions are put at the end of each section; otherwise this is much like the familiar quiz compend. It is well printed, well illustrated, and the matter trustworthy as far as it goes.

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"The Immunity Unit for Standardizing Diphtheria Antitoxin." Based on Ehrlich's Normal Serum. Official standard prepared under the Act approved July 1st, 1902. By M. J. Rosenan, Director of the Hygienic Laboratory. Washington: Government Printing Office. 1905.