

cedure is safer for the patient than to make use of the term glycosuria, which begets indifference."

The author considers physiological glycosuria, alimentary glycosuria, and other forms of the disease. He discusses the increase of diabetes. He states that approximately one death in every hundred in the United States is due to this disease. Much attention is given to the causes of death, taking up cancer, tuberculosis, cardiorenal conditions, infections, coma, impaired kidneys, mental disturbances, loss of body fluid, and some other more general conditions.

Two full and complete sections are devoted to "Important Factors in the Treatment of Diabetes Mellitus," and "The Examination of the Urine, Blood and Respiration in Diabetes." We now come to the important section that discusses "The Treatment" of the disease, and another section of great interest dealing with "Aids in the Practical Management of Diabetic Cases." It would be impossible to summarize these two sections, as they do not lend themselves to any condensation. Suffice it to say that the most modern views are here set forth. He speaks in terms of praise of the starvation treatment, and lays down rules whereby it may be carried to the benefit of the patient. He warns against improper methods of resorting to this treatment, and points out the dangers that may be encountered. It is noteworthy how much of the treatment is hygienic and dietetic, and how little it is by drugs. We have not perused a better work on diabetes, and recommend it to our readers.

ROENTGENOGRAPHIC DENTAL DIAGNOSIS.

Roentgenographic Diagnosis of Dental Infection in Systemic Diseases. By Sinclair Tousey, A.M., M.D., Consulting Surgeon, St. Bartholomew's Clinic, New York. New York: Paul B. Hoeber, 1916. Price, \$1.50.

This is a very interesting and instructive book. It deals with a number of important diseases of the teeth and the alveolar processes caused by infective conditions. The book is well illustrated with plates and figures. The book is handsomely got up, and can be recommended as a useful aid in the study of diseases of the teeth.

KREHL'S CLINICAL PATHOLOGY.

The Basis of Symptoms, the Principles of Clinical Pathology. By Dr. Ludolph Krehl, Ordinary Professor and Director of the Medical Clinic at Heidelberg. Authorized translation from the seventh German edition by Arthur Frederic Beifield, Ph.B., M.D., Instructor in Medicine, Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago. With an introduction by A. W. Hewlett, M.D., Professor of Internal Medicine, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Third edition. Philadelphia and London: J. B. Lippincott Company. Cloth, \$5.00. Canadian agent, Charles Roberts, 201 Unity Building, Montreal.

This excellent work deals with the circulation, the blood, infection