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BOOK REVIEWS.

Progressive Medicine. A Quarterly Digest of Advances, Discoveries and Improvements in the Medical and Surgical Sciences. Edited by HOBART AMORY HARE, M.D., Professor of Therapeutics and Materia Medica in the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Assisted by H. R. M. LANDIS, M.D. Philadelphia and New York: Lea Brothers & Co. \$6.00 per annum.

Volume I., 1904, issued March 1st, 1904, includes articles on Surgery of the Head, Neck and Thorax; Infectious Diseases, including Acute Rheumatism, Croupous Pneumonia and Influenza; the Diseases of Children; Laryngology and Rhinology; and Otology.

Volume II., 1904, issued June 1st, 1904, contains articles on Surgery of the Abdomen, including Hernia; Gynecology; Diseases of the Blood; Diathetic and Metabolic Diseases; Diseases of the Spleen, Thyroid Gland and Lymphatic System; and Ophthalmology.

It is impossible in a short review to refer to the many excellent points contained in the several chapters of each volume. It may be sufficient to state that, on the whole, the articles are short and practical, and that they contain the latest information available, presented in a most readable and satisfactory manner.

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Special Diagnosis of Internal Medicine. A Handbook for Physicians and Students. By DR. WILHELM v. LEUBE, Professor of Medicine and Physician-in-Chief to the Julius Hospital at Würzburg. Authorized translation from the sixth German edition. Edited, with annotations, by Julius L. Salinger, M.D., late Assistant Professor of Clinical Medicine in the Jefferson Medical College, and Physician to the Philadelphia Hospital. With five colored plates and seventy-four illustrations in the text. New York and London: D. Appleton & Co. 1904. Canadian agents: Geo. Morang & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Dr. v. Leube's work, dealing as it does with special medical diagnosis, is very useful to the true lover of medical science, for diagnosis being truly made, treatment suggests itself.