

Book Reviews.

The Public and the Doctor. By a Regular Physician. Dallas, Texas: Dr. B. E. Hadra.

This little book contains many sensible hints to the patient and the public.

Fischer—Infant-Feeding in its Relation to Health and Disease. A Modern Book on all Methods of Feeding. For Students, Practitioners, and Nurses. By LOUIS FISCHER, M.D., Visiting Physician to the Willard Parker and Riverside Hospitals, of New York City; Attending Physician to the Children's Service of the New York Poliklinik; Former Instructor in Diseases of Children at the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital; Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine, etc. Third edition, thoroughly revised and largely re-written. Containing 54 illustrations, with 24 charts and tables, mostly original. 357 pages, 5½ x 8½ inches. Neatly bound in extra cloth. Price, \$1.50, net. F. A. Davis Company, Publishers, 1914-16 Cherry Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. Fischer has the advantage of speaking from experience, and his book makes interesting reading. It has, in this edition, been largely re-written, with the idea of making it more useful to the general practitioner, who may not have access to milk laboratories. The beauty of the whole work is that it is practical.

The American Year-Book of Medicine and Surgery for 1904. A Yearly Digest of Scientific Progress and Authoritative Opinion in all branches of Medicine and Surgery, drawn from journals, monographs and text-books of the leading American and foreign authors and investigators. Arranged, with critical editorial comments, by eminent American specialists, under the editorial charge of GEORGE M. GOULD, A.M., M.D. In two volumes. Volume I., including *General Medicine*. Octavo, 673 pages, fully illustrated; Volume II., *General Surgery*. Octavo, 680 pages, fully illustrated. Philadelphia, New York, London; W. B. Saunders & Co., 1904. Canadian Agents: J. A. Carveth & Co., Limited, 413 Parliament Street, Toronto, Ont. Per volume: Cloth, \$3.00 net; Half Morocco, \$3.75, net.

The American Year-Book of Medicine and Surgery continues to maintain its high place among works of its class. Indeed, the issue of 1904, now before us, if anything, is even better than the excellent issues of previous years. Such a distinguished corps of collaborators, which the editor, Dr. George M. Gould, has enlisted as his assistants, is sufficient guarantee that the essential points of progress are brought out, and the collaborators' notes and comments are excellent. In the illustrative feature the 1904 issue fully maintains its reputation, there being fourteen full-page insert plates, beside a number of excellent text-cuts. Saunders' Year Book for 1904 is the best work of its kind on the market.