

aim seems to have been well achieved. The compiler, Dr. L. R. Braconi, of the University of Rome, with the advice of the late Professor Giovanni di Guglielmo among others, has assembled some 2,210 terms which adequately cover the special vocabulary of haematology. There are some errors—for example, the addition of a terminal “a” to the English word “pulp”—but they are few.

The task of the scientific interpreter at international haematological meetings is

made the more unenviable by speakers who depart from their prepared, and presumably interpreted, text in the interest of spontaneity, and whose speed of delivery is inversely related to the time available for their presentation. This glossary will provide the interpreter with invaluable homework. For the haematologist who wishes to read articles in languages other than his own it will be much less useful, for most of the entries serve merely to confirm what may readily be guessed. Simple words in com-

mon use frequently change radically in translation, whereas elaborate technical words are often very much the same in the European languages, and even in Russian merely require transliteration. This work, then, is recommended as a compact and accurate glossary for interpreters and for those who must translate from their mother tongue. For the rest of us it is no substitute for a collection of foreign dictionaries.

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