

are sections of general interest. Chapters VI and VII, which deal respectively with Walter Reed and with typhoid immunization, are of outstanding interest. The author is in error in stating that Almroth Wright made the first trial of the vaccine in India. It was made on volunteers from his class at Netley.

The modern institute is a splendid pathological centre which deals annually with 60,000 cases referred to it for an opinion, conducts postgraduate courses, provides sets of slides for classes elsewhere, accommodates and supplies staff for maintaining various pathological registries, and conducts an up-to-date department for medical illustration. It is an institution of national importance.

One incident well merits quotation. Walter

Reed was a member of a commission which had to inspect and report on the sanitation of camps. They visited the camp of the Third Nebraska Voluntary Infantry and asked the colonel to accompany them. When the inspection was over Reed said to the colonel: "Shakespeare and Vaughan are on this Commission because they know something of camp sanitation. I am here because I can damn a colonel," after which he spoke his mind to the colonel, who happened to be William Jennings Bryan.

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The results of an investigation into the arrangements for old people in Lewisham

have been published by a committee sponsored by the King Edward Hospital Fund for London. The report covers sickness in hospital, at home, and in welfare accommodation, as well as many general matters. This particular area was chosen because the Lewisham Group has no special geriatric units and no geriatric physician. The committee were split on what they thought about this. Most of them were satisfied with the arrangements made in the area for those who were elderly and ill, but a minority held that Lewisham ought to have a special geriatric unit. (*Report on Services for the Elderly in the Metropolitan Borough of Lewisham, 1964.* Price 1s. from the Fund, 34 King Street, London E.C.2.)

## Books Received

*Review is not precluded by notice here of books recently received.*

**Fat as a Tissue.** Edited by Kaare Rodahl, M.D. Co-editor, Bela Issekutz, jun., M.D. (Pp. 428 + xii; illustrated. £7 8s.) New York, Toronto, and London: McGraw-Hill. 1964.

**National Congress of Internal Medicine.** (Pp. 491. No price stated.) Bucharest: Society of Internal Medicine and Section of Medical Sciences, Institute of Internal Medicine. 1964.

**Chiropractors Register, 1963.** Under the direction of the Chiropractors Board. (Pp. 162. No price stated.) London: Council for Professions Supplementary to Medicine. 1964.

**Brain-Thyroid Relationships.** With Special Reference to Thyroid Disorders. Ciba Foundation Study Group, No. 18. In honour of Professor S. Artunkal. Edited by Margaret P. Cameron, M.A., and Maeve O'Connor, B.A. (Pp. 117; illustrated. 15s.) London: J. & A. Churchill. 1964.

**Encyclopaedia of General Practice.** Edited by G. F. Abercrombie, V.R.D., M.A., M.D., and R. M. S. McConaghey, M.D. Vol. 3. Gallbladder to Lymphatic Vessels. (Pp. 620 + x; £4 15s.) London: Butterworth. 1964.

**Encyclopaedia of General Practice.** Edited by G. F. Abercrombie, V.R.D., M.A., M.D., and R. M. S. McConaghey, M.D. Vol. 4. Malaria to Pneumonia. (Pp. 596 + ix. £4 15s.) London: Butterworth. 1964.

**Somapsyche.** An Integrated Biological Approach Towards the Understanding of Man's Body and Mind. By A. Ananthanarayana Ayer, B.A., M.B., B.S., M.Sc., F.A.Sc. (Pp. 133. Rs. 12.) Patna: University of Patna. 1962.

**Textbook of Obstetrics.** By K. M. Masani, M.D., F.R.C.S., F.I.C.S. In association with Mahendra N. Parikh, M.D., D.A. (Pp. 819 + xii; illustrated. Rs. 42.00.) Bombay: Popular Prakashan. 1964.

**Advancement of Child Health.** By A. V. Neale, M.D., F.R.C.P., D.P.H. Heath Clark Lectures, 1961. (Pp. 191. 25s.) London: Athlone Press. 1964.

**Proceedings of the International Seminar on Arteriosclerosis.** Edited by K. K. Datey, Ivan J. Pinto, and Pilo E. Bharucha. (Pp. 338 + xv; illustrated. £4.) London: Asia. 1964.

**Physiology of Exercise.** By Ernst Jokl, M.D. (Pp. 145 + vii; illustrated. \$6.50.) Springfield, Illinois: Charles C. Thomas. 1964.

**David Black.** A Biography. By Dora Hood. (Pp. 145 + x; illustrated. 40s.) Toronto: University Press. London: Oxford University Press. 1964.

**Massage.** Principles and Techniques. By Gertrude Beard, R.N., R.P.T., and Elizabeth C. Wood, A.M., M.S., R.P.T. (Pp. 163 + ix; illustrated. £2 2s.) Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders. 1964.

**Methods of Forensic Science.** Vol. III. Edited by A. S. Curry. (Pp. 342 + xiii; illustrated. 95s.) London: John Wiley. 1964.

**The Night They Burned the Mountain.** Cedar Book, No. 107. By Thomas A. Dooley, M.D. (Pp. 210. 5s.) Tadworth, Surrey: World's Work. 1964.

**Current Achievements in Geriatrics.** Papers read at a Conference on Medical and Surgical Aspects of Ageing held in Glasgow, 20-22 November 1963, under the auspices of the Glasgow Postgraduate Medical Board. Edited by W. Ferguson Anderson and Bernard Isaacs. (Pp. 238 + xii; illustrated. 30s.) London: Cassell. 1964.

**Pathology of Testicular Tumours.** Edited by D. H. Collins and R. C. B. Pugh. Published as Supplement to *British Journal of Urology*. (Pp. 111 + viii; illustrated. 30s.) Edinburgh and London: E. & S. Livingstone. 1964.

**Crisis in Medical Education.** By Lester J. Evans. (Pp. 101 + vi. \$4.00.) Ann Arbor, U.S.A.: University of Michigan Press. 1964.

**Erstversorgung am Unfallort.** Eine Unfallfibel für Ärzte. By Dr. Heinz Orbach. Preface by Prof. H. Hunghanns. (Pp. 55 + vii; illustrated. DM. 5.80.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme. 1964.

**Rapporto sul Vizio in Inghilterra.** Translation of Venereal Disease and Young People. A British Medical Association Report. Translated by Anna Forti. (Pp. 281 + xi. No price stated.) Milan: Edizioni del Borghese. 1964.

**Obstetrics.** By J. M. Brudenell, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S., M.R.C.O.G. (Pp. 163; illustrated. 36s.) London: Staples. 1964.

**Clinical and Theoretical Pictures of Some Renal Diseases.** By Professor A. Babics, M.D., and Associate Professor F. Rényi-Vámos, M.D., D.Sc. Foreword by Sir Eric Riches, M.C., M.S., F.R.C.S. (Pp. 313; illustrated. 80s.) Budapest: Hungarian Academy of Sciences. London: Collet's. 1964.

**Tumours of the Kidney and Ureter.** Neoplastic Disease at Various Sites. Vol. V. Edited by Sir Eric Riches, M.C., M.S., F.R.C.S. (Pp. 416 + xv; illustrated. 90s.) Edinburgh and London: E. & S. Livingstone Ltd. 1964.

**Review of Gross Anatomy.** A Dynamic Approach. By Ben Pansky, Ph.D., and Earl Lawrence House, Ph.D. (Pp. 443 + xi; illustrated. Clothbound, 75s. Paperback, 55s.) London: Collier-Macmillan. New York: Macmillan. 1964.

**Epilepsy.** And other Chronic Convulsive Diseases: their Causes, Symptoms, and Treatment. By W. R. Gowers. (Pp. 255 + xi. 15s.) New York: Dover. 1964.

**Parenthood and Heredity.** 2nd edition. By Sheldon C. Reed, Ph.D. (Pp. 278 + x. 14s.) London: John Wiley. 1964.

**The Nature of the Natural Sciences.** By Leonard K. Nash. (Pp. 406 + xix. No price stated.) Boston and Toronto: Little, Brown. 1964.

**Registrierfehler in der EKG-Praxis.** By Dr. A. H. Lemmerz and Dr. R. Schmidt. (Pp. 122 + viii; illustrated. DM. 14.80.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme. 1964.

**Notfalltherapie.** Neurologischer und Psychiatrischer Erkrankungen. By Dr. Gerhard Kienle. Preface by Prof. Walter Schultze. (Pp. 102 + x. DM. 7.80.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme. 1964.

**Mental Health Book Review Index.** Compiled by the Editorial Committee and Contributing Librarians. Vol. 9. 1964. (Pp. 71 + xvii. Annual subscription \$5.00.) New York: Council on Research on Bibliography Inc. 1964.

**Clinical Toxicology.** By Clinton H. Thienes, M.D., Ph.D., F.A.C.P., and Thomas J. Haley, Ph.D. 4th edition. (Pp. 661; illustrated. 71s. 6d.) London: Henry Kimpton. 1964.

**Lives in Distress.** The Paths of the Elderly to the Psychiatric Ward. By Marjorie Fiske Lowenthal. (Pp. 266 + xx. 30s.) London: Basic. 1964.

**Herzinsuffizienz.** Häodynamik und Stoffwechsel. International Symposium, Würzburg, 4-7 July 1963. Edited by Professor E. Wollheim and K. W. Schneider. (Pp. 366 + viii; illustrated. DM. 68.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme. 1964.

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**Das Kniegelenk.** Erkrankungen, Verletzungen und ihre Behandlung mit Hinweisen für die Begutachtung. By Prof. Franz Baumgartl. Preface by Prof. E. Derra. (Pp. 452 + xvi; illustrated. DM. 158.) Berlin, Göttingen, and Heidelberg: Springer. 1964.