

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

BOOKS.

- BROWN, W. CARNEGIE (1908). *Sprue and its treatment*. London: John Bale, Sons and Danielsson, Ltd., 83-91, Great Titchfield Street, Oxford Street, W. 259 pp., 2 pls. 21 × 17 cm. Price 6/- net. Cloth.

Students of Tropical Medicine will be much indebted to the Author for bringing together much valuable information on the subject of Sprue. The book is divided into 25 chapters dealing with the history, symptoms, morbid anatomy and pathology, diagnosis, treatment, etc., and prevention of the disease. The book is remarkably well printed and the publishers are to be congratulated upon the appearance which it presents.

- DIEUDONNÉ, A. (1908). *Immunität Schutzimpfung und Serumtherapie*. Zusammenfassende Uebersicht ueber die Immunitätslehre. 5th ed. Leipzig: Verlag von Johann Ambrosius Barth. 234 pp., 4 figs. Price 6.80 Marks (unbound). 7.80 Marks (bound).

Without pretending to be exhaustive this book will prove very useful to those desiring a short and clear summary of our present knowledge regarding immunity, protective inoculation and serum therapeutics.

- DUNCAN, A. (1908). *A Guide to Sick Nursing in the Tropics*. London: The Scientific Press, Ltd., 28 and 29, Southampton Street, Strand, W.C. 162 pp. 19 × 13 cm. Cloth.

Lectures which appeared originally in *The Nursing Mirror* are here gathered together in book form. The author deals with the cause and prevention of the diseases of the tropics and the special nursing required in different cases. Naturally the little book is elementary in character.

- FIRTH, R. H. (1908). *Military Hygiene. A Manual of Sanitation for Soldiers*. London: J. & A. Churchill, 7, Great Marlborough Street. 299 pp., 40 figs. 19 × 13 cm. Price 3/6 net. Cloth.

Lieut.-Colonel Firth's position as officer in charge of Army Sanitation at Aldershot and his having been Professor of Military Hygiene in the Royal Army Medical College, London, sufficiently indicate that he is dealing with a subject upon which he is an authority. The book is divided into twelve chapters dealing with: military morbidity and mortality; the causes of disease; the chief preventable diseases of soldiers; principles of disease prevention; organization of sanitary effort; the recruit; physical training of the soldier; the barrack; water supplies; the food of the soldier; clothing, equipment, and the work of the soldier; the march and the camp.

GRIMSHAW, J. (1908). *Your Child's Health*. London: J. & A. Churchill, 7, Great Marlborough Street. 144 pp. 21 × 14 cm. Price 2/6 net. Boards.

As indicated by the title the book is popular in character and intended as a guide to parents and others who have charge of children.

MACFADYEN, ALLAN (1908). *The Cell as the Unit of Life*, and other lectures delivered at the Royal Institution, London, 1899-1902. An introduction to biology. Edited by R. Tanner Hewlett. London: J. & A. Churchill, 7, Great Marlborough Street. 381 pp., 14 figs. 21 × 15 cm. Price 7/6 net. Bound.

The volume includes a series of lectures delivered by the late Dr MacFadyen during his tenure of the Fullerian Professorship of Physiology. A biographical notice and portrait are included in the volume which has been ably edited by the author's friend Prof. Hewlett. The lectures are well worth reading, although some years have passed since they were delivered. The volume is a fitting tribute to Dr MacFadyen's memory.

PAGLIANI, L. (1908). *Trattato di Igiene e di Sanità Pubblica* colle Applicazioni alla Ingegneria e alla Vigilanza Sanitaria. Volume I. Dei Terreni e delle Acque in rapporto colla Igiene e colla Sanità pubblica. Milano: Dottor Francesco Vallardi. 1020 pp., 450 figs. together with maps and charts. Price 30 Lire unbound.

An exhaustive work of which this, the first volume, deals with soil and water in relation to hygiene and public health. A special part is devoted to parasitic diseases which stand in direct relation to the hydrotelluric condition of the soil, malaria, etc. The methods of examining soil and water are dealt with in an Appendix. Professor Pagliani is to be congratulated on this monumental work which must have entailed great labour. His experience as late Director of Public Health for the kingdom of Italy has given him a wide experience in the practical problems of hygiene and public health. The work will assuredly meet with the warm welcome it deserves.

PORTER, C. (1908). *School Hygiene and the Laws of Health*. A text book for teachers and students in training. New edition. Longmans, Green & Co. 39, Paternoster Row, London. 335 pp., 121 figs. 19 × 13 cm. Price 3/6 net. Cloth.

This book appeared in 1st edition in 1906, so that the appearance of the 2nd edition within two years sufficiently proves that it has found appreciative readers. The new edition contains fresh material in the form of appendices and a new chapter on "Medical Inspection of Schools and School children."

PRESCOTT, S. C. and WINSLOW, C. E. A. (1908). *Elements of Water Bacteriology with special reference to Sanitary Water Analysis*. 2nd ed. New York: John Wiley & Sons. London: Chapman & Hall, Ltd. 258 pp. 19 × 13 cm. Price 6/. Cloth.

The purpose of the book is to gather together the results of American observers "in such a form as to give a correct idea of the best American practice" in bacteriological water analysis. Since we owe much to American workers on this subject the little book should be welcome to English readers desiring information on American methods.

STILES, C. W. and HASSALL, A. (1908). *Index-Catalogue of Medical and Veterinary Zoology*. Subjects: Trematoda and Trematode Diseases. Treasury Dept., Journ. of Hyg. VIII

Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service of the United States. Bulletin No. 37. 401 pp. Washington: Government Printing Office.

An exceedingly valuable catalogue.

THRESH, J. C. (1908). *A Simple Method of Water Analysis*. Especially designed for the use of Medical Officers of Health. 61 pp. 6th edition. London: J. & A. Churchill, 7, Great Marlborough Street. 17 × 11 cm. Price 2/6 net. Cloth.

WASIELEWSKI, TH. VON (1908). *Studien und Mikrophotogramme zur Kenntnis der Pathogenen Protozoen*. Heft 2, Untersuchungen ueber Blutschmarotzer. 175 pp., 25 text figs. and 8 plates (70 photomicrographs). Leipzig: Johann Ambrosius Barth. Price 12 Marks, unbound.

The second part of Wasielewski's studies on pathogenic protozoa relates to Haematozoa and contains a good deal of original matter. There are six chapters dealing with: The distribution of haematozoa in Germany, *Plasmodium vivax* and *Laverania malariae*, *Plasmodium praecox*, the transmission of avian plasmodiosis and the course of the disease in birds, the sexual forms of *Haemoproteus* and *Leucocytozoon*. The work will be very useful to protozoologists and the many original photomicrographs are of great interest.

NEW JOURNALS.

Desinfektion Monatschrift, Jahrg. I., Heft 1, July, 1908. 42 pp. Issued by Professors Flügge, Gaffky, Kirchner, Proskauer and Baurat Herzberg, under the Editorship of Drs Lentz and Lockemann (of the Royal Institute for Infectious Diseases, Berlin). Berlin: Deutscher Verlag f. Volkswohlfahrt. Annual Subscription 10 Marks, single numbers 1 Mark.

The opening number contains: Ueber ein neues Prüfungsverfahren von Sterilkatgut auf Keimfreiheit, by W. Hoffmann, pp. 2-12.—Ueber zwei neue Formaldehydseifenpräparate, by E. Seligmann, pp. 12-18.—Literature on Disinfection: bibliography compiled by Prof. O. Hamann (Librarian of the Royal Library in Berlin) pp. 18-23 (only recent titles).—Reviews of books and papers appearing in Journals, pp. 24-33.—Sanitary laws and regulations in Germany and abroad. New patents (described with figures). Brief survey of various questions: food preservation, etc., pp. 34-42.

Bulletin de la Commission Internationale Permanente pour l'Étude des Maladies Professionnelles. 1ère Année, No. 1, April 1908, 16 pp. Florence: Louis Niccolai.

Includes the statutes of the Commission, an account of its first meeting, a list of its members, a financial report, a list of prizes offered. An (unofficial) part deals with a review of progress in different countries, reviews of publications dealing with diseases of occupation and a bibliography of recent literature on this and allied subjects.

Bulletin of the Department of State Medicine and Public Health. Western Australia. Nos. 1-3, 6 pp.; January—March, 1908. Perth: F. W. Simpson, Government Printer.

It is intended that this shall be a regular publication in the future, its object being to disseminate information amongst Local Boards.

The Crèche. The Official Organ of the National Society of Day Nurseries. Vol. I. No. 3; April—June, 1908. Edited by Dr F. S. Toogood. Published quarterly. Price 6d. Annual subscription, post free, 2/6. London: The Specialist Press, Ltd., 5, Plough Court, Fetter Lane, E.C.

The Quarterly Journal of Medicine, Vol. I. No. 3; April, 1908. Edited by W. Osler, J. Rose Bradford, A. E. Garrod, R. Hutchison, H. D. Rolleston and W. Hale White. Oxford: at the Clarendon Press. Subscription 25/- a year; single numbers 8/6 net.

Contains the following papers: A Contribution to the Subject of Rheumatism, based upon a Study of 52 Cases in Children under Five Years of Age, and an Analysis of 100 Cases of Fatal Suppurative Pericarditis in Childhood, by F. J. Poynton, pp. 225–238.—Chloroma and Acute Lymphatic Leukaemia, with an Account of Four Cases, and a Discussion of the Pathology of the Diseases, by C. H. Treadgold. Plate 33, pp. 239–286.—The Paratyphoid Glands: Part II. Their Pathology in Man, by D. Forsyth, pp. 287–311.—Persistent Hereditary Oedema of the Legs with Acute Exacerbations. Milroy's Disease, by W. B. Hope and H. French. Plates 34 and 35, pp. 312–330. The Inheritance of Certain Human Abnormalities, by A. M. Gossage, pp. 331–348. Critical Review.—Caisson Disease, by A. E. Boycott, pp. 349–374.

VARIOUS PERIODICAL PUBLICATIONS.

Beihefte zum Archiv f. Schiffs- u. Tropenhygiene. The new "Beihefte" promise well. The following have reached us, being appended to vol. XI. of the Archiv: VIERECK, H. (1907). Studien über die in den Tropen erworbene Dysenterie. Beiheft 1, 41 pp., 3 pl. BENTMANN and GÜNTHER (1907). Beiträge zur Kenntnis des Trypanosoma gambiense. Beiheft 2, 70 pp., 2 pl. GIEMSA, G. and SCHAUMANN, H. (1907). Pharmakologische und chemisch-physiologische Studien über Chinin. Beiheft 3, 84 pp. ZIEMANN, H. (1907). Wie erobert man Afrika für die weisse und farbige Rasse? Beiheft 5, 29 pp. WERNER, H. (1907). Ueber die Nieren beim Schwarzwasserfieber. Beiheft 6, 20 pp., 3 pl.

Communications de l'Institut Sérothérapique de l'État Danois. Tome II. 1908. Contains the following papers (bound reprints): A Report of immunization curves derived from goats treated with certain haemolytic bacterial toxins (Vibriolysin and Staphylolysin), by L. W. Famulener, 15 pp., 12 curves.—On the absorption of antibodies from the subcutaneous tissues and peritoneal cavity, by J. Henderson Smith, pp. 205–215, 5 figs.—Untersuchungen über aktive und passive Immunisierung mit Vibriolysin, by T. W. Tallquist, pp. 165–193, 15 figs.—Zur Pathogenese der perniziösen Anämie, mit besonderer Berücksichtigung der Bothriocephalusanämie, by T. W. Tallquist, 106 pp.—Contributions aux études théoriques sur la Désinfection, by Th. Madsen and Max Nyman, pp. 105–126.—Ein neues Saccharimeter, by L. E. Walbum, 3 pp.—Studien über Hetero- und Isantagonismus, mit besonderer Berücksichtigung der Verhältnisse bei Infektiösen Erkrankungen der Harnwege, by R. Faltin, 42 pp., 1 fig.—Tetanusgift im Serum eines diphtherieimmunisierten Pferdes, 5 Tage vor dem Ausbruch von Tetanus, by Th. Madsen, 2 pp.—Versuche über Hämolyse, by Svante Arrhenius, 35 pp.

Studies from Institute for Medical Research, Federated Malay States. Vol. III.

Part III., 1908. Contains the following papers: Breeding Grounds of Culicidae, by C. W. Daniels.—The Culicidae of Malaya, by G. F. Leicester. Singapore: Kelly & Walsh, Ltd., Printers.

The Lister Institute of Preventive Medicine. Collected Papers, No. 4. London, 1907. The volume contains 32 papers (reprints) of which 11 appeared in the *Journal of Hygiene*, the others being as follows: A Note on the Quantities of Marsh Gas, Hydrogen and Carbon Dioxide produced in the Alimentary Canal of Goats, by A. E. Boycott and G. C. C. Damant. (*Journ. of Physiol.*, Vol. xxxvi., Nos. 4 and 5, 1907.)—On the Relation between the Output of Uric Acid and the Rate of Heat Production in the Body, by E. P. Cathcart and J. B. Leathes. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 79, 1907.)—An Experimental Enquiry into the Nature of the Substance in Serum which influences Phagocytosis, by G. Dean. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 79, 1907.)—On Phagocytosis and Bactericidal Action, by G. Dean. (*Brit. Med. Journ.*, Vol. II., 1907.)—The Specific Prophylaxis and Treatment of Bacterial Dysentery, by G. Dean. (*Journ. Roy. Army Med. Corps*, Vol. ix., Dec. 1907.)—A Typhoid Carrier of Twenty-Nine Years' Standing, by G. Dean. (*Brit. Med. Journ.*, Vol. I., 1908, p. 562.)—Immunity and Toxin-Antitoxin Relationships in Diphtheria, by G. Dean. (From *The Bacteriology of Diphtheria*, by different authors. Edited by Nuttall & Graham-Smith, Cambridge, 1908.)—On the Nature of the Fat contained in the Liver, Kidney and Heart, by P. Hartley. (*Journ. of Physiol.*, Vol. xxxvi., No. 1, 1907.)—On the Nature of the Fat contained in Normal and Pathological Human Livers, by P. Hartley and A. Mavrogordato. (*Journ. of Pathol. & Bacteriol.*, Vol. xii., 1908.)—On the Excretion of Nitrogen, Creatinine and Uric Acid in Fever, by J. B. Leathes. (*Journ. of Physiol.*, Vol. xxxv., No. 3, 1907.) Acidosis in Pregnancy, by J. B. Leathes. (*Proc. Roy. Soc. Med.*, March, 1908.)—The Inhibitory Action upon Subsequent Phagocytosis, exerted on Active Normal Serum by Inactive Normal Serum through which Bacilli have been passed, by J. C. G. Ledingham. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 79, 1907.)—Typhoid Carriers, by A. Ledingham and J. C. G. Ledingham. (*Brit. Med. Journ.*, Vol. I., 1908.)—The Influence of Dilution of Serum on its Opsonising Power, by W. E. Marshall. (*Journ. of Pathol. & Bacteriol.*, Vol. xii., 1908.)—Snake-Poison and Snake-Bite, by C. J. Martin and G. Lamb. (From *A System of Medicine*, edited by T. Clifford Allbutt and H. D. Rolleston.)—Investigations on the Development of Trypanosomes in Tsetse-Flies and other Diptera, by E. A. Minchin. (*Quart. Journ. Microsc. Sci.*, Vol. LII., Part II., 1908.)—Upon the Bacteriology of the Summer Diarrhoeas of Infants, by H. de R. Morgan. (*Brit. Med. Journ.*, Vol. II., 1907.)—Further Observations on the Effects produced on Rats by the Trypanosomata of Gambia Fever and of Sleeping Sickness, by H. G. Plimmer. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 79, 1907.)—A Preliminary Summary of the Results of the Experimental Treatment of Trypanosomiasis in Rats, by H. G. Plimmer and J. D. Thomson. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 79, 1907.)—Further Results of the Experimental Treatment of Trypanosomiasis in Rats: being a Progress Report of a Committee of the Royal Society, by H. G. Plimmer and J. D. Thomson. (*Proc. Roy. Soc.*, Vol. B 80, 1908.)—The Condensation of Acetaldehyde and its Relation to the Biochemical Synthesis of Fatty Acids, by H. S. Raper. (*Journ. Chem. Soc.*, Nov., 1907.)

- Transactions of the Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene*, 1907-1908. London: Printed at the Bedford Press, 20 and 21, Bedfordbury, W.C. Contains the following papers: Inaugural Address, by Sir Patrick Manson, pp. 1-12.—The Treatment of Trypanosomiasis, by B. Moore, M. Nierenstein and J. L. Todd, pp. 14-17.—A Few Notes on Sleeping Sickness, by Sir H. Johnston, pp. 22-24.—On Sleeping Sickness as met with in Uganda, especially with regard to its Treatment, by A. R. Cook, pp. 25-41.—Demonstration of Oriental Sore and its Parasite, by Sir P. Manson, pp. 44-47.—A Note on the Morphology of *Spirochaeta duttoni*, by the late J. E. Dutton and J. L. Todd, pp. 52-59.—A Visit to the Tropical School at Hamburg, by F. M. Sandwith, pp. 60-67.—Experiences of Ankylostomiasis in Australia, by T. F. MacDonald, pp. 68-75.—*Physaloptera mordens*: A new Intestinal Parasite of Man, by R. T. Leiper, pp. 76-83.—The Unequal Distribution of Filariasis in the Tropics, by G. C. Low, pp. 84-95.—Fritz Schaudinn: A Biographical Sketch, by W. Carnegie Brown, pp. 110-120.—Kala-Azar in the Royal Navy, by Fleet-Surgeon P. W. Bassett-Smith, pp. 121-125.—A Case of Kala-Azar: Recovery, by Sir Patrick Manson, pp. 126-129.—Phenomenal Abundance of Parasites in the Peripheral Circulation of a Fatal Case of Pernicious Malaria, by J. Cropper, pp. 145-147.—On the Rôle of *Filaria* in the Production of Disease, by W. T. Prout, pp. 152-172.—Notes on an Unusual Cause of Dysenteric Diarrhoea in the Tropics, by W. T. Prout, pp. 194-196.—Tropical Lands and White Races, by T. P. MacDonald, pp. 201-213.—The Use of Quinine during Pregnancy, Labour, and the Puerperium, by J. Preston Maxwell, pp. 229-235.—African Tick Fever, with Special Reference to its Clinical Manifestations, by C. F. Harford, pp. 241-252.—Tropical Trichophytosis, by Aldo Castellani, pp. 268-286.—Notes on Parasitic Protozoa observed in Africa, by J. L. Todd, pp. 297-303.
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- BORNTRAEGER, J. (1908). *Diät Vorschriften für Gesunde und Kranke jeder Art*. 5th edition. Price 2.50 Marks. Würzburg: Curt Kabitzsch (A. Struber's Verlag).
- The directions regarding diet given by Geheimrath Borntraeger are printed on slips which can be torn out and given to patients and others.
- Cartilla Sanitaria contra La Rabia* instrucciones destinadas á prevenir la enfermedad, entre las personas, y á combatir su propagación, entre los animales. Redactada por la Sección de Sueroterapia del Instituto de Alfonso XIII., em cumplimiento de lo dispuesto por la Inspección General de Sanidad Interior. 24 pp. Madrid: Establecimiento Tipográfico de Valentín Tordesillas. 1908.
- LATHAM, P. W. (1905). *Pathology and Treatment of Rheumatoid Arthritis*. 42 pp., 2 figs. Price 1/6 net. Cambridge: Deighton, Bell & Co. London: George Bell & Sons.
- LISTON, W. GLEN (1908). *The Cause and Prevention of the Spread of Plague in India*. 38 pp. figs. & charts. Bombay: Printed at the Times Press.
- A lecture delivered before the Bombay Sanitary Association 11 Dec., 1907.

- ROSS, R. (1908). *Report on the Prevention of Malaria in Mauritius*. 202 pp., 25 photos. London: Printed by Waterlow & Sons, Ltd., London Wall.
- SLEESWIJK, J. G. (1908). *Phagocytose en Opsoninen*. Over de Oorzaken der Phagocytose en over Wezen, Oorsprong en Werking der Opsoninen (M.D. Dissertation, Amsterdam). . 159 pp., 3 figs. Amsterdam: Roeloffzen-Hübner & van Santen.
- The Etiology and Epidemiology of Plague* (1908). A Summary of the Work of the Plague Commission. 93 pp. Price 5*d*. Calcutta: Superintendent of Government Printing India.
- Issued under the authority of the Government of India by the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India, Simla. An abstract of the reports of the Commission which have appeared in the *Journal of Hygiene*.
- The Milk Supply of York*. Issued by the York Health and Housing Reform Association (1908). 19 pp. York: W. Sessions, The Ebor Printing Works, North Street. Price 3*d*.
- The object of the Association is to popularize knowledge regarding health and sanitation and to take steps to improve health conditions in the homes of the people. This publication deals with an enquiry into the milk supply of the City of York.
- The Preparation and Use of Anti-Plague Vaccine*. Issued by the Bombay Bacteriological Laboratory. 39 pp., 12 plates. Bombay: Printed at the Times Press. 1908.

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- DAVIES, D. S. *City and County of Bristol. Annual Report (1907) of the Medical Officer of Health and of the General Medical Superintendent of the City Hospitals*. Special Report on "Carrier" Typhoid. 175 pp. Bristol (1908): Bennett Brothers, Ltd.
- ELKINGTON, J. S. C. (1907). *Department of Public Health Tasmania: Annual Report for the year 1906-7*. 17 pp. Hobart: John Vail, Government Printer.
- HAM, B. B. (1907). *Report on Plague in Queensland, 1900-1907*. 166 pp., 9 plates. Brisbane: G. A. Vaughan, Government Printer, William Street.
- Contains descriptions of fleas and lesions in rats, maps and charts.
- HILL, E. (1907). *Report of the Health Officer for the year ended 31st December, 1906*. Pietermaritzburg: "Times" Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd. 43 pp. Price 2/-.
- NEWSHOLME, A. and LECKY, H. C. (1908). *Annual Report on the Health, Sanitary Condition, &c., of the County Borough of Brighton, for the year 1907*. 49 pp. Brighton: King, Thorne & Stace.
- PEARSE, T. F. (1907). *Report on Plague in Calcutta for the year ending 30th June, 1907*. 46 pp. Edited by W. C. Hossack, with appendices by W. C. Hossack and H. M. Crake. Calcutta: Corporation Press.

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- Rapport à M. le Préfet sur les Enquêtes effectuées en 1907 dans les maisons signalées comme foyers de tuberculose*. 6 pp. Paris: Imprimerie et Librairie Centrales des Chemins de fer, Imprimerie Chaix. Rue Bergère, 20.
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- Recueil des Instructions et Décisions du Ministre de l'Intérieur et du Gouverneur Général de l'Algérie, arrêtés des Préfets et des Maires, Recommandations et Prescriptions des Autorités Sanitaires, à l'occasion des cas de Peste des Ports algériens (Septembre, Octobre, Novembre et Décembre, 1907)*. 93 pp. Bone: Imprimerie Centrale à Vapeur, M.-A. Mariani. 23, Cours Jérôme-Bertagna, maison Jammy.
- Report on an Investigation as to the Contamination of Milk*. Carried out on behalf of the Councils of the County Boroughs of Bradford, Hull, Leeds, Rotherham and Sheffield, and the Administrative Counties of the East and West Ridings of Yorkshire. 113 pp. Copies of this Report can be obtained from: The Clerk of the Council, County Hall, Beverley. Price 2/6.
- SWEETING, R. D. (1907). *Report to the Local Government Board on the General Sanitary Circumstances and Administration of the Huntingdon Rural District, with especial reference to flooding of the district by the River Ouse and its tributaries*. London: Darling & Son. (No. 278.) 20 pp. Price 6d.
- THOMPSON, J. A. (1907). *Report of the Board of Health on Plague in New South Wales, 1906*. On a Sixth Outbreak of Plague at Sydney, 1906. Sydney: W. A. Gullick, Government Printer. 12 pp., 1 map. Price 1/-.
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- FRASER H. and SYMONDS, S. L. (1908). Surra in the Federated Malay States. With a note on the distribution of certain species of biting flies in the Federated Malay States by H. C. Pratt (Govt. Entomologist). *Studies from the Institute for Med. Research, Federated Malay States*, No. 9. 38 pp., with plates and charts. Price 3/- net.
- HOSSACK, W. C. (1907). *Aids to the Identification of Rats connected with Plague in India, with Suggestions as to the Collection of Specimens*. Allahabad: Printed at the Pioneer Press. 10 pp., 2 plates. Price 8 annas.

- HOSSACK, W. C. (VII. 1907). An account of the rats of Calcutta, with some remarks on the existing classification of the genera *Mus* and *Nesokia*. *Memoirs of the Indian Museum*, Vol. I., No. 1. 80 pp., 8 plates. Calcutta.
A useful contribution accompanied by excellent coloured plates and others dealing with the osteology of rats.
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