

Dr. Robertson was probably right to expedite the publication of his book by condensation of this part and omission of two chapters which were in the original programme (those namely on special parts of the nervous system, and on special organs or tissues), we hope to see the condensation extended and the omissions supplied in the next edition, which no doubt will shortly be called for.

The book is well printed, and the abundant illustrations, most of which are in colours, are in general admirable, and greatly enhance the value of the work.

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*The Psychological Index.* Compiled by HOWARD C. WARREN, with the co-operation of J. LARGUIER DES BANCELS, G. V. N. DEARBORN, and LEO HIRSCHLAFF. New York: Macmillan. London: Stechert, 1901. Pp. 179, large 8vo. Price 75 cents.

The *Psychological Review's* annual bibliography (1900) has, as usual, been issued with remarkable promptitude, and all credit is due to Dr. Warren, of Princeton University, and his collaborators. This seventh issue differs little in arrangement from that issued last year. There are 2,627 entries—a slight increase on the previous total. A further attempt has been made to improve the classificatory grouping, which is now under nine main heads, with many subdivisions. It would seem that every classification is open to some objection, but while that adopted in the present issue still renders it sometimes necessary, as before, to search for the same subject under more than one heading, investigation of the table of contents makes the path fairly clear. The Index is remarkably complete and accurate, and is certainly indispensable to the worker in every branch of psychology, normal or abnormal.

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*Leitfaden der Physiologischen Psychologie.* By Prof. TH. ZIEHEN. Fifth edition. Jena, Fischer, pp. 267, 8vo.

We have repeatedly called attention to this clear, thorough, and concise text-book of physiological psychology, written by an eminent alienist on the lines of the English associational school. The new edition has been revised, and a few illustrations added, although the total increase of matter only amounts to about four pages. It may be interesting to note that Prof. Ziehen has lately left Jena, to take up professorial duties at Utrecht.

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*Psychologische Arbeiten.* Vol. III, Parts 2 and 3. Leipzig: Engelmann, 1900.

In these two parts Professor Kraepelin and the able workers he has gathered around him continue their experimental work along the lines they have now rendered familiar. Thus Ach deals with the influence of certain drugs on attention, etc., as tested by the method of reading