

BOOK NOTICES.

The Chemistry of Plant Constituents, by OLE GISVOLD, Ph.D., and CHARLES H. ROGERS, D.Sc. Published by the Burgess Publishing Co., Minneapolis, Minn. Price, \$3.50.

Advance in the Therapeutics of Antimony, by PROF. DR. HANS SCHMIDT and DR. F. M. PETER. Preface by Dr. Philip Manson-Bahr; ten diagrams. Published by George Thieme, Leipzig, Germany. Bound, \$19.50; stitched, 18. R. M.

Drugs and Galenicals, by D. C. GARRATT. Published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 440 Fourth Ave., New York City. Price, \$6.00.

Pharmaceutical Latin, by JACOB S. DORFMAN. Published by Lea & Febiger, Philadelphia, Pa. Price, \$2.00.

A Brief Introduction to the Use of Beilstein's Handbuch der Organischen Chemie, by ERNEST HAMLIN HUNTRESS, Ph.D. Second edition, revised. Published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. London: Chapman & Hall, Ltd. Price, \$1.00.

Glandular Physiology and Therapy.—The book "Glandular Physiology and Therapy" was issued at the close of 1935. Although there has not been opportunity for the book to be revised since then, the sale still continued; 2095 copies were purchased in 1937.

"*Useful Drugs*.—This little book containing a selected list of drugs has always enjoyed wide acceptance. One reason for this is that it is used in many medical schools; the other is that the book is never out-of-date. Early in 1937 a thorough revision was made of the 1936 edition. At the close of 1937 the manuscript had almost been completed for an entirely new edition, which will be off the press in the spring of 1938. This is the first edition of 'Useful Drugs' in which the English name precedes the Latin name of the drug. The book is issued both in the regular pocket size and in an interleaved edition to meet the demand of teachers who de-

sire their students to make notes alongside the text. The book not only is of service to teachers and students but is widely used as a reference guide by practicing physicians. The number of copies of 'Useful Drugs' sold in 1937 was 6495."—From *Jour. A. M. A.*, April 30, 1938.

Pharmaceutical Mathematics, by EDWARD SPEASE, Ph.C., B.S., Ph.M., Professor of Pharmacy, Dean of the School of Pharmacy, Western Reserve University and Directing Pharmacist, the University Hospitals of Cleveland. Second Edition. Publishers, McGraw-Hill Book Company, 330 West 42nd St., New York. Price, \$1.75.

The general plan of the first edition has been followed; the chapters on manufacturing in quantity and percentage solutions have been rewritten; the chapters on profit and loss have been improved by a contribution made by Dr. L. H. Baldinger of the University of Notre Dame.

The book is intended as a textbook to be used in teaching the mathematics of pharmacy; the plan of instruction has been to assign a chapter or part of a chapter and to give such explanation of it as is necessary. Problems have been appended to each chapter.

Epitome of the U. S. Pharmacopœia and National Formulary.—The new Epitome was printed early in 1936. However, the policy of issuing interim supplements made it necessary to revise the Epitome in 1937. The demand for the book has been such that further printings must be made in 1938. The number of copies sold in 1937 totaled 8130.

GEORGIA SCHOOL OF PHARMACY.

A resolution has been addressed to Governor E. E. Rivers and University of Georgia officials to provide adequate quarters and equipment for the School of Pharmacy. The move is supported by the State Association.