

relating to the self-purification of water, the isolation of the typhoid bacillus, the interpretation of the colon test, and the newer presumptive tests for the colon bacillus, while a new chapter has been introduced "The Bacteriology of Sewage and Sewage Effluents"—a chapter which could not have been written in 1904 on account of lack of data. In the Appendix there is given the method of media making as recommended by the Committee on Standard Methods of Water Analyses, together with the formulæ for preparation of special media, as Loeffler's Blood Serum, Phenol Broth, MacConkey's media, etc. Not the least valuable part of the book is the table of references to original publications, which may be said to include all the important contributions to water bacteriology.

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