He is of opinion that there is some evidence to assume:

1. That there are two distinct varieties of tuberculosis affecting the human body, one produced by human tubercle, the other produced by bovine tubercle.

2. That human and bovine tuberculosis are separate and distinct.

3. That bovine tuberculosis, entering the alimentary canal in milk, may set up tabes mesenterica, more especially in children.

4. That bovine tuberculosis is probably the cause of enlarged lymph glands, tuberculous joints, and lupus.

5. That true human tuberculosis, or phthisis pulmonalis, is always conveyed from one person to another by infection, and generally from advanced cases of phthisis.

6. That every effort should be made to stamp out tuberculosis in cattle, and that milk should be boiled before use by children.

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REVIEW.

Diseases of the Nose, Pharynx, and Ear. By HENRY GRADLE, M.D., Professor of Ophthalmology and Otology, University Medical School, Chicago. 547 pages and 146 illustrations. W. B. Saunders and Co., Philadelphia and London.

This work, which is another of the text-books issued by this enterprising firm, is written with a view of giving information to those who are apt to fly in a hurry to a book to help them to elucidate or treat a difficult case. In order to assist this method the text is subdivided into sections, and the index refers entirely to the numbers of the subsections and not to the pages, the enumeration of the pages appearing to have no useful function except for reference to the heading of chapters. Of the 547 pages, the first 328 are devoted to diseases of the nose and naso-pharynx, and, although these are often treated in a somewhat casual and superficial way, the general impression one derives is that the book will be found serviceable to the particular class of individual to whom it is addressed. This book is written by a post-graduate teacher of much experience, and as such, of necessity, will carry much weight, especially where he is known. But we are certain that most practitioners of general medicine would find it contain a very large amount of useful information.

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