



A Classified Nomenclature of Diseases: Designed for Use as a Diagnosis Index in the Central Free Dispensary of Rush Medical College (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from A Classified Nomenclature of Diseases: Designed for Use as a Diagnosis Index in the Central Free Dispensary of Rush Medical College The purpose of this classified nomenclature is to form a basis for a diagnosis index of patients treated in dispensary and hospital work, the immediate objects being to make the clinical material of the Central Free Dispensary more available for study and demonstration and to stimulate students to greater care in the use of diagnostic terms. In the present state of medical knowledge a perfect scientific classification or nomenclature of diseases is impossible. The aim has been to furnish a practicable, uniform terminology to be used in all of the departments of the Dispensary. The two chief divisions are the General Diseases and the Diseases of Systems and Organs. The former are grouped according to etiology and include diseases caused by Animal Parasites, General Infectious Diseases, with a complete outline of organs affected by Gonorrhea, Syphilis and Tuberculosis; the Constitutional Diseases, including many of obscure etiology; Poisons and Intoxications; General Injuries, and Tumors. The...

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