

Book Notices

there is the occasional inconsistency. Where, for example, is the notorious “stratiotes” of Anonymus Londinensis VI.22. oddly translated by Jones as “duckweed”? But these quibbles should not be allowed to diminish one’s gratitude for a handy and clear work of reference.

BOOKS ALSO RECEIVED

(The inclusion of a book in this list does not preclude the possibility of subsequent review. Items received, other than those assigned for review, are ultimately incorporated into the collections of the Wellcome Institute for the History of Medicine.)

WILLIAM BEATTY, *The death of Lord Nelson. The authentic narrative by his surgeon*, London, Stobart, 1985, 8vo, pp. 95, £4.25 (paperback).

ANTONIO CARRERAS PANCHON, *Joaquin de Villalba (1752—1807) and the origins of Spanish medical historiography*, Universidad de Malaga, 1985, 8vo, pp. 173, [no price stated] (paperback); Joaquin de Villalba, *Epidemiologia española*, facsimile of 1803 ed., with introduction by Antonio Carreras Panchon, Universidad de Malaga, 1985, 8vo, pp. 209, [no price stated] (paperback).

VICTOR GONG (editor), *Understanding AIDS. A comprehensive guide*, Cambridge University Press, 1985, 8vo, pp. xxiii, 240, £17.50.

CHRISTIAN HELFER, *Lexikon auxiliare. Ein deutsch-lateinisches Wörterbuch*, Saarbrücken, Verlag der Societas Latina, Universität des Saarlandes, 1985, 8vo, pp. 470, DM.70.00.

EVELYN FOX KELLER, *Reflections on gender and science*, New Haven, Conn., and London, Yale University Press, 1985, 8vo, pp. viii, 193, £17.95.

GERHARD KOCH, *Die Gesellschaft für Konstitutionsforschung*, Erlangen, Verlag Palm und Enke, 1985, 8vo, pp. xxv, 306, illus., DM.30.00.

CLAUDIA PANCINO, *Il bambina e l’acqua sporca*, Milan, Franco Angelli, 1985, 8vo, pp. 261, L.20.000 (paperback).

VINCENTE COELHO DE SEABRA, *Elementos de chimica* (facsimile of 1788 ed.), Coimbra, Portugal, Departamento de Química, Universidade de Coimbra, 1985, 8vo, pp. xviii, 485, illus., \$10.00 (paperback).

THOMAS M. SHAPIRO, *Population control politics. Women, sterilization, and reproductive choice*, Philadelphia, Temple University Press, 1985, 8vo, pp. x, 220, \$24.95.