LETTER TO THE EDITOR

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The Journal of Laryngology and Otology.

Dear Sir,—In my article on "Recurrent Laryngeal Paralysis", published in the April number (of which there was no time for you to send me a proof), the last words in the paragraph at the foot of p. 221 leave a wrong impression. It should be ". . . Mullin and Langston, to have reported cases, the last case occurred in a male."

In the fifth paragraph, p. 223, it should read: "These glands have many afferent channels besides", etc.

In the section marked 2, p. 226, it should read: "From the internal mammary and the axillary glands", etc.

Yours truly, H. W. Schwartz.

REVIEW OF BOOK

Cirugia del Laberinto. By HERNAN ZUBIZARRETA. Sebastian de Amorrortu, Buenos Aires. pp. 107 with 22 figures.

Dr. Zubizarreta, who at the time of writing was chief assistant in the clinic of Professor Segura, has given in this book an orthodox but extremely clear and accurate account of the labyrinth from the point of view of surgical anatomy, pathology and technique. He has not embarked upon the physiology of the labyrinth nor has he attempted anything original, but he follows the well-known writers such as Jansen, Bárány, Neumann, Ruttin, Bourguet and Hautant. There is an excellent bibliography and, at the end, a few illustrative case histories. The text is entirely sound and reliable but the real feature of the book is the illustrations of a number of dissections of the labyrinth seen from every aspect. These are so beautifully reproduced that the book would be valuable to any aural surgeon even if he could not appreciate the Spanish text, the printing and style of which are in keeping with the excellence of the illustrations. Although these are single they stand out with stereoscopic clarity and would be very suitable for purposes of teaching and demonstration.

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