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THE want has long been felt by English-speaking practitioners of a Journal devoted to the Pathology and Physiology of the Throat and Nose, more particularly since the American *Archives of Laryngology* ceased to exist. That admirably conducted organ in the earlier part of its career had fully met the want above indicated, but in course of time it became transformed from a mirror of what was being done in the field of Laryngology, into a vehicle of more or less interesting original matter. A special journal must be the "abstract and brief summary" of the work done all over the world in the particular province which it seeks to represent. It is certainly remarkable that whilst there are several foreign periodicals which profess to keep their readers abreast of the ever-advancing and ever-widening stream of laryngological literature, there should be no such publication in the language in which it would be most useful. To a large proportion of physicians in England, in the Colonies, and in America, a journal in French or German is a sealed book, whilst the majority of working practitioners have no time for the study of long original papers. The aim of the EDITORS is to make their Journal serviceable not only to their brother-specialists, but to everyone who is called upon to treat a case of disease of the throat or nose. The periodical will contain abstracts, as brief as is compatible with perfect fidelity, of all articles, reports of cases, papers presented to societies, transactions of congresses, and reviews of books dealing with subjects which fall within its scope. From time to time editorial articles will be published on subjects exciting special interest. The efficiency of such an organ as is here contemplated must, of course, depend on the comprehensive thoroughness with which the survey of contemporary literature is made. It is, therefore, a source of great satisfaction to the EDITORS that their undertaking has received the approval, and will have the active support, of leading laryngologists in various countries. Dr. CHARLES FAUVEL, of Paris, along with Dr. JOAL, will take charge of the French section; Dr. MICHAEL, of Hamburg, of the German; Professor F. MASSEI, of Naples, of the Italian; Prof. RAMON DE LA SOTA Y LASTRA, of the Spanish; Dr. CAPART, of Brussels, of the Belgian; Dr. HOLGER

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