

## BOOK REVIEWS

HUMAN EMBRYOLOGY. By Bradley M. Patten. The Blakiston Co., Philadelphia and Toronto, 1946. xv + 776 pp. \$7.

Prof. Patten states in the Preface that his book "represents an endeavor to set forth in simple and readable form the phases of human embryology which are of especial interest to medical students and physicians." Both in lucid and orderly explanation of his subject as a whole and in selection and special emphasis of those aspects of prenatal development which have an important relation to medicine, he has set an admirable example and made a valuable contribution. From the teaching standpoint, not only has he succeeded in telling his story well, but he has further assisted in its retention through the use of examples, analogy, and skilful recapitulation. Superfluous terminology is omitted; necessary terms and their synonyms are defined.

The illustrative material has been selected discriminately but lavishly. A group of superb drawings and photomicrographs from material in the Carnegie Collection illustrate many of the earlier developmental stages. A number of pictures are the work of Dr. Patten.

In addition to the description of the development of the embryo and fetus *per se*, there are several supplementary and well-written chapters on the adult aspects of reproduction, on implantation, the placenta and fetal membranes, on twinning and teratology, and on age and growth changes and their measurement and estimation. An extensive index and reference bibliography are provided. Printing, format, and binding encourage use of the book.

Minor deficiencies, all of which can be corrected in a succeeding edition, include a few photographs which would be more pleasing if they were less dark, occasional labels which contain defective letters or which are printed in undesirably small type, some errors in punctuation and reference of pronouns, and a very few badly written sentences. But one does not hesitate to recommend the book heartily.

—THOMAS R. FORBES

MOTOR DISORDERS IN NERVOUS DISEASES. Ernst Herz and Tracy J. Putnam. King's Crown Press, New York, 1946. x + 184 pp. \$3.

Motor Disorders in Nervous Diseases is a very concise introduction to the most important part of a neurological examination. A detailed description of motor phenomena including the reflexes is given. The material is presented from a structural and physiological point of view. Electrical investi-

Mar 24, 2012 - Double Monsters and Teratology, Human Embryology, by Bradley M. Patten, 1953. Wonders of Human Body Exhibition. A website by the People's Daily newspaper; China, business, world, science, education, sports news. Karen Russell I love science. Weird Creatures Fantasy Creatures Mythical Creatures Illustration Botanique Arte Obscura Anatomy Art Animal Anatomy Mythological Creatures Dark Souls. The University of Toronto has an extensive collection of anatomy illustrations from 1522-1867. The above images were found browsing 'abnor Astral Life illustrations. Human embryology. by. Patten, Bradley M. (Bradley Merrill), 1889-1971. Publication date. 1953. Publisher. New York, Blakiston. Collection. inlibrary; printdisabled; internetarchivebooks; americana. Prodiges by James G. Mundie - Conjoined Twins. Philadelphia artist James G. Mundie's collection of historical sideshow ephemera. Roy Calloway Old photos. Anatomy Head Skull Anatomy Anatomy Art Anatomy Drawing Human Anatomy Animal Anatomy Illustrations Médicales Medical Illustrations Medical Drawings. The illustration above is from Dr. Herbert Zim's book for first through fourth grade students, Bones (1969: Wm Morrow & Co), rendered by René Martin. And before any of you hipster kids purloin this for Tumblr, it's already on there and has had 2500+ notes so reblog that one. Preferably from someone who didn't delete the text and links. ScienceWear Science and Art.

Atlas of Human Embryology: from Oocytes to Preimplantation Embryos. M. Cristina Magli, Gayle M. Jones, Kersti Lundin, Etienne Van den Abbeel and The Special Interest Group on Embryology. Human Reproduction Volume 27 Supplement 1 August 2012. Oxford University Press. Recent strategies in embryo selection include sequential morphology assessment where PN scoring has been shown to play an important role as an indicator of gamete constitution as well as a prognostic tool for embryo competence. Scoring of PNs has also proved to be useful in countries where restrictive legislation mandates selection at the zygote stage for embryo transfer and consecutive elimination or cryopreservation of sibling zygotes (Senn et al., 2006; Zollner et al., 2005). Human Embryology. Patten, Bradley. Published by Blakiston Division, McGraw-Hill, New York (1953). Used. Hardcover. Quantity Available: 1. From: Better World Books (Mishawaka, IN, U.S.A.) Seller Rating: Add to Basket. About this Item: The Blakiston Company, Philadelphia PA, 1947. Hardcover. Condition: Good. No Jacket. 1366 Drawings and Photographs (illustrator). Second Edition. Good hard cover with good cover boards. Human Embryology. Bradley M. Patten. Published by J & A Churchill, London (1946). Used. Hardcover. First Edition. Quantity Available: 1. From: Books for Amnesty Bristol (Bristol, United Kingdom). Seller Rating P. Blakiston's and Co., Philadelphia. Patten, B. M., Human Embryology, 1946. The Blakiston Co., Philadelphia and Toronto. Recommend this journal. Email your librarian or administrator to recommend adding this journal to your organisation's collection. July 1959, pp. 830-832. This volume was published under a former title. See this journal's title history. Human embryology by Bradley M. Patten, 1946, Blakiston edition, in English. This edition was published in 1946 by Blakiston in Philadelphia. Written in English. 776 pages. This edition doesn't have a description yet. Can you add one?