
Practical Malaria Control

This pocket-sized manual for the control of malaria is well described by its title and subtitle given below. It is an abbreviated treatise, yet many items appear which are new, and some are considered in detail. The subject matter is treated very systematically and is divided into four parts: 1, Antimalarial Measures; 2, Diagnosis; 3, Treatment; and 4, Complications of Malaria.

The author, both an entomologist and a physician, has spent many years in the tropical jungle of New Guinea where malignant tertian malaria is highly endemic. People concerned with the control of malaria in similar situations should find this book to be a great help, although its use is not restricted to such areas.

The publisher, it is assumed, is responsible for printing the book on undesirable paper and without a table of contents and index. Also, the price is large for the size of the book. These facts are mentioned because they should not deter one from purchasing this manual for the excellent contribution the author has made to the literature on control of malaria.

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