**Book Reviews**


The over-all standard is very good and particularly the report of the late Nobel Prize winner Georg von Bekesy on ‘Sense organs and their sensitivity’ gives an excellent survey of recent advances in this research field.

This book should be available to both scientists and clinicians concerned with otoneurology and its borderlands.

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This book gives an excellent survey on recent advances achieved in various sub-specialties of oto-rhino-laryngology such as: audiology, pathology of the middle and inner ear, neuro-otology, facial paralysis, pathology and surgery of the tonsils, allergy of the upper respiratory tract, tracheostomy, surgery and chemotherapy of head and neck cancer. One chapter informs about development and improvement of special techniques such as cryosurgery, hypophysectomy and microsurgery of the larynx. In order to include also subjects related to otolaryngology chapters on anaesthesia, polytomography, radiotherapy of head and neck cancer, dental care, virus diseases, antibiotics and haematology are incorporated.

‘Recent advances’ must be considered as an important and valuable complementary to the standard works and is of special interest to the postgraduate student.

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