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The Minnesota Law Review, in this issue, is printing several articles from the national Symposium series dealing with "Scientific Proof and Relations of Law and Medicine" (2d series). The Symposium contains more than fifty studies prepared by legal and scientific writers on problems of joint interest; it is one phase of a program directed to the correlation of law and science. The papers will be published in the pages of participating legal and medical journals during the spring and summer of 1946. The intent of the effort is to muster up legal and scientific learning relevant to various type problems which need illumination from both sources for their proper solution. The scientific writers have undertaken, under editorial direction, to prepare their studies in a basic style comprehensible to lawyers, without, however, any sacrifice of scientific authority.

The new Symposium is a continuation of the first series, published by leading law reviews and medical journals in the spring of 1943. As before, the General Editor of the Symposium is Hubert Winston Smith, who holds an appointment, under the Distinguished Professorship Fund, as Professor of Legal Medicine in the University of Illinois affiliated with the College of Law and the College of Medicine. Readers interested in procuring a master index containing citations to the studies published in both the first and second series of "Scientific Proof and Relations of Law and Medicine," may do so by sending 20c in currency or stamps to Professor Smith, College of Law, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill. Copies so reserved will be ready for distribution after June 15, 1946.