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Preface to the Fourth Edition

Over five years have elapsed since the publication of the third edition of *Clinical Ophthalmology*. Since then many advances have occurred in ophthalmology and it has been necessary to update the subject matter with an increase in both the width and depth of coverage. The number of chapters has been increased from fourteen to sixteen with the addition of a new chapter on ocular trauma. The number of illustrations has been substantially increased, and new surgical techniques and investigations added and obsolete concepts removed. The main aims of this book, however, remain unchanged: to provide the trainee with a systematic and easily assimilated introduction to ophthalmology, and a reference and update for the more experienced practitioner.

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