

would make some similar decree from Whitehall many of the difficulties would be cleared away. I hope that the Workhouse Nursing Association will peg away until the wrongs of these silent, suffering sick paupers have been righted.

I am, Madam,
Yours, etc.,
C. J. WOOD.

OUR GUINEA PRIZE.

To the Editor of the "Nursing Record."

1, Rosslyn Mansions,
Goldhurst Terrace,
South Hampstead, N.W.
October 22nd.

DEAR EDITOR,—I beg to acknowledge with thanks the Guinea Prize, which I received yesterday, in reference to last month's puzzles in the NURSING RECORD.

I desire to take the present opportunity to say how much I appreciate the above-mentioned Magazine, and what amusement and recreation the puzzles have afforded my private patients and myself.

With compliments and renewed thanks,

I am,
Yours sincerely,
ALICE BUTCHER.

OUR PRIZE PUZZLE.

Rules for competing for the Pictorial Puzzle Prize will be found on Advertisement page VIII.

Comments and Replies.

Enquirer.—Hoblyn's Dictionary of Medical Terms is generally recognized as the standard one. It is published by Whittaker & Co., 2, White Hart Street, Paternoster Square, London, E.C. The cost is 10s. 6d.

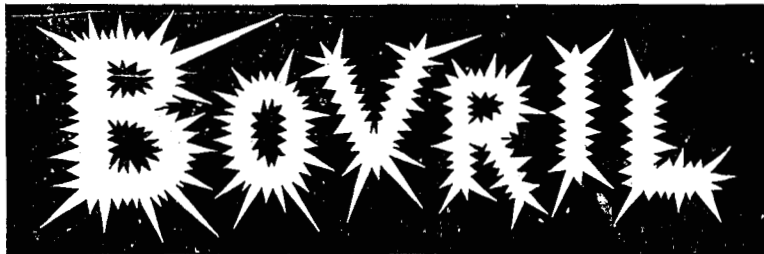
L. O. S.—The following is the formula for preparing Dr. Playfair's Mother's Milk:—"Take half a pint of skimmed milk, heat it to about 96 degrees F., and put into the warmed milk a piece of rennet about an inch square. Set the milk to stand in the fender, or over a lamp until it is quite warm. When it is set take the rennet out, and break up the curd quite small with a knife, and let it stand ten or fifteen minutes, when the curd will sink. Then pour the whey into a saucepan and let it boil quickly. Measure one-third of a pint of this whey, and dissolve in it, when hot, a powder containing 110 grains of sugar of milk. When this third of a pint of whey is quite cold add to it two-thirds of a pint of new milk, and two teaspoonfuls of cream, stirring the whole together. The food should be made fresh every twelve hours, and warmed as required. The piece of rennet can be used for ten days or a fortnight. It is often advisable for the first month to use rather more than a third of a pint of whey, as the milk is apt to be rather rich for a newly-born child.

Private Nurse.—We should advise you to go to Messrs. Garrould's in Edgware Road. We think you will find what you want there.

An Anxious Mother.—We do not think the modern nurse has much to complain of as a rule in the arrangements made for her. Her comfort and convenience are studied considerably. Not so many years ago night nurses had frequently to attend lectures at three o'clock in the afternoon and get what rest they could before and after. It did not occur to them as a rule to grumble, they were only eager to get their lectures.

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