

form the shelves, and which costs 3½d., is now a classic. The most striking exhibits in this section are of larders well and ill-kept, presented in a most realistic way, with dishes of food modelled by Mrs. Bax and Miss Platt. In the one case, the dish of chops, the leg of mutton, fruit and butter, look most revolting, and, indeed, dangerous to health, being exposed in a dirty larder, fly-blown and disgusting; the other larder is sweet and clean, the food protected, the leg of mutton with a zinc cover, the butter covered with muslin kept down by previously boiled stones. In a butter-cooler shown the butter stands on a plate in a flower pot saucer filled with water, with an inverted flower-pot over it, covered with muslin whose corners dip in the water. We hope these larders will be widely exhibited.

The Health Posters are also striking and most educative.

THE BUBBLING FOUNTAIN.—Lent by the Royal Worcester Corset Co., of Worcester, Mass., U.S.A., is a type of the fountain provided by the staff of the Company for its staff, obviating the use of the common cup.

THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF NURSING, 431, Oxford Street, W., is in evidence, and, indeed, on the opening day more than one person remarked that the Mayoress, while going round the Hall, was carrying a copy.

THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER is showing some interesting exhibits relative to the health of the city, including card indexes for general and phthical cases, with files containing information as to ill-health, frequently leading to poverty.

THE WHISPERPHONE.—Coventry House, South Place, Finsbury Pavement, E.C., seems likely to be a valuable addition to the telephone system, by it both privacy and cleanliness are assured.

ALLMAN & SON, LTD., 67, New Oxford Street, W.C., have a most attractive Stand, on which are shown their beautiful anatomical models with letterpress key.

An example of **THE LYSTER SHELTERS**, made of canvas for the home treatment of phthical cases, is on view, the size 12 ft. by 12 ft., and the price £11 11s. They are supplied by Hill Bros., Northwood.

A lounge arranged by **GLAXO**, St. John's House, Minories, E.C., occupies a prominent position near the entrance. Glaxo, which only needs the addition of boiling water to constitute it into a modified sterile milk, needs no introduction to the readers of this journal.

The Stand stocked with the **GRIMWADE HYGIENIC DOMESTIC WARE**, is most attractive. The "quick cooker" obviates the necessity for a pudding cloth, and has the further merit that it is provided with a central shaft through which the water rushes, thus insuring that the contents of the basin are cooked at the centre. The kitchen jugs, milk bowls, &c., are also most fascinating. The pottery is produced by Grimwade's, Ltd., Stoke on-Trent, and the agents at the Exhibition are Messrs. Selfridge.

MESSRS. A. WULFING & Co., of 12, Chenies Street, W.C., have an attractive stand at which

their well-known preparations—Sanatogen (a nerve food), Formamint (a disinfectant of proved value for the throat) and Albulactin (soluble milk albumin in sterile powder form)—are well to the fore.

THE IZAL SPECIALITIES which are on view at the Stand of Newton, Chambers & Co., Ltd., are always appreciated by nurses. Izal is a disinfectant which is unvarying in strength and reliable under all conditions.

QUIBELL BROTHERS, LTD., of Newark, are showing the guaranteed disinfectant Kerol, which is practically non-poisonous as well as of high germicidal value.

THE GAS LIGHT & COKE COMPANY have a stand fitted with their latest appliances, both gas cookers and water heaters, which are amongst the conveniences of modern life.

KEEN, ROBINSON & Co., Denmark Street, St. George's-in-the-East (incorporated with J. J. Colman, Norwich), are well known to nurses, to whom Robinson's "Patent" Barley, and Keen's and Colman's mustards are household words.

THE "JELLOID" Co., 76, Finsbury Pavement, E.C., are exhibiting their Iron "Jelloids," which form a neutral palatable form of iron tonic.

THE "SANITAS" EXHIBIT of the Sanitas Company, Ltd., is sure to attract attention as Sanitas is one of the most widely known and esteemed, as well as one of the earliest, of disinfectants.

In the Large Hall on the first floor are two sections organized by the National League for Physical Education and Improvement, 4, Tavistock Place, W.C. Here are to be seen three improvised cradles suitable for a very poor home to which prizes have been awarded. The first, won by the Fulham School for Mothers, costing 2s. 1½d.; the second, by the Baby Clinic, Telford Road, 3s. 11½d.; and the third by the Mothers and Babies Welcome at Uttoxeter, 5½d. We think, however, that the question of cost has influenced the awards unduly. A lusty baby of three months would probably tumble out of the cradle to which the first prize was awarded, and that gaining the third appeared very insecure.

THE CONFERENCE.

The Conference which opened on Monday afternoon was presided over by Muriel Viscountess Helmsley. The first paper of the afternoon was presented by Dr. Eric Pritchard on "How to conduct an Infant Consultation," which we hope to refer to again more fully. The discussion was opened by Dr. A. E. Naish, the Senior Assistant Physician of the Sheffield Royal Hospital; and Dr. Sykes, Medical Officer of Health for St. Pancras, Dr. Ralph Vincent, and others joined in the discussion.

In the short time which remained, Lady Helmsley gave an interesting account of the Day Nurseries, founded for the Children of Working Women in connection with the National Society of Day Nurseries.

Interesting papers are being presented, and popular lectures given daily till Thursday, June 27th, when the Exhibition closes.

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