

TOXOL is an all-British disinfectant which has won the highest praise, which is not surprising, seeing that it is prepared by experts in the laboratory of MESSRS. BOOTS PURE DRUG CO., the well-known chemists, who allow special bulk terms to hospitals and institutions.

One of the niceties of the toilet, as well as a real preventive of disease, by the application through its agency of simple rules of hygiene, is Listerine, manufactured solely by the LAMBERT PHARMACAL COMPANY, St. Louis, U.S.A. It is a non-poisonous antiseptic solution, and properly diluted is a valuable mouth wash, as well as gargle or spray.

The many preparations of LYSOL, LTD., Warton Road, Stratford, E., are always of great value. The well-known antiseptic bearing the firm's name is largely used by nurses and midwives, as is the popular "Lysol" soap. Both are declared to be British made and owned.

SPHAGNOL PREPARATIONS.

The preparations placed on the market by PEAT PRODUCTS (SPHAGNOL), LTD., are specially interesting just now as testimony from the seat of war goes to prove that they are being successfully used in the treatment of "trench sores," insect bites and other irritating ailments, which may easily develop into serious conditions if not suitably treated. The headquarters of PEAT PRODUCTS, LTD., are at 18 and 19, Queenhithe, Upper Thames Street, E.C.

FOODS, ETC.

BOVRIL, supplied by Bovril, Ltd., of Old Street, City Road, E.C., needs no introduction to nurses, its stimulating and body-building power being well known to them. The cattle from which the meat used in making Bovril is derived are reared in the pasture lands of the Argentine Republic, declared by Mr. George Lawson Johnston, chairman at the annual meeting of the company last Tuesday, to be the finest stretch of pasture land in the world.

An eloquent testimony to the value of VIROL (also of Old Street, E.C.) is contained in the fact that it is supplied in over 1,000 hospitals. Excellent results follow its use with children, whilst in the months preceding and after childbirth mothers find it of value in maintaining their strength.

VITAFER is a tonic food produced by the well-known firm of Southall Bros. & Barclay Ltd., Birmingham, a comparatively new food, the steadily increasing demand for it, and its proved usefulness in cases of nerve weakness is testimony to its value.

BENGER'S FOOD (Otter Works, Manchester), is highly esteemed by both nurses and midwives, who find both for their patients and themselves when a light, sustaining diet is desired that there is nothing better than Benger's Food, which is on sale in the principal cities throughout the world.

ROBINSON'S "PATENT" BARLEY and "PATENT" GROATS supplied by Keen Robinson & Co., Ltd.,

Denmark Street, London, are preparations which no midwife would willingly be without and which are constantly used by her patients. The gruel prepared from the groats is also much appreciated by invalids, and elderly people, and the "Patent" Barley is invaluable in the preparation of barley water, so often ordered as a diluent.

THE WALLACE "P. R." FOODS CO., LTD., 50, Tottenham Lane, Hornsey, N., have placed upon the market a variety of nutritious foods, some of which are extremely palatable. The letters P. R. stand for "physical regeneration," and as "body building" foods are of great importance just now we invite attention to those above mentioned. The P.R. Body Building Breakfast Food, Nut Butter, Wallaceite Coffee, and a confection of dates and ginger and other combinations, are some of the products demanding notice.

WELFORD & SON'S DAIRIES are well known all over London, and as purveyors of milk and cream to his Majesty the King the standing of the firm is assured. The milk supplied is produced on its own dairy farms, and many specialities, such as asses' milk can be ordered through the many branches of the head office in Maida Vale, W.

The extraordinary popularity of HORLICK'S MALTED MILK proves how a good article well placed upon the market succeeds. We heard the other day that it is a most popular beverage in the canteens of soldiers' recreation huts, and we can well believe it. Messrs. Horlick, of Slough, have every reason to be proud of their record.

TONIC WINES.

Doctors differ about the advisability of prescribing alcoholic tonics, but all agree that Proprietary Medicines containing alcohol should not only have this fact made clear, but the quantity of alcohol contained should be stated on the label. Winox Wine Food, supplied by WINOX, LTD., 65, London Wall, E.C., complies with this requirement and the makers of this well-known tonic not only give the quantity of alcohol but a complete analysis of their wine, which shows Winox to be rich in carbohydrates and phosphates.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Now that the spring sunshine is peeping out it is quite evident that wardrobes need renovating, even if it is war time, and MESSRS. CRICHTON, LTD., 13C, Devonshire Square, E.C., are prepared to advise how to secure a really well-cut coat and skirt at a minimum of outlay. Those who are overhauling their wardrobes cannot do better than consult Messrs. Crichton's chief cutter.

And remember that uniform hats of all sorts, sizes and shapes and most moderate in price, are obtainable from MESSRS. SCOTT, 1, Old Bond Street, Piccadilly, W., not to mention others for every conceivable occasion. The neat grey straw hat of the Territorial Force Nursing Service costs

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