

HOSPITAL WORLD.

WARM CONGRATULATIONS AND THANKS.

Mr. T. H. Bickerton, the President of the Royal Liverpool Infirmary, has received the following letter from their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of York:—

White Lodge, Richmond Park,
July 26th, 1923.

DEAR MR. BICKERTON,—The Duke and Duchess of York have asked me to write and express to you, and through you to all concerned, Their Royal Highnesses' warm appreciation of the excellent arrangements that were made for their visit to the Hospital.

What possibly impressed Their Royal Highnesses most was that, in spite of all the necessarily formal arrangements made for the ceremony, it in no way prevented the immediate entry and skilled treatment of the unfortunate people who were injured in the accident, and I am desired by Their Royal Highnesses to convey to all concerned their warm congratulations and thanks for their prompt and ready assistance in what might have been somewhat difficult circumstances.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) LOUIS GREIG,
Comptroller.

DRIED MILK.

The Minister of Health is about to make Regulations as to the labelling and composition of dried milk on the lines of the Regulations recently made with regard to condensed milk. The Regulations will come into operation on January 1st, 1924, and will apply to all dried milk intended for sale for human consumption in England and Wales.

Copies of the draft Regulations which have been prepared for this purpose can be purchased under the description, "Draft of the Public Health (Dried Milk) Regulations, 1923," from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2, either directly or through any bookseller (price 2d.). Any representations on the subject should be addressed to the Secretary to the Ministry at an early date.

GOSPO.

We have pleasure in directing attention to the many merits of Gospo, the original cleanser supplied by Gospo, Ltd., 33, Waterloo Road, London, S.E. 1. We think that those who use it regularly, or who resolve to do so in the future, will agree that the claim of the firm that this original cleanser is "still the best" is well founded. It can be obtained from grocers, stores, ironmongers, &c., and its cleansing properties are remarkable. Purchasers should always insist on the impression of the white cat on the canister. Not the least of the merits of Gospo is that it is of British manufacture.

OUTSIDE THE GATES.

It has been decided at a recent meeting of the Officers of the International Council of Women to hold a Conference of Women's International Organisations in London early next year, to discuss the

PREVENTION OF THE CAUSES OF WAR, and how women can best assist in promoting the cause of World Peace.

In order to safeguard the objects of the Conference, it was decided that no allusion should be made to the facts of the late War, or to political controversies arising therefrom.

A comprehensive draft programme has already been prepared under the following headings:—The international mind in individuals to include the moral and spiritual basis of human relationships, Education in Schools and Colleges and Education of Citizens, and the international mind in Governments.

LEMONS.

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A simple lemonade can be made as follows: Wash a lemon, cut it in half, and extract the juice by the use of a lemon-squeezer. Place the juice and the peel in a quart jug and add a dessert-spoonful of sugar. Fill the jug with a quart of boiling water, cover it with a plate, and let the peel infuse for five minutes. At the end of this time remove the peel so that it may not give a bitter taste to the lemonade and yet shall have a chance of yielding some of its essential oil, which is a valuable stomachic. The lemonade is ready for use as soon as it is quite cold, but it is more refreshing if it can be stood on ice before it is served.

Lemon-peel tea.—Wash a lemon, and rub the rind with half an ounce of loaf sugar, which should be placed in a quart jug as soon as it becomes yellow. Peel off the yellow rind without any of the white pith, and place it in the jug. Pour a quart of boiling water over the peel, set aside the infusion till it is cold, add the strained juice of the lemon, remove the peel, and serve the beverage, iced if possible.

OUR ANTHOLOGY.

MAGNA EST VERITAS.

Here in this little Bay,
Full of tumultuous life and great repose,
Where, twice a day,
The purposeless, glad ocean comes and goes,
Under high cliffs, and far from the huge town,
I sit me down.
For want of me the world's course will not fail:
When all its work is done the lie shall rot;
The truth is great and shall prevail,
When none cares whether it prevail or not.

COVENTRY PATMORE.
(1823-1896.)

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