

FOOD.

Food in Health and Disease, by Nathan S. Davis, Jr., A.M., M.D., Professor of the Principles and Practice of, in Northwestern University Medical School, physician to St. Luke's Hospital, Mercy Hospital and Wesley Hospital, Chicago; member American Medical Association, American Climatological Association, etc. Second edition. Philadelphia: P. Blakiston's Son & Company, 1012 Walnut Street, 1912. Price, \$3.50.

This valuable work on Food in Health and Disease has now appeared in a second edition. We welcome it, as it contains a sound exposition of the present-day views on this important subject. We can very heartily recommend this volume. Its advice can be safely followed. It is full of most important information.

ILLINOIS CHARITIES COMMISSION.

Second Annual Report of the States Charities Commission to the Hon. Charles S. Deneen, Governor of Illinois. Springfield, Illinois, December 31, 1911. Springfield, Ill.: Illinois State Journal Co., State Printers, 1912.

This volume contains a good deal of useful information on the subjects of public health, hospitals, jails and kindred topics. It will furnish useful reading to all who are in any way interested in such work. We can advise our health authorities to consult this report.

THE PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS.

The Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. Twelfth Annual Report, with transactions of the annual meeting held in Toronto, Ontario, May 20th and 21st, 1912. Toronto: William Briggs, 1912.

Time flies. It does not seem long since the Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis was formed, and now we have before us the 12th annual report. This organization has done great service to the country and should receive every possible co-operation. We hope that very many will study this report.

SEA-FISHERIES OF CANADA.

Commission of Conservation, Canada, Hon. Clifford Sifton, chairman; James White, secretary, 1912. Printed by the Mortimer Company, Ottawa.

The Commission of Conservation is doing useful work. It has now issued many reports on various resources of Canada. This one is interesting and throws much light upon one of the great industries and sources of Canadian wealth.