

PRESS NOTICES (Continued)

The strongest essential, to our mind, of a book primarily addressed to lay people, is the insistence of a strict definition between the fields of activity of the physician and the mother or nurse. This has been maintained by the author admirably. In other particulars, also, the book is highly commendable. The text is sufficiently comprehensive and we have noted no important omissions. The chapter on infant feeding, probably the most important in the book, is a clear and sensible exposition of the percentage system. We are glad to note that the author is not a warm advocate of top milk. It would by no means be offering an insult in recommending this book to many physicians. The text contains information about the care of infants which does not fall into the scope of text-book or even of hospital training and only comes to those long in the school of experience.

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The author has succeeded in producing a book which gives simple, clear and complete directions, easily to be understood by the average American mother. The book can be cordially commended to the hands of every intelligent mother.

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