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MODIFIED MILK POWDER (C.M.P.).—The Canadian Milk Products, Limited, are introducing through the Medical Profession a new infant food called Modified Milk Powder (C.M.P.). This is a modified milk in powder form, and has several advantages over any other prepared food on the market. The modification is made entirely with milk solids, and it contains no starches, either in natural form or in the form of dextrose. Neither has the food been peptonized or in any way pre-digested, and its easy assimilability is obtained only by making the food approximate closely to mother's milk. The amount of casein normal to cow's milk is greatly diminished, and the amount of lact-albumen largely increased. Furthermore, this food has two important advantages over any other prepared foods, in having the albumens uncoagulated and in retaining undestroyed the milk enzymes. The process by which this milk powder is made is the only one known by which the moisture can be entirely driven off without ever subjecting the product to a temperature approaching the boiling point. The result is that the food is a "live" food, and while guaranteed free from pathogenic bacteria, retains the valuable antiscorbutic properties of fresh milk.

From a scientific point of view, this food appears to be almost perfect, and we are assured that practical results have borne out the expectations which the analysis and mode of preparation of the food would indicate. Healthy infants have uniformly lived for many months on this food with absolutely no digestive sicknesses, and have been totally free from any indications of scurvy or ricketts.

The bone, teeth, and muscle-forming qualities of the food have been unexcelled, and these infants are the picture of health. In a large number of cases where the food has been given to sick infants, a remarkable improvement has taken place, and in many cases infants unable to assimilate any other food have thrived on Modified Milk Powder (C.M.P.), and have been completely restored to health. The manufacturers declare that this food is the only scientific substitute for mother's milk, and that its uniform quality, cheapness, and the ease with which it is prepared make it invaluable for infant feeding.