

Publishers' Department

WE desire to call the attention of our readers to the announcement of the Lambert Company, on second cover page, who were awarded a gold medal for the perfection of their sterling product, "Listerine," at the Lewis & Clark Exposition at Portland, Oregon, last year.

HEAVY COLDS.—The rheumatic and grippy conditions which so frequently accompany heavy colds are sometimes overlooked. By the prompt use of Tongaline the irritating features of these conditions are ameliorated and the congestion is relieved, while the great stimulating action of Tongaline on the liver, the bowels, the kidneys and the pores, quickly expels the poisons which are the cause of the trouble.

PNEUMONIA.—"The pneumonia season is rapidly approaching. Soon the various journals will be full of the statistics of past years in regard to the prevalence and fatality of this disease. The pathology and etiology will be thoroughly gone over, but, judging by the past, most writers will have very little that is encouraging to say as regards treatment. Several points, nevertheless, must be kept in mind. Whatever drugs are used internally (and this depends very much upon the individual case), the patient must have plenty of fresh air. Do not be afraid of his taking cold on account of the cold air blowing across his face. It is now considered that this is impossible. Also, whatever drugs may be used, keep the body warm with suitable clothing, and use externally some preparation which will cause a comparative lessening of blood-pressure in the lungs. Cold applications, beside lowering the vitality of the patient, cause a depletion of the superficial vessels, and consequently increase the hyperemia in the lungs themselves. Our attention then would be drawn, per contra, to hot applications. To the most of these