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Messrs. EVRE & SPOTTISWOODE have lately brought out an article which is likely to be of



the greatest possible service in the Hospital wards, the Sisters' private rooms, &c., as well as in the board - room, · and other offices of the Staff. This article consists of a small brass stand, with a moveable base, closing flat for packing. but opening out to the well-known tripod shape for actual use; this carries a

small disc of steel, indented with the notations for the weights of letters, books, packets, &c., if placed upon the small brass plate at the top. This balance is made in three sizes—the smallest will indicate the weight up to two ounces, the largest up to nine ounces. It takes up but little room, and is perfectly reliable. The prices are from 1/6, 3/6, and 4/6each. This firm have also lately added to their already large stock of Fancy Note-papers, the "Sans Pareil," which, although a good serviceable cream-laid paper, sells for the absurdly low price of 6d. per lb. packet. <u>To those who have much</u> writing to do, we recommend it most emphatically.

LENTILINE BISCUITS.

(Messrs. MARRIOTT & Co., Hastings.)

The beneficial properties of lentils have been hitherto somewhat depreciated on account of their fat-forming tendency, and those that would gladly have added them to their diet, generally have had to take this food only in the winter. Mr. Marriott has ingeniously prepared a biscuit made of pure Egyptian lentils and other ingredients, which will be found most useful for people in health as well as for invalids, as they are equally nutritious and palatable. They will be found valuable for growing children, and as they are both nourishing and stimulating, they are admirable "travelling companions," or substitutes for irregular meals. For those who wish to test these biscuits, Mr. Marriott is sending direct, post free, a prettily "got up" tin box for 1s. 4d.





