

## New Inventions

SEEN AT MESSRS. W. H. BAILEY'S.

NURSES who desire to find the latest novelties in nursing appliances at an extremely moderate cost, will do well to pay a visit to Messrs. W. H. Bailey and Son, of 38, Oxford Street, W. This firm, which is well known for the excellence of its goods, has made a point of considering the moderate incomes of nurses in catering for their special needs, while the general appliances for the use of the sick can be thoroughly recommended to the public.

Among the many fascinating things which are on view at this establishment, we must mention

### STERILIZERS.

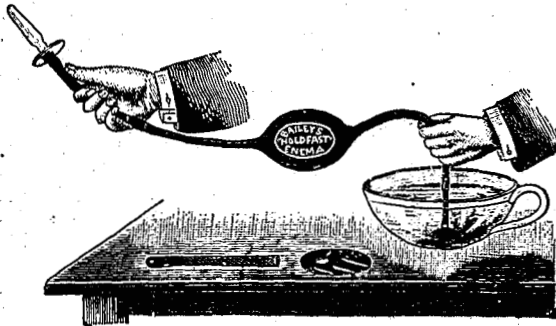
A most attractive sterilizer, costing 17s. 6d., is to be commended to private nurses. It is nickel plated on copper, and includes a rack for instruments, a lamp, and a reservoir for additional oil. The whole packs into the sterilizer, which measures only 6 inches in length,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in width, and barely 2 inches in depth.

A smaller sterilizer, cylindrical in shape, most suitable apparently for boiling tubes, costs only 6s. 6d., while a large enamelled iron sterilizer, suitable for boiling on a stove, costs the most moderate sum of 7s. 6d.

### DISTRICT BAGS.

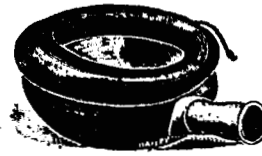
A great speciality is made of District Nurses' Bags, over 20 different varieties being kept in stock. A specially desirable one has a removable, washable lining made of khaki, which can be boiled if desired. It is made to hold 12 bottles and pots, besides having sundry pockets. The price, unfitted, is 19s. 6d.

### HOLDFAST ENEMA SYRINGE.



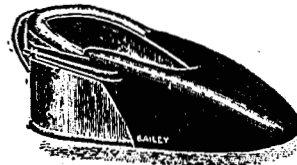
This syringe is deservedly most popular, and, indeed, we are assured that Messrs. Bailey now sell scarcely any other. By means of suction, the end in the basin adheres to the bottom, so that there is no necessity for the nurse to hold it, so that she has the use of another hand. The price, in best red rubber, is 3s. 3d.

### PNEUMATIC CUSHIONS.



From syringes to bed-pans is a natural sequence, and an excellent pneumatic bed-pan cushion, the invention of a nurse, is on view in this department. It is beautifully soft, as well as having the necessary merit of being washable, being composed of red rubber and having a tube and tap for inflation. The price is 12s. Another cushion on the same principle is supplied for

### SLIPPER BED-PANS.



### JAPANESE GOODS.

Some excellent Japanese air-cushions, which are all that can be desired for occasional cases, though they probably would not be suitable for hard hospital wear, are to be had from 2s. and upwards.

A most useful novelty, and one which is certain to be popular, is the Japanese ice-bag. It is the shape of an ordinary ice-bag, with a wide mouth, and is made of a tough substance which has been found to answer its purpose admirably. It has no stopper, but, when filled, is tied in the usual way. These most useful bags, which would be invaluable to district and private nurses, cost the inconsiderable sum of 2s. 6d. a dozen.

### GLASS GOODS.

Space does not permit of more than the briefest mention of the variety of glass goods, but a glass box for a nail-brush, which is affixed to the lid, and which always stands in an antiseptic solution, must be mentioned; also some glass air-tight jars for sponges, costing 3s. Some glass bottles, in aluminium cases, have a spring top in the lid, so that the stopper of the bottle is always kept in position, and are also admirable. There is also a glass half-pint graduated measure, which would be excellent for domestic purposes, price 6d. Not only does it measure liquids, but it is graduated for solids also. Enough, however, has been said to show nurses the advisability of paying a visit without delay to 38, Oxford Street.

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