

### New Preparations, Inventions, etc.

#### INVALID CHAIRS AT MESSRS. MAPLE'S.

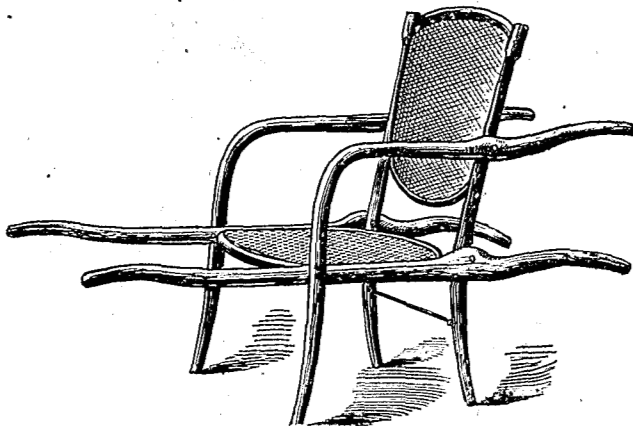
Messrs. Maple and Co., of Tottenham Court Road, have a world-wide reputation as vendors of excellent household furniture; but it is not so universally known that this firm caters also for the comfort of invalids, and that in its luxurious show-rooms many excellent invalid appliances are to be found, and that hospital bedsteads may also be obtained in great variety from 15s. 3d. upwards.

On paying a visit recently to this firm we specially noticed, amongst many other desirable appliances, the Brodie carrying chair, made of stained walnut wood, with cane seat and back, which will fold flat for travelling, of which the

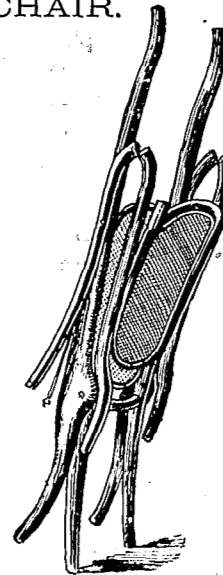
cerned. Matrons of hospitals and nursing institutions should not fail to send to this firm for their illustrated lists of Invalid and Convalescent Furniture, as well as of their Hospital Bedsteads.

It will interest many of our readers to know that at the "At Home" given at the Sir Julian Goldsmid's Home of Rest for Nurses at Brighton during the week of the Conference of the National Council of Women, much admiration was expressed as to the way in which the Home is furnished. The beds, bedding, and other furniture were almost exclusively supplied by Messrs. Maple, and thrifty souls will note that the furniture which has now been in use for ten years has successfully withstood the test of time and is still as good as new.

#### THE BRODIE CARRYING CHAIR.



Open.



Closed.

price was £1 4s. 9d. Another folding and adjustable chair in stained wood and canvas, price 14s. 9d., also attracted our attention. The Jenner cane carrying chair, at £1 5s. 6d., would be most useful in institutions, as it is light, strong, and can easily be kept clean. A cane leg rest, which can be used with any chair, costs only 7s. 6d., while more elaborate ones in walnut or mahogany cost 16s. 6d. if with single action, or with double action 26s. 6d. Ilkley and other couches, in great variety, are also on view here, a special and very desirable feature of those with arms being that the arms are moveable, an arrangement which adds greatly to the comfort of the patient, and the convenience of the nurse, when a helpless patient is con-

#### A SEASONABLE GIFT.

At this season of the year many people are desirous of finding acceptable Christmas gifts for their friends, and we recommend such persons to pay an early visit to Messrs. Mülhen's, 62, New Bond Street. The dainty bottles of Eau de Cologne, and Rhine Violets scent are gifts which would give pleasure to most, and would be especially welcome to invalids. The 4711 Eau de Cologne is a brand of special excellence, and costs 2s. 3d. a bottle, or 12s. 6d. a dozen, while the Essence of Rhine Violets, a delightful and fragrant perfume, which cannot fail to be acceptable, costs 3s. a bottle. If once used, we predict that both these scents will be purchased again and again.

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