into its substance in harmonious colours, and many other interesting and delightful things are in the making. Then there are woollen rugs which would be an adomment to room; and, in any the embroidery room adjoining the women are busily employed in doing church work or in embroidering bed-spreads, afternoon teacloths, nightdress cases, etc. They are a happy, busy family, and one imagines that the ache of sorrowful hearts is drawn out as the needles fly, and that many good resolutions are stitched into the beautiful work.

## OTHER EMPLOYMENTS.

But there are other employments for those not suited for weaving and embroidery. Many work in the gardens and glass-houses under the which is covered with roses and Virginia creeper.

Here all the patients are admitted on arrival and they could not be in kinder or more competent hands than those of Sister Caroline, who is in charge here, and who was for many years one of the hardest workers in the Universities' Mission Hospital at Zanzibar.

There are two wards each containing three beds, with low windows hung with blue and white curtains, matching the quilts. Everything is peaceful, restful, homelike. Besides the Sister's room there is a delightful room known as the staff room, where members of the staff, when ill or tired, are warded. It is quite ideal, with a bed "so comfortable that you would never want to get out of it," a restful sofa, and inviting arm-chair covered



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supervision of a lady gardener, and as this model village stands on a farm of 180 acres there is ample occupation for all. Then there are the laundries, and domestic work occupies the time of others.

That, perhaps, is one of the secrets of success of Duxhurst. The time is so fully occupied that it passes busily and happily, and at night, healthily tired, this large family is ready for rest.

## THE HOSPITAL.

To nurses the most interesting department is naturally the hospital, nestling under a roof of thatch, which keeps it delightfully cool, and with the prettiest of tissues, and window curtains to correspond. Through the window the "Pilgrim's Way" to Canterbury shows white and clear climbing up the hillside in the distance.

## THE MANOR.

The Manor is a charming house a little apart from the village, where well-to-do patients are received. Here a Sister, who is a trained nurse, is in charge, and it would be difficult to find a more attractive country house, where everything possible is done to make the inmates thoroughly comfortable and happy. In the foreground is a pool covered with water



