The nurses seem happy at Bernay, where there are five hospitals. The Civil Hospital, which is the biggest building, and worked by nuns, there are also Seminaire No. 17, the College, the Barracks, and No. 27 Temporary Hospital. Miss Ellison and Miss Haswell have already paid the staff at Bernay a visit on their way to Lisieux. Several of the nurses report the value of skilled massage. It is so much used in French hospitals, that those who have added a knowledge of this art to their nursing qualifications find themselves kept busy in applying it.

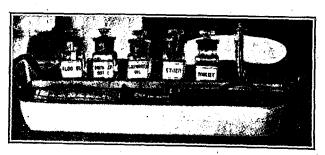
The ten nurses of Units VII and VIII who went to Caen had a wonderful reception. All the military authorities went to the station to meet them, so let us hope they may have early opportunity of doing all in their power for the sick.

PRACTICAL POINTS.

Miss Jessie F. Mackenzie, Superintendent, Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., sends to *The Modern Hospital* photographs of a sideboard designed by her for the nurses' diningroom.

Each nurse has a number, and her napkin ring bears a corresponding number, as does also the round pigeon-hole in the upper portion of the sideboard. When a nurse enters the room she takes her napkin out of its hole, and replaces it on retiring from the room. The back of the napkin container is removable, which permits the round holes to be thoroughly cleaned.

Miss Mackenzie also sends a photograph of an emergency tray and dressing tray, with lists of articles these contain. An emergency tray is placed at the bedside of each patient, who has just returned from the operating room. The dressing trays are always kept in readiness, so



EMERGENCY TRAY,

that if a doctor has occasion to do a dressing he is not kept waiting.

Sponge forceps (2). Bullet forcep. Mouth gag. Tongue depressor. Spoon. Alcohol lamp. Matches. Sponges.

EMERGENCY TRAY. Stethoscope. Alcohol.
Whisky.
Camphorated oil.
Ether.
Distilled water. Camphorated oil syringe. Hypodermic syringe.

Thumb forceps (2). Hemostat. Scissors. Kocher probe. Tap sheet, small. Cotton. Sponges.
Towels, sterile (4).
Bandages.
Nitrate of silver stick.
Collodion. Adhes ve, sterile.

DRESSING TRAY. Adhesive, unsterile.
Gloves.
Aristol powder.
Talcum powder.
Iodoform powder in blower.
Benzine.
Alcohol Alcohol. Peroxid. Iodin. Paper bag. Kidney basin.



DRESSING TRAY. LUMBAR PUNCTURE TRAY.

Sterile gloves. Sterile test tubes. Sterile towels. Sterile sponges. Sterile cotton. Alcohol.

Alcohol lamp.
White enamel basins (2).
Pus basin.
Tin vaseline. Adhesive strapping. Box matches.

EYE COMPRESS TRAY.
Anatomical forceps (2).
Scissors.
Bath towel. Surgical towels (3).

Z. O. adhesive plaster.

Iodin. Collodion. Ethyl chlorid. Sterile needles.

Scissors.

Glass percolator, 1,500 cc. Glass graduate, 500 cc. Pitcher, 2,500 cc. Florence flasks, 1,000 cc. (2). Kidney basin. Sterile cotton. Sterile sponges.

Essence of peppermint. Tincture of asafetida. Ammonia. Sugar. Pepper. Salt. Pins.

Small round basins (3). Kidney basin. Tincture of green soap. Alcohol.

Stomach tube, with bulb. Stomach tube, without bulb. Funnel.
Round basin, sterile.
Round basin, unsterile.
Kidney basins (2).

Gloves. Percussion hammer. Metal tape, metric. Vaseline. Blue pencil. Tongue depressor.

Catheter pot. Glass catheters (2). Glass;graduate. Kidney basin.

Alcohol lamp. Matches.

HYPODERMOCYLSIS TRAY.
o.c., Z.O. adhesive plaster,
c. Scissors. Hemostats (2). Ethyl chlorid. Sterile cotton. NEUROLOGIC TRAY.

RAY.
Needles.
Toothpicks.
Cotton sponges.
Basin.
Electric battery.
Hot water in test tubes.
Cold water in test tubes. Preparation Tray.
Ether.
Razor.
Toilet paper.
Towels (2).

STOMACH TRAY. H. TRAY.
Pitcher, 2,500 cc.
Glass graduate, 500 cc.
Rubber sheet.
Glass of water and small tray.
White enamel pail.

MEDICAL TRAY.

K. T. lubricant.

Towels. Ophthalmoscope. Electric light. Pins. Toothpicks.

CATHETER TRAY.
Small basin.
Sterile towels.
Sterile sponges.

SMEAR TRAY.
Slides, glass.
Copper wire loop, with solid glass
rod,

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