

FRENCH FLAG NURSING CORPS.

We wonder if the friends of the Sisters who recently acted a play in French for the amusement of their patients at Talence, will recognise them in the "Perrichon" group. As the Matron promised the male get up is very "correct."

The Canadian Unit arrived quite safely in Paris, and have now been sent to their various destinations.

So successful has been the work of the Massage Unit at Evreux and Cabourg that four more

Miss A. Hanley, R.N., who came over with the Canadians, and is an American citizen, is now on duty at the American Women's War Hospital at Paignton, South Devon. Miss Hanley is a graduate of Bellevue Hospital, New York, a registered nurse, and has held a Superintendent's post in Canada for five years. She will, we feel sure, be a great addition to the staff at Paignton, and we wish her happiness in caring for our sick and wounded men.

Our best thanks are due to the Matron of Barnet Union, Miss Stratford, and her helpers for the beautiful jackets and pyjamas made by them.



THE "PERRICHON" GROUP. SISTERS AT TALENCE.

thoroughly trained nurse-masseuses are required for such service. Sisters Chamberlain and Kirkland have been sent to Cabourg, so two more are needed. Candidates must hold a three years' certificate of general training, and a recognized certificate for massage, and should apply personally at 431, Oxford Street, on Friday afternoons from 2.30 to 5 p.m.

Mlle. Marie H. de l'Epine, who holds a three years' certificate of training from St. Thomas's Hospital, London, has been elected a member of the Corps. Mlle. de l'Epine is the first French lady who has applied whose qualification of training entitled her, in the opinion of the Committee, to be admitted. She left for France last week.

It is a truism that, when any work is required to be done, it is the busy people who generally volunteer.

What is the age limit for Home Service? Not three score years and ten, nor even four score years. This is demonstrated in the pleasant work-room assigned to the old ladies at Barnet Union, where aged hands have for some weeks past been fashioning garments for the F.F.N.C.

Eighty-two has put beautiful work on the pretty scarlet and grey bed jackets, and eighty announces proudly that she has made six pairs of "trousers" belonging to the pyjamas.

Ninety-three is not quite sure whether she helped. She was a good sewer in her day, but is rather past war service now.

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