

Gallipoli. After a few weeks they proceeded to Salonika, where they were amongst the first to have a new hospital in working order.

Three ladies who were previously engaged in Dundee Royal Infirmary have had the distinction of being singled out for official recognition of their valuable services. They are:—Acting Sister M. H. G. Fisher, of the Civil Hospital Reserve; Sister E. U. Jacques, of Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Reserve; and Sister I. Woodford, of the Territorial Force Nursing Service. Miss Jacques and Miss Woodford belong to England, but prior to the outbreak of war were on the staff of Dundee Royal Infirmary, Miss Woodford acting as Assistant Matron, and the Infirmary is very proud of them all.

EXTRACT FROM LETTER FROM THE AMBULANCE DE L'OCEAN, LA PANNE.

"You see, practically, this is a university, and we have all the biggest surgeons in Europe—and sometimes from America, too—coming to learn our new treatments and see some of the wonderful work we are doing. This huge hospital, only a few miles from the Front, is absolutely unique in many ways and especially in its advanced scientific methods. We constantly have medical conferences here—just imagine it. It is, of course, the mixture of clearing hospital, university and war hospital that makes it so serious when we are shorthanded. We have just had big laboratories built and most minute research work is going on; in the very next building the men are being brought in straight from the trenches, with only their field dressing on. In bad cases, the patient is laid on an electric bed, where he can be radiographed without moving, given anti-tetanic serum, undressed, washed; the blood pressure, pulse and temperature taken every half-hour—(an operating theatre adjourns this ward—and, if it be urgent, he is operated on)—then taken off to the ward where he is to be nursed. All that kind of thing demands good nursing. The things that are being done here every day are simply staggering. The other day, we had a man with a stump that would not heal, and we had an Italian graft done. . . . A brancardier offered himself for the purpose and a hole was cut in his side; the stump was opened up and stitched firmly to the two gaping sides of the man's wound so that the healthy granulations of the brancardier should cover the unhealthy stump; then the flap put over and sewn down. Just think of the nursing required for twelve days for these two men who were sewn together and one movement would spoil the whole thing.

"Then we have an experimental ward, where all sorts of treatments are tried. We have a man wounded in both legs—perhaps Carrel treatment is tried for one leg, and quinine or powdered sugar or some other tried for the other. . . The work done is absolutely magnificent."

JOINT WAR COMMITTEE.

The following Sisters have been deputed for duty in the Home Hospitals:—

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Dan-y-wed R. X Hosp., Blackpill, Glam.—Miss L. Mayhall.
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