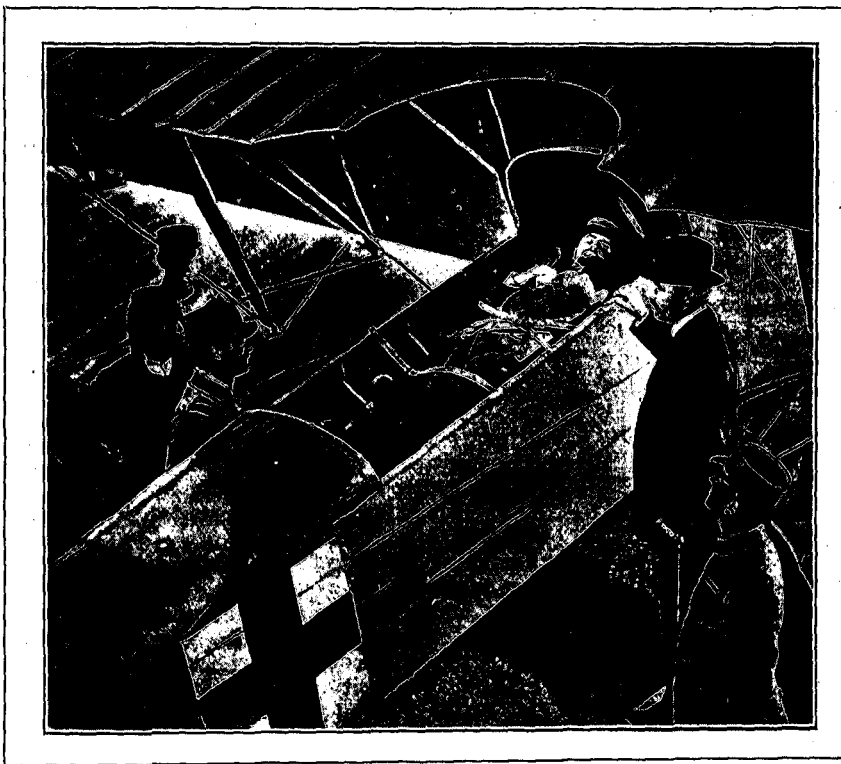


CARE OF THE WOUNDED.

The use of aeroplanes as ambulances is advocated by Dr. Chassing, of Puy de Dome, in cases of urgency. Our illustration shows a rehearsal at Villaconblay of the uses of such an ambulance. It is reported to be an easy method for the injured, who are usually carried about 500 ft. high.

A few weeks ago Mr. John Galsworthy made an eloquent appeal for the Manor House Orthopædic Hospital at Hampstead. It was opened last Saturday by General Sir William Robertson, chief



TRANSPORTING WOUNDED BY AEROPLANE.

of the Imperial General Staff, and a charming place it is. The creeper-covered Manor House is the central building of the hospital, and united to it by a covered way through the grounds is a range of bright wards, each containing 40 beds. The Allies Hospital Benevolent Society, which has provided this hospital, which is well equipped with the best curative devices employed in orthopædic treatment, need a large sum of money to complete the present installation before it can be extended, and also to maintain the building and buy the freehold. Here is work for the British Women's Hospital Committee, worthy of their benevolent instincts.

Mr. J. Hodge, the Pensions Minister, speaking

at the Cowen Training School for Maimed Soldiers and Sailors at Newcastle, said he wanted to know how the Ministry of Pensions could be most useful to them. "With regard to the provision of artificial limbs, I have asked the Treasury for ten thousand pounds to start an experimental artificial limb factory, and I will get it, too," said Mr. Hodge. "We want to get the best mechanical, surgical, and inventive geniuses in the country to collaborate in doing everything possible to equip you men as you ought to be equipped. Money must not stand in the way, and it won't stand in the way so far as I am concerned. Shell-shock cases are being treated at Golder's Green, London,

and there was doubt there as to whether those men would be sent to the front again. We have had notices posted up there that no man suffering from shell-shock can by any possible means ever be sent back to the front. That notice is the finest curative instrument that has ever been placed in our hands."

We can well believe it and congratulate both the men and the sympathetic Minister.

Lord Knutsford informs the public, in supporting the Joint War Committee's "Our Day" appeal, that it contributes £950 a month in support of the fine Shell Shock Hospitals for which he is responsible. Public money could not be utilised for a better cause than to lessen the sufferings of such patients. Many are

very very sad cases and need the most tender and patient care.

Thanks to anti-typhoid vaccination typhoid fever has disappeared from the French Armies.

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