

## CARE OF THE WOUNDED.

Major Dundas Grant, consulting surgeon to the Central London, Nose, Throat and Ear Hospital, has been appointed chairman of the Special Aural Board which has been set up by the Pensions Minister to deal with the cases of deaf discharged soldiers.

The Aural Board has arranged a class for the instruction of deaf soldiers in lip-reading. It is being held at the College of the National Association for the Oral Instruction of the Deaf, at 11, Fitzroy Square, of which Mr. Sibley Haycock is the Principal.

Recent contributions to the London Committee of the French Red Cross, as a result of "France's Day" collections, include:—Liverpool, £8,074; Sunderland, £1,234; Jersey, £814; Nottingham and district, £750; Bournemouth, £737; Southampton, £623; Marylebone (per Mrs. Edwards), £509; Folkestone, £379; Croydon, £343; Devonport and Stonehouse, £275; the Piccadilly Hotel (per Mrs. Casali), £258; Lynton and Lynmouth, £162; Harrow, £185; Faversham, £149; Burton-on-Trent, £139; and Minehead, £106.

The French Wounded Emergency Fund, of which the Duke of Connaught is President, have received from Canada a donation of £30,000 in aid of their work in France, which includes assistance to the military hospitals and to the villagers in the devastated areas. This sum has been collected by a committee of representative men in Manitoba and the Prairie Provinces.

Dr. Lloyd Wright is appealing for walking-sticks with crook handles for the walking wounded. Such sorely need the help and support asked for, and gifts of sticks sent to Dr. Lloyd Wright, Y.M.C.A. headquarters, Tottenham Court Road, W. 1, will be gratefully welcomed.

An attractive row of cottage homes for disabled sailors and soldiers has been opened on the Earl of Wemyss's estate at Longniddry. Lady Beatty, who performed the opening ceremony, said that this scheme, by which disabled men would be enabled to occupy their own houses and become self-supporting citizens, was among the best that could be devised. Lord Wemyss said the scheme had received support from all parts of the world, and there had just arrived a cheque for £890 from Scottish friends in New York.

It is claimed that inoculation of natives in the Rand mines against pneumonia is practically abolishing the disease. The South African natives now employed behind the lines in France have also been inoculated, with successful results.

## JOINT WAR COMMITTEE.

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

*Red Cross Hosp., Hungerford.*—Miss M. Barraclough.

*V.A. Hosp., Coalville, Leicester.*—Miss S. M. Tyler, Miss I. L. Rudd.

*Thornby Grange, Guilsborough.*—Miss B. M. Gray.

*Plant House Red Cross Hosp., Gillingham.*—Miss L. Jones.

*Fairlawn Aux. Hosp., Forest Hill.*—Miss R. C. Adams.

*Bleasdale Aux. Mil. Hosp., Silverdale, nr. Carnforth.*—Mrs. L. E. Dunster.

*Old Trafford Aux. Home Hosp., Seymour Grove, Manchester.*—Miss M. E. Speight.

*Hill House Hosp., Lyndhurst.*—Miss M. K. Burton.

*Greenhill Red Cross Hosp., Sherborne.*—Miss J. M. M. Henderson.

*Water Millock Red Cross Hosp., Bolton.*—Miss J. O. Barker.

*Cawston Manor Red Cross Hosp., nr. Norwich.*—Miss H. Clarke.

*Highfield Hosp., Southampton.*—Miss M. Hadderton.

*Moorfield Aux. Hosp., Glossop.*—Miss C. E. W. McNair.

*Moor Park, Preston.*—Miss M. E. Townend.

*Hanworth Park, Feltham.*—Miss G. A. Courvy.

*Munihorpe Hall V.A. Hosp., York.*—Miss E. A. Stone.

*Aux. Mil. Hosp., Carmarthen.*—Miss E. Edwards.

*Kineton House, Kineton, Warwickshire.*—Miss E. Fisher.

*V.A. Aux. Hosp., Lentwardine, Herefordshire.*—Miss J. Aird.

*Sulby Hall, Rugby.*—Miss M. Bolton.

*Red Cross Hosp., Thornby Grange, Guilsborough.*—Miss E. F. Palmer.

*St. John Hosp., Kingston Crescent, Portsmouth.*—Miss N. P. Wheeler.

*Garden Sub. Aux. Mil. Hosp., Golder's Green.*—Mrs. M. Clayton-Barker.

*Officer's Con. Hosp., Emscott, Paignton.*—Miss E. B. Swain.

*Abbots Barton Hosp., Canterbury.*—Miss L. T. Kidney.

*Bishops Court, Bishops Sutton, Arlesford.*—Miss M. E. Copley.

*Oakwood Court V.A. Hosp., Chigwell.*—Miss M. Turtle.

*Aux. Mil. Hosp., Boothroyd, Brighouse.*—Miss J. A. Kelman.

*Hillsborough Red Cross Hosp., Harlow.*—Miss M. Campbell.

*Nethercourt Hosp., Ramsgate.*—Miss F. S. Brindley, Miss M. E. Kennedy.

*Red Cross Hosp., The Priory, Cheltenham.*—Miss K. I. Orton.

*St. John's Hospital, Glovers, Sittingbourne.*—Miss K. E. B. Matthieson.

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