

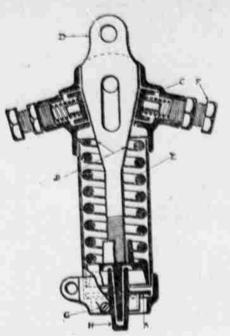
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DRUG DANGERS.

RE inexperienced physicians responsible for the wholesale slaughter of patients annually through the mis-

report just made by a body of Engphysicians indicates that while the of anesthetics is increasing each the number of deaths resulting from se is increasing at a still greater The committee, which was comd of Drs. U. D. Waller, John Blum-G. A. Buckmaster, Frederick Hewitt J. A. Gardner, reports that ether, form and alcohol are the worst

mine is often used in dentistry to the pain in extraction. Where the are unhealthy it may result in copoisoning. The danger is increased the gum is diseased by an abscess. pently causes blood poisoning and When administered unwisely it nulates the heart action, which in sudden death.

des this direct toxicity, much harm be done through improper sterilizaof injecting appliances, aggravating decased tissue by driving out the dand lymph found in the tooth. wore, cocaine should only be used in an dental operations and by men who a thorough knowledge of the drug. same may be said of stovaine, novoe escalne.

oform, ether and gas are valuable" rgical cases, both in allaying pain illiating operations, but they must be administered by specialists who in intimate knowledge of their use.

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HEY are now decorating the walls of hospitals and employing the best artists to do the work. For doctors and nurses have come to realize how important to the patient lying iil in bed is the view upon which his eyes must rest for hours, days, perhaps weeks or months.

"Sister, tell the next patient who occuples this room that there are 291 fleurs de lis in the decorations on this wall."

This remark is quoted as having been said by a man leaving a hospital in In-dianapolis. It illustrates the monotony of lying in bed with nothing to do but count the figures in the wall paper. For sickrooms there should never be countable figures in the decoration. Another patient is quoted by the Journal of the American Medical Association as report-ing to his friends that his "room was well aired by two large windows, that there were three fly specks on the big white walls, and the brass door knob was the most interesting"—illustrating the monotony of bare walls.

In Indianapolis two units of the Cit Hospital have been decorated so adequately that the foregoing criticism does not apply. Some of the best artists—men and women of National fame—have collaborated in the work. William Forsythe is general director of the decoration programme and is personally decorating one of the wards for the children. In the children's dining-room Otto Stark has portrayed a "festival of toys." In one of the corridors of the children's wards Carl Graf has illustrated the story of Cinderella. Weyman Adams, a well-known portrait painter, has included 24 portraits of Indianapolis children placed medallionlike in panels between the win-In the sun parlor the best-known children stories have been depicted in colors by Clifton Wheeler.

Rural Sanitation.

It is generally admitted that throughout the rural districts conditions favorable to the spread of disease often exist. This makes the sanitation of rural communities one of the most important problems of the Nation, because of the need of making farm life more attractive in order that a larger proportion of our population will engage in food production. To demonstrate the feasibility of rural districts conditions favorpopulation will engage in food produc-tion. To demonstrate the feasibility of improving the sanitation of country dis-tricts, four counties in widely separated

sections were selected-Berkeley County, in the mountainous section of West ginia; Lawrence County, Ind., in the Oblo Valley; Union County, Miss., in the far South, and Dorchester County, Md., on the shores of the Chesapeake Bay. Fif-teen officers were engaged in this work, which resulted in the inspection of over 20,000 rural homes, schoolhouses, post-offices, railroad stations, churches, etc. So far as known this is the most extensive survey of this kind yet made, and its benefit should soon be perceptible in the form of lessened death and sickness

The Japanese government is encourage ing the breeding of sheep in Japan. There is a constantly growing demand in that country for woolen textiles, imports of wool now being made to the yearly value of \$7,000,000.

