Medical science can do wonders for sick children, but nothing quite takes the place of a mother's presence when a youngster is in the unfamiliar surroundings of a hospital. Nurse Nancy Cheshire is opening an easy chair into a bed that will permit Mrs. L. E. Painter to spend the night comfortably with her son, Johnny.



Drs. T. G. Lybass and Linny Baker and nurse Nancy Cheshire enjoy "spreading out" in their light, spacious new work spaces on Howland Ward—a far cry from the "old days!"



Miss Anita McLeod, Clinical Research Unit nurse, and Dr. Jerome Harris inspect the new "controlled environment" room on the renovated Howland Ward. This room, located right across the hall from a nurses' station, will be used for patients with asthma and respiratory diseases.



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