

## 照片

ON THE RIGHT, THE OPIUM WARDS BEHIND THE HIGH WALL. ON THE LEFT.  
THE KITCHEN.

So have no need of any mosquito curtains round the beds. The women's Rooms cannot easily be fitted in this way. So each bed still carries its own Curtain. The mosquito curtain, though absolutely necessary for the Prevention of malaria, is the sanitary curse of South China. In the Homes of the poor and middle classes the family all sleep on one big Bed, surrounded by its thick mosquito curtain. This curtain cuts off Almost all the air, and makes certain the spread of any infectious disease That has already attacked one member of the family. The mosquito Curtain is thus responsible for probably 90 per cent. Of the consumption, Which is so common a disease in our midst. Here is a poor woman Suffering from it ; she is spitting constantly huge numbers of the germs, And were she confined with others beneath one mosquito curtain, could Hardly avoid infecting the rest of the family with the dread disease.

Here is a woman with cancer of the breast, a disease, alas, too common out here. There another who came in for a difficult confinement. In this bed is one of the worst cases of typhoid fever we have ever Seen; she has been quite unconscious for several weeks, and, thanks to The absence of nursing, has added the discomfort of many bed-sores to The terrors of the disease. [ I am thankful to say that this patient Eventually recovered. ] Here is another patient, with many abscesses. Leit dying on our hospital steps by relatives who wanted to get rid of