Stark, Hildegarde

Local Nurse Adds Feminine Touch To Bedroom In Germany



Lieutenant Hildegarde Stark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Stark, 1604 Millard Street (left), is showing her next door neighbor Lieut. Grace Bradshaw Park, Colorado, how to put the American feminine touch to the plain living quarters in a civilian hospital in Germany when the American nurses moved in. Hospital sheets, ready for salvage were dyed pink, red, acqua and green from tints made from chemicals in the hospital

pharmacy and made into spreads. The ruffled bedside table is a footlocker in disguise. Both nurses are with the 24th Evacuation Hospital, one of the first units of this size to set up in Germany. The nurses, 40 of them, accustomed to tent living and the plainness of Army cots, gloried in the luxury of private rooms and real beds for the first time since D-Day. Lieut. Henrietta Piccirilli, 339 Wyandotte Street, is also a member of this unit.