

NEW LUNG FOR POLIO

No longer confined in the iron lung, need be the polio patient. An electronic breathing aid, the Barnet Ventilator, is an improvement on the iron lung. And what an immense relief that will be to the polio sufferer. Breathing by means of the ventilator he is far freer to move. He feels he's getting better. In the iron lung that's not always so.

The ventilator is also useful in the operating theatre. The anaesthetist can employ it if a patient can't breathe freely while unconscious. The electronic lung runs off a mains-charged battery. In emergency it can be kept going by hand.

Hospitals may soon use it for many cases of restricted breathing, as in acute bronchitis. The Barnet Ventilator is a big advance in medical equipment.