

STANDARDIZING DRESSINGS — Members of Western Massachusetts Group Purchasing met recently at Ludlow Hospital to discuss standardizing surgical dressings used by the 20 member hospitals. Testing a surgical dressing above are, right, Miss Virginia Slepecki, director of surgical nurs-

ing, and standing, Rene Messier, buyer, both from Springfield Hospital Medical Center. Alfred Szlapinski, center, chairman of the group purchasing organization and director of purchasing for Mercy Hospital, looks on.