

THIS WEEK'S VACANCIES.

ADDRESS.	SITUATION.	SALARY.	APPLICATION TO
Belmont House, Cradton, Devon. Bonges, Hartford.	Attendant for Paralyse ^d Lady. Trained Nurse.	£80.	John T. Browne-Mason, Esq. Matron, Nurses' Home.
Brecknock Infirmary.	Nurse Matron.	£20.	W. Powell-Price, Esq., Brecon. Matron.
Bristol Hospital for Women and Children.	Probationer.		
Brompton Hospital for Consumption.	Trained Nurses.	£25.	Lady Superintendent.
Bicester, Oxon.	District Nurse.		Mrs. Tubb, Red House. Matron.
City of London Hospital for Diseases of the Chest.	Medical Nurse.	£22, rising £24.	
Darenth Asylum Pavilion for Imbeciles, Dartford, Kent.	Head Female Attendant.	£80, rising £40.	Matron.
Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary. Edinburgh.	Trained Nurses.	£20.	Treasurer.
	Trained Nurses for District Work.		Superintendent, District Nurses' Home, 5, Charlotte Street.
Grimsby Hospital, Lincolnshire.	Charge Nurse.	£25, rising £27.	Lady Superintendent.
Hemel Hempstead, West Herts Infirmary.	Probationer.	£10.	Matron.
Hull Royal Infirmary.	Lady Superintendent.	£70.	The Chairman.
Kensington Infirmary, Marloes Road.	Midwife (lady).	£10.	Clerk to the Guardians.
Newcastle-on-Tyne.	District Nurse.	£40.	Superintendent, 4, Gresham Place.
Newport, Isle of White.	District Nurse (Certificated).	£80.	Miss Feneron, Torbona.
Peterborough District Nursing Association.	Trained Nurse.	£30.	Miss F. Saunders, Precincts, Peterborough.
Ramsgate Northwood Fever Hospital.	Nurse.	£25.	Matron.
Redhill, Surrey.	Nurse for Reformatory.	£23.	Matron, Farm School.
Royal Albert Hospital, Devonport.	Certificated Nurse (Private Nursing).	£25.	Matron.
Stockport Infirmary.	Trained Nurses (two).	£24.	Matron.
West London Hospital, Hammersmith Rd., W.	Assistant Nurse.	£24.	Lady Superintendent, from 11 to 1 p.m.
Workhouse Infirmary Nursing Association.	Trained Nurses.		Hon. Secretary, 6, Adam Street, Strand.

HOSPITAL INTELLIGENCE.

REPORTS OF INSTITUTIONS, ETC., COMMUNICATED AND COLLECTED.

NATIONAL HEALTH SOCIETY.—"CHILD CULTURE."—A lecture on this most important subject was given on Tuesday morning, May 14, by Dr. A. T. Schofield (Special Lecturer to the National Health Society), in the new Indian Music Room, at 27, Grosvenor Square, W. (by kind permission of the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen). A very large and fashionable audience, chiefly of ladies, assembled to hear it, testifying to the very great interest taken by the public in this question of the bringing up and development of children. In the course of his remarks, Dr. Schofield said: "I trust the days of these occasional lectures—

giving, as they do, but superficial smatterings of the great subjects with which they deal—are nearly ended. A better day is dawning, when Practical Domestic Hygiene is to be a recognised subject of education, and especially amongst girls, and that day will be one of untold benefit to the daughters and future wives and mothers of England. Domestic Hygiene is not only of special practical value to girls, but has a growing commercial value, which can be greatly increased; and to this end, while hopeful, with the aid of the English common sense of the parents and of the mistresses of our larger schools, soon to have this subject introduced into the ordinary school routine, I am also looking forward, with their continued aid, to having Hygiene recognised as a subject, at first optional and afterwards compulsory, in the examinations open to women. And the day when this is realised, a distinct advance will have been made in the practical value of a girl's education." Above all, do not train your children for show, avoid infant prodigies, keep them simple, old-fashioned children. It is the simplicity that gives the charm to the Kate Greenaways; only do not be content with the the old English dress, keep the simplicity of the old English manners and training. You will be rewarded at eighteen, but let there be no forcing of the precious fruit. Early maternity is shallow maternity, and the mothers who gratify their selfish pride by cultivating show children, are doing their best to deteriorate the British race.

THE PARKES MUSEUM.—A general meeting of this Society was held on Friday last, Dr. G. V. Poore in the chair, for the purpose of completing the arrangements necessary for carrying out the amalgamation of the Parkes Museum with the Sanitary Institute. Although the Parkes Museum will cease to exist as a separate body, it will still be carried on in the same premises as part of the Sanitary Institute, or combined society, and its scope will be enlarged, and its usefulness greatly increased. In order to conform to legal technicalities, it was necessary that it should be wound up, but it is satisfactory to note that the Parkes Museum in closing its works was able to transfer to the new Institute its museum and library, which has been a collection of many years, the lease of the premises, and also a cash balance amounting to nearly nine hundred pounds.

THE IRVING AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB, at St. George's Hall, Langham Place, W., will give on Tuesday evening next, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," with Mendelssohn's music, on behalf of the British Home for Incurables. Given under the patronage of H.R.H. the Princess of Wales.

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