

Reflections

FROM A BOARD ROOM MIRROR.



ON the 3rd inst., their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of YORK paid a visit to the City of Edinburgh, to receive, at the hands of the citizens, their marriage gifts. On leaving the Council Chambers, the Duke and Duchess drove to the Royal Infirmary, and were conducted through several of the wards. Afterwards they visited the Longmore Hospital for Incurables. All along the route the streets were crowded with spectators, and their Royal Highnesses were enthusiastically cheered. At the Hospital they were received by the Marquis of LOTHIAN, president of the Institution, and the Duke formally declared the new wing open, announcing that the QUEEN had given her permission for this Association to be for the future called the Royal Association for Incurables.

MISS CONSTANCE PRITCHARD has been appointed Night Superintendent of the Tottenham Hospital. Miss PRITCHARD was trained and certificated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, and is a Member of the Royal British Nurses' Association.

MISS F. M. JOHNSON has been appointed Sister to the Women and Children's Hospital at Bristol. Miss JOHNSON was trained for upwards of three years at the Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, at Wigan, where she latterly held the responsible post of Sister of the Gidlow Wing, a division containing 39 beds (28 cots and 11 adult male beds).

MISS LILLIAN BOUSEFIELD has undertaken the duties of Night Superintendent at the Addenbrook's Hospital, Cambridge. Miss BOUSEFIELD was trained and certificated at Cambridge, and has, for the last two years, been Staff Nurse at Gordon House Home Hospital.

IN view of the success that attended the Military and Naval Exhibitions, and the large amount of money realised thereby for their Charities, it has been considered advisable to hold, in 1894, an Exhibition of all such industries as concern the health and comfort of mankind, with the object of raising funds in aid of the Hospitals of London.

THE professional sections will include exhibitors professionally connected with, or interested in, Medicine, Surgery, Hygiene, Dentistry, Nursing,

Ambulance, Calisthenics, and General Philanthropy. There will also be a Naval and Military Section, in which will be demonstrated the method of treating the wounded on active service.

A LARGE gallery will be provided in which to illustrate the history, organisation, and development of London Hospitals. This gallery will contain a loan collection of drawings, paintings, photographs, statuary, plate, furniture, relics, etc., etc., forming an interesting and unique museum. It is hoped that each Hospital and kindred Institution will co-operate by nominating its own committee to represent them in this section.

MR. H. WINGFIELD CROSS, Secretary to the Parkwood Convalescent Home at Swanley, has consented to act as organizing secretary for the Loan Collection.

THE Ambulance Section will be presided over by Mr JOHN FURLEY, working with a sub-committee consisting of Sir W. Guyer Hunter, K.C.M.G., M.D.; Surgeon-Major H. P. Magill, Coldstream Guards; D. J. D. MacDonald, Inspector-General of Hospitals, R.N.; Lieut.-Colonel Sir Herbert Perrot, Bart.; Surgeon Lieut.-Colonel W. H. Platt, V.M.S.

LADY PRIESTLEY has been invited to organize the Hygienic, and Mrs. BEDFORD FENWICK the Nursing, Departments.

THE St. John's Ambulance Association announces a Special Course of Lectures and Practical Demonstrations on First Aid to the Injured and Home and Sick Nursing, to be given by Mr. ANDREW CLARK, F.R.C.S., at the Polytechnic, 309, Regent Street, commencing on October 13th, at 3 p.m.

SPECIAL instruction will be given in rendering First Aid to those suffering from accidents, bruises, scalds, fainting, epileptic or other fits, or from the effect of poisons, the treatment of the apparently drowned, as well as general hints on nursing, tending and lifting the sick.

AN examination, which is quite optional, will be held at the end of each course of lectures for those who are desirous of obtaining the St. John Ambulance Certificates and Medals.

THE Johnstone District Hospital, Johnstone, N.B. (18 beds) was formally opened by Sir MICHAEL SHAW

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