

3i., brandy ʒss. Same treatment continued. 10.7, slight convulsion, nineteenth and last. The enemata were continued with few exceptions every hour for ten days, that is until March 12th, without causing the least irritation. They were stopped from time to time for a few hours in order that a purgative enema (enema saponis cum. ol. ricini) might be given.

March 12th.—Patient spoke when her medicine was given to her. 6 p.m., patient quite conscious, remarked that she wished her baby was born. After groaning for some time she said the child had arrived. When shown her baby she remarked how pleased her husband would be that it had been born before his visit that evening. She could not be allowed to keep the child by her, as she hugged it so tightly that its life would have been in danger. It was very weakly and supposed to be an eight months' child.

March 13th.—Patient moved on to a fresh bed, as she was lying in a hollow and there seemed some risk of hypostatic congestion from the bad position.

March 15th.—Rise in temperature again. Supposed to be due to some endocarditis.

March 20th.—Patient doing well. Moved to the Women's Hospital, Waterloo Bridge Road, where she is still under the care of Dr. W—

She made a good recovery.

Patient seen three months afterwards—looking well and in good health. Urine quite free from albumen.

Medals & Diplomas from Chicago.

THE following official intimation from Sir Henry Trueman Wood will be received with satisfaction by those of our readers to whom medals were awarded in the British Nursing Section at the Chicago Exhibition:—

"Society of Arts,
John Street, Adelphi,
London, W.C.,
June 18th, 1896.

DEAR MADAM,—I have just been informed by the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs that the medals and diplomas awarded to British exhibitors at the Chicago Exhibition, 1893, have been sent over by H.B.M. Ambassador at Washington, and I expect they will be in my hands in a very few days.

I am arranging for their immediate distribution, but you will understand that a reasonable time must be allowed for checking the diplomas, packing, &c.

You may, however, rest assured that the utmost despatch will be employed, and that all the diplomas and medals will be sent out immediately.

Yours faithfully,
HENRY TRUEMAN WOOD."

A Royal Reception.

As we go to press to-day the "Queen's Nurses" have been honoured by having been received by the Queen in the Jubilee Institute at Windsor. They were afterwards entertained at Grosvenor House by the Duke and Duchess of Westminster.

Nursing Echoes.

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WE have to acknowledge, with gratitude, a subscription of £2 2s. from Mrs. West, through Miss Blanche Greensteet, for the Nurses' Home of Rest at Brighton. Personal interest in the support of the Home upon the part of those who appreciate its benefits is very encouraging to the Committee.

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WE are glad to hear that since his visit to the Nursing Exhibition, Mr. Fry, of Dublin, with his usual warm-hearted interest in the welfare of Nurses, contemplates the organisation of a Nurses' Home of Rest at Bray, near Dublin, upon the lines of our Home at Brighton. This scheme, we hope, will be carried out, as doubtless it would prove of immense benefit to tired Irish Nurses. A second fairy princess—like Mrs. Lionel Lucas—must be invoked.

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It is satisfactory to see that Miss Baker, one of the Guardians of the Holborn Union, has once more raised the question of "beer money." It was decided some time since that £2 a year should be given to the Nurses in lieu of beer. Now there are two or three points involved in this beer question. Either the Nurses are properly paid or they are not. If they are, they do not need the "perquisite" of beer money. Then again, supposing a Nurse prefers water to beer, why should she expect a "tip" for following out her own natural tastes. It is also a fact that many Nurses who do not take beer, drink milk, which costs the Hospital quite as much. Are milk drinkers to get beer money?

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Another point that occurs is, suppose a Nurse to be a vegetarian, is she to be compensated for the beef she does not eat? After all, most questions are settled by common sense, and no doubt the beer question, too, will be solved in the same simple way.

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Recalls the Delicious Tea of Thirty Years Ago.

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