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Editorial.

AN INSTRUCTIVE DECISION.

ONE of our readers in the Orange Free State has kindly sent us a copy of the *South African Medical Journal*, which contains much information of professional value and interest. But it has one feature to which the attention of both medical men and nurses should be directed. A special department of the paper, under the charge of one of the Editors, is devoted to Nursing matters; and this is not only a sign of the times which is of great interest, but in our opinion is a very wise and useful departure in medical journalism. It is some years ago, since we suggested to one of our most important medical contemporaries the advisability of introducing such a department in that journal; and we have never ceased to regret that our advice was not accepted.

There are several matters in our South African contemporary which will be of more than local interest. It is, for example, a very curious coincidence that at the very time when the Nursing profession in this country were indignantly objecting to asylum attendants being enrolled on the Nurses' Register, that the question of registering monthly nurses as thoroughly-trained nurses was being most carefully discussed by the Medical

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