

Our Prize Puzzle.

We have pleasure in announcing that Nurse Harcourt, 5, Port Vale Terrace, Hertford, has won the Guinea Prize for April.

The right answers are:—

- No. 1. Tact (Tacked).
- No. 2. Firmness (Fir-m-knee-ss).
- No. 3. Cleanliness (C-(lean)-line-ss).
- No. 4. Cheerfulness (Cheer-fool-N.S.).

The following are the only correct replies out of a great number received, and we hear from many readers that they *could* not make out this set of puzzles.

- Miss A. M. Berry, London Fever Hospital.
- Nurse Eliza, North Ormesby Hospital, Middlesborough.
- Miss A. Buchanan, Matron, Preparatory House, Felsted School, Essex.
- Miss Edith S. Sills, St. Bart's Convalescent Home, Swanley.
- Miss E. Perring, St. Bart's Convalescent Home, Swanley.
- Miss Susan Bowers, Balderton, Notts.
- Miss Lucy Bromley, Weston Park, Crouch End, N.
- Nurse Shipley, North Ormesby Hospital, Middlesborough.
- Nurse M. McLaren, Teviot Terrace, Glasgow.
- Sister A. Martin, Bury St. Edmunds.
- Sister Wills, Marine Parade, Brighton.
- Miss A. M. Jubb, Wilton House, Holderness Road, Hull.

Miss Ada Hunter, of the Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading, is correct in all replies, with the exception of writing "tactful" for "tact."

The new set of Pictorial Puzzles will be found on page viii. The rules for the Guinea Prize remain the same, and the four coupons published on May 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th, must reach the Editor by Tuesday, May 28th, with the answers enclosed.

Wedding Bells.

On Wednesday, April 24th, Miss Lucy Harrison, R.R.C., was married to Dr. George Douglas Gray, P.M.O. at Zomba, British Central Africa. The wedding took place at Matfield, in Kent, and, owing to a recent family bereavement, was very quiet, but the bride looked bonnie, and the united pair delightfully happy. Dr. and Mrs. Gray are to receive their friends at the Portman Rooms, on Friday, and will shortly return to Central Africa to resume official duties. Warm good wishes will go with them.

Nursing Echoes.

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Miss Frances Keith Payne, Matron of the Wellington Hospital, New Zealand, has accepted a seat on the Executive Committee of the International Council of Nurses as Hon. Vice-President for New Zealand. It is seemly that our most progressive colony should take part in the work which this Council has before it, and which is sure to be very slow and tedious, and will need all the help and sympathy of women from favoured lands where they have attained enfranchisement.

A meeting was held on Monday last at Londonderry House in support of the proposal to raise an endowment fund for the Queen's Jubilee Institute. The Marchioness of Londonderry presided and said that it was the wish of those who were supporting this movement to supply trained nurses to the poorer members of the community. She thought no more fitting way could be found of perpetuating the remembrance of the deep sympathy with suffering and sorrow shown by the late Queen to her subjects than by supporting this work which she inaugurated.

A resolution expressing approval of the scheme was then moved by the Duchess of Portland, and seconded by the Duchess of Roxburghe, and on the motion of the Marchioness of Lansdowne, seconded by Alice, Countess of Strafford, a committee was appointed for England and Wales, while the arrangements for Scotland were left in the hands of the Scottish Council, and it was decided that the Countess Cadogan be requested to undertake the formation of the committee for Ireland.

We are cordially in sympathy with the view that no more appropriate memorial could be raised to Queen Victoria than this endowment fund. At the same time if the memorial is to be of a national character, the committee should be formed on lines embracing the various classes of the community, and not be, as at present constituted, a peeresses' preserve. We do not wish to under-estimate the work of these ladies, or to depreciate its value. They have, undoubtedly, as great a right to representation upon the committee as any other class of women, but they

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