## MATRON.

Miss Ella Francis Deakin has been appointed Matron of the County Hospital, Durham. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Newcastle, where, as Nurse and Sister, she worked for 7½ years; she was then appointed Matron of Dene House Private Hospital, and for over five years has held the position of Matron at the Monkwearmouth Hospital, Sunderland.

Miss M. M. Goy has been appointed Matron of the Native Location Hospital, Cape Town. She was trained at the County Hospital, Lincoln, and the National Hospital, Queen Square, Bloomsbury, and was one of the twenty nurses selected for plague duty in Cape Town last year.

Miss Florence Davis has been appointed Matron at the Walsall and District Hospital, Staffs. She was trained for three years at the Guest Hospital, Dudley, where she also held the position of Staff Nurse and Sister. She at present holds the position of Matron at the Cottage Hospital, Whitchurch, Salop.

### SISTER.

Miss Susan Mary Meredith has been appointed Sister at the Fulham Infirmary. She was trained for three years at the Infirmary, Paddington, and holds the certificate of the London Obstetrical Society.

Miss Constance Hodges has been appointed Sister at the Suffolk General Hospital, Bury St. Edmunds. She received her training at Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge.

Miss Emma Spencer has been appointed Sister at the Suffolk General Hospital, Bury St. Edmunds. She received her training at Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge.

Miss J. Parker has been appointed Sister at St. Mary's Infirmary, Islington. She received her training at the County Infirmary, Londonderry.

Miss Edith Ramsey has been appointed Sister at St. Mary's Infirmary, Islington. She was trained at Guy's Hospital, and has held the position of Night Superintendent at the General Hospital, Tunbridge Wells.

#### SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

Miss Gertrude Walker has been appointed Superintendent Nurse at the Lanchester Union Infirmary, Durham. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Bradford, and has had experience of district and private nursing. She has also held the position of Charge Nurse at the Infirmary of which she is now appointed Superintendent Nurse.

# The Matrons' Council.

The date of the Annual Conference of the Matrons' Council is now fixed for May 29th and 30th, the program being as follows: THURSDAY, MAY 29TH.

3 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Conference of the Council at the Medical Societies Rooms, 11, Chandos Street, Cavendish Square, Miss Isla Stewart, President, in the chair. A paper will be presented by Miss Helen Todd, Matron of the National Sanatorium for

Consumption, Bournemouth, on the "Nursing of Tuberculosis." Further announcements will be made in due course.

# FRIDAY, MAY 30TH.

11 a.m. to 12 noon.—Business meeting of the Matrons' Council at Morley Hall, 26, George Street, Hanover Square, Miss Isla Stewart in the chair. The Registration Sub-Committee will present a report of the work done up to the present time, and formally hand over this branch of the work to the new Society for the State Registration of Trained Nurses. All members of the latter society are cordially invited to be present.

12 noon to 1.30 p.m.—Meeting of Members of the Society for the State Registration of Trained Nurses, at Morley Hall, 26, George Street, Hanover Square, Miss Louisa Stevenson presiding, when the business will be the inauguration of the new Society, the election of officers, and the adoption of a Constitution.

3.30 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Meeting in support of the movement for the State Registration of Trained Nurses, at Morley Hall, Miss Louisa Stevenson will preside and deliver an address. Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to the Hon. Secretary, 20, Upper Wimpole Street, London, W.

I shall be obliged if any Members of the Matrons' Council who desire to bring forward questions for discussion will kindly notify the same to me in order that they may be included in the program. MARGARET BREAY,

Hon. Secretary Matrons' Council. The Society for the State Registration of Trained Nurses.

Will our readers note that the form of application for membership of the above Society appears on page v. in our advertisement columns. It should be filled in, and forwarded with a postal order for 2s. 6d. by those desirous of joining the Society, to the address notified on the form.





