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have made the rules say that these rules must be kept, but what do they know about hospital work, the poor sick people, and the overworked nurses? The worst of it all is that the servant nurses and male nurses get better salaries. A servant girl with no knowledge of nursing and no training gets 20 marks and soon 28 to 40 marks. How can men be so stupid?

"And something almost as bad is being done in Weimar. For thirty years it has had a mother house, "the Sophien-haus," founded by the grandmother of the Grand Duke. It is rather unique, as it does not belong to the Red Cross now, as it did at first, but is more on the become nurses prefer the hospitals where they can be trained for the State examination. So the doctor in Weimar wants a training school on the new lines. The new system was inaugurated on October 1st under quite good conditions, and the German Nurses' Association supplied some probationers. It was needing training ground, as the Dusseldorf School will not open before October 1st, 1907, and there are not many vacancies at Dortmund. Now, however, the Government has decided that the Sophien-haus must only take ten pupils during the year, and no outside ones before the end of April. To have the necessary'staff the doctor wanted forty in two courses, and this is what he gets ! Is it not too bad?"



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lines of the Deaconess institutions. In addition to the Matron and doctor, there is a Pastor at its head. Like all similar institutions, it is very short of Sisters, who are dreadfully overworked, and most of the old ones are ill. The Matron and doctor, who have been there from the first, are most kind and good, but the Pastor stands in the way of their desire to make the conditions better.

"You will understand that German nurses can be registered after State examination, but the State does not prohibit nursing by unregistered nurses. Of course, people will like the registered ones best, and most girls who want to The nurses at the General Hospital, Toronto, under the able direction of Miss M. A. Snively, the Lady Superintendent, have a very thorough course of instruction, including anatomy and physiology, bacteriology, materia medica, and practical nursing. It will be seen from our illustration that they have a very charming residence, of which they are justly proud.

The Canadian Nurse, once more to hand, is in reality the organ of Canadian nurses, and is now a monthly publication, so that we shall be right well in touch with professional affairs in the great Dominion. Miss Elena Eyre Morris,



