

pital, Cape Town, and in 1905 Assistant-Matron in the same institution, which position she resigns to take up that of Matron of the Old Somerset Hospital.

SISTERS.

Charing Cross Hospital, W.C.—Miss Millicent Somerville has been appointed Sister of the Levy Ward (Women's Surgical), Charing Cross Hospital. She received four years training in the same hospital.

Miss Clara Anderson has been appointed Sister on the Louise Floor (Men and Women's Surgical). She was trained for four years at St. Thomas' Hospital, and has held the positions of Sister of the Royal Infirmary, Bristol, Sister at the Children's Hospital, Nottingham, and Night-Sister at Charing Cross Hospital. She is a certified mid-wife.

CHARGE NURSE.

Fusichill Workhouse Hospital, Carlisle.—Miss Louise Rogers has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at the Union Infirmary, Fir Vale, Sheffield, where she has held the position of Staff Nurse.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Clara Brown to Shrewsbury, Miss Mary M. Dorman to Hull, Miss Edith M. Easty to Woolwich, Miss Annette C. D. Lamb to Alfreton, Miss Annie Milne to Hull, Miss Jessie Prestidge to Cowley, Miss Selina Sellers to Gloucester (temp.).

Affiliated Associations.—The following Associations have been affiliated to the Institute:—Kent County Nursing Association; Honley, Yorks; Cowley, Oxon.; Eton Mission, Hackney Wick; Olton, Warwickshire; Barkstone to Lincolnshire County Nursing Association; Lincoln City to Lincolnshire County Nursing Association; Tean to Staffordshire County Nursing Association.

Irish Branch.—Agher, Co. Meath; Newtownbreda, Co. Down.

LADY MINTO'S INDIAN NURSING SERVICE.

The autumn usually sees a considerable departure of nurses for work abroad, whether in connection with missionary societies, colonial appointments, or work in India, the reason, we presume, being partly that October is a relatively cool month in the Red Sea, and the monsoon is over in the Indian Ocean. Quite a number of nurses have left, or are leaving, for India, for work in connection with Lady Minto's Indian Nursing Association. On September 26th Misses Agnes Brown, Margaret Clark, Hilda Hand, Georgina Hunter, N. Marson, and C. Wilson, and on October 19th Miss F. A. N. Arculus, trained at the General Hospital, Cheltenham; Miss F. A. Hodgson, of the Registered Nurses' Society, trained at the Royal Infirmary, Manchester. Miss Hodgson has already had experience of nursing in India, having been on plague duty there; Miss Ethel W. Higginson, trained at St. Bartholomew's Hospital; and Miss Mary Bonser, trained at the Seamen's Hospital, Greenwich, and the Hospital for Women, Soho Square.

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One of the features of the *Conversazione* to be given by the Medical Staff and Lecturers in the new Out-patient Department at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, on October 23rd, will be the small Nursing Exhibit which is being arranged by the Matron and Sisters. For the first time the Medical Staff will act as hosts to the Nurses' League, every member, who is not abroad, having received an invitation for herself and a friend. Considering the League now numbers six hundred, we call the hospitality noble.

The Reverend William Ostle, for many years Hospitalier at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, is resigning the position. Generations of Bart's Nurses will combine in wishing both him and Mrs. Ostle many years of restful happiness.

An effort is being made to raise funds to provide a Home Hospital in London for educated people of limited means, which it is proposed shall contain 60 beds, at charges varying from £1 1s. a week to those of an ordinary nursing home. Such a hospital is very much needed, and any effort to provide one on wise lines is deserving of widespread support.

In spite of the often expressed opinion of persons occupied in turning out nurses at express speed for the poor—like Chicago sausages—from all sides come expressions of gratitude from the poor for the services of efficiently trained district nurses, when they are permitted to benefit by their ministrations, and we read with pleasure the reports of District Nursing Associations which supply such services for them. Nurses with three years' certificates are reported to have remained several years in rural districts, and to have worked devotedly for their cottage patients.

In spite of the splendid work of the Queen Victoria Jubilee Institute in the three king-

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