

Appointments.

LADY SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

Belfast Poor Law Infirmary.—Miss Dorothea E. Howlett has been appointed Lady Superintendent Nurse. She at present holds the position of Lady Superintendent of the Steyning Union Infirmary, Sussex. The position is an important one, as the Infirmary contains 1,600 beds, and there is a staff of 170 nurses.

MATRON.

Renfrew District Asylum, Paisley.—Miss Christina MacCullum has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Western Infirmary, Glasgow, and the Glasgow Royal Asylum, where she subsequently held the positions of Assistant Matron and Night Matron. Miss MacCullum holds the certificate of the Medico-Psychological Association, and has had some experience of private nursing in connection with the Nice Nursing Institute.

SUPERINTENDENT.

Queen's Nurses' Home, and District Nursing Association, Huddersfield.—Miss Annie Graham has been appointed Superintendent. She was trained at the Marylebone Infirmary, London, and has held the position of Nurse at the Ormond Nursing Home, Chelsea, and at the Mitchell Institute, South Africa; Queen's Nurse at Central St. Pancras, and Superintendent of the Home at Moseley Road, Birmingham, affiliated to Q.V.J.I. Miss Graham is a Certified Midwife.

Civil and Military Hospital, Phillipeville, Algeria.—Mlle. Granger, who holds the certificate of the Tondu Hospital, Bordeaux, has been appointed *Surveillante Générale* (Superintendent) of the female wards at the Civil and Military Hospital, Phillipeville.

Memorial Hospital, Ludhiana, Punjab.—Miss Elsie Turner, who, since her arrival in India from England, last December, has been spending most of her time in language study, will this month take over full charge as Superintendent of Nursing at the Memorial Hospital, Ludhiana, Punjab.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT.

Florence Nightingale Hospital, Bury.—Miss Hannah Turner has been appointed Night Superintendent. She was trained at Crumpsall Infirmary, and has held the positions of Nurse at the Devonshire Hospital, Buxton, and of Staff Nurse and Deputy Matron at the Morton Hospital, Alfreton, Derbyshire.

CHARGE NURSE.

Union Infirmary, Leyton.—Miss Sarah Williams has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at the Swansea General Hospital, and had experience of infectious nursing at the Borough Hospital, Birkenhead. She has also held the positions of Nurse at the Hospital, Weston-super-Mare, and at the Samaritan Free Hospital, London, Charge Nurse at the General Infirmary, Worcester, and at the Isolation Hospital, Bromsgrove. She holds the certificate of the Medico-Psychological Association.

Cottage Hospital, Brixham.—Miss Maud L. Chigwell has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at the Lambeth Infirmary, and has had

experience in private nursing in London and the provinces.

MIDWIFE.

Bethnal Green Workhouse.—Miss Maud Vernon has been appointed Midwife. She was trained at the West Ham Infirmary, where she afterwards held the position of Sister. She is a Certified Midwife.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Adious Bradley to Appleby, Miss Thomasine J. Eustice to St. Austell, Miss Annie E. Evans to Towyn, Miss Lucy E. Haines to Deerness Valley, Miss Maude C. E. Hobart to Honley, Miss Annie Houghton to Gloucester, Miss Elizabeth M. King to Newhaven, Miss Eliza C. A. Middleton to Hammersmith, Miss Jane Roberts to Nantlle Vale, Miss Emma True to Birstall, Miss Mary Wall to Wykeham, Miss Edith M. E. Watkins to Rochdale, Miss Charlotte Wray to Biddulph.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The under-mentioned staff nurses resign their appointments, dated October 3rd, 1908:—Miss Bessie Rankin, Miss Nanny Stewart.

THE PASSING BELL.

The death at Gort Convent, co. Galway, of Mother Superior Aloysius Doyle, at 94 years of age, removes the survivor of the sixteen nuns of the Order of Mercy who left Ireland in December, 1854, to assist Miss Florence Nightingale in nursing the soldiers in the Crimea. She was summoned to Windsor by Queen Victoria in 1897 to be decorated, but was too old to undertake the journey, so the Royal Red Cross was sent to her. Her sister, aged 90, a nun in the same convent, still survives.

We regret to announce the death, after a short illness, at St. Helena, of Nursing Sister Ormerod, who, for the last two years, has been on the staff of the civil hospital in the island. Miss Ormerod was trained at the Hospital, Newark, and at Newcastle-on-Tyne, and she also was on the staff of H.R.H. Princess Christian's Nursing Home at Windsor. She served in South African Hospitals during the recent war, for three years, and received the King's medal for her services. Much sympathy is felt with Miss Ormerod's father, Mr. Richard Ormerod, of Kirkbride, Cumberland, who has already lost both of his other children—one son, a missionary in East Africa, of black-water fever, and the other who was drowned on the eve of going abroad.

We regret to announce the death from enteric, on September 5th, at St. Stephen's Hospital, Delhi, of Miss Agatha M. Allen, trained at Guy's Hospital, London. Miss Allen went out about three years ago, under the S.P.G. Mission, to take charge of the nursing at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Karnal. She was an active member of the Association of Nursing Superintendents of India, and for the past two years served on the Executive Committee.

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