LADY HEALTH VISITOR.

Borough of Hartlepool.-Miss Alice Hayden has been appointed Lady Health Visitor, School Nurse, and Assistant Sanitary Inspector. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Newcastle, and has been District Nurse at Hartlepool for thirteen years.

Borough of Keighley.-Miss Mary W. Paterson has been appointed Lady Health Visitor. She was trained at the Bristol Royal Hospital for Sick Children, and has been Assistant Superintendent of the Leeds Babies Welcome. She holds the Health Visitors' Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

County Council Health Department, Somerset Weston-super-Mare.—Miss Clayton has been appointed Health Visitor. She has acted as Assistant at the Tuberculosis Dispensary, Portsmouth.

SCHOOL NURSE.

· County Education Committee, Shire Hall, Gloucester. -Miss Christina H. Mackay has been appointed School Nurse. She was trained at the Victoria Hospital for Children, Chelsea, where she was staff nurse, and she holds the certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The following ladies to be Staff Nurses :-- Miss Edith Eileen O'Connell (September 26th, 1912), Miss Winifred Bertha Allen (November 1st, 1912), Miss Claribel Slaney (November 8th, 1912), Miss Phyllis Ada Pearse (November 18th, 1912).

Miss Carry Webster, Staff Nurse, is placed on retired pay (July 1st).

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE. SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Maud Helena Weale is appointed to Cambridgeshire Nursing Association as Super-intendent. She received general and midwifery training at Croydon Infirmary, district training at Cardiff, and has since been Queen's Nurse in the Grimsby and Gloucester Homes, and Assistant County Superintendent of Gloucestershire C.N.A. and Hertfordshire C.N.A.

TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Elizabeth Ballard is appointed to Ilkeston, Miss Katie Moore-Carryer to Bideford, Miss Mary Cumming to Potterne, Miss Ethel Haile to Somerset as Emergency Nurse, Miss Annie Harrison to Bury, Miss Mary Hawkes to Somerset as Emergency Nurse, Miss Kate Kirk to Rochdale, Miss Mabel Lloyd to Godalming, Miss Mary Newbegin to Ilkeston, Miss Elsie M. Smith to Leeds (Armley), Miss Anne Sowerbutts to Hayward's Heath.

THE QUEEN OF GREECE'S NURSING SERVICE.

. In response to a telegram from the Queen of Greece to the Matron of University College Hospital, W.C., the following five nurses have gone to Athens to join Her Majesty's Nursing Service :----Miss Fanshawe, Miss H. Davies, Miss A. Wills, Miss Kvedt, Miss Wright.

NURSING ECHOES.

The report of the Nightingale School for Nurses at St. Thomas Hospital endorses the experience of every other school which has instituted a course of preliminary training for probationers. It states that the preliminary training at the school is proving its value in weeding out unpromising pupils, the number of whom has steadily decreased in each of the last three years.

A very large number of members of the Territorial Force Nursing Service were present in their becoming uniform at the Royal Review in Hyde Park last Saturday where seats had been reserved for them. We hope no ill results will accrue owing to the fact that the little uniform capes worn by the majority were not a sufficient protection against the wet weather.

It struck us that the arrangements for this Review were of the most inadequate nature-No stands had been erected-nothing to protect one in anyway from the down pour. The fact that 2s. 6d. was charged for a seat, even to members of the Nursing Committee, for penny chairs plumped down on the long damp grass, and with no expenditure beyond the use of a few coils of rope, was surely quite inexcusable.

The Garden party of the C.L.S.A. Nurses League took place at Hendon on Saturday, June 28th. The weather was perfect. Tea was served in the grounds, and quite an unusually large number of members were present.

After tea, tennis and croquet were indulged in by many, others spending the time according to fancy.

After a very successful and happy reunion, it was brought to a close about 7 p.m.

We have received several League Journals during the past week, all well got up, edited by trained nurses as they should be, and full of interesting items. The Journal of the Royal South Hants Nurses League contains an excellent picture of the new Outpatient Department recently added to the R.S.H. and Southampton Hospital, and two pictures of the charming retreat at Three Cross where Miss Mollett and Miss Winterscale live the simple life-, breeding chickens—milking goats—, reading and ruralising, a method of existence which inspires one with the wish to do likewise.

A letter inserted from Miss Edith Spencer from the Scott Sanatorium at Nairobi, British



