THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF NURSES.

CHANGES IN CONGRESS PROGRAMME.

It is inevitable that additional announcements, and some changes have to be made in the organization of our International Congress Programme. Thus we learn that at the Opening Session in Paris on July 10th, in the Addresses of Welcome, the speaker from Germany will be Frau Oberregierungsrat, Dr. Kathe Gabel, State Institution for Public Employment Agencies and Unemployment Insurance, Berlin.

We are informed that Dr. Gabel is the woman who has the highest State position in the German Reich, and that she is a trained Nurse, Mlle. Chaptal, President of the International Council of Nurses will preside over this meeting—when Addresses will be delivered by eminent Frenchmen whose names have been already announced.

Miss E. M. Musson, C.B.E., R.R.C., LL.D., will be the Speaker from Great Britain.

Quite a number of additional names will be added to the General Programme as speakers.

The title “Nursing in Colonies” has been changed to “Nursing in Countries where it is still in its Initial Stages.”

ADDITIONAL LUNCHEONS.

Monday, July 10.

Subject: “The School of Nursing’s Responsibility towards its Graduates.”
Chairman: Cornelia Hoetzsch, President of the Association of German Red Cross Mother-houses.

Directresses or Principals of Schools of Nursing: Cecile Méchelynck, Director, School of Public Health Nurses, Brussels.

These Luncheons are sure to be popular, and as there are to be four on the Opening Day, July 10th, the only pity is, we can attend but one.

PRACTICAL NURSING.

It is proposed that two Demonstrations of Nursing Procedures shall be held in Brussels on July 14th and 15th. After such “a feast of reason and flow of soul” in Paris—we shall be ready, no doubt, for a little practical instruction in Brussels.

Proposals for the Two Demonstrations of Nursing Procedures to be held in Brussels.

Friday, July 14th, 10 a.m.

(1) Dietetics and Serving of Meals: Dr. Aladar de Soos, Supplementary Professor and Director of the University Institute for Dietetics, Budapest.

(2) Dietetics and Serving of Meals: Gertrud Rüden, Superintendent of Nurses, and Dr. Koehler, Dietetic Physician, Municipal Hospital am Urban, Berlin.

(3) Children’s Nursing Procedures performed by Nurses from the University Children’s Hospital of Vienna.

(4) Children’s Nursing Procedures performed by the School for Child Welfare Nurses under the Medical Faculty of Paris.

(5) Nursing Procedures performed by Nurses from Russia or Greece.

Saturday, July 15th, 9.30 a.m.

(1) An Itinerant School Nurse at Work in India: Agnes Dunn, School Health Nurse, Methodist Episcopal Mission, Patna, Rajputana.

(2) Visiting Nurse at Work (Cupping and Hot Fomentations with improvised equipment) performed by the Visiting Nurses Association of Belgium.

(3) Public Health Nursing Procedures, performed by nurses from the U.S.A.

(4) Nursing Care of Fractures and Phlebitis in Hospitals and District Work. Denmark: E. M. Hørnemann, Instructor at the Municipal Hospital of Copenhagen, and Elisabeth With, Municipal Visiting Nurse, Copenhagen.

(5) Hospital Nursing Procedures, performed by nurses from the U.S.A.

A TOUR THROUGH HOLLAND.

The Dutch Nurses are anxious that many of those attending the International Congress of Nurses, Paris-Brussels, shall use the opportunity of visiting Holland, after the Meeting.

Immediately following the Congress of the International Council of Nurses, the Dutch Nurses’ Association (Nationale Bond van Verplegenden) are arranging a trip through Eastern Holland to last for one week, the cost of which will be approximately 75 guilders. The excursions will be arranged so that they are interesting from the professional as well as from the sightseeing point of view. Those wishing to take this trip are asked to communicate as soon as possible with the Nationale Bond van Verplegenden, Roemer Visscherstraat 1, Amsterdam W., Holland.

On the opposite page will be seen the Hotel de Ville at Brussels.

Palais Des Beaux-Arts de Bruxelles.
Meeting place of the I.C.N. Congress, July 13th to 15th.