

tendent of a Home Hospital is so laborious, and so responsible, that a very handsome profit ought to be made, in order to make it worth the while of a trained Nurse to undertake this branch of work for a few years. A continuance of its anxiety would undermine the health of the most robust woman.—I am, Sir, yours faithfully,
SISTER-IN-CHARGE, HOME HOSPITAL.

THE CHICAGO CONGRESSES.

To the Editor of "The Nursing Record."

BALTIMORE, January 30th, 1893.

SIR,—I enclose papers of the International Congress of Charities, &c., and should be obliged if you will notice them in the NURSING RECORD, in particular our own on the Nursing Congress. Also anyone who wishes to prepare a paper on any subject they may choose, who may come under your notice, I should be obliged for such information. In particular I should be pleased to receive a paper from the NURSING RECORD on whatever subject you may prefer.—Believe me to be yours faithfully,

ISABEL A. HAMPTON.

Replies to Correspondents.

Miss A. Kenealy.—We are making the inquiries you desire.

Matron.—Many of the largest Hospitals get their entire Nursing outfit from Debenham & Freebody, Wigmore Street, W. We have seen some charming and serviceable washing materials at their establishment. The blue duck, worn by the Sisters at Charing Cross, is excellent. Sisters should certainly wear washing material; the merino now in vogue is not sanitary.

Mrs. Vogan.—Use Robinson's Groats (medium), they make the best gruel.

Wanderer.—Write to Mrs. Holmes Spicer, 6A, Bedford Square, or apply at 8, Oxford Circus Avenue.

Mrs. A. Grant.—Order the Nursing Directory from this Office, price 5/-. Do not allow your niece to enter the Hospital you name, simply because there is a vacancy. It would be wiser to wait six months to enter one where the curriculum is three years training, and where she enters as a pupil not a servant.

Probationer.—Get Hoblyn's Dictionary, price 10/6, Whitaker, 210, Paternoster Square, and our Manuals and Text Books.

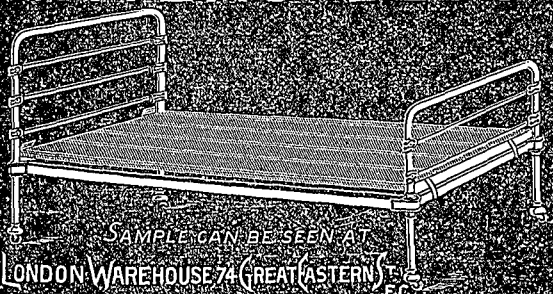
Nurse Barry.—We should advise you to procure Buckland's Bed-Bath, from W. H. Bailey & Son, 38, Oxford Street, W. It is far safer to keep the bath and slipper for separate use.

Miss A. S.—We are sorry for your disappointment, but should advise you to enter a good General Hospital for further training; it will be cheapest in the end, even if you have to pay.

Nurse Amy Bartlett.—St. Andrew's Hospital, Clewer, Windsor, we believe, admits incurables on payment. The terms are from 10s. 6d. to 50s. a week.

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