

course, it is not my business, but I would be very interested to hear something more about the case, and how the verdict was taken by the Nursing Profession."

(We were happy to forward to our esteemed colleague the good news, published in the *Daily Telegraph*, that Captain Hall's sentence of imprisonment was remitted.)

The President and Council of the British College of Nurses, Ltd., will be "At Home" on Wednesday, December 1st, 1954, at 3 p.m. Fellows and Members who, with their friends, will be cordially welcome, are requested to communicate with the Secretary, 19, Queen's Gate, London, S.W.7, stating whether or not they wish to accept this invitation.

The Nightingaleiana Relics and History of Nursing Section will be on view.

Tea at 4 p.m.

The General Nursing Council for England and Wales.

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Open Day.

At St. George-in-the-East Hospital.

A VERY SUCCESSFUL OPEN DAY was held at St. George-in-the-East Hospital, London, E.1, on Thursday, September 23rd, 1954.

Wards and Departments were open to visitors and nearly 300 visitors were welcomed by the Matron, Miss R. E. Finch, Dr. J. H. Duke, Medical Superintendent, and Mr. A. D. Bermel, Chairman of the Hospital, and were conducted round the hospital by the Assistant Matron and Senior Nursing Staff.

The Mayor of Stepney, Councillor J. McCarthy, and many Councillors and representatives of organisations and big trading firms, were present.

There were Exhibitions and Demonstrations in the Preliminary Training School, Casualty Department, Pathological and X-Ray Departments, Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy Departments.



Occupational Therapy Department.

Miss R. E. Finch, Matron, Mayor of Stepney, Patient weaving scarf,
Miss J. J. Lever, Asst. Occupational Therapist, and visitors.

A great attraction was an Exhibition of Patients' Handicrafts, made in the Occupational Therapy Department. An outstanding feature by students of the Preliminary Training School was the presentation of models, made by the student nurses, as Tableaux depicting the History of Nursing, commencing from the dawn of Medicine and the days of witchcraft and sorcery to the modern nursing of today.

Another highlight was a colour film made at St. George-in-the-East Hospital, "A Nursing Story", which showed the various duties undertaken by student nurses during their three years' hospital training. This film was shown to "several houses" in order to accommodate all the spectators who wanted to see it.

Much credit is due to all staff who were responsible for the Exhibitions and Demonstrations, which the visitors found so interesting, and after the afternoon session some of them returned to see it all again in the evening.

After the evening session was over, a meeting was held.

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