

The Birthday Honours.

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN has conferred many Birthday Honours upon her subjects, and we congratulate those ladies connected with the Nursing Profession who have been so honoured.

G.B.E.

The Countess of Limerick, Vice-Chairman of the British Red Cross Society.

D.B.E.

Brigadier H. S. Gillespie, Matron-in-Chief, Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps.

Royal Red Cross

Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service

SECOND CLASS A.R.R.C.

Miss M. Potter, Superintending Sister; Miss B. Quill, Senior Nursing Sister.

Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps

FIRST CLASS R.R.C.

Lieut.-Col. H. M. Grant; Major M. E. Holmes; Lieut.-Col. B. L. Ferrier.

SECOND CLASS A.R.R.C.

Major M. Fablen; Major B. M. Gordon.

Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service.

SECOND CLASS A.R.R.C.

Wing Officer A. M. Tisdall; Squadron Officer E. M. Wright.

O.B.E.

Miss J. D. Jolly, Matron, Southern General Hospital, Glasgow. Mrs. I. Lang, Nursing Adviser to the South-West Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board.; Miss N. M. McKid, Matron of Kyogle Memorial Hospital, Australia; Miss F. J. Cameron, Director of Nursing Division, Department of Health, New Zealand.

M.B.E.

Mrs. S. M. M. Trudgett, Midwife, from Redbourne, Herts.

Rhodes Scholarship in Reverse.

Victoria, Australia, Offers £1,000 Fellowship in Nursing.

THE VICTORIAN AGENT-GENERAL in London, The Honourable Sir John Lienhop, is pleased to announce details of a Fellowship in Nursing which is to be made available during 1955 to a British subject with at least 10 years' residence in the United Kingdom.

The "British Memorial Fund" has been established by citizens of the State of Victoria, Australia, as a "gesture of loyalty, gratitude and affection" to the British people in recognition of their "role in saving civilisation in the Second World War." It takes the form of offering, each year, a number of Fellowships, tenable in Victoria, to graduates and young persons in the United Kingdom in the hope that they will return to their own country with a desire to strengthen the ties between it and Australia.

The Fellowship is for £1,000 (Australian). This is to cover travelling expenses to and from Melbourne and 10 months' living expenses in the State. The tenure would normally

be for the academic year commencing March, 1955, and candidates should be prepared to travel to Victoria during January, 1955. Accommodation will be arranged for selected candidates. Wives and children are welcome but no extra expenses can be paid to cover them. Applicants for the Fellowship must be under the age of 35 on the 1st January, 1955.

The Fellowship is available to a State Registered Nurse who, in addition, must have some Post Graduate qualifications in any one of the various branches of the Nursing Profession. An applicant who has had at least six years in the Profession would be preferred. The Fellow will work largely in association with the Australian College of Nursing and the Royal Victorian College of Nursing. Opportunities will be provided for attending Post Graduate courses in such subjects as:—

- (a) Nursing Administration.
- (b) Nurse Teaching.
- (c) General and Midwifery Nursing.
- (d) Ward Administration.
- (e) Theatre Management and Teaching.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Honourable Sir John Lienhop at Victoria House, Melbourne Place, Strand, London, W.C.2, the closing date for the receipt of applications being the 2nd August, 1954.

Simultaneously with the Nursing Fellowship, a similar Fellowship is being offered by the Fund for Journalism, and two Fellowships in University subjects where the applicants may nominate the field of study or research in which they wish to work. The same conditions apply in each case.

The Agent-General is Chairman of the London Selection Committee. Other members are Lady Albemarle, Lord Huntingfield, Lord Baillieu, Sir Vincent Tewson, Sir Angus Gillan, and Dr. J. F. Foster.

1954 Summer School in Health Education.

THIS YEAR'S SUMMER SCHOOL organised by the Central Council for Health Education will be held at Reichel Hall, Bangor, North Wales, from 17th to 27th August next. The theme for study will be "Programme and Practice in Health Education."

The School will be in the form of a working conference in which delegates will examine actual health problems and will work out model schemes of Health Education for various sections of the community that can be practically applied in their own areas. Demonstrations of modern methods in teaching and publicity, practice in speaking and group leadership, with workshop sessions for the construction of Health Education material will be included in the programme. This year's lecturers will include Professor F. A. E. Crew, of the Department of Public Health and Social Medicine at Edinburgh University, and Dr. Grantly Dick Read, the pioneer of education in natural childbirth, both introducing fresh and provocative viewpoints into the Health Education programme.

The School brings together key people from the health, education and social services and from the industrial health and welfare spheres in this country and abroad, and provides a unique opportunity for delegates to exchange ideas with other fieldworkers in Health Education.

Bangor is an attractive centre, and a full range of social and recreational activities is being organised. The inclusive fee for tuition and residence is sixteen guineas. Local Health and Education Authorities are being invited to nominate delegates and to help them to attend.

Further particulars about this course can be obtained from The Medical Director, The Central Council for Health Education, Tavistock House, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

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