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Editorial.

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WE have received, from several correspondents, letters of warm appreciation of the benefits which they have received at the Home of Rest at Brighton. These have been elicited by the Annual Report, which we had the pleasure of publishing in our last issue, and we would take this opportunity of commenting upon some significant facts in connection with the Institution. The statement, to which we refer, draws attention to the increasing success and usefulness of the Home, and when we turn to the first and second Reports, it is evident how thoroughly justified this assertion is. The Home was opened on May 4th, 1891, and between then and the end of the following October, 115 Nurses had availed themselves of its advantages. The next Report brought the history of the Institution down to January 1st of last year; in the fifteen intervening months, 267 Nurses having been admitted. During 1893, there were 250 visitors. These figures, when analysed, show, on their face, the increasing numbers of Nurses who are glad to avail themselves of the advantages of the Home. But they do not show that, during the holiday months especially, it is usually as full as its accommodation will permit, nor the fact that the inmates come from all parts of the Southern Counties, as well as from the Metropolis, nor the gratitude which they express for

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