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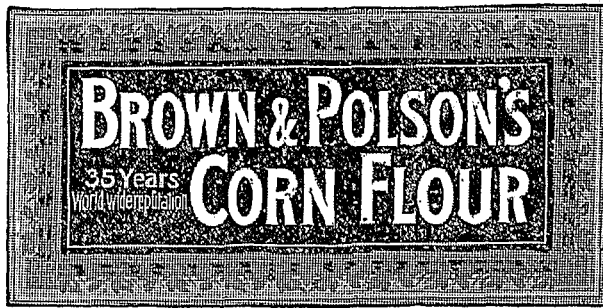
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ONE of the very few arguments which were advanced at the inquiry held by Her Majesty's Privy Council into the reasons for and against the grant of a Royal Charter to the Royal British Nurses' Association, and, perhaps, the only argument so advanced which had any real weight, was the statement made by Sir RICHARD WEBSTER that the authorities of the training schools for Nurses were the only people who could testify to the character and capabilities of their pupils, but that the Association had not applied to these training schools for such information, before they enrolled the names of Nurses upon the Register of the Association. It will be remembered, perhaps, that this statement was at once contradicted and disproved by means of documentary evidence; but the argument, nevertheless, was a strong one. Its strength, indeed, was emphasized by Sir HORACE DAVEY, the eminent Counsel of the Association, who said, in reference to it, "I should not like it thought that the ladies and gentlemen for whom I am instructed should be so deficient in either courtesy or in fairness, whatever we think of our opponents, as not at once to communicate with the Institution from which a certificate is placed before them as a credential." He also said, "Your lordships will not be surprised to hear, after what has been stated, that from certain Hospitals we have never received any assistance or information. It is quite true that my learned friend may be instructed to say 'we never refused information.' Speaking by the card that is true, but no letter has been sent by them; they have simply taken the course of

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