

The question, "Am I liable to be sent out private nursing before my three years training is completed?" should be asked. If you enter a Hospital which gives two complete years' training, you can make up your third year in a special Hospital, such as a fever or gynecological Hospital, in qualifying as a private Nurse. This is most invaluable experience.

Mr. A. Brinckman.—We regret that you differ from the views we have expressed upon the matter. We are quite open to arguments, and if you will favour us with some in the form of a letter on this subject, we will endeavour to find room for it—as we are always glad to have both sides fairly stated.

Sister Maud.—Many thanks. It will give us much pleasure to see you any morning at 12, Holles Street, Cavendish Square, W., if we can give you any assistance in the matter. It would be best for you to go to the Patent Office, Chancery Lane, and make inquiries personally.

S. M., Wimbledon.—The Great Northern Central Hospital, Holloway Road, N.; the London Homœopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.; London Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, N.W.; Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, E.; West London Hospital, Hammersmith Road, W., are the largest General Hospitals without medical schools. These Hospitals are all good training schools for Nurses. The Special Hospitals also afford invaluable experience to Nurses.

University College Hospital is one of the twelve General Hospitals in London to which a medical school is attached.

To qualify for membership of the R.B.N.A., enter a General Hospital for three years, or spend part of the time in a Special Hospital.

Nurse Annie C., London.—We should advise you to apply to the Matron, so that an arrangement may be made to permit you to make up the time in the wards which you were made to spend in private Nursing for the benefit of the Hospital. We feel sure that the Registration Board would favourably consider your case, as the fault was not your own, but rather that of an unjust system of training. But, at any sacrifice of time and money, we advise you to obtain the rest of your three years' experience in the wards of a Hospital, and qualify for registration.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

- A. Miss Anderson, Weybridge.
- B. Mr. A. Brinckman, London.
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- G. Mrs. Gordon, London (with enclosure).
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