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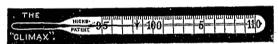
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### Editorial.

THE ROYAL CHARTER.-III.

- HE question of general meetings of the members of the Royal British Nurses' Association has recently been brought into much prominence, and it is therefore well that the exact powers possessed by the Corporation in this matter should be distinctly understood. The Charter states that an Annual General Meeting of the members of the Corporation shall be held once in every year for the election of members of the General Council, and to receive annual, financial, and other Reports for the past year, and for other purposes of the Corporation; "and other general meetings may be held from time to time as occasion shall require, and as the Bye-laws shall direct."

We turn to the Bye-laws, then, and find that Bye-law 2, Section C. is as follows (the italics are ours):—"Special general meetings may be summoned at such times and places as may be considered suitable in each instance, either by order of the President, or by a Resolution to that effect passed by the Executive Committee, or in accordance with a request to that effect signed by fifty members of the Corporation. The notice convening a special general meeting shall state the object of the meeting, and no other business save that so specified shall be

From this, it is evident that Her Majesty the

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