

Comments and Replies.

REPLIES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Mrs. Lang, Peterboro.—You will find all the information you require concerning the regulations of the various Training Schools in the "Nursing Directory," which can be obtained, price 5s., of the Manager, NURSING RECORD Office, 11, Adam Street, Strand.

Miss Reilly, Fermoy.—We regret your invention was too late for exhibition. You should read the NURSING RECORD weekly, if you wish to keep *au courant* with nursing news. We consider you have just complaint against the paper you mention, professing to deal with nursing matters, and yet, from personal motives, omitting to deal with important nursing matters.

Miss A. R., Clapton.—The address you ask for with reference to the Co-operative Summer Holidays, arranged for under the auspices of the National Home Reading Union, is, for Whitby, the Rev. T. A. Leonard, The Abbey House, Whitby.

Miss Hodgetts, London.—For the kind of nursing you seek you might apply to the Secretary of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families' Association, 23, Queen Anne's Gate, Westminster. There are not many appointments to fill, but if your qualifications are suitable, you might have your name put down for a vacancy at some future time. No doubt, as you say, the work would be particularly interesting to the daughter of so soldierly a family as yours appears to be.

Sister Alice, Hounston.—Our attention has already been called to the unpardonable story in the Society paper which represents a Hospital Sister in such an immoral and disgraceful light. Surely there are enough subjects to write unpleasant things about without resorting to such libels on an honourable body of working women.

Mrs. Wright, Eastbourne.—We cannot agree with you that "it is horrible to hang a woman." Women, in claiming "equality before the law," must be content to take the disadvantages with the advantages—the "downs" as well as the "ups." And women must be content to stand on law and right, and not to shelter crimes or weaknesses behind the excuse of being "only a woman." It is a matter of wonder why our sex do not pride themselves on their womanhood rather than use it as a kind of adequate explanation of anything that is unworthy or foolish. We should advise you to send your letter to the *Woman's Signal*.

Sister Hope, London.—Yes, there are Army Sisters stationed at Gibraltar. There are always liable to be sick soldiers there landing from homeward bound Indian transports and steamers, and for that reason an efficient Nursing staff is kept at the very popular "Gib."

LETTERS RECEIVED.

- B. Miss Sidney Browne, Woolwich (with enclosure). Miss Bostock, Liverpool.
- C. Miss Crump, Blackheath. Mrs. Carson, London.
- D. Miss Drew, London (with enclosure). Miss Draper, Salisbury.
- H. Miss Hodgetts, London. Miss Halliday, Copenhagen.
- L. Miss Lang, Peterboro'. Miss Lawson, Perth (with enclosure).
- M. Miss Marks, Guildford (with enclosure). Miss C. Morris, Leeds.
- R. Miss Reilly, Fermoy. Miss Rowton, Chester. Miss Ross, Croydon.
- S. Miss Sinclair, Kilmarnock. Miss Seagrave, Forfar.
- T. Miss C. Travers, Paris (with enclosure).
- W. Mrs. Wright, Eastbourne (with enclosure).

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