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INFIRMARY NURSING.

E are once more compelled, to our great regret, to call attention to the special difficulties of the Nursing department in Workhouse Infirmaries. We have, on previous occasions, considered this matter at some length, and are glad to know that the views which we have expressed have attracted the sympathetic and careful consideration of officials closely connected with the working of the Poor Law. These troubles continue, with increasing frequency, to occur in these Infirmaries, and, at the present moment, there are no less than four of these important Institutions in which discipline is in danger, and the efficiency of the working is injured, by controversies which, in at least one instance, even threaten to assume the magnitude of a public scandal.

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