

that it cannot possibly get out of order. It is made in various sizes and shapes to suit requirements. For large cisterns it is provided with a regulator to control the supply of fluid, and for *small* cisterns or water waste preventors this can be done by merely raising or lowering the position of the machine in the tank. The prices, which are moderate, and full particulars can be obtained on application to the Company, whom we learn have already received a large number of enquiries concerning and applications for the Distributor, which we feel sure will deservedly meet with a large sale. The machine has been constructed on the well-known principle of atmospheric pressure, and once charged and fixed it automatically discharges its duty of instant and continuous disinfection until the supply of the fluid is exhausted, to be easily and economically refilled. Altogether the enterprising firm are to be congratulated upon the ingenious and effective apparatus they have introduced, which appears at once to solve the hitherto great difficulty which has existed in regard to the proper flushing by an efficacious disinfectant of cisterns supplying water-closets and service pipes, and should once and for all put an end to the great quantity of nonsense which is constantly being written upon the subject, by those who are desirous of introducing all sorts of complicated and useless schemes, which only confuse and make matters much worse.

GENTILITY is neither in birth, wealth, manner, nor fashion. It is in the mind. A high sense of honour; a determination never to take a mean advantage of another; an adherence to truth; delicacy, politeness toward those with whom we have dealings; these are its essential characteristics.

"NURSING RECORD" BENEVOLENT FUND.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

WE want to assist, by the united efforts of the readers of the *Nursing Record*, Trained Nurses who may be in need of temporary or permanent aid, and for this purpose donations, whether small or large, will be thankfully received, as the Fund has already many demands made upon it. The hard, cold winter is close upon us, and we would like to be able to give some measure of relief to those who are continually applying to us for help from this Fund.

HELP WANTED HERE ALSO.

Mrs. Sarah Duyck, aged 48, is a widow, and has broken her leg so badly, that she will probably be a cripple for the rest of her life, besides dislocating one shoulder some years ago, so that she is even unable to use her crutches for long at a time.

Mrs. Duyck wishes to obtain an annuity of £20 a year from the British Home for Incurables. To do this at least 1,000 votes must be procured from subscribers to the Institution. Lists of subscribers can be obtained by sending eight stamps to the offices, 73, Cheapside, E.C.

Will every reader of this journal please do what she or he can to obtain votes for this sad case—to assist, in however small a measure, to bear another's burden? Such help will be gratefully welcomed by the Editor, *Nursing Record*, St. Dunstan's House, Fetter Lane, London, E.C., and all subscriptions, &c., will be duly acknowledged.

CORRESPONDENCE.

(Notes, Queries, &c.)

Whilst cordially inviting communications upon all subjects for these columns, we wish it to be distinctly understood that we do not IN ANY WAY hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

Communications, &c., not noticed in our present number will receive attention when space permits.

LESSONS IN MEDICAL RUBBING.

To the Editor of "The Nursing Record."

Sir,—Would you kindly inform me where I can best obtain Medical rubbing lessons? Kindly reply in *Nursing Record*, and let me know if any fee is required for answering this question and I will gladly forward it.—Yours truly,

H. C.

[Apply to Mrs. Palmer, 38, North Audley Street, Grosvenor Square, W. There is no fee charged for answering questions; we are only too pleased to give those interested in Nursing whatever information is in our power.—ED.]

To the Editor of "The Nursing Record."

Sir,—Can you kindly give me some information about the Greek Hospital, Alexandria? Is it under Government?—Faithfully yours,

NURSE K.

[Note the Nursing Echoes columns of this week.—ED.]

To the Editor of "The Nursing Record."

Sir,—Will you or any of your readers kindly give me any information respecting Hospitals or Institutions in which ladies are trained, receiving at the same time a small salary?

I have no means of paying my own expenses, and would like to be trained for private nursing.

What is the shortest time in which I could obtain a certificate, and what is the course of instruction for Obstetric Nursing?

Any information will be gratefully received by a

LAY READER.

[We have been making private enquiries and are afraid that you will have some little difficulty in meeting with exactly what you want, but perhaps some of our readers may be able to assist you.—ED.]

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