

Appointments.

MATRONS.

King Edward VII. Sanatorium, Midhurst.—Miss Eleanor I. E. Jones has been appointed Matron. She was trained at St. Thomas' Hospital, where she temporarily held the position of Sister of St. Thomas' Nursing Home. She has also been Sister-in-Charge of the Brompton Hospital Sanatorium and Assistant Matron at the King's Sanatorium, Midhurst, since August last.

Longton Cottage Hospital.—Miss Sarah E. Barlow has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Stanley Hospital, Liverpool, and has held the position of Special Nurse at the Jessop Hospital for Women, Sheffield, Head Nurse at the Longton Cottage Hospital, and Matron of the Fleetwood Cottage Hospital.

ASSISTANT MATRON.

Hackney Union Infirmary.—Miss Nellie Maud Rance has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the St. Marylebone Infirmary, and has held the position of Sister and of Night Superintendent at St. Pancras Infirmary, and of Charge Nurse at the North Western Hospital, Hampstead.

CHARGE NURSES.

Fountain Hospital, Tooting Graveney.—The following nurses have been appointed to the position of Charge Nurse:—

Miss Ethel E. Wates, who was trained at the Bethnal Green Infirmary and subsequently Staff Nurse at St. Mark's Hospital, City Road. She has also had experience of private nursing in Bristol and London.

Miss Lilian M. Pye, who was trained at the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital and has done private nursing in connection with the Cromer and Bury St. Edmund's Nursing Institute.

Miss Frances M. Cullipp, who was trained at the Poplar and Stepney Sick Asylum, where she also held the position of Sister, and who also had experience in infectious nursing previous to her general training, as Assistant Nurse at the South Eastern Hospital, New Cross, and the Brook Hospital, Shooter's Hill.

Miss Agnes Donohoe, who was trained at the Blackburn and East Lancashire Infirmary.

Miss Mary Trinlin, who was trained at St. Pancras Infirmary, and has held the position of first Assistant Nurse at the South Western Hospital, Stockwell.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

APPOINTMENTS.—The following ladies have received appointments as Staff Nurse: Miss E. H. Davies, Miss N. R. McNeil, Miss K. F. G. Skinner.

POSTINGS AND TRANSFERS.—*Sister:* Miss E. M. Pettle, to Military Hospital Cairo, Egypt, from Military Hospital, Valletta, Malta.

Staff Nurse: Miss A. C. M. Jameson, to Connaught Hospital, Aldershot, on appointment.

APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED.—*Staff Nurses:* Miss E. G. Barrett, Miss M. E. Brewer, Miss J. G. Dalton, Miss E. B. Darnell, Miss M. Fisher, Miss M. German.

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The recently appointed Matron of the New Hospital for Women, Euston Road, N.W., Miss Georgiana E. M. M'Neil, will receive a cordial welcome from many friends on her return to town to take up this important position. Miss M'Neil holds the certificates both of St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, and of the Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary. Her experience at the former institution included that of Assistant to the Home Sister, as well as temporary Ward Sister's duties. She was also second Assistant Matron at the East Dulwich Infirmary, and for over three years has held the position of Assistant Lady Superintendent and Matron at the Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, from which she brings the highest possible credentials from the Lady Superintendent, Miss E. M. Jones, as well as from the Chairman and members of the medical staff.

Mr. Athelstan Rendall is evidently interested in the affairs of the army nurses, for in addition to his question in the House of Commons on the subject of army nurses and balls, he also recently enquired of the Secretary of State for War whether ladies of the Nursing Service are promoted by seniority, coupled with selection, whether he was aware that, as their names were placed on the army list alphabetically, contrary to the custom in other departments, and not according to seniority, they had no means of knowing how they stood for promotion and foreign service; and whether he would look into the matter with a view to inaugurating a fairer and more business-like system. Once again Mr. Haldane quoted the Nursing Board of Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service. It was, he said, at its request in 1902 that the names of the members of the Service were so arranged. At that time it was decided that promotion in this Service should be by selection and not by seniority, and the Nursing Board therefore preferred an alphabetical list. It was a fact that the Nursing Service was the

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