# Comments and Replies.

## THE PARIS CONFERENCE.

The arrangements for the party of 40 going to Paris via Dieppe on the 17th June are now complete, and no more names can be added to the list, as the arrangements have been concluded in Paris.

The Irish Nurses' Association have made the following terms for those wishing to join the Dublin party. They will be received at the Hotel Burgundy, bed, lights, attendance, breakfast, and dinner, eight francs a day; and for single bedroom and breakfast at the Hotel de l'Arcade six francs, a double-bedded room five francs. The ticket will provide saloon on Irish boat, third class to London and back, and first class from London to Paris and back. Price for return ticket from Dublin £3 16s. 3d., and from Belfast journey and hotel £5 12s. 5d., for five days in Paris, 8 francs a day beyond that time. Passengers can go any day from Dublin to London; but must all travel together from London to Paris. Application for information should be made to the Secretary, Irish Nurses' Association, 86, Lower Leeson Street, Dublin, and to Miss Workman, Craigdarragh, Helen's Bay, co. Down.

TICKETS. The Conference Tickets, price 1 franc (10d.) are now ready, and can be procured from Miss Breay, 431, Oxford Street, London, W. Please enclose stamp for reply.

THE NATIONAL BADGE. A pattern of the Badge will be found on page 325.

#### LIST OF HOTELS.

Hôtel de la Minerve, 22, Rue de la Chaise, rooms 3 to 6 francs a night, petit déjeuner 1f.,

other meals 2f. 50c. Villa de Dames, 77 and 79, Rue Nôtre Dame des Champs, rooms 4 to 6 francs, double-bedded rooms 6f. 50c. to 8f. 50c. Meals the same, en pension 8 to 10 francs a day.

Hôtel de Calais, Rue des Capucines (very central), about en pension 9 to 11 francs a day.

Hôtel Montaigne, 28, Rue Montaigne, about 10 francs a day.

St. James et d'Albany, Rue St. Honoré, rooms from 3 francs, pension 10 to 15 francs a day. Grand Hôtel du Palais Royal, 4, Rue de Valois,

rooms from 5 francs, en pension from 10 francs.

Pension, Miss Parmiter, 5, Rue des Pyramides, about 35 francs a week.

Double-bedded rooms cost about 1 franc less per person.

Miss A. L. Ross, Co. Down.-It would be best for you to apply direct to Messrs. Cook for your ticket, as those issued in connection with the party are inclusive of board and lodging in Paris. By whichever route you travel to Paris on Monday, June 17th, there will probably be travellers to the Conference.

# Hotices.

### CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Editor will at all times be pleased to consider articles of a suitable nature for insertion in this Journal those on practical nursing are specially invited. The Editor will also be pleased to receive paragraphs, such as items of nursing news, results of nurses' examinations, new appointments, reports of hospital functions, also letters on questions of interest to nurses, and newspapers marked with reports of matters of professional interest. Such communications must be duly authenticated with

name and address, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of good faith, and should be addressed to the Editor, 20, Upper Wimpole Street, London, W.

### THE SOCIETY FOR THE STATE R TION OF TRAINED NURSES. REGISTRA-

Those interested in the efficient organisation of nursing should procure the Annual Report of the Society for the State Registration of Trained Nurses from the Hon. Secretary. Six copies, post free, 7d., or one copy 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d. It gives a brief review of the history of State Registration.

All those desirous of helping on the important movement of this Society to obtain a Bill providing for the Legal Registration of Trained Nurses can obtain all information concerning the Society and its work from the Hon. Secretary, 431, Oxford Street, London, W.

Those nurses who are working on behalf of the above Society, and are endeavouring to spread knowledge as to its aims, may be glad to know that they can now obtain a Memorandum, giving briefly the reasons why Registration is necessary, from the Hon. Secretary, 431, Oxford Street, London, W. Price 6d. for 20 copies.

#### OUR PRIZE PUZZLE.

Rules for competing for the Pictorial Puzzle Prize will be found on Advertisement page xii

# The Little Widow.

## A GOOD SORT OF NEIGHBOUR TO HAVE.

"A little widow, a neighbour of mine, persuaded me to try Grape-Nuts when my stomach was so weak that it would not retain food of any other kind," writes a grateful woman.

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