## The President of the Conference.

During the organisation of the Paris Conference, the International Officers have received the greatest help and courtesy from M. G. Mesureur, the busy Director of the Assistance Publique in Paris, whose portrait appears on several thousand workers. He has done much to increase the prestige of nursing by giving the infirmières a position above that of all the employees of the Assistance Publique, and the rank and file of the nurses are now distinguished from the "filles de service," while the "surveillantes" are differentiated from the other heads of departments, i.e., laundries,



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this page, and who has most kindly consented to act as President of the Conference. His able Chef du Cabinet, M. André Mesureur, has also rendered valuable help. In his position of Director of the Assistance Publique, M. Mesureur has the control of the infirmières (nurses) in all the Paris Hospitals, numbering

schools, kitchens, etc., by gold stars in their caps.

On the first morning of the Conference, June 18th, we shall have the pleasure of hearing from M. Mesureur himself, as President of the Conference, of the work of the Assistance Publique for Nursing Education.



