

Our Guinea Prize.

We have pleasure in announcing that our Guinea Prize for December has been won by Miss M. H. Close, 47, Tulse Hill, London, S.W.

KEY TO PRIZE PUZZLE.

- No. 1.—Bonger's Food.
Bean gee ears food
- No. 2.—Plasmon Cocoa.
Pea lass moon cow cow
- No. 3.—Red White and Blue Coffee.
R head W hit E & Blue-Co fee
- No. 4.—Ovaltine.
Owe V ale tin

The following competitors have also solved the puzzles correctly:—L. M. Simpson, Blackheath; A. M. Gregor, Warrington; M. Arnold, Bangor; E. Gibson, Acton; F. M. Smith, Holloway; F. Sheppard, Eastbourne; Nurse Taylor, Southampton; A. Smith, Bedford; E. Harris, Sutton Coldfield; C. Brennan, Limerick; T. Vesey, Belfast; E. Dinnie, Harrow; H. Lord, Kensington; M. E. Smith, York; M. Cockle, Brixton; C. Lawson, Wick; F. W. Pritchard, Brixton; A. Lowe, Wimbledon; R. A. Rose, Bexhill; A. M. Hoare, New Oscott; S. Dunn, Limerick; E. Lawson, Edinburgh; S. S. Sherring, Liverpool; E. Moss, Watford; G. Warren, London; A. Terry, Truro; B. M. Mason, Brighton; S. Teal, Manchester; M. O. Carter, Chelsea; N. Davidson, Oban; E. F. Bowen, Nottingham; T. Brady, Dublin; M. James, Hampstead; C. West, London; C. Vernon, Brighton; R. Conway, Southport; Mrs. Laborda, Stroud Green; M. McWilliams, Omagh; A. Taylor, Malvern; B. D. Scott, Carrickfergus; N. Longley, York; T. Mackenzie, Glasgow; C. Mackay, Dundee; A. M. Walker, Ripon; Nurse Jameson, Dublin; J. Mill, Govan Cross; Nurse Walker, Southport; A. L. Etheridge, W. Kensington; E. Beaver, Harrabridge; J. Holberry, Exminster; C. Summers, Brighton; Miss Haw, Ruthin; Nurse Matthew, Sunderland; Miss Farrer Raynes, Birkdale; A. Jones, Dolgelly; M. Modlin, Brixton; R. Wood, Hayle; A. R. Colhoun; N. Hayes, Colchester; I. Bröchner, London; Nurse Cowell, Bow; T. Donnelly, Dublin; K. Egan, Londonderry; M. E. Chick, Broad Clyst; M. Maxwell, Bromley; L. M. Taylor, Southsea; A. Londoun, Edinburgh; A. Sturgis, London; A. Moss, Swansea; M. Cooke, East Malling.

A large number of competitors substituted Plasmon "Food" for "Cocoa."

The new set of puzzles will be found on Page xii. The rules remain the same.

The Editor will award "The History of Nursing," by Miss M. Adelaide Nutting and Miss L. L. Dock as the prize in the forthcoming competition instead of a guinea. This grand work, in two volumes, is published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, 24, Bedford Street, Strand, London, at a pound.

We draw the attention of our readers to the new prize competitions announced on page 17.

Appointments.

MATRON.

Meath Hospital, Dublin.—Miss Laura W. G. Bradburne has been appointed Matron of the Meath Hospital and County Infirmary, Dublin. She received her training at the Meath Hospital, where she has held the position of Staff Sister for the past seventeen years, and during the past twelve years has acted as Matron's *locum tenens* during her absence.

SISTERS.

Mount Vernon Hospital for Chest Diseases, Northwood.—Miss Helen Hortin has been appointed Sister in charge of the men's corridor. She was trained at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, and has had a varied experience extending over eight years. She holds a certificate from the Royal Victoria Hospital, Bournemouth, and also from the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, W.C. She has had considerable experience in private nursing, having been on the private staff of the Warneford Hospital, Leamington. She has also held the post of Matron at the Pershore Cottage Hospital.

Kensington Infirmary.—Miss Hannah Renton has been appointed Ward Sister. She was trained at the Central London Sick Asylum, where, for five months, she did Sisters' holiday duty, and since November, 1906, has been on the nursing staff at Grosvenor House, Southampton.

SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

Wandsworth Union Infirmary.—In connection with the increase of staff at the Wandsworth Union Infirmary the following appointments have been made:—

ASSISTANT NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Margaret E. Aisthorpe has been appointed Assistant Night Superintendent. She was trained at St. George's Infirmary, Fulham Road, and has held the positions of Staff Nurse at the Miller Hospital, Greenwich, Charge Nurse at the Southwark Infirmary, Night Sister at the Hornsey Isolation Hospital, and Charge Nurse at the White Oak Ophthalmic Schools.

CHARGE NURSES.

The following nurses have been appointed to the position of Charge Nurse:—

Miss Florence M. Bloome, trained at the Dulwich Infirmary, who has held the position of Charge Nurse and Theatre Nurse at the Heywood Schools, Brentwood.

Miss Gertrude E. Boyles, trained at the Lambeth Infirmary.

Miss Evaline L. Kitchin, trained at the Chester Union Infirmary, who has held the position of First Assistant Nurse at the North-Eastern Hospital, Tottenham.

Miss Emma Hodgson, trained at the Bethnal Green Infirmary, who has held the position of Charge Nurse at the Lambeth Schools Infirmary.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson, trained at St. Mary's Infirmary, Highgate Hill, who has held the position of Staff Nurse at the North-Eastern Hospital and at the Leicester Infirmary.

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