

Extra Sister at the Chelsea Hospital for Women. She is a certified midwife.

General Infirmary, Hertford.—Miss F. M. Cullipp has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the Poplar and Stepney Sick Asylum, and has held the position of Staff Nurse at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, Sister at the Poplar and Stepney Sick Asylum, and Charge Nurse at the Fountain Hospital, Tooting, S.W.

CHARGE NURSE.

Marland Hospital, Rochester.—Miss Mary Watkins has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at Mill Road Infirmary, Liverpool, and has held the position of Sister at the Borough Hospital, Bolton, Night Sister at the Infectious Hospital, Portsmouth, and Charge Nurse at the Calverley Hospital, Bradford.

SCHOOL NURSE.

Ipswich County Borough Education Committee.—Miss Mary Sandbach has been appointed School Nurse. She was trained at the West Norfolk and Lynn Hospital, and has had some experience of private nursing.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Staff Nurse to be Sister: Miss Daisy M. C. Michell.

The undermentioned lady to be Staff Nurse (provisionally): Miss Isabel Harley.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Ada L. Wood to Penzance (midwife), Miss Mary Myers to Huddersfield, Miss Flora Burkinshaw to Peterborough, Miss Maud M. Hughes to Peterborough, Miss Daisy F. Hills to Norwich (temp.), Miss Annie S. Laycock to Hull, Miss Madeline Naylor to Heywood from Harpurhey Home, Manchester, Miss Alice M. Goodman to Hanley (temp.), Miss Lucy E. Way to Baschurch (temp.).

IRISH NURSES' ASSOCIATION.

Miss Hampson, late Lady Superintendent, Portobello Hospital, intends staying for the next fortnight at the Irish Nurses' Association Rooms, 86, Lower Leeson Street, Dublin. All her Dublin friends are pleased to welcome her return. Miss Hampson was a most popular Matron, and made numerous friends during her stay in Ireland. She has always taken a very special interest in the Irish Nurses' Association, and was instrumental in its establishment.

Sincere thanks are due to Mr. Brandon Thomas for his kind thoughtfulness in giving to the Dublin nurses a number of free passes for the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, where his world-renowned play, "Charley's Aunt," was performed during the past week.

The introductions were forwarded to the Matrons of the different Hospitals and Institutions for distribution by Mr. Louis H. Dick, Secretary of the Royal National Pension Fund for Nurses. It is needless to say that those who were fortunately able to avail themselves of these permits, had a most enjoyable time, and greatly appreciated the privilege afforded them.

Nursing Echoes.



Miss Florence Nightingale was eighty-eight last Tuesday, and was the recipient of numerous and heartfelt expressions of love and reverence. Surrounded as she is with affectionate solicitude, we may hope she may see many happy returns of the day.

A meeting of the Council of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses was held on the 6th May, at the offices, 120, Victoria Street, S.W. Mr. Harold Boulton presided in the absence of the Chairman, Viscount Goschen, who was in his place in the House of Lords to oppose the Directory of Nurses Bill. The resignation of the President, to date from the end of June, was reported, and the following resolution was passed: "That the Council of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses hears with profound regret that the Rev. A. L. B. Peile, Master of St. Katharine's, has placed his resignation in the hands of her Majesty the Queen, and begs to express to him its sense of the overwhelming debt of gratitude that they feel to him on behalf of the Institute of which he has been the President since its foundation. They hope that he may be spared many years to assist the Council with his advice and experience."

Reports from the various committees were received, and in connection with that of the Nursing Committee the impossibility of meeting the increased demand for the services of Queen's nurses throughout the country, which is a cause of great anxiety to the Council, had serious consideration, this failure to satisfy the demand being due to want of funds to train a sufficient number of nurses in district work. The income of the Institute available for training purposes at the present time is inadequate for the normal needs of its affiliated associations, and leaves no provision for the demands of new districts applying for Queen's Nurses.

The opinions of noble Lords for and against the Directory Bill were interesting. One in favour of the Bill told us in conversation that he was afraid of the power of the Jubilee Institute in the country. That under the Directory Bill, Cottage Nurses could register on the same terms as certificated Hospital Nurses, and he and his wife preferred them in their villages, as "Queen's Nurses" would not

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