duties, and has been temporary Staff Nurse at the Royal Orthopædic Hospital, Birmingham.

Miss Agnes Johnson has been appointed Sister in the same institution. She was trained at the Lincoln County Hospital, where she has done both day and night Sisters' holiday duty. She has also done temporary Staff Nurse's duty at the Sunderland Infirmary.

City Hospital North, Netherfield Road, Liverpool. — Miss Mary Janet Macbeth has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Crumpsall Infirmary, Manchester, and has since been Assistant Nurse at the City Hospital North, Liverpool.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT.

General Infirmary, Chester. -Miss Sara Bullock has been appointed Night Superintendent. She was trained at the Mill Road Infirmary, Liverpool, where she had held the position of Sister.

Royal Infirmary, Bradford. -Miss H. Pritchard has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the General Hospital, Northampton, where she has held the position of Sister.

HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE.

Public Health Society, Macclesfield.—Miss Marian E. Rogers has been appointed Health Visitor and School Nurse. She was trained at the Hackney Union Infirmary, and has worked in connection with the Victoria Nurses' Home, Chesterfield, the West Suffolk Nurses' Home, and the Accident Hospital, Mexborough, and as a Queen's Nurse at Northampton. She is a certified midwife. Miss Mary H. Ward has been appointed Health

Miss Mary H. Ward has been appointed Health Visitor and School Nurse under the same authority. She was trained at the Hackney Union Infirmary, where she also held the position of midwife. She has held the position of Charge Nurse under the M.A.B. at Gore Farm Hospital, and has worked on the staff of the Ipswich Nurses' Home, and as a Queen's Nurse in Northampton. She is a certified midwife, and holds the certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute for Health Visitors and School Nurses.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Miss E. Lowe to be Staff Nurse (provisionally) (January 25th).

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Fanny Mellor, to Handsworth; Miss Amy Edge, to Huddersfield; Miss Margaret Byerley and Miss Elizabeth Randall, to Harrow; Miss Edith Andrews, to Trumpington; Miss Evelyn Smith and Miss Mary Cracknell, to Fleet; Miss Sara Mitchell, to Addlestone; Miss Winifred Heather, to Cowley; Miss Annie Godfrey, to Heavitree; Miss Ellen J. Jones, to Tynewydd; Miss Annie Button and Miss Helen Higgs, to Treorchy; Miss Mary Gaskell, as Superintendent, to Bath; Miss Alice Pennington, to Headington; Miss Edith McDonald, to Wrington; Miss Emma Greensill, to Pontypool; Miss Priscilla Kearton, to Withnell; Miss Norah Brindley, to Woolwich; Miss Olivia Kemp, to Ivor.

Mursing Echoes.

Last Friday, Mrs. Willie James organised an amateur performance of *The Marriage* of *Kitty* on behalf of the Brighton branch of the Queen's Nurses, in which she played the title *rôle*. The King attended the performance to the great delight of all concerned, and he graciously acknowledged the presence of the nurses as he

presence of the nurses as he passed through the corridors. Miss Buckle, the Superintendent, handed the King a programme, and received from him a sovereign in return. Why should not the King's sovereign be sold for the benefit of the institution?—it ought to bring a handsome profit. It is hoped that the institution will benefit to the amount of £300 from this very successful matinéé.

The Council of the Trained Nurses' Annuity Fund, which provides annuities for disabled Trained Nurses, records that during the past year the total contributed was larger than ever before, due, in great measure, to the energy of its present Chairman, Mr. Montagu W. Price, D.L., and to two handsome donations from the Hon. Alexander Yorke and Mr. Nivison, but several generous supporters of the Fund have been removed by death, and fur-ther subscriptions are urgently needed. The Council had the painful duty of deciding between the applications of twenty-six nurses in need of assistance, in awarding three annuities at their disposal. Eventually one was given to a nurse of forty years' standing who had been Matron of a large institution, but whose savings had been exhausted by ill health, and who was practically penniless; another to a nurse totally paralysed, as the result of a fall while on duty, and the third to a nurse permanently disabled by blood poisoning of her right hand and arm, during her work.

The Fund has now 19 annuitants, and the extension of its useful work depends on the financial help accorded to it. Subscriptions and donations will be gladly received by the Hon. Secretary, Dr. Ogier Ward, 73, Cheapside, E.C.

The half-yearly number of *League News* is full of interest to members of the League of St. Bartholomew's Hospital. Miss Frere's pape. on the Training of Nurses, which won the £6 Prize last year, is published. She suggests a course of four years. A six weeks' preliminary course is proposed—an eighteen months' course





