

dant G. E. Moore, of Colney Hatch Asylum, with 41 years' service in one asylum.

PRESENTATION TO THE PRESIDENT.

The next business was the presentation of an illuminated address to the President, which recorded the grateful thanks of asylum workers throughout Great Britain and Ireland to Sir William J. Collins, D.L., J.P., M.D., M.S., F.R.C.S., B.Sc., M.P., President of the Association, for his unwearied efforts on their behalf, and successful promotion in Parliament of the Asylum Officers' Superannuation Act, which received the Royal Assent on December 3rd, 1909, the passing of which beneficent measure was due to his wise and energetic guidance."

Dr. Pasmore, who made the presentation, said that Sir William's period of Presidency would be illumined by this beneficent Act, and Dr. Shuttleworth, who handed to Lady Collins a basket of beautiful flowers, plumbago, mauve iris, ferns, and mauve ribbons, spoke of the help public men received from the ladies of their household.

Sir William Collins briefly returned thanks to Dr. Pasmore for his "flowers of rhetoric," and to Dr. Shuttleworth, on Lady Collins' behalf, for the "flowers of the field."

PRESENTATION TO THE HON. SECRETARY.

On behalf of the Asylum Workers of the United Kingdom, the President then presented to Dr. Shuttleworth, the Hon. Secretary, an address testifying to the personal regard and affection in which he was held by them, and because he had with rare devotion and self-denial made the amelioration of the lot of asylum workers his particular solicitude, and by his dogged determination and ever ready tact been instrumental in securing the passage into law of the Asylum Officers' Superannuation Act. This was signed by Sir William Collins, as President, and also by the President of the Medico-Psychological Association. It was accompanied by a miniature of Dr. Shuttleworth, by Gabrielli, a typewriter and desk, and a cheque for £230.

Sir William Collins said Dr. Shuttleworth possessed the arts of diplomacy and what Pitt described as the first essential of a politician, "patience, patience, patience." He had also zeal, indomitable industry, and fixity of purpose, and further craft and subtlety—the wisdom of the serpent under the demeanour of the dove.

He concluded by remarking on the applicability of the following lines to Dr. Shuttleworth:—

"You need no sculptured monument
Your fame to tell.
Your fame will live, oh, could we all
Acquit ourselves as well."

Dr. Shuttleworth cordially returned thanks to the President for his flattering words and to the Association for its generous gifts. The miniature would fall to Mrs. Shuttleworth as her share of the spoils, and the generous cheque would enable him to employ a typist.

The meeting concluded with the usual votes of thanks, and tea was afterwards served by kind invitation of Mrs. Shuttleworth.

Appointments.

LADY SUPERINTENDENT.

Drumcondra Hospital, Dublin.—Miss Dora Hutchinson has been appointed Lady Superintendent. She was trained at Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, where she has held the position of Staff Sister, Sister in Charge of the Operating Theatre, and Assistant Matron. She has also had experience of private nursing.

MATRONS.

St. Bartholomew's Hospital, E.C.—Miss Annie McIntosh has been appointed Matron and Superintendent of Nursing at St. Bartholomew's Hospital. She was trained at the London Hospital, where, for the last seven years she has held the post of Matron's Senior Assistant.

Derbyshire Hospital for Sick Children, Derby.—Miss Dorothy Haines has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Poplar Hospital for Accidents, London, E., and, on gaining her three years' certificate, held the position of Staff Nurse for a year in the same institution. She has subsequently held the following appointments:—Staff Nurse for ten months at Charing Cross Hospital, Sister at the Manchester Children's Hospital, Pendlebury, and successively Night Sister, Home Sister, and Assistant Matron at the Children's Hospital, Myrtle Street, Liverpool.

SISTERS.

General Hospital, Stroud.—Miss R. Hooten has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Derby, and has held the position of both Day and Night Sister at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, of Night Sister at the Guest Hospital, Dudley, and of Assistant Matron at the Retreat, York.

SUPERINTENDENT NURSES.

Workhouse Infirmary, Bishop's Stortford.—Miss M. E. Pryce has been appointed Superintendent Nurse. She was trained at Brownlow Hill Infirmary, Liverpool, and has held the position of Superintendent Nurse at Gressenhall Infirmary, Dereham, Norfolk, and of Sister at the Bethnal Green Infirmary, London. She is a Certified Midwife.

Workhouse Infirmary, Stratton St. Margaret, near Swindon.—Miss Helen G. Dunn has been appointed Superintendent Nurse. She was trained at the Eastville Infirmary, Bristol, and has held the position of Charge Nurse at the Swindon and Highworth Union, where she has now been promoted to the position of Superintendent Nurse.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Christmas Prentice, to Horncastle; Miss Louisa Attree, to Enfield; Miss Alma Fryer, to Withington; Miss Eliza Spencer, to Cleckheaton; Miss Elizabeth Farquharson, to Lumley; Miss Maud Taylor, to Gotherington; Miss Amy Townsend, to Kirton-in-Lindsey; Miss Ethel Coates, to Grimsby; Miss Ada Barton-Tharle, to Tunbridge Wells.

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