

ment, Sister, Kingston Infirmary; (4) Miss Griffin, School Nurse (County of Kent), Maidstone; (5) Miss Orgies, Private Nurse; (6) Miss Munro, late Sister-in-Charge, St. Thomas' Home, St. Thomas' Hospital.

No. 4 GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Coronation Procession, June 22nd.

Principal Matron: Miss M. E. Ray, King's College Hospital. Four members: (1) Miss M. P. Scovell, Matron, Swansea General and Eye Hospital; Matron, T.F.N.S.; (2) Miss M. Orchard, Ward Sister; (3) Miss V. Merriman, Ward Sister; (4) Miss H. C. Miller, Registered Nurses' Society.

Royal Progress, June 23rd.

Six Members: (1) Miss F. Hancock, Night Sister; (2) Miss C. L. Cockrell, Private Nurse; (3) Miss S. Hands, District Nurse; (4) Miss D. E. Humphreys, Registered Nurses' Society; (5) Miss E. Pease, Private Nurse; (6) Miss A. E. Rayner, Ward Sister.

As this will be the first public appearance of members of the Service in their distinctive uniform, they are sure to occasion a good deal of interest as they march in a body from Middlesex Hospital to the Mall.

Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute.

A Conference between representatives of the Council of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses and of its affiliated County Nursing Associations was held at the offices of the Institute, 58, Victoria Street, S.W., on Wednesday, May 24th. Mr. D. F. Pennant (Hon. Secretary of the Institute) presided, and many members of the Council were present.

The effect of the National Insurance Bill on the work of district nursing in general and on the nurses themselves was explained by Mr. Pennant. Provision was made in the Bill for approved societies to make grants for the support of district nurses, and it was most important, if the Bill passed, that this power should be used for the payment to a District Nursing Association by the societies, of the cost of nursing the societies' members within the area covered by the particular Association, but it was pointed out that in regard to those persons, who under the Bill would be in the position of deposit contributors and not members of Friendly Societies, there was no corresponding provision for any power to make the payment in respect of them, and in its absence, while there might be an increased difficulty in obtaining voluntary contributions from employers, the people most in need of the nurses' services might be left unprovided for. Then there was urgent need for the payment of a midwife being provided for out of the maternity benefit. The position of the nurses themselves also claimed attention; few nurses, if any, were at the present time members of approved societies, and their position as deposit contributors would be most undesirable.

Appointments.

MATRON.

Girls' Industrial School, York.—Miss Sarah Jane Bell has been appointed Matron. She was previously Superintendent of the Kitchen Department at Cheddleton Asylum, North Staffs.

SUPERINTENDENT.

Bradford Home, Manchester (in affiliation with Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute).—Miss Ada S. Wood has been appointed Superintendent. She received her general training at the Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary, and her district training in Liverpool, and has worked as a Queen's Nurse at Grant-ham, Droylesden, Brixton, and Penzance, at the last place being Senior Nurse. She is a certified midwife.

SCHOOL NURSES.

City of Sheffield.—Miss M. E. Hollinshead and Miss E. J. Hall have been appointed School Nurses. The former was trained at Oldham Union Infirmary, and has been nurse at Braintree Infirmary, and Queen's Nurse and Temporary School Nurse at Sheffield, and the latter was trained at the West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, and has been Charge Nurse at Over Hospital, Gloucester, Queen's Nurse at Cheltenham and Sheffield, and has also done private nursing, and acted as temporary School Nurse at Sheffield.

APPOINTMENTS AT GUY'S HOSPITAL, S.E.

SISTER.

Miss Jentie Paterson has been appointed Sister of Out-Patients. She was trained at Guy's 1905-1908, was Sister at Queen's Hospital, Birmingham, 1909, and Preliminary School Instructress at Guy's 1909-1911; cert. massage Incorporated Society of Trained Masseuses, 1909.

PRELIMINARY SCHOOL INSTRUCTRESS.

Miss Frances Nora Kingzett has been appointed Preliminary School Instructress. She was trained at Guy's 1907-1910, was on the Private Staff and Surgical Night Sister 1911. She is a certified midwife, and holds the certificate (distinction) of the I.S.T.M., and Raphael medal for massage.

NIGHT SISTER.

Miss Edith L. Sweet Escott has been appointed Surgical Night Sister. She was trained at Guy's 1907-1910, has done private nursing in Egypt, and is a certified midwife.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Sister Miss E. C. Stewart resigns her appointment; Miss C. W. Jones, Staff Nurse, to be Sister (May 27th).

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Lydia Birchall, to Caton; Miss Minnie Anscombe, to Burgess Hill; Miss Mary C. Jones, to Banstead; Miss Elizabeth A. Dickenson, to Norton-in-the-Moors; Miss Bertha Ffoulkes, to Brixton; Miss Janet Linton, to Reading.

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