

Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute. A Note-Book of Practical Work.

SCOTTISH BRANCH.

The quarterly report of the Scottish Branch of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses states that there are now 354 Queen's nurses working under 221 District Nursing Associations affiliated to the Scottish Branch of the Institute. The Scottish Council are directly responsible for the staff for the superintendence, training, and inspection of all the nurses who pass through the Scottish District Training Home; also for eight Queen's nurses and eighteen Queen's candidates at present undergoing social training in district nursing. During the three months, nine nurses completed the six months' special training, and were engaged by committees of affiliated associations at

We learn from M. André Mesureur that a "Carnet d'Exercices pratiques" has been in use for some years in the Nursing School of the Salpêtrière Hospital, Paris. The note book, of which the accompanying illustration is a specimen page, is 8½ inches wide by 5 inches high. The contents are controlled by the *surveillantes* in the various wards, and the pupil presents her book at the examination at the end of each year. It thus forms a complete record of the instruction received.

In order to enable the pupils to understand the progress of their training large charts are displayed in the School, on which, during the two years' course, the wards in which they work are each month marked by coloured

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Préparer ce qu'il faut pour faire un appareil plâtré et préparer des bandes plâtrées				
Préparer un appareil silicaté				
Enlever un appareil plâtré et silicaté				

CARNET D'EXERCICES PRATIQUES.

(Note Book of Practical Work.)

In Use at the Nursing School of the Assistance Publique, Paris.

Greenock, Sorbie, Gigha, Loanhead, Hamilton, and Banff. New branches were formed at Sorbie (Wigtownshire) and Gigha (Argyllshire). The inspectors made 98 visits to nurses in local branches, and reports were forwarded to the respective local committees. During the three months 1,786 cases were attended by the nurses from 29, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, involving 34,694 nursing visits. The receipts for the quarter were £572 4s. 1d.; the expenditure £778 14s.

It is regrettable that with so good a record of work, for so modest an expenditure, the income should fall so farshort of the amount spent.

paste-boards. The most coveted paste-boards, we are told, are those which mark their stay at St. Bartholomew's Hospital in England. A small form, showing the various departments and wards which a pupil passes through during her course, her name, and the date of her admission to the school, is also in use at the Salpêtrière Hospital.

We hear that M. André Mesureur last week visited St. Bartholomew's Hospital at 6 a.m., and went round the wards in order to see the night nurses at work. He went straight to the Hospital on arrival in London and returned to Paris the same day.

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