

of Trained Nursing" as a plea for the Right of Life to Health, should not fail to be present, and the sooner they secure their tickets the better.

After the Masque has been delivered and the Processions have re-formed and passed out of the Large Hall, the Refreshment Buffets will be open, when the whole company will, we feel sure, enjoy speaking with the lovely Goddess and her beautiful Elements, and the rest of the charming Immortals. Queens, Saints, and Knights are not met with in polite society every day, and their personalities and dresses will also be most interesting. Nurses of the Past and Present, to say nothing of those who fill, as many do, such important positions in the social scheme of the body politic, will also be *en evidence*, led as they should be by enterprising and public spirited Matrons, who are united to secure honourable legal status for the members of the profession to which they belong.

The Refreshment Buffets will be in an adjoining Hall, and the following Menu has been selected, the quality of which at the Connaught Rooms is always of the best:—

MENU.

SANDWICHES.
Sandwiches de Poulet.
" " Jambon.
" " Langue.
" " Roast Beef.

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Meringues.
Gateau Moka.
Charlotte Russe.
Gelées de Fruits et Liqueurs.

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PATISSERIES ASSORTIS.
Mirlitons.
Choux Grilles.
Champignons.
Eclairs Café et Chocolat.
Tartelettes aux Fruits.

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GLACES VARIES.
Vanille.
Fraise.
Citron.
Chocolat.

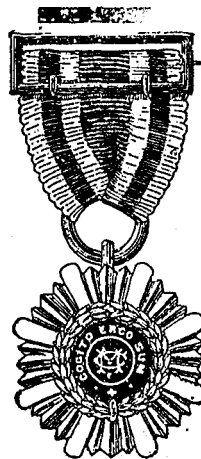
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WAFERS.
Tea. Coffee.
Orangeade. Lemonade.
Claret Cup. Hock Cup.

We repeat that no one really interested in the progress of trained nursing can afford to

be absent on this unique occasion. That the Pageant has been designed, the Masque written, and the details organised by Trained Nurses is a proof of the versatility of many of the women who are engaged in the arduous educational task of training, and superintending the nursing of the nation's sick at home and abroad.

Tickets for the Reunion can be procured from the Pageant Secretary, 431, Oxford Street, London, W., and Matrons' and Nurses' Tickets can also be obtained at the office of this Journal, 11, Adam Street, Strand, W.C.

The Matrons' Council.



A meeting of the Matrons' Council was held at 431, Oxford Street, London, W., on Wednesday, January 25th, at 4.30 p.m. Mrs. Bedford Fenwick was in the chair. There was a good attendance of members. Telephone messages were received from Miss Heather Bigg, President, and Miss Houghton, Vice-President, regretting their inability to be present. Letters and telegrams were also received from some twenty other members who were prevented from attending.

Letters were also read from Miss Breay (London), Miss Burleigh (Edinburgh), Miss Macintyre (Wigan), and Miss Wright (Glasgow) accepting the positions of Vice-Presidents.

HON. TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1910.

The Treasurer's report was presented and adopted.

On the motion of Mrs. Spencer, it was agreed that the Hon. Secretary's travelling expenses should for the future be met by the Council.

ANNUAL REPORT.

The annual report was read by the Hon. Secretary. In the discussion that followed the fact was elicited that no reply had been received to the letter addressed to the Chairman of the Florence Nightingale Committee by the Hon. Secretary, on behalf of the Matrons' Council. The opinion of members was that courtesy demanded at least an acknowledgment of an official letter. The report was adopted.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP.

Applications for membership were then con-

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