

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Alice Lee Smith is appointed Superintendent at Torquay. She was trained at the Royal South Hants. and Southampton Hospital, and received her district training at Worcester, where she worked as Staff Nurse and as Second Assistant County Superintendent. Miss Lee Smith served in South Africa under the Army Nursing Service, and was Matron of Ledbury Cottage Hospital. She holds the C.M.B. and Hygiene Certificates. She has recently undertaken the temporary duty as Superintendent of the Derby County Nursing Association. Miss W. Smith is sent to Cheltenham; Miss Gertrude Moore to Crook; Miss Margaret Hume to Barrow-in-Furness; Miss Ellen Knowles to Orrell.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Appointments.—The following ladies have received appointments as Staff Nurses:—Miss B. L. Cooper, Miss B. E. Smith, Miss E. W. Bond, Miss M. Nicholson. *Transfers to Stations abroad.*—Sisters: Miss N. Blew, to Hong Kong; Miss D. J. Saunder, to Malta. Staff Nurses: Miss M. E. Smith, to Hong Kong.

LADY MINTO'S INDIAN NURSING ASSOCIATION.

Miss Dora Kate Butcher has been appointed Sister in the above Service. She was trained at the Crumpsall Infirmary, Manchester, and has had experience of private nursing. She is a certified midwife.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL.**EXAMINATIONS AND PRIZES.**

The following is the list of probationers who successfully passed the October examinations at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London.

FINAL EXAMINATION.*Senior Probationers.*

Gold Medallist.—Miss E. Milne.

Passes.—Misses D. Birtwistle, B. F. Grogan, E. McKerrow, H. Simpson, R. M. Barrow-Clough, D. A. Crump, A. H. Gellatly, L. W. Owen, E. A. Turner, V. M. Godfrey, E. M. Cumberlidge and M. E. Dunbar (bracketted equal), P. L. A. Comyn, J. C. Goudie, L. R. Brotherton, E. P. Shekelton.

PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

Clothworkers' Prize.—Miss E. M. Jones.

Passes.—Misses M. Fletcher, D. Thomas, C. Hambey, S. F. Bland, A. King, M. E. Hitch and M. Lonsdale (bracketted equal), M. S. Mayberry, E. B. Cowley, P. Gill, M. Hodgson, M. K. Hall and N. W. B. Wigg (bracketted equal), J. B. Ferguson, K. G. Sylvester and C. Tompson (bracketted equal), S. A. Morgan, E. M. Martin and M. A. Mugford (bracketted equal), A. Welford, E. M. Rice, and B. M. Thompson.

NURSING ECHOES.

The new Lady Mayoress, Miss Crosbie, has accepted the office of Chairman of the Territorial Force Nursing Service of the City and County of London, and will no doubt take the same earnest interest in the good work as her predecessors.

The week's training arranged by the War Office for the Principal Matrons and Matrons of the T.F.N.S. in a military hospital appears to be greatly appreciated by these ladies, all of whom express themselves in flattering terms of the courtesy and kindness extended to them during their week's instruction.

An extraordinary case is reported from Bethnal Green, in which a woman, dressed as a nurse, but who is not believed to have any connection with the nursing profession, kidnapped a child six weeks old. Having made the acquaintance of the child's mother outside the London Hospital, she called at her house next day. Expressing great interest in the baby, and dressing her in a new nightdress and a woollen shawl, she said that the child should have at least twenty minutes airing daily, and offered to take her out. To this the mother consented, and since then nothing has been heard of the woman or the baby. A nurse's uniform appears to be a cloak for every kind of nefarious purpose.

A meeting of the Central Committee of Lady Minto's Indian Nursing Association was held at Viceregal Lodge, on October 7th, at 10.30 a.m. Her Excellency Lady Hardinge, of Penshurst, C.I., presided, and the following members were present: The Hon. Mr. Jenkins, the Hon. Surgeon-General Lukis, the Hon. Sir Trevredyn Wynne, the Hon. Sir Arthur Ker (Hon. Treasurer), Lieut.-Colonel O'Kinealy (Hon. Secretary), and Mrs. Davies (Chief Lady Superintendent).

The Minto Nursing Association is much to be congratulated on having as its second Lady President Her Excellency Lady Hardinge, who is genuinely interested in its progress. From the day of her arrival in India, Lady Hardinge has identified herself in the most generous way with this particular movement, thereby endeavouring to give it the helping hand which it still needs while in its infancy.

The Chief Lady Superintendent's Report upon the working and progress of the Association during the past eight months was duly presented, also a statement of accounts by the Honorary Treasurer.

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