

## PRIZES FOR NURSES.

The annual distribution of prizes to the nurses at the Bristol General Hospital upon the completion of their three years' training was made on the 15th inst. The chair was taken by the president, Mr. J. Storrs Fry, and amongst those present were Mr. Herbert M Baker, chairman of the committee, many members of the Medical Staff, the Matron, Miss A. Densham, Miss Ellis (matron Clifton Convalescent Home), Miss Bailey (matron Bristol Royal Infirmary), and Miss Lloyd (matron Home for Incurables, Redland).

The President and the Chairman spoke in most appreciative terms of the high standard of the nursing, the former saying the nurses of to-day were exercising the most benign influence in the country; the latter expressing the thanks of the committee to the Matron and her colleagues for their work during the year.

### THE AWARDS.

Miss Densham, the Matron, announced the following awards, and the prizes were distributed by the President:—Nurse Kathleen Dinsley, 1st prize, medical and surgical nursing; Nurse Rose Ayland, 2nd prize, surgical nursing; Nurse Hilda Wright, 2nd prize, medical nursing; Nurse Vera Fisher, 1st prize, anatomy; Nurse Vera Fisher, 2nd prize, physiology; Nurse E. Packer, 1st prize, physiology; Nurse Margaret Lee, 2nd prize, anatomy; Nurse Janet Basker, 1st prize, practical nursing; Nurse Elsie Perry, 2nd prize, practical nursing. Certificates of merit, Nurses Alice Creighton, Hilda Dennis, and Freda Chenuz. Gold medal, Nurse Annette Yeo.

Dr. Michell Clarke, senior member of the medical staff, and Mr. R. G. P. Lansdown, speaking on behalf of the surgical staff, congratulated the nursing staff, and approved the institution of new prizes for "practical nursing."

Mr. C. A. Moore, senior house physician, bore testimony particularly to the work of the sisters of the wards.

Plenty of compliments were flying around, and everyone was pleased and happy. Subsequently the nurses and the visitors were entertained to tea by the president, who presented each with a box of chocolates.

## APPOINTMENTS.

### ASSISTANT MATRON.

The Infirmary, Shirley Warren, Southampton.—Miss Julia Ennis has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Shoreditch Infirmary, N.E., where she has held the positions of Ward Sister, Night Sister, and Home Sister. She is a certified midwife and a certificated masseuse.

Reigate and Redhill Hospital, Redhill.—Miss N. E. Moon has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Yeatman Hospital, Sherborne.

### SISTER.

Royal Infirmary, Liverpool.—Miss Georgina Y. Brodie has been appointed a surgical Sister. She has just completed her training at the Western Infirmary, Glasgow.

Central London Sick Asylum, Hendon.—Miss Ethel Augusta Crook has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Paddington Infirmary, Harrow Road, W.

Royal Eye and Ear Hospital, Bradford.—Miss Irene L. Jones has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Bootle Borough Hospital, and has held the position of Sister at the Hartlepool Hospital, Hartlepool.

East Lancashire Infirmary, Blackburn.—Miss Caroline Bosankor has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the South Devon and East Cornwall Hospital, where she has held the position of Sister, and at the Cancer Hospital, London.

### NIGHT SISTER.

Royal Surrey County Hospital, Guildford.—Miss Margaret Weston has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, Norwich, and worked on its private nursing staff. She has also held temporarily the position of Ward Sister and Theatre Sister in the same institution.

### QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

*Appointments.*—The following ladies have received appointments as Staff Nurse: Miss M. Hale, Miss E. H. Cole; Miss Bessie Louise Cooper to be Staff Nurse (provisionally) (Oct. 23).

*Transfers to Stations Abroad.*—Sister: Miss C. K. E. Steel, to South Africa. Staff Nurses: Miss A. B. Nunn, Miss E. H. Davies, to South Africa.

*Promotions.*—The undermentioned Sister to be Matron: Miss R. Osborne.

### QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

#### *Transfers and Appointments.*

### ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Sara Mitchell is appointed to Somerset as Assistant Superintendent. Miss Mitchell was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, and took her midwifery training at the Glasgow Maternity Hospital. She trained as a Queen's Nurse at Hackney, and has worked at Addlestone. Miss Mitchell has passed the Examination of the Royal Sanitary Institute as Health Visitor and School Nurse.

Miss Norah Terry is appointed to Tipton as Assistant Superintendent.

### NURSES.

The following changes are also notified:—Miss Hannah Newton, to Carlisle as Senior Nurse; Miss Annie Duncan, to Newbury; Miss Cicely Fraser, to Sheffield, as School Nurse; Miss Margaret Halpin, to Chatham; Miss Susannah Horsley, to Quedgley; Miss Alice Knight, to Brierley Hill.

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