

## APPOINTMENTS.

### MATRON.

**Birmingham Infirmary, Dudley Road, Birmingham.**—Miss Marion C. Thomas has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the London Hospital, Whitechapel, London, E., where she held the positions first of junior and then of senior Matron's Assistant. She is at present Matron of the Rutson Hospital, Northallerton, Yorkshire, which contains twelve beds and is the Headquarters of the North Riding Rural Nursing Association.

**Royal Infirmary, Halifax.**—Miss E. S. Innes has been appointed Matron. She was trained at Leeds General Infirmary, and subsequently held the following positions there:—Casualty, Theatre and Ward Sister, and Night Superintendent. From 1907-9 she was Assistant Matron at the Royal Halifax Infirmary; she was then appointed without competition Assistant Lady Superintendent at Leeds General Infirmary, which position she now holds. We note that of late many excellent hospital appointments have been given to ladies trained in first-class provincial hospitals, which is most encouraging to those who manage these institutions.

### NURSE MATRON.

**The Cottage Hospital, Morpeth.**—Miss Elizabeth E. Holdrup has been appointed Nurse-Matron. She was trained for St. John's House at the Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, N.E.; the North Eastern Fever Hospital, Tottenham; and the Hospital for Women, Soho Square, W.; and subsequently worked on the private staff of St. John's House, London. She has also done private nursing in connection with a nursing home at Purley, Surrey; and at present is acting as temporary Ward Sister at Moor Park Hospital, North Shields.

### ASSISTANT MATRON.

**Alexandra Hospital for Children with Hip Disease.**—Miss M. A. Hilliard has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at Guy's Hospital, London, where she acted as out-patients' Sister, and has since held the position of Sister at the Park Fever Hospital, Hither Green.

**National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy, London.**—Miss M. Gregory White has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Children's Hospital, Bristol, and at Westminster Hospital, London. She has since held the positions of Sister at the East London Hospital for Children, Shadwell, and Matron of the Horsham Cottage Hospital.

### SISTER.

**Bethnal Green Infirmary, N.E.**—Miss Lucy S. Bowman has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Fulham Infirmary, where she was Staff Nurse. She has also been Maternity Sister at the Selly Oak Infirmary.

Miss Florence E. Morgan has also been appointed Sister. She was trained at St. Pancras North

Infirmary, and has been Assistant Charge Nurse there, and pupil Midwife at the Military Families Hospital, Woolwich.

**Fleming Memorial Hospital, Moor Edge, Newcastle-on-Tyne.**—Miss Ethel T. Furniss has been appointed Sister in the medical wards. She was trained at the Royal Southern Hospital, Liverpool, was Staff Nurse for two years, and did Sister's duties for a time at the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London, and has been Sister at the Children's Hospital, Bradford.

### CHARGE NURSE.

**Workhouse Infirmary, Oldham.**—Miss Emily Howard has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at the Prescott Union Infirmary, where she was promoted to be charge nurse, and she has also been charge nurse at the Norwich Union Infirmary.

### QUEEN VICTORIA JUBILEE INSTITUTE.

*Transfers and Appointments.*—Miss Charlotte D. Campbell is appointed to Diss; Miss Sarah E. Kitchen to Wakefield.

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

Staff Nurse Miss Grace M. Bennet resigns her appointment (March 19).

Staff Nurse Miss Gertrude E. Vernon resigns her appointment. Dated March 16th, 1912.

## PRESENTATION.

Nurse Susan Harper, who has been in charge of the Sanatorium of St. Margaret's School, Polmont, Stirlingshire, for the past 14 years and has lately retired, has been made the recipient of a very handsome cheque, subscribed for by the past and present mistresses and pupils of St. Margaret's School, as a mark of the esteem in which she was held and in recognition of the good work she did there. Nurse Harper was on the staff of the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Aberdeen, for over ten years.

## EXAMINATIONS.

The Infirmary Committee recently reported to the Southampton Board of Guardians that "an examination in surgical nursing was held at the Southampton Union Infirmary, in the latter part of February. Nine nurses presented themselves for examination, and all were successful, six gaining over 90 marks, full marks being 100. Nurse Hughes gained first place with a total of 98, and Nurse Browning second place with 96. This result is most satisfactory, and the practical work had been well done by all. The Board expressed their pleasure and satisfaction at the result of the examination, which, it considered, reflected great credit on the Medical Superintendent, Resident Medical Officer, Matron, and Assistant Matron; and recommended that books to the value of £2 5s. be granted to the nurses attaining the highest marks in the examination.

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