

## THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF NURSES AT COLOGNE.

We have pleasure in giving the draft programme for the Cologne Congress and Exhibition, sent to us by the President, Sister Agnes Karll.

Preliminary Programme of the Congress of the International Council of Nurses from August 4th to 7th, 1912, in the Gürzenich at Cologne on the Rhine:—

*Saturday, August 3rd.*—11.30 a.m., Opening of the Exhibition for Nursing and Social Work in Marzel Gymnasium.

*Sunday, August 4th.*—7 p.m., Reception in the Gürzenich. 8.30 p.m., The Nursing Pageant, created and designed by Mrs. Bedford Fenwick, words by Miss M. Mollett, translated by Fraulein Agnes Karll, followed by Conversation in the Stapelhaus.

*Monday, August 5th.*—10 a.m. to 1 p.m., General Meeting of the International Council of Nurses, Affiliation of National Councils. 3 p.m. to 4.30 p.m., Conducted Visit to the Cathedral. 5 p.m., Festival of the Municipality of Cologne in the Floral Town Gardens.

*Tuesday, August 6th.*—9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., (a) Report of the International Commission on the Preliminary Training of Nurses, Discussion; (b) The result of Government Examination (State Registration) in those countries in which it has been introduced; Discussion. Afternoon, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., (a) The position of the Matron with regard to the education and training of Nurses; Discussion. (b) The position of the Matron in Hospital Management; Discussion. 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Inspection of the Lindenburg (Town Hospital), afterwards Conversation in the "Stadtwald" Town woods.

*Wednesday, August 7th.*—9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. (a) Nurses and Overwork; Discussion. (b) Nurses and Social Work. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., Subject continued. Inspection of the Institutions of Cologne, Infants' Home, Maternity Home, &c.

8 p.m., Subject continued, Nurses and Social Work.

*Thursday August 8th and Friday, August 9th.*—Expedition by steamer to Kaiserswerth on the Rhine, Expedition on the invitation of the Medical Officer of Health (Dr. von Ehrenwall), to Ahrweiler, Tea in the wood, Tours and Expeditions round Cologne and its environment.

There will be a general dinner daily in the Gürzenich and Stapelhaus at 1s. 6d. (1.50 marks). Cards for same to be obtained at the entrance to Gürzenich.

Tickets for the Congress for members and nurses, 3 marks (3s.), for non-members 5 marks. Tickets for one meeting and Exhibition, 6d.; for the Pageant, 1s.

### CONGRESS VOUCHERS.

To help Sister Karll to make arrangements to the satisfaction of all members of the National Council of Nurses of Great Britain and Ireland—so that their tickets, badges and invitations will await them upon arrival at Cologne—vouchers can be procured at the Office, 431, Oxford Street, London, W., on or after June 1st, which should be filled in with name, and name of society to which the applicant belongs, and returned to the Hon. Secretary N.C.N. who will forward them to Sister Karll. Miss Mollett will forward the vouchers of her party of 50.



THE GÜRZENICH, COLOGNE.

### INVITED GUESTS.

Through the National Council of Nurses of this country, the President of the International Council extends a hearty welcome to the nurses of the United Kingdom to participate in the International Nursing Congress and its social functions, at Cologne. Miss Cutler has, therefore, conveyed this invitation, by letter, to the secretaries of the various Matrons' Associations; and of the Nurses', Midwives' and Masseuses' Societies, not eligible for affiliation to the National Council. The names of nominated representatives are to be forwarded to Sister Karll by July 1st.

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