

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

City of London Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Victoria Park, E.—Miss Lilian G. Dalton has been appointed Matron. She was trained at King's College Hospital, W.C., and holds the position of Assistant Matron to the Royal Free Hospital, London.

Buxton and District Cottage Hospital, Buxton.—Miss Mary Webster has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the North Devon Hospital, Barnstaple, and has been Sister at the General Infirmary, Macclesfield; Sister of the Women and Children's Wards at the Bridgwater Infirmary; Matron of the Cottage Hospital, Goole, and Matron of the Hyde Nurses' Home.

MATRON NURSE.

The Infirmary, Alnwick, Northumberland.—Miss May Godson has been appointed Matron Nurse. She was trained at the Queen's Hospital, Birmingham, and has held the position of Matron at the Fleetwood Hospital, Fleetwood, Lancs, and Sister at the Clayton Hospital, Wakefield, and the County Hospital, Newport.

ASSISTANT MATRON.

West House, Royal Edinburgh Asylum, Edinburgh.—Miss Ellen Baxter has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Dundee Royal Infirmary, and the James Murray Royal Asylum, Perth, and has held the position of Sister at the Belfast Hospital for Sick Children, and at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Glasgow, and of Assistant Matron at Kingseat Asylum, Newmarcher, Aberdeenshire.

MESSAGE SISTER.

Queen Mary's Hospital, Carshalton.—Miss L. Champ has been appointed Massage Sister. She was trained at the Swedish Institute, Cromwell Road, S.W., in massage, Swedish remedial exercises, medical electricity and teaching of massage and anatomy.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Kate Taylor is appointed to Berkshire. Miss Taylor received her general training at Guy's Hospital, and her midwifery training at Cheltenham. Subsequently she worked as Queen's Nurse at Cheltenham, and as Superintendent of the Watford Training Home. Miss Taylor holds the C.M.B. Certificate.

Transfers and Appointments.—Miss Annie Woods is appointed to Burnley, as Senior; Miss Annabella Broadfoot, to Ipstones; Miss Lois Dawson, to Warwick; Miss Edith Deadman, to Winsham; Miss Emily Faram, to Gateshead; Miss Louise Foden, to Shoreham-by-Sea; Miss Margaret Halpin, to Hereford; Miss Edith Lovell, to Warwick; Miss Ethel Mason, to Paddington; Miss Frances E. Salmon, to Reading; Miss Ellen Sanigear, to St. George's; Miss Mary Smith, to Combe Martin.

NURSING ECHOES.

It is felt by many nurses that as the majority will be compelled to insure under the Insurance Act that to meet their special needs it will be more advantageous for them to form an Approved Society of their own; for this reason the Trained Women Nurses' Friendly Society is being formed. Nurses do not wish to have to contribute to the maternity benefit, as they would have to do if they joined men's societies, and also if they joined with a class of women who will continue to insure after marriage. As the maternity benefit for illegitimate births will fall upon the funds of the women's societies, nurses, by having a society of their own, will reduce this expenditure to a minimum, and thus have more money for the benefits they require. The address of the above Society is at 431, Oxford Street, London, W.

A meeting to commemorate the 55th anniversary of the London Biblewomen and Nurses' Mission will be held at the Mansion House on June 10th, at 3.30 p.m., by permission of the Lord Mayor, who will preside. Short speeches on the needs of the London poor, and the efforts of the Society to meet them by means of trained mission workers and fully qualified district nurses, will be made by friends of the movement, amongst them the Ven. Archdeacon of London, M.A., and Miss Puxley, the General Secretary.

A very useful little bit of work is to be begun at the Bognor Convalescent Home of the East London Hospital for Children at Shadwell. The Home contains 28 beds for boys, girls, and infants, nursed by a staff of a Sister with the help of a staff nurse and two probationers. It is now proposed to admit two ladies as pupils in nursery nursing—which means the management of children, their clothing, mending of same, light laundry work, and as much practical knowledge of nursing proper as can be arranged. The fees are £6 10s. a quarter (10s. a week), and a certificate of efficiency will be given after six months' satisfactory work. Pupils must provide their own uniform, but their washing will be done for them. Miss Row, Lady Superintendent, Children's Hospital, Shadwell, will give further information.

On June 12th and 13th there will be a Sale of Work and of home-made sweets, jams, and cakes at 80, Nichols Square, N.E., the home of the Shoreditch and Bethnal Green District Nursing Association. The Sale will be opened

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