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The feeding-cups which are being sent out to Turkey, Greece, and the Balkan States for the use of the sick and wounded of the various armies are being presented by Messrs. Goode & .Co., of South Audley Street, W., the pattern having been selected by Her Majesty the Queen. The feeders are of the ordinary shape, with curved spouts, and handles at the sides, and on the top of each is a scroll inscribed in black lettering with the name of the Army for which they are designated - Greek Army, Turkish Army, &c. Below the scroll is a medallion, bearing, in the case

of Greece and the various Balkan States, the Red Cross, and for the Turkish Army the Red Crescent, with the date 1912 below. We hope that some other kind donor will present the brushes with

which to clean the spouts, for feeder spouts, if not kept thoroughly clean, may become very foul, and a source of infection from patient to patient.

The accompanying snapshots, taken during the International Nursing Congress Week at Cologne by Miss Tait McKay, and Miss Downing,



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are both of great interest. The one shows a religious Deaconess, and Sister Maria Koellner, R.N., of Dresden, a member of the German Nurses' Association, engaged in conversation, typical of the good fellowship which was apparent throughout the week between the religious Orders, as typified by the Kaiserswerth Deaconesses and the modern Free Sisters. Developed along different lines, each believing that they can best serve the community in the way they have adopted, they have a strong bond of union in their common devotion to the sick and their desire to fit themselves for service as perfectly as possible.

The other picture is that of Miss Lydia Sinisalo, a Finnish probationer, with a Danish nurse in the background. Miss Sinisalo is wearing the undergraduate's cap of the Uni-



versity of Helsingfors, at which she has matriculated, and which she has the right to wear as evidence that she has attained a certain standard of education.

Miss Sinisalo was not a delegate from the Finnish National Council of Nurses, for the ukase went forth that if the Finnish nurses attended the Congress as delegates it must be



