

**SCHOOL NURSE.**

**Kettering Urban District Council, Kettering.**—Miss Emily Elizabeth Ewing, of Camborne, has been appointed School Nurse. She was trained at the Norwich Infirmary and at Stobhill Hospital, Glasgow, and received midwifery training in connection with the Three Towns Midwifery Training School, Plymouth. She has also done district nursing in connection with the Cornwall County Nursing Association.

**TUBERCULOSIS NURSE.**

**County Borough of St. Helen's.**—Miss Mary Dudley has been appointed Tuberculosis Nurse. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, and has held the position of Sister at the Blackburn and East Lancashire Infirmary, of Night Sister at the Hospital for Women, Shaw Street, Liverpool, and of Sister of Children's Wards at the Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.

**LADY HEALTH VISITOR.**

**County Borough of Wigan.**—Miss Jessie G. A. Norman has been appointed Lady Health Visitor. She holds the following certificates:—1, The Royal Sanitary Institute's Inspector of Nuisances; 2, Hygiene and its bearing on School Life; 3, Woman Health Visitor and School Nurse; 4, Sanitary Inspector's Examination Board, London; 5, Royal Maternity Charity of London (Midwifery); 6, Central Midwives Board. Miss Norman has been temporary Female Sanitary Inspector and Lady Health Visitor to Tottenham Urban District Council.

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

Staff Nurse Miss Anne S. Siddons is placed on retired pay on account of ill-health. Dated March 7th.

**QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S MILITARY NURSING SERVICE FOR INDIA.**

The undermentioned lady nurse has been permitted to resign the Service: Nursing Sister Miss Clara Elizabeth Pocock. Dated January 3rd.

Miss Winifred H. Wright has been appointed a Sister in the Service.

**QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.****TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.**

Miss Ada Dicks is appointed to Cheltenham (Shurdington District); Miss Clara Holland, to High Wycombe; Miss Ethel Wood, to Gloucester.

In reporting the appointment to the Matronship of the Cottage Hospital and Convalescent Home, Scarborough, last week, the lady appointed should have been notified as Mrs., not Miss Leavis.

**A BEAUTIFUL TESTIMONY.**

A most exquisite chaplet of mauve orchids and lilac was sent by Miss Cutler, Mrs. Preston, Miss Curtis, and the Sisters of St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, on March 6th, the third anniversary of the lamented death of the late Miss Isla Stewart, and was on that day placed on her grave at Moffat, "a beautiful testimony that her memory is still dear to those who loved her."

**NURSING ECHOES.**

We are glad to note the continued financial success of the Nurses' Co-operation, 8, New Cavendish Street, W., the fees received by the nurses having considerably exceeded those earned by them in any one year since the Co-operation was founded in 1891.

The Annual Report states that in connection with the National Insurance Act many difficult subjects have presented themselves for solution. In the case of the Co-operation the patient is the employer, and therefore liable to pay the employer's contribution of 3d. per week. It was felt, however, that to claim this sum would place the Co-operation at a disadvantage in competing with proprietary institutions, and by an overwhelming majority the nursing members have decided to pay the whole amount themselves. The Insurance Commissioners are cognizant of the arrangement.

The routine work of the office has, under the able supervision of the Lady Superintendent, Miss Hoadley, been accomplished, it is stated, with marked success, and Miss Baker's valuable services as Home Sister require no comment. We greatly regret to learn that there have been five deaths of members of the nursing staff during the past year.

The members of the Staff of the Co-operation are a large body of professional women who might well bring considerable influence to bear on questions affecting the profession as a whole, and it is to be regretted that so far they have taken no corporate action in this direction. As they are well represented on the Committee, the responsibility for this cannot be laid at the door of the lay members.

We are sorry to hear that there has been much friction at the King Edward Home for Nurses at Clapham, between those residents who were satisfied with the management, and those who were not. Quite frankly, we rather pity the matron of such an institution, as it must be very difficult to satisfy a number of nurses—all past work—whose means are very limited, living under one roof where economy of management is necessary. It has been found by past experience, with other classes of people than nurses, that segregation under one roof does not make for their happiness, and it is a pity the scheme has not been carried

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