

cooked and daintily served. The nurses at the City of London Infirmary and their teacher are greatly to be congratulated as this is the first time they have competed, and four of the five candidates carried off between them a gold, a silver and a bronze medal, and a certificate of merit.

PRIVATE NURSES.

Silver Medal.—Mrs. Johansson.

Bronze Medal.—Miss M. S. Stanley.

Certificate of Merit.—Miss C. E. Peach.

ARMY COOKS.

Special Prize.—Lance-Corporal Cox, Q. A. M. Hosp., S.W.

Silver Medal.—Corpl. G. E. Moore, Q. A. M. Hosp., S.W.

Bronze Medal.—Corporal A. C. Partridge.

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

Gold Medal.—Miss M. Barclay.

Eight silver and seven bronze medals and eighteen certificates were awarded.

INVALID TRAY FOR VEGETARIANS.

Silver Medal.—Miss E. S. Bedford, Miss O. F. Goodyear.

Special Bronze Medal.—Miss Collins.

Certificate of Merit.—Miss Evans.

EXAMINATION FEVER NURSES' ASSOCIATION.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES.

The following nurses successfully passed the Examination of the Fever Nurses' Association held on October 8th, 1913:—

From the *Borough Sanatorium, Brighton.*—Dorothy Mary Horn, Mabel Frances Newell, Agnes Mary Kennedy, Jessie Mary Campbell, Grace Adela Philippott.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton.—Emily Louise Gilchrist, Annie McMonagle.

Ilford Isolation Hospital.—Eva Sims.

North-Eastern Hospital, Tottenham.—Mary Callaghan, Lilian Elisha, Florence Caffyn, Daisy Mary Batchelor, Edith Bishop, Annie Acethorpe, Alice Culman, Helen Ralston.

North-Western Hospital, Hampstead.—Helena Messem.

Plaistow Fever Hospital.—Ellen Sarah Arnold, Jennie Elizabeth Dalby, Mary Ann Flick, Ellen Emily Batchelor, Mary Eleanor Roberts, Ethel Josephine Smedley, Lilian May Pauline Turley.

Walthamstow Sanatorium.—Rosetta Reeve, Hilda Irene Coton.

Willesden Isolation Hospital.—Philippa Hart, Mary Herbert, Murielle Hill.

The paper set was as follows:—

EXAMINATION PAPER.

(1) What enters into the formation of a joint? What varieties of joints are met with in the human body? Give an example of each.

(2) Give the names of the bones forming the cavity of the thorax. What forms the floor of the cavity?

(3) What is meant by "paralysis"? What are the various ways in which it may shew itself in diphtheria?

(4) Describe how you would nurse cases of whooping cough.

(5) A case of chicken-pox and a case of measles occur in a ward of patients suffering from some other disease. What appearances and symptoms would you look for among the remaining patients, and when?

(6) Why should a patient suffering from any severe fever be kept in bed? What special risks attach to a patient sitting up—

(1) in enteric fever;

(2) in diphtheria?

PRIZES AND CERTIFICATES.

The prizes and certificates gained by the nurses at the Children's Hospital, Bristol, were presented on October 22nd by the Lady Mayoress. The Chair was taken by Mr. William Garnett.

The following list of successful nurses and probationers was read by the Matron, Miss Mattick: Nurse Neild, first prize, presented by the President; Nurse Clarke, second prize, presented by Mr. Garnett; certificate of merit, Nurse Blandford. Prizes awarded for surgery and anatomy: Second year nurses—first prize, Nurse Fox and Nurse Neild, presented by Mrs. Melville Wills; certificates, Nurse Avery and Nurse Clarke. First year nurses—first prize, Nurse Margaret Davies; second prize, Nurse Salter, presented by Miss Phillips; certificate, Nurse Orr Ewing. Prizes, awarded for medicine and physiology: Second year nurses—Prize, Nurse Blandford, presented by the Lady Mayoress; certificate, Nurse Fox. First year nurses—Prize, Nurse Salter, presented by Miss Phillips.

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON

The following Nurses have just passed the final examination at Queen Mary's Hospital for Children:—H. E. Morgan, G. A. Makeham, L. M. Walsh, V. H. Simms, S. Tilbury, E. A. Miles, A. E. Seaman, M. Kilmartin, A. J. Bennett, J. E. Eustace, C. Diggory, E. M. Prowse.

PRESENTATION.

Recently, to their great regret, the Committee of the Bath Eye Infirmary took leave of their much esteemed Matron, Miss E. R. Humphries. Mr. Russell Duckworth, on behalf of the Committees, all the available members of which attended, presented Miss Humphries with a silver inkstand, a pair of candlesticks and a penholder as a slight token of their appreciation of the invaluable services she had rendered the Infirmary for over eight years.

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