

and on the advantages of having a Society such as that of the Irish Nurses' Association in order that nurses might make themselves heard on questions which affected their profession. Votes of thanks to the indefatigable Hon. Secretary, Miss Workman, to the lecturers, to Miss Higginson, and the Committee of the Home for allowing the use of their rooms for the annual meeting were passed with acclamation. Miss Higginson and her staff then kindly escorted the visitors present over the beautiful Home which has only lately been acquired by the District Nursing Society and which few had hitherto had the opportunity of seeing. The spaciousness and brightness of the Home and the admirable arrangements of the Nurses' cloak room and the beautiful cupboards, were much commented on.

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

Royal Infirmary, Preston.—Miss Harriet Pritchard has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the General Hospital, Northampton, where she has held the position of Ward Sister. She has also been Night Superintendent at the Royal Infirmary, Bradford, and Assistant Matron at the institution of which she has now been appointed Matron.

Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Derby.—Miss M. Louise C. A. Mitchell has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Infirmary, Bolton, and has been Theatre Sister at the Cumberland Infirmary, Carlisle, and Sister at Leith General Hospital, and Camberwell Infirmary, and Matron of the Borough Fever Sanatorium, Monkmoor, Shrewsbury.

Staines Cottage Hospital.—Miss Annie Bramwell has been appointed Matron. She was trained at Charing Cross Hospital, and the City of London Lying-in Hospital. She has been Charge Nurse at the Park Fever Hospital, Hither Green, Night Sister at the Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, and Matron of Llandrindod Wells Hospital, and Ledbury Cottage Hospital.

SISTER.

Baguley Sanatorium, Timperley, Cheshire.—Miss Muriel Ecroyd has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Bradford Royal Infirmary; and for the past year has been Staff Nurse at the City of London Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Victoria Park, E.

Rotherham Hospital and Dispensary, Rotherham.—Miss Florence Cowley has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, where she has acted as Holiday Sister. She has also had experience in private nursing.

HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE.

Urban District of Erith, Kent.—Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Manley has been appointed Health Visitor and School Nurse. She was trained at the Hospital for Women and Children, Belgravia; and has for four years been Health Visitor under

the London County Council, and has had experience in private and district nursing.

LADY HEALTH VISITOR.

Burgh of Ayr, Ayr.—Miss Mary L. Glencorse has been appointed Lady Health Visitor. She was trained at the Edinburgh City Hospital for Infectious Diseases, the Leith General Hospital, and the Edinburgh Royal Maternity Hospital; and is at present School Nurse for the Counties of Midlothian and Peebles. She holds the certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute, as a Sanitary Inspector.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Staff Nurse Miss Bessie L. Cooper resigns her appointment (March 1st).

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.

TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Harriet L. Goodwin is appointed Superintendent, Manchester (Ardwick); Miss Ada Bennett to Truro; Miss Mary J. Crowe, to Beccles; Miss Florence Faber, to St. Helen's; Miss Margaret Hamilton, to Windsor; Miss Clare Hewitt, to Rochdale; Miss Jessie MacBride, to Wolsingham; Miss Louisa Mooney, to Tunbridge Wells; Miss Lilius Noble, to Redruth; Miss Gertrude Perry, to St. Mary Extra.

Miss Goodwin received training in general nursing and midwifery at the Union Infirmary, Bradford and in district nursing at St. Helen's, Lancashire, and has since held several appointments under the Queen's Institute, including that of Assistant Superintendent at the Ardwick Home, Manchester.

RESIGNATION.

The news of the resignation of Miss Tattam, Lady Superintendent of the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Aberdeen, will be received with regret, not only by the staff and patients in the hospital, but amongst her colleagues in the Matrons' Council, who appreciate her devotion to the interests of her profession at large, and the support she has invariably accorded to the furtherance of its best interests. Miss Tattam has held her present position for the last twelve years, during which she has gained the appreciation of the directors, and the respect and affection of those with whom she worked.

THE PASSING BELL.

We regret to report the death of Miss Olive Manson, a member of the League of St. Bartholomew's Hospital Nurses, who passed away on March 4th, to the very great sorrow of all who knew her. Miss Manson was a member of the Nursing Staff at 9, Mandeville Place, W., and was held in affectionate regard by her fellow nurses and all associated with her in her work. The Nursing profession loses by her death a devoted member much beloved by her patients.

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