

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRONS.

Leaf Homœopathic Hospital, Eastbourne.—Miss E. D. Brattan has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Staffordshire General Hospital, and has been Staff Nurse at St. Peter's Hospital, Covent Garden, and Sister at the Battersea General Hospital.

Stratton Cottage Hospital, North Cornwall.—Miss H. A. Coombes has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the General Hospital, Bristol, and at Queen Charlotte's Hospital; and has held the position of Matron and District Nurse at the Cottage Hospital, Lyme Regis; Sister at Queen Charlotte's Hospital; and District Nurse and Midwife at Beaminster.

Pembrokeshire and Haverfordwest Infirmary.—Miss Charlotte Sidgwick has been appointed Matron. She was trained at Westminster Hospital, London, where she acted as temporary Sister, and has held the positions of Out-patient Sister, and Assistant Matron at the West End Hospital for Nervous Diseases, London, Matron of the Victoria Hospital for Sick Children, Hull, and Matron of the Cottage Hospital, Horsham, Sussex. Miss Sidgwick holds certificates from the Central Midwives Board, and the Incorporated Society of Trained Masseuses.

SISTERS.

National Hospital for the Paralysed and Epileptic, Queen Square, London.—Miss Hetty Burns has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Derby, and has been Staff Nurse at Charing Cross Hospital, Sister at the Royal Sea-bathing Hospital, Margate, St. Mark's Hospital, City Road, and the Northern Hospital, Winchmore Hill, and has had experience in private nursing.

Dudley Road Infirmary, Birmingham.—Miss Isabel L. Morrish has been appointed Sister of the Children's Ward. She was trained at the Infirmary, Selly Oak, Birmingham, and has been Staff Nurse at the Children's Hospital, Liverpool.

SCHOOL NURSE.

Farnworth Education Committee.—Miss Gertrude Farnworth has been appointed School Nurse. She was trained at Townley's Hospital, Bolton Union Hospital, and has been Charge Nurse at the latter hospital.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Miss A. D. M. Alban to be Staff Nurse. September 23rd, 1913.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE. SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Gertrude Page is appointed Superintendent of Central St. Pancras. Miss Page received general training at Royal Hants County Hospital, Winchester, midwifery training at Cheltenham, and district training at Hammersmith and Fulham. She has since held several appointments under

the Institute, including that of Senior Nurse, Central St. Pancras.

ASSISTANT COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Deborah Ladbrook is appointed to Worcester as Assistant County Superintendent. Miss Ladbrook received general training at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, district training in Edinburgh, and has since held several appointments under the Institute, including that of Assistant Superintendent, Derbyshire, C.N.A. Miss Ladbrook holds the Certificate of the C.M.B.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Dorothy G. Jackson is appointed to Sussex as Second Assistant Superintendent and School Nurse. Miss Jackson received general training at the Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, midwifery training at Clapham and district training at Brighton, and has since been Queen's Nurse at Groombridge. Miss Jackson holds a certificate as Sanitary Inspector, and also as Health Visitor and School Nurse from the Royal Sanitary Institute.

Miss Mary Cracknell is appointed as Assistant Superintendent of the Jewish Maternity District Nursing and Sick Room Helps Society.

TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Jessie Fordyce is appointed to Lancaster as Senior Nurse; Miss Margaret E. Aldis, to Cambridge; Miss Elizabeth Bousfield, to Sevenoaks; Miss Alice M. Johnson, to Kilburn; Miss Florence Mitchell, to Cleckheaton; Miss Blanche Rundle, to Burnley.

EXAMINATION, JUNE 18th, 1914.

The following are the questions set to Queen's Nurses:—

1. If it were considered necessary to sterilize milk supplied from a dairy, how would you do it? What diseases may be conveyed by milk?

2. You are walking down a street on your morning round and you are suddenly called into a house where a child has been burnt: how would you act?

3. In nursing a maternity case, what would be your daily duties towards mother and child for 10 days.

4. If sent to a case which you were suspicious was Erysipelas, what precautions would you take without alarming the patient or friends, till the doctor had decided on the nature of the case?

5. If you were working in a town where infant mortality was high, what general and special conditions would you expect to find, and what line of action would you follow?

*6 (a). As a health visitor under the Notification of Births Act, what enquiries would you make, and on what particular points would you give the mothers advice?

or

(b). How can relief be obtained for needy families without recourse to Poor Law Authorities?

* Question 6 is alternative; only (a) or (b) is to be answered.

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