

institution, and all her friends and well-wishers unite in wishing her in retirement a gain to strength and happiness in the future.

She was the recipient of further handsome gifts. From Dr. and Mrs. James Macpherson Lawrie, a solid silver tea service; a gold expanding wristlet watch from her past and present Nurses; a silver cake stand from the Domestic Staff; a silver bowl from a friend.

## APPOINTMENTS.

### MATRON.

**Royal Bath Hospital and Rawson Convalescent Home, Harrogate.**—Miss F. M. Cort has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Leeds Infirmary, and has held various appointments at the Cancer Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W., and has been Assistant Matron at the General Hospital, Nottingham.

**Cottage Hospital, Potter's Bar.**—Miss Florence Pitt has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal County Hospital, Ryde, Isle of Wight, and has held the positions of Sister at the Royal Hospital, Richmond; Assistant Matron and Theatre Sister at Warrington Infirmary; Matron of Mold Cottage Hospital, and Matron of East Molesey Cottage Hospital, Surrey.

**Convalescent Home, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin.**—Miss G. D. Harley has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the London Hospital, London, and has been Night Sister and Assistant Lady Superintendent at the Royal National Hospital for Consumption, Newcastle, Co. Wicklow; also Home Sister at Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin.

### MATRON NURSE.

**The Hospital, Crewkerne.**—Miss Mary Dight has been appointed Matron-Nurse. She was trained at the Royal Hospital, Sheffield, and has been Sister at the Stanley Hospital, Liverpool; Matron at the Aitken Cottage Hospital, Ramsbottom, and Sister-in-Charge of the Red Cross Hospital, Ramsbottom.

### SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

**Bridgwater Union.**—Miss L. E. Baylis has been appointed Superintendent Nurse. She was trained at Croydon Infirmary, and has been head nurse at Sherborne Infirmary; Superintendent Nurse at Bromsgrove Infirmary, and Sister at Portsmouth Infirmary.

### NIGHT SISTER.

**District Hospital, West Bromwich.**—Miss Ethel Eva Arnold has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the Princess Christian Hospital, Weymouth, where she has held the position of Sister. She has also had experience in private nursing.

### SISTER.

**General City Hospital, Panama (Hospital San Tomas).**—Miss J. Davie has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Seaman's Hospital,

Greenwich and the Hospital for Women, Soho Square, W.C., and has been Night Supervisor of the Children's Hospital, Nova Scotia.

### CHARGE NURSE.

**The Workhouse Infirmary, Sculcoates Union, Beverley Road, Hull.**—Miss Annie Payne has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at the North Bierley Union, Clayton, near Bradford, and is a certified midwife.

### TERRITORIAL FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

Miss E. Hill, Matron, vacates her appointment (February 5th); Miss A. L. Charteris, Matron, vacates her appointment (April 1st.).

### LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.

The Public Health Department of the London County Council recommended to the L.C.C. at its meeting on May 11th, subject to her fulfilling the usual requirements, that Miss Agnes Elizabeth Maud Aston be appointed a school nurse in the Public Health Department. The vacancy is caused by the resignation of Miss A. C. Proctor.

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

Miss G. Witter, to be Staff Nurse (March 30th, 1914).

### QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE.

#### TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Elsie K. Hollway is appointed to Watford as Superintendent.

Miss Hollway received General Training at St. Thomas's Hospital, and District Training at Paddington.

Miss Mary J. Crowe is appointed to Southall-Norwood, Miss Margaret Dancey to Sevenoaks, Miss Helen E. Davies to Manchester (Ardwick), Miss Dorothy G. Jackson to Beaconsfield, Miss Victoria E. Patterson to Wolverhampton, Miss Christina B. J. Pottinger to Heanor, Miss Agnes M. Woodger to Hugglescote.

### THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA RELIEF FUND FOR WAR NURSES.

The total amount received to date exceeds £10,500. Amongst the amounts are £50 from W. H. Foster, Esq.; £50 from Messrs. Smith, St. Aubyn & Company; £25 from "Anon"; and a further £36 1s., collected by Arthur Bradford, Esq.—bringing the total received through him to £1,114 7s.

The Sub-Committee are dealing with claims as they come in.

### THE PASSING BELL.

**PEARSE.**—On April 29th, at Havre, on her way home from Rouen, Acting Sister Phyllis Pearse, Q.A.I.M.N.S., the dearly-loved younger daughter of L. F. Pearse, of 8, Eldon Park, South Norwood, aged 28 years. Buried at Havre, May 3rd, 1915.

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