

## FRENCH FLAG NURSING CORPS.

Miss E. Gregory has been selected to act as Directrice at the Talence Hospital, Bordeaux, in succession to Miss Haswell. Miss Gregory, who speaks French fluently, was trained and certificated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital in 1899. She has wide experience of administrative work in hospitals, having been Matron of the London Fever Hospital, and in recent years of an up-to-date surgical hospital in Paris. When war began Miss Gregory at once volunteered, and worked indefatigably through the typhoid epidemic in Bergues. Since she has been on the staff of the F.F.N.C. she has been on duty at Ambulance 15, Epernay, difficult work which she has managed well.

Sister Claudia Gaudin has been placed on duty at Epernay; and Sisters E. Watson, B. Ackroyd, L. Allen, G. E. Denson, and H. A. L. Winter, at Talence.

Dr. Helme, of Paris, has been officially appointed by the French War Office medical advisor to the French Flag Nursing Corps. Considering the diversity of their work, much of it of a pioneer nature from a sanitary standpoint, the Sisters have maintained a high standard of health, but some have been invalidated with enteric, scarlet fever, diphtheria, and measles, having fearlessly performed duty in many contagious hospitals. Operations in two instances have also been necessary. It is therefore essential that the administrative officers of the Corps in Paris should be able to avail themselves of expert medical opinion upon occasion, and Dr. Helme, who has consented to act, is a most kind and sympathetic man.

The Hon. Treasurer has to thank several of the Sisters for interesting their friends in the work of the Corps. They have received many most useful gifts in kind, and cash to be spent on the patients. Mrs. Fenwick thanks Sisters Conway-Gordon, Willetts, Macauley and Richards, Port-à-Binson; Sister Bale, Evreux; Sisters Lind and Hitchcock, Dunkerque; Sisters E. M. Smith and Holgate, and Miss Manby, Neufchateau; for cheques amounting to a very handsome sum.

Mrs. Crean, of Chester, has sent a gift of ten nice pillows, Miss MacLeod Moore a beautiful safety razor for the Sisters' use.

The Vicomtesse de la Panouse, the President of the Croix Rouge Française Comité de Londres, has sent a splendid consignment of things to the Sisters at Port-à-Binson, including ward utensils of all sorts, bed-rests, clothing, blankets, pillows, rugs, walking sticks, surgical dressings, to say nothing of 5,000 cigarettes, chocolate, cocoa, jam, biscuits, and a package for each Sister.

## JOINT WAR COMMITTEE.

## AT HOME.

The following Sisters have been deputed to duty in Home Hospitals:—

*V.A.D. Hospital, St. Lawrence, S.W.*—Miss E. E. M. Parker.

*V.A.D. Hospital, Norlands, Sutton Road, Erdington.*—Miss F. Hall.

*Red Cross Hospital, Church Walls, Llandudno.*—Miss Olive Bryson.

*Auxiliary Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond.*—Miss M. G. Welsh.

*Gifford House, Roehampton.*—Mrs. C. E. Parker.  
*Auxiliary Hospital, Holmdene, Warwick Road, Leamington.*—Miss Dora McDonnell.

*Woodford Military Hospital, Highams, Woodford.*—Miss Nora Bowman.

*V.A.D. Hospital, Corsham, Wilts.*—Miss A. E. W. Smart.

*Newton Park, near Bristol.*—Miss A. E. Borham.  
*Clayton V.A.D. Hospital.*—Miss M. F. Ely.

*V.A.D. Hospital, New Road, Burnham-on-Crouch, Essex.*—Miss E. L. Coombe.

*Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond.*—Miss B. E. Stokes, Miss W. C. P. Stokes.

*V.A.D. Hospital, Abbotswood, Stow-on-Wold.*—Mrs. Allchin.

*Dalston Hall Auxiliary Hospital, Cumberland.*—Miss M. K. Burton.

*Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond.*—Miss Madeline Klitz.

*Caerphilly Auxiliary Red Cross Hospital, Glam.*—Miss B. Barclay.

*Shorne Hill, Totton, Hants.*—Mrs. Graham Taylor.

*Hazlewood Red Cross Hospital, Ryde, I.W.*—Miss M. Johnson, Miss E. Vibart.

*Red Cross Hospital, Dumsdale, Westerham, Kent.*—Miss H. Goss.

*129, Marine Parade, Brighton.*—Miss K. F. Irwin.  
*Wilderness Hospital, Seal, Sevenoaks.*—Miss im Thurn.

*Voluntary Hospital, Branksmere, Southsea.*—Miss L. Hogarth.

*Red Cross Hospital, Ashlawn, Rugby.*—Miss N. Burton.

*Langston Towers Relief Hospital, Havant.*—Miss L. Huggins.

## ABROAD.

The following Sisters have been deputed for duty abroad, and left on September 15th:—

*France.*—Miss M. A. Kent, Miss Harriette Clarke, Miss V. A. Heward, Miss H. L. Hill, Miss A. E. Thomas, Miss R. Warden, Miss A. Jenkins, Miss E. Law, Miss F. Green, Miss A. Davies, Mrs. Annie Thompson, Miss K. C. M. MacLennan.

The following Sisters are returning to their duty at the Baltic and Corn Exchange after leave:—

Miss E. C. Westnutt, Miss A. Stead, Miss G. Ryder, Miss E. S. Hope, Miss M. B. Kennedy, Miss F. Watts, Miss F. Scales.

On Wednesday next six Sisters are leaving for Alexandria and two for Malta.

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