

M. Edwards, Daisy F. Tough, May Thomas, Lucy Crosse, Helen McG. Foulkès, Eveline A. H. Impey, Sarah E. Vaughan, Elizabeth M. Brennan, Lucy Joynson, Mathilda J. Lau.

Wales.—Annie B. Charles, Mary M. Edwards, Alice Evans, Alice M. Hodges, Miriam Jones, Lilian G. Morris.

Scotland.—Elsie Bruce, Isabella P. Anderson, Mary McD. Galbraith, Margaret Lindsay, Isobel R. H. Macdonald, Isabella Moffatt, Annie B. Prentice, Agnes M. Whyte, Helen Watt Burns.

Ireland.—Cecilia J. Dillon, Elizabeth Allen.

TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Edith A. Rose is appointed to Sussex C.N.A. as Assistant Superintendent, Health Visitor and Lecturer.

Miss Rose received General Training at Kent, Canterbury and Walsall Hospitals, Midwifery Training at Gloucester, and District Training at East London (Central). She has since held several appointments under the Institute.

Miss Maria T. Carr to Liverpool (Central); Miss Marion McAlister, to Manchester (Ardwick); Miss Elizabeth J. McBride to Liverpool (Central); Mrs. Laura M. Morgan to Sonning and Woodley.

PRESENTATION.

Shortly before Miss Florence Tubbs, the late Matron, left the Endsleigh Palace Hospital for Officers, she was presented by the members of the Voluntary Aid Detachment working there with an inlaid mahogany bureau, and by the orderlies with a chair to match, gifts of good will which she will always highly prize.

THE PASSING BELL.

Nurses trained at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow as well as a wide circle of friends, will learn with sorrow of the death of Sister Margaret Patterson, R.R.C., at the Lazaretto, Rietfontein. After training at the Royal Infirmary, Miss Patterson went to South Africa in the early eighties to take up a post on the staff of the hospital at Port Elizabeth. From there she was appointed Matron of the Addington Hospital, Durban, and subsequently of the Mitchell Institute in Pietermaritzburg. At the time of the Glencoe railway disaster in 1895 she was in charge of the nursing arrangements and went up with the special train which took aid to the sufferers. She was in Ladysmith during the siege, and for her services then and subsequently was mentioned in despatches and received the Royal Red Cross. When the Transvaal Nursing Reserve was formed she was appointed Matron-in-Chief. She founded the Johannesburg Nurses' Co-operation. At the time of her death she was on the nursing staff of the Lazaretto at Rietfontein. She was accorded the honour of a military funeral.

NURSES' CASUALTIES EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

It is with much regret we print the following announcement in the *London Gazette* :—

DIED.

Chicago Medical Unit. Sister M. Hamilton.

NURSING ECHOES.

THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL TO MISS EDITH CAVELL.

Several members of the National Council of Trained Nurses have expressed a wish to contribute towards the National Memorial, a Statue to be executed by Sir George Frampton, R.A., the scheme initiated by the *Daily Telegraph*.

Instead of each individual sending a shilling direct, we shall be pleased to receive any subscriptions sent in support of the Statue Fund, and to forward it to the *Daily Telegraph* as a combined gift from the National Council, if addressed to the Hon. Secretary, Cavell Memorial Fund, 431, Oxford Street, London, W. The following Societies and Leagues form the Council :—The Matrons' Council, the Society for State Registration of Trained Nurses, Registered Nurses' Society, St. John's House, the Irish Nurses' Association, and the following Leagues of Nurses :—St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Royal Free Hospital, Royal Infirmary, Leicester, Royal South Hants, Southampton, General Hospital, Birmingham, Queen's Hospital, Birmingham, Chelsea Infirmary, Hendon Infirmary, Cleveland Street Infirmary, Southwark Infirmary, Kingston Infirmary, The School Nurses, Victoria and Bournemouth. If nurses who are not members of these societies choose to support the National Council Fund their gifts will be appreciated.

The *Daily Telegraph* made its first appeal in support of a Fund to erect a Statue to the late Miss Cavell on October 27th, and, in less than a fortnight, more than the £2,000 asked for has been contributed. This is a splendid response in so short a time. It proves the popularity of the suggestion, and everything has been auspicious in connection with it. The Westminster City Council have offered a most appropriate site between the National Portrait Gallery and St. Martin's Church, close to Trafalgar Square, and the First Commissioner of Works has given his consent to the erection of the statue on the island as suggested. So just here, on one of the most central spots in London, where friends and foes alike, from all parts of the world, must pass it by, will be placed this memorial of the patriotism and courageous conduct of one of England's greatest daughters.

The "Martyrdom of Nurse Cavell," by William Thompson Hill, is just issued at 7d. by Hutchinsons, and we hear C. Arthur Pearson is bringing out this week another book on the same subject.

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