

JOINT WAR COMMITTEE.

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

- Red Cross Hospital, Studley Court, Stourbridge.*—Miss E. F. Burke.
Red Cross Hospital, Southerndown, Glam.—Miss M. E. Okey.
Hoole House Hospital, Chester.—Miss M. E. Wood.
Hillfield Red Cross Hospital, Gloucester.—Miss N. Woosman.
Red Cross Hospital, Alton, Hants.—Miss M. Wheeler.
Hillside, Ockbrook, near Derby.—Miss S. E. Sullivan.
Boultham V.A.D. Hospital, Lincoln.—Miss M. Taverner.
Red Cross Hospital, Downham, Norfolk.—Miss S. A. G. Lett.
V.A.D. Hospital, Strood, Kent.—Miss A. N. C. Hayward.
Red Cross Hospital, Ear's Colne, Essex.—Miss G. Newberry, Miss D. Gear.
Caenshill Military Hospital, Weybridge.—Miss D. G. Dean.
No. 5 Temporary Hospital, Exeter.—Miss L. M. Robinson.
Red Cross Hospital, Rockferry.—Miss H. L. Gover.
53, Cadogan Square, S.W.—Mrs. W. C. Macan.
Red Cross Hospital, Pontyclun, Glam.—Miss L. E. Pratt.
V.A.D. Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex.—Miss L. Fowler, Miss D. Findlay.
Red Cross Hospital, Highfield Hall, Southampton.—Miss G. Gould.
Broadwater Hospital, Ipswich.—Miss L. Wright.
Gifford House, Roehampton.—Miss E. R. Andersen.
Red Cross Hospital, Northlands, Emsworth.—Miss A. Sweeney.
Dunsdall, Westerham.—Miss M. M. Knox.
Cyngfield V.A.D. Hospital, Kingsland, Shrewsbury.—Miss M. Wills.
Princess Christian's Hospital, South Northwood.—Miss M. A. Foreman.
The Lammas, Esher.—Miss F. J. Harris.
Beckett Hospital, Barnsley.—Miss M. M. Doyle.
St. John's Hospital, 67, High Street, Fareham.—Mrs. C. Walter.
The Abbots V.A.D. Hospital, All Saints Road, Cheltenham.—Mrs. C. F. Viliesed.
V.A.D. Hospital, Balcombe, Sussex.—Miss F. Prickett.
Officers' Hospital, 47, Roland Gardens.—Miss M. G. Close Burke.
Red Cross Hospital, Western Road, Gloucester.—Mrs. E. G. Angell.
V.A.D. Hospital, Uppingham.—Miss C. Cook.
Waverley Military Hospital, Farnham.—Miss L. M. Reeves.
Breeze Hill, Bootle, Liverpool.—Miss E. M. Earp.
V.A.D. Hospital, Yacht Club, Gravesend.—Miss C. de N. Fraser.

Red Cross Hospital, Parc Howard.—Miss S. A. Evans.

Mill Dam, South Shields.—Miss E. Murray.
The Weir Hospital, Balham.—Miss M. J. Stafford.

Yateley Military Hospital, Hants.—Miss K. Jones Bennett.

ABROAD.

Miss C. B. Davis, Duchess of Sutherland's Hospital, Calais.

THE CARE OF THE WOUNDED.

Presiding at the Annual Meeting of the King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing, Lord George Hamilton referring to the great advance shown in regard to women's interest in hospital work, said: "It is, I believe, universally admitted that the English woman is the best nurse in the world, and wherever she has gone, be it in France, Egypt, or to the wilds of Serbia, the English nurse has covered herself with distinction, by the admirable manner in which she has performed her duties, and the noble way in which she has faced dangers of all kinds. The amount of voluntary assistance given by women is of incalculable worth, and whatever may have been our apprehensions and griefs in regard to the war, there are some light spots on the dark horizon, not the least brilliant of them being the manner in which the women of England have responded to the calls made upon them."

The formal opening of the Anglo-Russian Hospital at Petrograd last week was a very brilliant function, the Empress Marie, the Grand Duchesses Olga, Tatiana, Marie Parlova, and Cyril, the Grand Duke Andrew Vladimirovitch, the British Ambassador, and Lady Georgiana Buchanan being amongst those present.

Prayers in Russian and English for the British and Russian Royal and Imperial families, and the success of the Allies were recited. After the ceremony all present were entertained to tea by Lady Sybil Gray. The hospital, which is located in the Palace of the Grand Duke Dmitri, who has placed it at the disposal of the organising committee, contains 200 beds, and is the first of those to be set up by the Anglo-Russian Hospital Committee. Later it is hoped to establish three field hospitals. The object of the scheme is to give a practical token of British admiration and gratitude towards the Russian people. With this object the Dominion of Canada has sent a contribution of £10,000, "to express Canadian appreciation of the valour and heroism of the Russian armies." The offices of the Committee in London are at 32, Victoria Street, S.W. We are confident that Miss Irvine-Robertson and the nursing staff of which she is Matron will give a practical demonstration of the British Empire's goodwill to its Russian Allies.

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