

JOINT WAR COMMITTEE.

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

Boothroyd Auxiliary Military Hospital, Brighouse, Yorks.—Miss F. Moody, Miss M. Ollin.

Hobling V.A.D. Hospital, Lincs.—Miss E. M. Blease.

V.A.D. Hospital, Rosherville, Kent.—Miss K. Gossage.

Officers' Hospital, Chichester Terrace, Brighton.—Miss M. F. Nicholson.

Red Cross Hospital, Church Street, Dorchester.—Miss E. Foster Blake.

Red Cross Hospital, Christchurch, Hants.—Miss D. Bannister.

Rushmore Hospital, Tollard Royal, Salisbury.—Miss J. Wesolowski.

Sandacres Convalescent Home, Parkstone.—Miss E. Parsons.

V.A.D. Hospital, Great Hermitage, Higham, near Rochester.—Miss L. A. Filsell.

Military Hospital, South Wingfield.—Miss M. Rae.

Red Cross Hospital, Saffron Walden.—Miss V. M. P. Wakefield.

Overcliffe Hospital, Westcliff-on-Sea.—Mrs. M. C. Glew.

St. Mark's Military Hospital, Tunbridge Wells.—Mrs. A. L. Jackson.

Cottage Hospital, Upper Norwood.—Miss M. P. Ferrier.

Foye House, Leigh Woods, Clifton, Bristol.—Miss F. Crawshaw.

Red Cross Hospital, Holt, Norfolk.—Miss E. Scally.

V.A.D. Hospital, Wellingborough, Northants.—Miss S. A. Musson.

Military Auxiliary Hospital, Yately, Hants.—Miss T. C. Merry.

Maldon Court, Maldon, Essex.—Miss J. L. Woodworth.

Percy House Schools, Isleworth.—Miss A. M. Armstrong, Miss F. M. Chandler.

Quex Park, Birchington, Kent.—Miss M. Lane.

St. Dunstan's, Regent's Park.—Miss M. E. Munes.

Red Cross Hospital, Tappington Grange, Wadhurst.—Miss E. A. Meehan.

Red Cross Hospital, Downham, Norfolk.—Miss D. Findlay.

Red Cross Hospital, West Ham House, Basingstoke.—Miss M. Rossiter.

Lundwood Hospital, Barnsley.—Miss E. Curry, Miss L. M. Asheden.

Newnham Paddock Red Cross Hospital, Lutterworth.—Miss C. Gerrard.

ABROAD.

Sister M. Hunt, Boulogne; Sister Robertson, Brigade Hospital, Étapes.

Mr. Tennant stated in the House of Commons that the total number of soldiers invalided for tuberculosis which were dealt with by the Chelsea Boards in 1915 was 2,770.

THE CARE OF THE WOUNDED.

THE TUBERCULOUS FRENCH SOLDIERS IN SWITZERLAND.

A first contingent of tuberculous French soldiers is announced at Leysin. Under the direction of Dr. de Reyner they will be installed in the pure air and the powerful light of the Alps. They will no doubt find there healing, or at least an attenuation of their illnesses which will enable them to take their place once more in the social life of their nation. The wonderful cures obtained at Leysin are well known. Cures which are of the nature of miracles. At the national Exhibition of 1914 at Bern, visitors used to stand, "astonished and charmed" before Dr. Rollier's photographs. You could see children there having reached the last stages of disease, amazingly thin, covered with tuberculous ulcers, poor human wrecks whose hours were counted. Then, by the side, the photograph of the same child, some weeks later, with his head held high, his eyes looking purposeful. Two months later you would not recognize him, he is growing into a vigorous fellow, standing naked on the snow, his muscles firm, his body well covered with flesh, sunburnt a beautiful bronze. Dr. Rollier has published the results of his thérapeutique observations at Leysin (La Cure de Soleil. Paris et Lausanne, 1914.) In this volume he has explained the reasons which have guided his medical career in the direction of the sun cures. After a chapter describing the climatology of Leysin, he points out the technique of sun baths in diverse diseases and shows the results obtained. A great number of coloured photographs and radiographs illustrate the volume. There the reader can realize the miraculous nature of this cure. The same subject photographed time after time leads us really from death to resurrection. Let those soldiers going to Leysin, as well as their families, take courage and comfort. Placed at their disposition are all the benefits of the Alpine sun and of the pure air, and all the science and the devotion of the doctors. To begin with, 100 tuberculous prisoners from each country will be sent to the Sanatoriums of Davos, Montana, Leysin.

In response to a request from the Directeur du Service de Santé, Paris, the number of beds at the Hospital at Limoges maintained by the Wounded Allies Relief Committee, of Sardinia House, Kingsway, W.C., has been increased from 175 to 225. The hospital staff includes twenty-four English nurses.

The University of St. Francis Xavier, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, has offered a hospital unit to the British War Office for service at the front. The unit, which will be under the command of Captain McLeod, C.A.M.C., will consist of 12 doctors, 35 nurses, and about 125 attendants.

This will be the second hospital unit provided by the Province.

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