there the giant frames with hooks, to which suspend the varied kitchen utensils, show that the inner man, too, is not neglected here.

Army hospitals of smaller size, however, are much alike, the country over; it's the location here, in forest, almost by the sea, which makes this one unique.

## **APPOINTMENTS.**

## MATRON.

Silloth Convalescent Institution.—Miss Mabel W. Mellor has been appointed Matron. She was for a time at the Children's Hospital, Edinburgh, and has been District Nurse under the Clitheroe Nursing Association and Health Visitor. She has done Private Nursing in Canada, and is at present Assistant to the Superintendent of the Nurses' Home, Clara Hill, Huddersfield. She is a certified midwife and holds the certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

Cottage Hospital, Paignton.—Miss Bertha Langhorin has been appointed Matron. She was trained for two years at the Belgrave Hospital for Children, and for three years at University College Hospital, London, where she afterwards held the position of Ward Sister. After holding the position of Night Sister for a year at the County Hospital, Lincoln, she returned to University College Hospital as Theatre Sister, a position she held until called up for service with the fourth Northern General Hospital at Lincoln as Theatre Sister and Assistant to the Home Sister.

### SISTER, PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL.

Queen Charlotte's Lying-in Hospital, N.W.----Miss Rhoda Christey has been appointed Sister of the Preliminary Training School. She was trained at the London Hospital, E., and has been district midwife at Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, and sister at Government Hospital, Rhodesia, and at Miller General Hospital, Greenwich.

#### SISTER,

Cameron Hospital, West Hartlepool.—Miss Mabel Moore has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the General Hospital, Loughborough, and has held the position of Sister in the same institution.

Darlington Hospital, Darlington.—Miss Elsie Collins has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the General Hospital, Northampton, where she subsequently held the position of Sister, and after some experience of military nursing in connection with the Military Nursing Service Reserve, was placed in charge of the theatre and soldiers' pavilion at the Northampton General Hospital.

#### QUEEN VICTORIA JUBILEE INSTITUTE. Transfers and Appointments.

Miss Norah C. Brindley is appointed to Torquay as Superintendent. Miss Brindley received General training at the East Suffolk and Ipswich Hospital, Midwifery training at the Louise Margaret Hospital, Aldershot, and District training at the Central Home, Liverpool. She

has since held various appointments under the Institute, including that of Assistant Superintendent of the Three Towns' Home.

Mrs. Hilda M. Coles is appointed to Hants C.N.A. as second Assistant Superintendent. Mrs. Coles received General training at the Royal Hants. County Hospital, Winchester, and Midwifery and District training at Plaistow. She has since held various appointments under the Institute.

Miss Marion Ashwell is appointed to Hammersmith as Minor Ailment Centre Nurse; Miss Verna J. Jessop, to Grimsby; Miss Clara A. Orpin, to Heanor, as Senior Nurse; Miss Anny L. Pell, to Todmorden; Miss Jenny Stonehouse, to Huddersfield.

### RESIGNATION.

Acting on medical advice, Dr. Robert Armstrong-Jones has tendered his resignation as medical superintendent of Claybury Asylum, a post which he has held for nearly twenty-four years.

His departure will be a very great loss to the Institution.

The Asylums Committee of the L.C. Council have presented Dr. Armstrong-Jones with their resolution of regret as an illuminated address, and the Home Secretary has just sanctioned a special pension to him recommended by this committee of the Council.

Dr. Armstrong-Jones is now one of the consulting physicians in mental diseases to the Military Forces in London, and also lecturer on mental diseases to St. Bartholomew's Hospital.

# GALLANT CONDUCT.

The managers of the Metropolitan Asylums District have passed resolutions placing on record their high appreciation of the gallant conduct and devotion to duty of Dr. P. M. Turnbull, senior assistant medical officer at Tooting Bec Asylum, temporary lieutenant in the R.A.M.C., who has been awarded the Military Cross for attending to wounded under heavy fire.

#### WEDDING BELLS.

A marriage has taken place between Mr. Storey Deans, barrister and author, the Conservative candidate for the Attercliffe Division of Sheffield, and Miss Ethel Lawson, of Sheffield, a trained nurse, and recently Sister at the Royal Hospital, Sheffield, and at the Third Northern Base Hospital. The wedding ceremony was at St. Mark's Church, Sheffield, and was performed by the Rev. C. Cooper, Chaplain of the Base Hospital.

There was an element of romance in the engagement, as it was the outcome of war conditions. By special desire of the parties concerned the marriage was as quietly observed as possible, though the happy pair received warm congratulations from a wide circle of friends.



