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The majority of the Unit have not been in Europe before, so have made the very best use of their time in London. "Your London is great," as one Sister informed us. They have been received by H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, at Clarence House, "who was most gracious and kind." The Archdeacon of London "gave us a most lovely time at *Saint Paul's*." Historic "Barts." was shown by Miss Cutler, and a visit paid to St. Bartholomew's the Great—although the wonderful tomb of the Founder is hidden away.

On Saturday last, Miss Hall was entertained at dinner at the International Suffrage Club by Miss B. Kent and Miss A. Hulme, when Mrs. Bedford Fenwick was present; and on the balcony, over coffee, happy reminiscences of international gatherings in the United States were recalled with pleasure—Chicago, Buffalo, San Francisco; the organization of the great American National Associations of Matrons and Nurses; the founding of the International Council of Nurses—through which not only American, but the world's nurses have found means of expression and formed the happiest friendships. All these wonderful successes secured in twenty-five years! The American Ambassador, and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid have also entertained the Unit.

Sunday was "a real glorious day." Sir Thomas Lipton entertained all the doctors and nurses to luncheon and tea at his beautiful country house at New Southgate; and Mr. Harry Lauder sang them several of his most heart-searching songs.

On Monday an American hospital was visited in the morning, and the London Hospital was "hostess" in the afternoon.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL UNIT.

The Presbyterian Hospital Unit arrived after an uneventful journey, the voyage being made in just over eight days. For three nights of that time they were not allowed to undress, on two of which they were not permitted to retire to their cabins. The Presbyterian Hospital, New York, is affiliated to Columbia University, so that the Unit is really a University Unit. All these

nurses are graduates of the Presbyterian Hospital, of which Miss Anna C. Maxwell, so well known to British nurses, is Superintendent of Nurses. It is a great pleasure to the staff of the Presbyterian Hospital to know that their Superintendent is to receive an Hon. Degree at Columbia University this month. Miss Maxwell's long and distinguished career and her work for nursing organization has certainly merited this distinction.

The Matron in charge of the nursing staff is Mrs. Janet B. Christie, a graduate of the Presbyterian Hospital, now holding the position of Assistant Superintendent there.

Major Hopwood is in command; and the Chief Surgeon (Director), Major George Brewer, is a Professor of Surgery in the College of Physicians and Surgeons connected with Columbia University.

The undermentioned nurses are the members of the Presbyterian Hospital Unit:—Mrs. Janet B. Christie, Chief Nurse (Matron); Miss Elspeth A. Gould, Assistant Chief Nurse; Misses Jessie Allen, Virginia Anderburg, Dora M. Anderson, Marjorie P. Armstrong, Ethel R. Arthur, Margaret Ashmun, Anna M. Balen, Ada F. Benjamin, Lela R. Blaine, Marie T. Bonnet, Elizabeth R. Brackett, Dorothy Brown, Winifred W. Bullard, Helen Cahoon, Jean Cleland, Marjorie E. Conover, May Coulson, Jessie K. Davis, Mary Lane Davis, Ethel De Ronde, Gertrude Drake, Harriet Dunlap, Ruby H. Emery, Madeline Evans, Alice Field, Helen L. Floyd, F. Esther Fortune, Anne S. Foster, Mae Gaut, Ethel M. Goldsmith, Florence A. Graham, Marion E. Hesseltine, Ruth Hovey, Katherine Kerr, Anna L. Leonard, Marjory J. Lewis, Edith E. McClay, Elsie McClive, Beatrice Mary MacDonald, Sara MacDonald, Louise M. Marsh, Kathro M. Mason, Violetta Mercer, Ethel L. Moon, Georgia A. Morrison, Malinda M. Murphy, Helen C. Niven, Frances F. Oldham, Claudie M. O'Neill, Florence Owen, Anne Penland, Elizabeth Philips, Florence A. Reiman, Jane I. Rignel, Amabel Roberts, Emilie G. Robson, Alice O. Smith, Sara N. Strain, Phoebe F. Taylor, Annie M. Thomas, T. Gordies Todson, Anne K. Williams, Nellie Winey. A dietitian is included in the personnel of these Units.

Three more Units of doctors, nurses, and orderlies are on the ocean, if they have not already arrived, one from Philadelphia, a second from Chicago, and a third from the Barnes Hospital, St. Louis. We believe seven Units is the full complement for the present. We welcome them all.

THE FOOD PROBLEM.

Copies of the address given by Mr. Eustace Miles at the meeting of the Matrons' Council held at Charing Cross Hospital can be obtained from Miss Hulme, Hon. Sec. Matrons' Council of Great Britain and Ireland, 431, Oxford Street, on receipt of postage for the same; 25 copies 3d., 50 copies 4½d.

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