

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRÓN.

Lock Hospital, Harrow Road, W.—Miss Winifred K. Lankester has been appointed Matron. She was trained at St. Thomas' Hospital, London.

ASSISTANT MATRÓN.

Royal Infirmary, Sunderland.—Miss Marie Vaughan Winters has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Leicester, and has had infectious training at the Borough Hospital, Leicester; she has also been Theatre Sister at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh, and Theatre Sister and Ward Sister at the Royal Infirmary, Sunderland.

Kendray Fever Hospital, Barnsley.—Miss Isabel Coyle has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at St. George's Hospital, and at the City Hospital, Liverpool, and has been Sister at the Borough Sanatorium, Westcliff-on-Sea, and Night Sister and Assistant Matron, Clayton Hospital, Wakefield. She has also had experience of Military and of Private Nursing.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANT MATRÓN.

Royal Infirmary, Preston.—Miss Florence Goodacre has been appointed temporary Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Manchester, where she was Ward and Theatre Sister; she has also been Sister, Night-Superintendent, and Home Sister on active service, T.F.N.S. Miss Goodacre holds the I.S.T.M. certificate.

SISTER.

Jaffray Hospital, Erdington, Birmingham.—Miss M. A. Reader has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the General Hospital, Darlington, and has held the position of Holiday Sister at the above hospital, and of Night Sister for eighteen months at the Hospital Newark.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT.

The Council of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses has appointed Miss A. M. Peterkin General Superintendent, in succession to Miss A. Hughes, who has resigned. Miss Peterkin has been, for the last four and a half years, Superintendent of the Scottish Branch of the Institute. She had previously held the posts of Superintendent for Ireland, and of Inspector for Lancashire and Cheshire and for the Eastern Counties. She will take up her new post at the end of September, when Miss Hughes' resignation takes effect.

THE PASSING BELL.

We regret to record the death of Mary Angela Ogilvie, at Worthing on May 31st.

Miss Ogilvie, though English born, was trained at the Presbyterian Hospital, and the Women's Hospital in connection with the Illinois Training School. On her return to England she took up work at St. Luke's Home for the Dying then located in Osnaburgh Street, Regent's Park.

From there she became the mission nurse in the parish of St. Saviour's, Poplar, under the well-known Father Dolling. For the past fourteen years she worked strenuously and devotedly in the Dolling Home of Rest, Worthing.

She was ever at her best with the poor and with children, by whom she was greatly loved.

She had caught the free spirit of the land of her adoption and it was markedly evinced in her direct manner, and her dislike of snobbery and insincerity of all kinds. She was blessed with an optimistic nature, a cheery manner, and boundless energy.

Her favourite motto, "Don't Worry," was hung in a conspicuous place in the room where she bore her last painful illness with characteristic courage.

May her sleep be sweet.

NURSING ECHOES.

The Nurses' Missionary League is this year arranging two "Camps" (not under canvas), each lasting a week. The Southern one will be held at Jordans Hostel, near Gerrard's Cross, from June 22nd—29th; and the Northern one in Cheshire, from July 18th—25th. Any Nurses would be welcomed, and full particulars would gladly be given by Miss Macfee, 21, Frogna Lane, London, N.W. 3.

Miss B. Kent and Miss E. B. Kingsford expressed the opinion in the *Sunday Times* this week that a just scheme for State Registration of Nurses was what the profession required, and not a Nation's Charitable Fund for Nurses. The former also suggests that if the Secretary of State for War appreciates the work and patriotism of military nurses—as he says he does—he should be respectfully asked to raise their salaries to the level of those paid to the military nurses from overseas.

The Paddington and Marylebone District Nursing Association, 4, Randolph Road, Maida Vale, affiliated to Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute, of which the Superintendent is Miss S. M. Marsters, recently collected over £300 by its "flag day" for this most useful institution, and more could have been made if more collectors had been available.

In Sheffield a house to house collection, which last year resulted in a sum of £700 for the charity, is also being made. The plan of the collectors is to leave envelopes from door to door, and then to call again in a few days, when they hope to find them bulging with cash—Treasury notes, silver and coppers.

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