

bidden their henchmen in the press misleading the Nursing Profession in this particular. It is such tactics which are naturally condemned by fair-minded people.

## THE IRISH NURSING BOARD.

### APPROVED BY THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND.

The Irish Nursing Board approved by the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland is issuing a letter to the Governors of Training Schools and others, notifying them of its establishment and that the Board consists of the President of the Royal College of Surgeons with three selected members of the medical profession and twenty-two nurse members elected by their fellow nurses.

The object of the Board is to standardize the education of nurses, to frame a curriculum, to supervise Examinations, and to keep a Register of the names of the nurses who qualify. The fee for registration is £1 is.; and application forms for registration by the Board are now ready and may be obtained from the Secretary, Irish Nursing Board, 34, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. In addition to submitting their professional and personal credentials applicants solemnly and sincerely declare that should they be registered on the Register of the Board they will do everything in their power to promote the honour of the Nursing Profession.

#### A DEMOCRATIC BOARD.

Provision is made under the By-laws for the election of the Nursing Board four members by the Royal College of Surgeons and twenty-two by ballot by the persons whose names are on the Register of the Board. An election to fill the places of the members who retire in rotation is to be held every three years, and any person on the Register may nominate one registered member for each vacant place on the Board, and also may record one vote for one nominated person for each vacant place. The names of the members of the Board after each election are to be published in the public press.

The constitution of the Governing Body is thus thoroughly democratic, and Irish Nurses owe a debt of gratitude to the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, and the members of their own profession who have so carefully conserved their liberties. We have no doubt they will give effective demonstration of that gratitude by supporting the Register and the general policy of the Irish Nursing Board.

### QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S MILITARY NURSING SERVICE FOR INDIA.

Miss Mabel G. Kennedy, Miss Kathleen Graham, and Miss Constance V. Clarke have been appointed Nursing Sisters.

## APPOINTMENTS.

### MATRON.

**Cottage Hospital, Fleet, Hants.**—Miss Maud L. Bond has been appointed Matron. She was trained for three years at the Bethnal Green Infirmary, and has been Staff Nurse at the Samaritan Free Hospital, Night Staff Nurse and temporary Sister at St. Mary's Hospital, Plaistow, Night Sister at the Children's Hospital, Nottingham, Sister at the Victoria Hospital, Hull, and House Sister and Night Superintendent alternately at the Bethnal Green Infirmary, Matron of the Launceston Infirmary, and Sister at St. Monica's Hospital, Brondesbury.

**Cottage Hospital, Herne Bay.**—Miss Vera M. P. Wakefield has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Reigate and Redhill Hospital, where she has held the position of Sister. She has also been Sister-in-Charge of a Military Auxiliary Hospital at Southampton.

### SISTER.

**Royal Bucks. Hospital, Aylesbury.**—Miss W. R. Humphreys has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Shirley Warren Infirmary, Southampton, and has been Sister at the Rotherhithe and Bethnal Green Infirmary.

**Deaconess Hospital, Edinburgh.**—Miss Edith B. Gammon has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the County Hospital, York, and at the York Maternity Hospital, and has held the position of Sister in both institutions.

**Royal Infirmary, Perth.**—Miss Jean S. Jeffries has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Coventry and Warwickshire Hospital. She has held the position of Sister at the Women's Hospital, Glasgow.

### NIGHT SISTER.

**Cameron Hospital, West Hartlepool.**—Miss E. Jackson has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the District Infirmary, Ashton-under-Lyne.

### CHARGE NURSE.

**Workhouse Hospital, Cardiff.**—Miss E. A. Roberts has been appointed Charge Nurse. She was trained at Townley's Hospital Bolton, and has had further experience at the Stanley Hospital, Holyhead, the Seamen's Hospital, Cardiff, and the County Hospital, Haverfordwest.

### QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

#### TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Kate M. Broadhead-Williams is appointed to Dorset C.N.A. as Assistant Superintendent; Miss Emily Wynne is appointed to Derby C.N.A. as Assistant Superintendent; Miss Gertrude M. Fraser is appointed to Tottenham; Miss Violet E. Hunt to Potterne; Miss Mary A. Jones to Hanley; Miss Helen H. Langbridge to Warsop; Miss Caroline E. Laycock to Hackney; Miss Jane E. Pinnock to Whitehaven; Miss Sarah A. Oliver to Chadsmoor; Miss Lizzie Osborn to Woodlands; Miss Edith E. Tolman to Seaview; Miss Minnie Ward to Hanley; Miss Grace E. Wormwell to Maltby.

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