

THE ROYAL RED CROSS.

On Saturday, June 29th, the following ladies were awarded the R.R.C. by the King at Buckingham Palace. Miss Elizabeth Humphries, who received the Military Medal, received also a great ovation from the public:—

The Royal Red Cross.

FIRST CLASS.

Sister Ellen BALDREY, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service, Matron Helen PALIN, Territorial Force Nursing Service, and Matron Jessie SMALES, Territorial Force Nursing Service.

SECOND CLASS.

Territorial Force Nursing Service.—Sister Elsie BENNETT.

British Red Cross Society.—Matron Annie PEEL.

Voluntary Aid Detachment.—Miss Emma COLEMAN, Miss Margaret CRANAGE, and Miss Gertrude MILLER.

The Military Medal.

Matron Elizabeth HUMPHRIES, Territorial Force Nursing Service.

The Royal Red Cross.

The King invested the following ladies with the Royal Red Cross at Buckingham Palace on Wednesday, June 26th:—

FIRST CLASS.

Matron Kathleen PRENDERGAST, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve.

SECOND CLASS.

Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service.—Sister Sadie TYLER.

Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve.—Sister Stella BURRELL, and Sister Dora SHANKLIE-SMITH.

Territorial Force Nursing Service.—Sister Martha MORRISON.

British Red Cross Society.—Matron Kate MOORE.

Voluntary Aid Detachment.—Miss Clare DAGLISH.

Queen Alexandra received at Marlborough House the Members of the Military and Civil Nursing Services who have been awarded the Royal Red Cross, subsequent to the Investitures at Buckingham Palace this morning.

The Royal Red Cross.

The King has been pleased to award the Royal Red Cross, 2nd class, to the undermentioned ladies, in recognition of their valuable nursing services in connection with the war:—

SECOND CLASS.

ABELL, Miss F. M., Matron, Henley Park, and Sister-in-Charge, Daneshill Mil. Hospl., Surrey; ADAMS, Miss D. P., Sister (Lady Supt.), V.A.D. Hospl., Cranbrook, Kent; ALLHUSEN, Miss E., Nurse, V.A. Hospl., Rhode Hill, Uplyme; ALLWOOD, Miss M. J., Nursing Sister, Can. Nursing Service, No. 12 Can. Gen. Hospl., Bramshott, Hants; ANDERSON, Miss E., Sister, V.A. Hospital, Torquay; ANDERSON, Miss E. R., Charge Nurse, Waverley Abbey, Farnham; ANDERSON, Miss I., Sister, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R., Barnet War Hospl., Herts; ASPINALL, Miss E., Sister, Liverpool Stanley Hospl., Stanley Road, Liverpool.

BAGNALL-OAKELEY, Miss B., Lady Supt., Priory Hosp., Cheltenham; BAGULEY, Miss F., Matron, St. John Aux.

V.A.D., Southport; BAINES, Miss M. L., Asst. Matron, Horton War Hosp., Epsom; BANKHEAD, Miss A., A./Asst. Matron, Richmond, Whitworth and Hardwicke Hospl., Dublin; BARBER, Miss E. M., Sister, Horton War Hospl., Epsom; BARROWCLIFF, Miss S. E., Sister, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R., Mil. Hospl., Bagthorpe, frmly. Hursley Camp Mil. Hospl., nr. Winchester; BAYFIELD, Mrs. A., Sister, Hanover Park V.A.D. Hospl., Rye Lane, Peckham, S.E. 15; BAYNE, Miss A. E., Matron, Isolation Hospl., Southampton; BELL, Miss A. B. H., Sister, T.F.N.S., 2nd Northern Gen. Hospl., Leeds; BELL, Miss M. H., Asst. Nurse, King George's Hospl., Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1; BELLVILLE, Mrs. G., Matron, Darrell Hospl., Queen Anne Street, W.; BEVAN, Miss A. G., Sister, T.F.N.S., 5th Lond. Gen. Hosp., St. Thomas's, Lambeth, S.E. 1; BEVAN, Miss S. S., Asst. Matron, Fulham Mily. Hospl., Hammersmith, W.; BEWSEY, Miss E. E., Sister, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R., Mily. Hospl., Fargo, Salisbury Plain; BINGLEY, Miss F., Sister, War Hospl., Bradford; BINNS, Miss L., Lady Supt., Matron, Royal Infirmary, Hull; BIRKIN, the Hon. M. D. H., Matron (unpaid), Arnot Hill V.A. Hospl., Daybrook, Notts; BIRT, Miss M. C., Matron, Red Cross Hospl., Huntingdon; BLATCH, Mrs. K. M., Matron, Red Cross Hospl., Kenilworth, Warwickshire; BLAYNEY, Miss E. K., Matron, R. Infirmary, Chester; BLENKARN, Miss M., Lady Supt., Cooden V.A.D. Hospl., Bexhill; BLOTT, Miss M. E., Nursing Sister, Can. Nursing Service, Granville Can. Spec. Hospl., Buxton; BOATH, Miss E. M., Matron, Dundee War Hospl., Dundee; BORTON, Miss F., Matron, Victoria Hospl., Blackpool; BOSS, Miss A., Matron, Masonic Hall V.A.D. Hospl., Bromley, Kent; BOTTOMLEY, Mrs. A. C., Matron (unpaid), St. John's Ambulance, 2, Bodorgan Road, Bournemouth; BOUGHEY, Miss L. M., Matron, Lady Cooper's Hospl. for Officers, Hursley Park, Winchester; BOWRING, Miss F., Nurse, Hart House Hospl., Burnham, Somerset; BOWYER, Miss R., Sister, T.F.N.S., 2nd Southern Gen. Hospl., Bristol R. Infirmary, Bristol; BRACE, Miss C. A. M., Sister, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R., R. Victoria Hospl. Netley; BRAMLEY, Mrs. M., Commdt., Dunraven Castle Red Cross Hospl., Glam.; BRODRICK, Miss K. E., Nursing Sister, Can. Nursing Service, Queen's Can. Mily. Hospl., Beechborough Park, Shorncliffe; BROTHERTON, Miss H., Asst. Matron, T.F.N.S., 1st Northern Gen. Hospl., Newcastle-on-Tyne; BROWN, Miss E., Nurse, Aux. Mil. Hospl., 9, Cedars Road, Clapham, S.W.; BROWN, Miss F. E., Matron, Jaw Hospl., 78, Brook Street, London; BRUCE, Miss A. L., Nursing Sister, Can. Nursing Service, Granville Can. Spec. Hospl., Buxton; BUFFORD, Miss D. F., Matron, Ridley Hospl., 10, Carlton House Terrace, S.W.; BURBRIDGE, Miss C., Lady Supt., Standish Hospl., Glos.; BUTLER, Miss G., Sister, Huddersfield War Hospl.; BUXTON, Miss M., Matron, Princess Royal Hospl. for Officers, 4, Percival Terrace, Brighton

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL. TRAINING OF V.A.D.s.

We are informed that, as a special mark of their valuable work during the present war, the course of training at University College Hospital usually extending over four years will be reduced to three years in favour of V.A.D.s who have served for two years in a military hospital, and who are well recommended by their Matron.

This appears a fair arrangement as a fourth year is one of service and not training.

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