

GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL FOR ENGLAND AND WALES.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS.

The Ministry of Health announces that the following persons have been appointed to form the first General Nursing Council under the Nurses Registration Act of 1919.

APPOINTED BY THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

Lady Hobhouse.

Mr. J. C. Priestley, K.C.

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Hon. Mrs. Eustace Hills.

Miss Batty Tuke, Bedford College.

APPOINTED BY THE MINISTER OF HEALTH.

The Rev. G. B. Cronshaw, Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford.

Dr. E. W. Goodall, M.D.

Dr. A. Bostock Hill, M.D.

Dr. Bedford Pierce, M.D.

Sir T. Jenner Verrall, M.D.

NURSES APPOINTED BY THE MINISTER OF HEALTH.

Miss A. Cattell, Private practice.

Mr. T. Christian, Nurse, Banstead Mental Hospital.

Miss A. Coulton, Matron East London Hospital for Children.

Miss R. Cox Davies, R.R.C., Matron Royal Free Hospital.

Miss A. Dowbiggin, C.B.E., R.R.C., Matron Edmonton Poor Law Infirmary.

Mrs. Bedford Fenwick, formerly Matron St. Bartholomew's Hospital.

Miss A. Lloyd Still, C.B.E., R.R.C., Matron St. Thomas' Hospital.

Miss M. MacCallum, Professional Union of Trained Nurses.

Miss I. Macdonald, Royal British Nurses' Association.

Miss A. M. Peterkin, General Superintendent Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses.

Miss E. Smith, Welsh Superintendent, Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses.

Miss M. E. Sparshott, C.B.E., R.R.C., Matron, Royal Infirmary, Manchester.

Miss E. C. Swiss, Health Visitor for Willesden.

Miss S. A. Villiers, Matron, South Western Fever Hospital, Stockwell.

Miss C. Worsley, Matron, Infirmary for Children, Liverpool.

Miss C. S. Yapp, Matron, Ashton-under-Lyne, Poor Law Infirmary.

Mr. Priestley has been appointed the Chairman of the Council.

The following special branches of nursing are represented on the Council by experts:—General (Voluntary Hospitals and Poor Law Infirmarys), Maternity, Children, Fever, Mental, Military, District, Public Health and Private. The Minister of Health said "he would do his best." We think he has done well.

WHO'S WHO ON THE GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL.

Mr. J. C. Priestley, K.C., Appointed Chairman by Minister of Health, second son of the late Sir William Overend Priestley, M.D., M.P., Edinburgh and St. Andrews Universities. Educated at Marlborough and Pembroke College, Cambridge. Called to the Bar in 1888. Appointed a Justice of the Peace for Hertfordshire, 1906.

Lady Hobhouse, wife of the Right Hon. Sir Charles Hobhouse, Bart. Has taken much interest in the provision of nursing for the sick poor in the rural districts of Wiltshire, and has been Treasurer, Secretary, and Chairman of the Wiltshire Rural Nursing Association. Lady Hobhouse (then Mrs. Charles Hobhouse) gave evidence before the Select Committee of the House of Commons on Registration of Nurses in 1905.

Hon. Mrs. Eustace Hills, an active worker in connection with Child Welfare and Day Nurseries. Chairman of the Council, National Society of Day Nurseries.

Miss Margaret Janson Tuke, M.A., Principal of Bedford College for Women, London, Associate of Newnham College, Cambridge. Mediaeval and Modern Languages Tripos, Cambridge, June, 1888. Member of the Senate of the University of London, 1911.

The Rev. G. B. Cronshaw, Chairman and Treasurer, Radcliffe Infirmary and County Hospital, Oxford.

Sir Thomas Jenner Verrall, M.R.C.S.Eng., Consulting Surgeon, Sussex County Hospital. Direct Representative General Medical Council. Member British Medical Association. Ex-Chairman Representative Meetings, Ex-Chairman Insurance Acts Committee, and Chairman Medico-Political Committee. Chairman, Central Medical War Committee, and Member of all B.M.A. Committees; late Member Advisory Committee under Insurance Acts Committee. Delegate of British Medical Association on the Central Committee for the State Registration of Nurses.

Dr. E. W. Goodall, O.B.E., M.D. London Gold Medal and Scholar in Forensic Medicine, Medical Superintendent North Western Hospital (M.A.B.), Hampstead; Fellow Royal Society of Medicine and President Epidemiological Section; Orator, Hunterian Society, 1913; Member British Medical Association; went in 1915 to Dunkirk to open Queen Alexandra's Hospital for typhoid, and later to Nevers to an English Hospital for Wounded. In 1917 received a commission in the Army as Temporary Lieut.-Colonel R.A.M.C.; Officer-in-Charge Grove Military Hospital, Tooting, for two and a-half years. In 1919, in connection with the Friends Emergency Committee, took a Unit to Poland to inaugurate its work in the typhus epidemic under the Ministry of Public Health in that country. Author (with the late

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