

to young women through the avenues of the ladies' colleges, Y.W.C.A., young people's societies, business women's clubs, and other women's organisations.

"The general public should know more of the nurses' activities. Every Red Cross member can assist and be a missionary in spreading the gospel of nursing and interesting young women in the work and educating the public up to the need and requirements."

## APPOINTMENTS.

### MATRON.

**Alfreton District Hospital, Derbyshire.**—Miss S. Maullin has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the West Bromwich and District Hospital, and has been night and theatre Sister at the Guest Hospital, Dudley, and Sister at the Royal Naval Hospital, Haslar.

**Bath, Hot Mineral Baths.**—Mrs. I. G. Crawford has been appointed Matron. She was trained at Toronto General Hospital, Canada, and has been Sister-in-Charge at Dr. Howard B. Kelly's Sanatorium, Baltimore, U.S.A., and of the Manor War Hospital, Epsom, Surrey.

**Corporation Maternity Hospital, and Child Welfare Centre, Carlisle.**—Miss F. Drawitt has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Free Hospital, London, and at the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, and has been Ward and Theatre Sister at the Royal Free Hospital.

### SISTER-TUTOR.

**Crumpsall Infirmary, Manchester.**—Miss Nora McCheane has been appointed Sister-Tutor. She was trained at the Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, and has since been ward sister at Seaford, at the Dorset County Hospital, and in charge of the X-Ray and electrical department at Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge. Miss McCheane took the course for sister-tutors at King's College for Women. She also holds the certificate of the Incorporated Society of Trained Masseuses.

### SISTER-IN-CHARGE.

**Birmingham, Bromsgrove Open-Air School for Crippled Children.**—Miss Marion Kennedy has been appointed Sister-in-Charge. She was trained at Oldham Royal Infirmary, where she was Sister and Night Sister. She has also held the position of Sister at the Royal Liverpool County Hospital for Children, Cheshire.

### NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT.

**Halifax, St. Luke's Hospital.**—Miss Hope R. Williamott has been appointed Night Superintendent. She was trained at the General Hospital, Bristol. She has been Sister at the South Devon and East Cornwall Hospital, Plymouth, and of the Maternity Ward, St. Luke's Hospital, Halifax. She also gained experience in fever nursing at Great Yarmouth Isolation Hospital. Miss Williamott holds the certificate of the Central Midwives Board.

### THEATRE SISTER.

**Royal Infirmary, Gloucester.**—Miss Lucy Taylor has been appointed Theatre Sister. She was trained at the General Infirmary, Rochdale, and has held the positions of Theatre Sister at Cameron Hospital, West Hartlepool, Stanley Hospital, Liverpool, Welsh Metropolitan War Hospital, Cardiff, and at the Belmont Nursing Home, Leeds.

### SISTER.

**Isolation Hospital, Roman Road, East Ham.**—Miss F. E. Hayes has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the North Staffordshire Infirmary and has been Staff Nurse at the National Hospital, Queen Square, Bloomsbury, Sister at the Cossham Military Hospital and Theatre Sister at the Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, Monmouthshire. She has also done war nursing at Salonica.

**Montgomery County Infirmary, Newport, Mon.**—Miss Miriam Hicks has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Dudley Road Infirmary, Birmingham, and has been Sister at a Midwifery Training Home, Brighton, and Sister-in-Charge at the Infirmary, Ludlow. She has also had experience of district and private nursing.

**Sheffield Royal Hospital.**—Miss Gertrude Spencer has been appointed Sister of the X-ray department. She was trained at Brownlow Hill Infirmary, Liverpool, and has been Sister of the X-ray department at the Lincoln County Hospital, the General Hospital, Birmingham, and at the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital.

### HEAD NURSE.

**Axbridge Union Infirmary.**—Miss Maria Lake has been appointed Head Nurse. She was trained at Middlesex Hospital, and at Queen Charlotte's Hospital.

### SCHOOL NURSE AND HEALTH VISITOR.

**Barry Education Committee.**—Miss A. G. Hybart has been appointed School Nurse and Health Visitor. She was trained at King Edward VII's Hospital, Cardiff, and has since been health visitor to the Cardiff County Borough.

### TUBERCULOSIS DISPENSARY NURSE.

**Tuberculosis Dispensary, 18, Ramsden Street, Huddersfield.**—Miss Violet E. Cooper, M.R.B.N.A., has been appointed Tuberculosis Dispensary Nurse. She was trained at the East Suffolk Hospital, Ipswich, and holds the Brompton Hospital post graduate certificate for "Lectures, Hospital and Dispensary Practice." She has also done four-and-a-half years' military service with Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve, and has had some experience of private nursing. She is a certified midwife.

### RESIGNATION.

#### QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The *London Gazette* of August 24th contains the following announcement:—

Sister Miss E. A. Rutherford, R.R.C., resigns her appointment (August 23rd).

### PRESENTATION TO MISS ELLEN GAYFORD.

The public testimonial to Miss Ellen Gayford, late Matron of the Teddington Cottage Hospital, resulted in the collection of about £50. This was recently handed to her privately by Mr. Horace Booth, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

In a letter since received by Mr. Booth, Miss Gayford wishes publicly to thank all who subscribed to the fund. She adds: "I shall always remember with gratitude the many expressions and acts of kindness which I have received on leaving the hospital, where I have been for so many years."

Miss Gayford has also received gifts from the medical staff and the committee.

Miss Bewsey, the new Matron, commenced her duties last week.

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