

## APPOINTMENTS.

## MATRON.

**North Riding Infirmary, Middlesborough.**—Miss Clara E. Bailey has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Birmingham General Hospital, where she was second Assistant Matron from 1917-1918. She has been Matron of the Jaffray Hospital, near Birmingham, from 1918 to date.

**Rufford Sanatorium and Training Centre.**—Miss L. Carey has been appointed Matron. She was trained at Hope Infirmary, Eccles, and has been Night Superintendent, Camberwell Infirmary, Senior Sister and Deputy Matron, Borough Hospital, Bolton, and Matron, Aitken Sanatorium, Bury and at Ainsworth Hospital, Bury.

**Hawick Anderson Sanatorium.**—Miss Donaldson has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Dundee, and has been Sister at the Bridge of Weir Sanatoria, and Matron of Noranside Sanatorium.

**Rawmarsh Isolation Hospital.**—Miss H. E. Ellis has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Monsall Fever Hospital, Manchester, and has been Matron of Tewkesbury Isolation Hospital, of the Joint Hospital, Tredington, Tewkesbury, and of Upton-on-Severn Isolation Hospital.

## SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

**Preston and Fulwood Workhouse Hospital.**—Miss Mabel Sharp has been appointed Superintendent Nurse. She was trained at St. Mary, Islington Infirmary, where she was Ward Sister, Temporary Home Sister, and Night Superintendent. With other appointments she has held those of Second Assistant Matron at Bristol City Hospital, and Assistant Matron at Ashurst War Hospital.

## SUPERINTENDENT SCHOOL NURSE

**Halifax County Borough Education Committee.**—Miss Tressy C. Brown has been appointed Superintendent School Nurse. She was trained at the Victoria Hospital, Burnley, where she has held the position of Sister.

## IN MEMORY OF TYBURN MARTYRS.

An impressive spectacle was witnessed on September 19th from the windows of the *B.J.N.* offices, when the Roman Catholic Guild of Our Lady of Ransom passed down Oxford Street.

The procession was of considerable length, and could be seen stretching from New Bond Street to Marble Arch.

A beautiful sunlit afternoon added to its picturesque dignity. The white frocks of the flower-wreathed children carrying pennons, the blue veils of the older maidens, the white coifs of the Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul flanked the vested priests and the acolytes bearing crucifixes and banners.

A band of instruments led the sweet singing midway in the procession, while in the rear was heard the murmur of hundreds of followers reciting the Rosary.

The procession was in commemoration of Catholics who suffered death at Tyburn in the 16th and 17th centuries, after being dragged on hurdles from Newgate, and this large concourse trod the same route as the martyrs on Sunday last.

## THE PASSING BELL.

Miss Mary Magee, who died a short time ago after a long and painful illness, who was a member of the League of the Victoria and Bournemouth Trained Nurses, and had been a member of the staff for over twenty years, left several legacies to her friends and comrades, and desired that after all expenses and just debts were paid that the residue should be given to the League for the benefit of sick and disabled members. It is supposed that there will be about £200.

She had a long and varied career, and was very successful until her illness commenced about three years ago. She was trained at the Leicester Royal Infirmary, and there can be no doubt that Miss Rogers was her friend until the end. She left Leicester to go out as one of the pioneers of nursing in the Transvaal; the expedition was in charge of a S. African Sisterhood. Later on she was elected Matron of the Hospital at Johannesburg, which post she held until obliged to return to England on account of health. After a short rest to recover her health she joined the staff of the Victoria and Bournemouth Nursing Institute for Private Nurses in 1897, where she remained until her death, which took place in a nursing home in London. In her position she gained many valued friends, who showed their appreciation of her nursing capabilities and devotion to duty during the many weary months of her long and most trying illness.

## QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

EXAMINATION FOR THE ROLL OF QUEEN'S NURSES, SEPTEMBER 16TH, 1920.

1. What are the principal ways of ventilating a room? What would you do if there were no fireplace and the window would not open?

2. What advice would you give a mother as to how she should feed her child during the first year of its life—(1) the child is breast-fed; (2) the mother cannot breast-feed the child?

3. What would you consider to be the best treatment for a severe burn or scald in the district, when the doctor leaves it in the nurse's charge?

4. How would you explain to a mother the benefit of fresh air and sunshine and that the house-fly is a danger to health? Give your answer in plain, homely language.

5. What are the chief points to remember in nursing a case of Phthisis in a poor home? In nursing such a case how would you try to protect the other members of the family from contracting the disease—(a) while the patient is alive; (b) after death.

6. What is the object of district nursing? How may a District Nurse be the means of effecting a lasting improvement in the condition of the people amongst whom she works?

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