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## APPOINTMENTS.

### SUPERINTENDENT OF HEALTH VISITORS.

Health Department, Bethnal Green, E.—Miss G. Le Geyt has been appointed Superintendent of Health Visitors. Miss Le Geyt, who is a member of the Central Midwives Board, was trained and certificated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, and has been Theatre Sister at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh, Home Sister and Night Sister at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Secretary of the London Association of Nurses, Home Sister at the Military Hospital, Endell Street, and Matron of the Infant Welfare Centre and the Infant Observation Wards, North Islington.

### ASSISTANT MATRON.

Royal Southern Hospital, Liverpool.—Miss Muriel Duesbury has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the General Hospital, Birmingham, and has been Sister at the General Hospital, Grantham, X-ray Sister at the General Hospital, Birmingham, Out-patient, Massage, and Night Superintendent at the Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, Sister-in-Charge at the First Southern Hospital, Birmingham, Housekeeping Pupil at Brompton Hospital, London, and Ward Sister at the General Hospital, Nottingham. She holds the certificate of the Incorporated Society of Trained Masseuses.

Addenbroke's Hospital, Cambridge.—Miss Amy McLean has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, and has been Ward Sister at the General Hospital, Wolverhampton, Outpatient Sister at the Royal Hospital, Sheffield, Home Sister at the Royal Infirmary, Hull, Night Sister and Assistant Matron at the West London Hospital, Hammersmith, and Matron of a Red Cross Hospital at Ilkley.

West Derby Union, Mill Road Infirmary, Liverpool.—Miss Gertrude Riding has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the West Derby Union Institutions, where she has held the position of Charge Nurse.

### SISTER.

Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital, Exeter.—Miss Marjorie A. Fitcher has been appointed Sister in the Electrical Treatment Department. She was trained at the West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, and the National Hospital, Queen's Square, London, and has been Assistant Sister and Sister in the X-ray Department in the Walsall Hospital.

Children's Sanatorium, Holt, Norfolk.—Miss M. S. Jamison has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Hull, and in infectious nursing at the City Fever Hospital, Bagthorpe, near Nottingham, and has held the position of Sister at the Children's Sanatorium, Bulwell Hall, Nottingham, and of Holiday Sister at the Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan.

### HEALTH VISITOR.

Herefordshire County Council.—Miss Elizabeth Louisa Griffiths has been appointed Health Visitor. She was trained at the Royal Southern Hospital, Liverpool, and has had further experience at the Oswestry Cottage Hospital. She is also a Certified Midwife.

### SUPERVISOR.

Maternity, Pre-Maternity and Child Welfare Centre, 153a, East Street, Walworth, London.—Miss Winifred A. Todd has been appointed in charge of this Centre which is under the auspices of the Malthusian League. Miss Todd was trained at Guy's Hospital, S.E., where she gained the Cazenove Silver Medal, and is a Certified Midwife and Certificated Masseuse. She has held the position of Matron at the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, and until recently has been Matron of the Well House Hospital, Barnet.

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

The following ladies have been appointed to Queen Alexandra's Military Nursing Service for India in the Grade of Staff Nurse:—Miss L. Coward, Miss A. G. Gover, Miss K. R. Lowe, Miss M. J. O'Connor, and Miss E. R. Vincent.

## NATIONAL UNION OF TRAINED NURSES.

### THE OPIUM TRAFFIC.

At a meeting of members, held at 46, Marsham Street, Westminster, on November 4th, a most illuminating address on the Opium Traffic was given by Miss La Motte.

Miss La Motte is an American lady, a trained nurse, and an accomplished authoress, who possesses a forceful manner of relating her observations. She described very vividly her experiences whilst employed as compiler of histories at a Clinic in New York where, after the arrest of six doctors, there was a demoralised, howling mob of over a thousand drug addicts in less than two hours, clamouring for their dose of poison.

Miss La Motte stated that three to four tons of opium are all that is necessary for the medicinal supply of the world, yet the British Government, to our shame be it said, allows the growth of something like 133 tons; 54 tons are used for consumption in India, and other British possessions, leaving 79 tons for export. This enormous surplus is sold by auction and is distributed and peddled in most of the great cities of the world. It is this surplus that is responsible for the drug habit. These figures are for the year 1918-1919.

It is difficult to believe that our Government, for a paltry revenue of £4,000,000, will demean us in the eyes of all nations.

Nurses at least know the terrible results of drugging, and the speaker appeals to them to

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