

the Council what seemed something very much like a breach of the Rules. She quoted

Rule 41 (1) which distinctly said that a notice of motion "shall be given or sent to the Registrar."

Rule 41 (2) "The Registrar shall insert in the Agenda paper of the next ordinary meeting of the Council all notices of motion which she has received," up to a certain date.

MISS MACCALLUM stated that she had sent to the Registrar the following motion for the Agenda on October 14th:—

"That the number of nurses who have been placed on the Register as second-hand entrants under Rule 9 (A), up to October 1st, 1922, be supplied to the Council,"

and had received the following reply from the Chairman:—

"I have received two motions from you; the one on the use of distinguishing letters is admissible, the other contains words which are not admissible, and I shall, therefore, not admit it."

She asked what Clause of the Act or which of the Council's Rules gave to the Chairman power to edit the motions put forward by individual members before they were placed on the Agenda, and said that if he had this power it meant the G.N.C. was no longer a Statutory Council with rights of expression.

THE CHAIRMAN said he ruled the motion out of order, on Rule 47: "The presiding Chairman of the Council shall decide upon any point of order or procedure and his decision shall be final."

MISS MACCALLUM contended she had conformed to the Rules; the ruling of the Chairman established a Dictatorship.

The meeting then terminated.

A MALE NURSE CANDIDATE FOR THE G.N. COUNCIL.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Frederick W. Stratton, Registered Male Nurse, of the Hackney Union Infirmary, has been invited by the Registered Male Nurses of that institution to stand for election to the General Nursing Council for England and Wales. As this is the only General Training School for Male Nurses connected with a Poor Law Infirmary, we feel sure that the Independent Nurses' Group will be pleased to give him any support in their power.

LISTS OF VOTERS AVAILABLE BY NOVEMBER 15.

The General Nursing Council for England and Wales has not been able to complete the printing of its Register, but lists of nurses registered up to October 27th, with their addresses, are being printed, and will be available by November 15th. They can be purchased at the price of £1 1s. each by application to the Registrar.

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Pelsall Hall, near Walsall.—Miss Eliza A. Bradshaw has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, and has been Sister at the Infirmary, Bolton, Night Superintendent at the Royal Infirmary, Preston, Assistant Matron of the Ministry of Pensions Hospital, Knotty Ash, and Matron of the Ministry of Pensions Hospitals at Bridlington and at Harrogate.

Sutton Hospital, Surrey.—Miss Carmen Sable has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the London Hospital, where she held the position of Holiday Sister, and has been Matron of the Halstead Cottage Hospital and the Braintree Cottage Hospital.

Alexander Scott's Hospital, Huntley.—Miss Jessie Rae has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow, where she subsequently held the position of Sister. She has also been Matron of the Ian Charles Cottage Hospital, Grantown-on-Spey.

DEPUTY MATRON.

Cardiff City Mental Hospital, Whitchurch, near Cardiff.—Miss Alice Lowe has been appointed Deputy Matron. She received her Mental training at the City Mental Hospital, Birmingham, where she obtained the certificate of the Medico-Psychological Association in Mental Nursing, and subsequently obtained further experience in this branch of nursing at the Canterbury City Mental Hospital, "Stone House." She was trained and certificated in General Nursing at the General Hospital, Wolverhampton, and served in the war as a member of Q.A.I.M.N.S.R. She is at present Home Sister at the General Hospital, Nottingham.

SISTER.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.—Miss Alice Abbey has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Newcastle-on-Tyne, where she subsequently held the position of Sister. She has also been Night Sister at the Stamford and Rutland General Infirmary, and has worked as a member of the Territorial Army Nursing Service.

TUBERCULOSIS NURSE.

County Borough of Walsall.—Miss E. L. O'Kelly has been appointed Tuberculosis Nurse. She was trained at St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, and has been District and Tuberculosis Nurse at Chepstow.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

Her Majesty Queen Alexandra has been graciously pleased to approve the appointment of the following to be Queen's Nurses to date October 1st, 1922:—

ENGLAND.

Daisy Onion, Dorothy MacColl, Frances E. McNally, Minnie McNally, Louise Bulley, Effie C. Dolman, Agnes E. Sellors, Alice E. Lattimore, Louisa M. Dunk, Ruby A. Brown, Lucy M. Mortimer, Gladys A. Pettitt, Charlotte Walker, Ruth M. B. Attwood, Agnes E. Dent, Maude Fearing, Mabel G. Ritchie, May Bailey, Florence M. Gilbertson, Marie Gibson, Nellie M. Malyon, Dorothy Brown, Winifred E. Moss, Louise Norry, Mary K. Rathie, Jennie Dobson, Marcella O. Haines, Gladys Johnson, Edith Lefley, Phoebe F. Skinner, Elizabeth C. P. Miller, Sarah Simmonds, Frances M. Macdonald, Florence N. Hampson, Gladys G. M. Williams, Hettie Carver, Dorothy Johnson, Mary H. Parfitt, Agnes M.

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