

FINE NEW HOME FOR ANCOATS NURSES. OVERSEAS NURSING ASSOCIATION.

Mrs. Temple, wife of the Bishop of Manchester, last week opened the new Home which has been built for the nurses of Ancoats Hospital. It has been erected near the hospital, and its cost, including furnishing, heating, electric lighting, and electric lift, is £40,000, towards which £27,000 has been subscribed. The new Home is a handsome building. It has recreation and rest rooms, and a bedroom for each of the 50 Sisters and nurses. This will be a very welcome change for them. Their quarters in the hospital have been inadequate and uncomfortable, two or three nurses having had to sleep in one room.

Mrs. Temple spoke of the value of nursing work and the need to improve the accommodation for nurses.

Sister Baynes and Nurse Pitchford, on behalf of the nursing staff, expressed thanks to the committee for having provided the Home, and Sister Poole, also on behalf of the nurses, made a presentation to the Matron (Miss Earle), who had done much to bring about the consummation of the scheme.

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

The Infants' Hospital, Vincent Square, Westminster.—Miss Mildred F. Hughes has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Evelina Hospital for Children and at Guy's Hospital. She has held the following positions:—Out-patient Sister at Evelina Hospital, Sister-Tutor, Night Superintendent and Assistant Home Sister, Guy's Hospital, S.E.

ASSISTANT MATRON.

Thanet Isolation Hospital, Haine, near Ramsgate.—Miss M. E. Wright has been appointed Assistant-Matron. She was trained at St. Andrew's Hospital, Devon's Road, London, E., and has been Ward Sister at the Hackney Infirmary, Ward and Night Sister at the Croydon Infirmary, Sister at Queen Alexandra's Hospital, Dunkerque, Night Superintendent at the Western Hospital, Fulham, Ward Sister and Night Superintendent at the Park Hospital, Lewisham, and Holiday Sister at the Thanet Isolation Hospital. Miss Wright was awarded the Croix du Guerre for services rendered to our Allies.

SISTER TUTOR.

Wingrove Hospital, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.—Miss Elizabeth Mary O'Connor has been appointed Sister-Tutor. She was trained at the Manchester Poor-Law Hospital and has held the position of Superintendent Nurse under the Newport Board of Guardians, Health Visitor under the Hull Corporation, Assistant Superintendent Nurse under the Hull Board of Guardians, and Ward Sister under the Carlisle Board of Guardians.

SISTER.

Bethnal Green Hospital, E.—Miss Margaret A. Conway has been appointed Sister. She was trained at Mercer's Hospital, Dublin, and has been Staff Nurse at the same institution.

NIGHT SISTER.

Stamford, Rutland, and General Infirmary, Stamford.—Miss H. M. Hobbs has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the Stratford-on-Avon Hospital and the Royal Infirmary, Derby, where she held the temporary position of Sister.

The following new appointments have been made since April, 1922:—

PRIVATE POSTS.

Misses J. M. Martin and E. Cheverton Smith (Victoria Hospital, Burnley), Shanghai Municipal Council; Miss C. E. Viner (Sheffield Royal Inf.), Lisbon Nursing Association; Miss S. Gavin (London Hosp.) and Miss K. Cameron (Craiglockhart Hospital, Edinburgh), Oporto Nursing Association; Miss W. McMurray (Barnhill Hosp., Glasgow), Singapore Nursing Association; Miss M. Wyatt (Lambeth Inf.) and Miss E. E. Barrett (Sheffield Union, Hosp.), Ceylon Nursing Association; Miss B. Mackay (St. Leonard's Infirmary, Shoreditch) and Miss A. N. Gittins (West London Hosp.) Mauritius Branch, O.N.A.; Miss S. I. Beasley (Bethnal Green Inf.), Bangkok Nursing Home.

NON-GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS.

Miss M. C. Denton (London Hospital), Charge Nurse, Lisbon British Hospital; Miss M. A. M. Robertson (Edinburgh Royal Inf.), Singapore Municipality; Miss M. C. Rice-Oxley (St. George's Hospital), British American Hospital, Valparaiso.

GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS.

Misses B. Hulme and W. Norwood (St. Thomas' Hospital) and Miss E. Quail (Camberwell Inf.), Nigeria Government Hospitals; Misses E. A. Peacock (Royal Halifax Inf.), G. McPherson (Dundee Royal Inf.), L. M. E. Lyons (King's College Hospital), M. S. Neville (Walsall District Hosp.), Straits Settlements Government Hosps; Misses F. J. Smith (Guy's Hospital), J. D. Watt (St. Marylebone Inf.), S. R. Clarke (London Homeopathic Hosp.), E. J. Proudfoot (St. Pancras Hosp.), B. L. Ramsay (University College Hospital), C. E. Todd and R. A. D'Aguilar (St. Thomas Hosp.), Ceylon Government Hospitals. Miss A. Miles (Bermundsey Inf.) Uganda Government Hospitals, Miss S. C. Burd (Romford Inf.), St. Helen's Civil Hospital, Miss E. C. Humphreys (Birmingham General Hospital), Candos Hospital, Mauritius, Matron. Misses E. C. Etchel, A.R.R.C. (St. Andrew's Hosp.), M. M. Forse (Camberwell Inf.), A. Moxon, A.R.R.C. (St. Marylebone Inf.), Cyprus Government Hospital, Matron; Miss E. Hunter (Paddington Inf.), Georgetown Public Hospital, British Guiana; Miss D. M. White (Newcastle Royal Inf.), Bahamas General Hospital; Miss D. E. Johnson (Royal Free Hosp.), Colony Hospital, Grenada, Nurse Matron; Miss F. Stagg (St. Thomas' Hospital), Miss M. Kelly (St. Thomas' Hospital), Hong Kong Civil Hospital; Miss C. Kemp (Bolton General Inf.), Federated Malay States Government Hospitals.

Information as to the Overseas Nursing Association can be obtained from the Secretary, Miss C. N. Adams, Imperial Institute, South Kensington, S.W.7.

ROYAL BRITISH NURSES' ASSOCIATION

The Dance at the Royal British Nurses' Association Club will be held at 194, Queen's Gate, S.W.7, on Thursday, Nov. 23rd, from 8 p.m. till midnight. Tickets, price 5s., may be obtained from the Secretary at the above address. Evening or fancy dress will be worn.

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