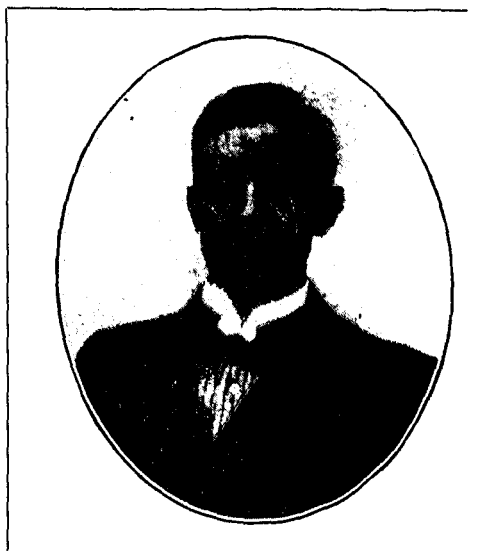


CONGRATULATIONS TO MISS VILLIERS AND REGISTERED FEVER NURSES.

Miss Susan A. Villiers, standing as an Independent Candidate to represent Registered Fever Nurses on the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, has received an official intimation from the Returning Officer that she has been duly elected, no other candidate having been nominated in this section.

Registered Fever Nurses are to be warmly congratulated that they are to be represented on their Governing Body by a colleague with expert knowledge of their special branch of nursing, and who has proved by courageous support of principle in the past that she is worthy of this great responsibility.



MR. FREDERICK W. STRATTON,

Elected without competition a member of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales to represent the interests of Registered Male Nurses.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MR. FREDERICK W. STRATTON AND REGISTERED MALE NURSES.

Mr. Frederick W. Stratton, standing as an Independent Candidate to represent Male Nurses on the General Nursing Council, has been officially informed by the Returning Officer that he has been duly elected, as no other candidate was nominated in this section.

We are specially pleased to congratulate Mr. Stratton, as finding that no Registered Male Nurse had offered himself for election, we consulted Dr. Brander, Medical Superintendent of Hackney Infirmary, who kindly

took the matter in hand, with the present satisfactory result.

Mr. Stratton has a wide field of usefulness to his colleagues before him—as so far the Male Nurses, having no direct representative on the Council, have failed to take much interest in registration. We hope for greatly extended interest in the Male Nurses' Supplementary Register now that they have a spokesman on the Council, and wish them every success in their work in the future.

MORE CANDIDATES FOR GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL HONOURS.

By the time this issue of THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF NURSING is in the hands of its readers, no doubt the Voting Paper for the election of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales will have been received by the Registered Nurses (with the exception of Fever and Male Nurses) in the various groups. The following candidates will be found added to the original lists:—

MISS FLORENCE M. EMBRY.

Miss Florence M. Embry, Matron of the Swithland Convalescent Home, Leicestershire, who has been nominated for one of the nurses' seats by the Leicester Royal Infirmary Nurses' League, has had a wide and varied hospital experience.

Miss Embry was trained and certificated at Leicester Royal Infirmary, 1904-1908.

She then held successively the positions of Assistant Teacher in the Preliminary Training School, Leicester; Theatre and Acute Ward Sister at Lewisham Infirmary; Night Superintendent at Royal Infirmary, Leicester; Assistant Matron at Lewisham Infirmary; Sister Housekeeper at Royal Infirmary, Leicester; and Assistant Matron at the Royal Infirmary, Bradford, until appointed to her present position in 1920.

Miss Embry holds the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board and also the Certificate of the Chartered Society of Masseuses. She is also a qualified teacher from the Training College, London, W.C.; and before taking up nursing held teaching appointments in England and Germany.

She is keenly interested in the education and training of nurses; is Examiner for Practical Nursing at the Royal Infirmary, Bradford; Hon. Secretary of the Leicester Royal Infirmary Nurses' League; and is a member of the College of Nursing, Ltd.

Miss Embry is of the opinion that a Syllabus of Training should be compulsory for all Nurse Training Schools, and that the examinations for the first year should be chiefly on practical lines.

She considers that the problem of the small Hospitals needs careful consideration and thought; there are many difficulties in the way of reciprocal

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