APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

Taunton Isolation Hospital and Tuberculosis Sanatorium.—Miss J. Grieve Brown has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Lewisham Infirmary, has been Ward Sister, Night Superintendent, Home Sister and Assistant Matron at Ham Green Sanatorium, near Bristol; held several positions, including Acting-Matron at the British Station Hospital, Secunderabad, India, and was Staff Nurse at the Third Western General Hospital, Neath, during the War.

Isolation Hospital, Chepstow.—Miss L. M. Turney has been appointed Matron. Previous positions held: Charge of Joint Hospital at Wath-on-Dearne, and Charge of Fever Ward, Harrogate and Knaresborough Sanatorium.

NURSE-MATRON.

Isolation Hospital, Epsom.—Miss Ethel E. Bowden has been appointed Nurse-Matron. She was trained at Kendray Hospital, Barnsley, and has held positions at the City Hospital, Birmingham, and the Sanatorium, Lincoln.

SUPERINTENDENT NURSE.

Wakefield Union Infirmary.—Miss Minnie Jackson has been appointed Superintendent Nurse. She was trained at Chorlton Union Hospital, Manchester, and has been Assistant Superintendent Nurse and Superintendent Nurse at Erdington Infirmary, Birmingham.

NIGHT SISTER.

Hospital for Women, Liverpool.—Miss A. L. Peacock has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, and has held the appointment of Sister there, and at St. Paul's Eye Hospital, Liverpool, at Carshalton Hospital, and at the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin.

HEALTH VISITOR.

City of Leicester.—Miss Gladys H. Fudge has been appointed Health Visitor. She was trained at the North Evington Infirmary, Leicester, where she was Sister. She was Night Sister and Assistant Matron at the City Mental Hospital, Nottingham.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE INSTITUTE FOR NURSES.

TRANSFERS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Miss Alice Hulme is appointed to Warrington, as Superintendent; Miss Margaret A. Cooper to Blofield; Miss Violet M. Dover to Blockley; Miss Lucy Fearn to Warsop; Miss Helen M. Macdonald to Somercotes; Miss Margaret E. Roberts to Kilburn; Miss Bertha E. Smith to Northallerton; Miss Eva Woodward to West Malvern.

LANCASHIRE AND CHESHIRE PROVINCIAL WHITLEY COUNCIL FOR THE PROFES-SIONAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SERVICES.

Miss T. McGrath, School Nurse, Education Department, Manchester, has been elected one of the Municipal Employees' Association's representatives on the Staffs' side of the above-mentioned Council for the forthcoming year. She should work well in harness with Miss B. McFarlane, Lady Sanitary Inspector, Public Health Department, Salford, who has also been elected. Given the organised support of the Lady Sanitary Inspectors, Health Visitors and Nurses within the area, they should be able to do useful work on behalf of their colleagues in the Profession.

HOSPITAL WORLD.

We have to thank kind friends for quite a heap of cards of invitation to hospital festivities, which we regret cannot all be accepted. We wish success to them all, and feel sure the patients and staffs will have a really happy time with so much kindness bubbling over in all directions.

During the past fifty years the Hospital Sunday Fund had collected £2,750,000 for the London hospitals.

It is proposed to fix Sunday, June 17th, as Hospital Sunday for 1923.

The Middlesex Hospital Nurses' Annual Ball will be held on January 22nd in the Mirror Room at the Savoy Hotel.

As the result of the Daily Mirror Fund, £11,000 was obtained to commemorate Princess Mary's marriage, and this was divided equally between the Victoria Hospital and the Great Ormond Street Hospital for Sick Children.

The function of the National Baby Week Council (Carnegie House, 117, Piccadilly, London, W. 1) is to cultivate sound public opinion on questions relative to the welfare of mothers and of children under five, and it is quite in accord with this policy that the Council should have sent the following Resolution to the Ministry of Health:—

"That the matter of vaccination in relation to infant welfare is sufficiently urgent to merit the careful attention of the Ministry of Health, and that the Ministry should take all possible steps to promote more universal vaccination of children."

Messrs. Ashton & Parsons have made a gift to Guy's Hospital of £2,600, to be paid in annual instalments of £400 over a period of six-and-a-half years. The money will be used to found a Parsons Fellowship in connection with research on diabetes mellitus.

Mr. William Gemmell, of Glasgow, has left £20,000 to Glasgow University, on trust, for the establishment of a "Samson Gemmell Chair" of Medicine or Science, in memory of his brother, Professor Samson Gemmell, physician, of that University.

"THE LAW'S 'A HASS."

-MR. BUMBLE.

Now, here's a health to '23's Prime Minister; Who'll steer him round the corners they must pass.

It's understood throughout all ranks wherein I stir

He's not the kind of "Law" you'd call "a hass." C. B. M.

New Year, 1923.

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