

RESIGNATION.

Miss Kathleen Anna Smith, S.R.N., has resigned the position of Matron of the London Temperance Hospital, and, we understand, will shortly take up a different branch of nursing in which, no doubt, her wide experience in administration as well as in practical nursing will be of much value. She will be greatly regretted at the London Temperance Hospital.

APPOINTMENTS.**MATRON.**

London Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, N.W.—Miss A. Marshall, S.R.N., has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the General Hospital, Birmingham, and has been Night Superintendent at the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, Assistant Matron at the Royal United Hospital, Bath, Housekeeping Sister at Charing Cross Hospital, and recently Assistant Matron at the London Temperance Hospital, where her good work is evidently appreciated, and has been recognised by her promotion to the position of Matron.

ASSISTANT-MATRON.

Bethnal Green Hospital, Cambridge Road, E.2.—Miss Elizabeth Davison, S.R.N., has been appointed Assistant-Matron. She was trained at the Bethnal Green Hospital, where she has held the position of Night Sister. She has also been Sister at Ruchill Hospital, Glasgow, and Sister in Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve.

SISTER.

Bethnal Green Hospital.—Miss Mary Anderson, S.R.N., has been appointed Sister. She was trained at the Central London Sick Asylum, and has been Sister in a Private Nursing Home, and Staff Nurse and Sister in Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve.

Miss Minnie Clough, S.R.N., has been appointed Ward Sister in the same Institution. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and has been Night Sister at the Meath Hospital, Dublin, and Sister in a Ministry of Pensions Hospital, and a Sunderland Hospital. She had also had experience of Private Nursing.

Miss Clarissa Pearl Huxtable, S.R.N., has also been appointed Sister in the same Institution. She was trained at the London Hospital, E., and has been Theatre and Ward Sister at the Bridgwater Hospital, and Holiday Sister at St. Peter's Hospital, London.

Guest Hospital and Eye Infirmary, Dudley.—Miss A. Mulconey, S.R.N., has been appointed Sister in the X-Ray Department. She was trained at the Royal Hampshire County Hospital, Winchester, and in the X-Ray and Massage Department at the National Hospital, Queen Square, Bloomsbury, and has been X-Ray Sister at the North Lonsdale Hospital, Barrow-in-Furness. She is a certified Masseuse.

Miss B. Jones, S.R.N., has been appointed Sister in the same hospital. She was trained at the Wolverhampton and Staffordshire General Hospital, and has been Sister at the Bethnal Green Hospital, and the Pensions Hospital, Grantham. During the war she worked as a Sister T.F.N.S. in the 2nd Southern General Hospital.

SISTER-TUTOR AND HOME SISTER.

Meath Hospital and County Dublin Infirmary, Dublin.—Miss Margaret Lytle, S.R.N., R.R.C., has been appointed Sister-Tutor and Home Sister. She was trained at the Meath Hospital, and served for a year and a-half as a member of Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve.

THE PASSING BELL.

The Memorial Service held in the Chapel of St. Thomas's Hospital, on Saturday last (October 20th), by permission of the Treasurer and Governors, for the late Miss Amy Hughes, S.R.N., one of its distinguished alumnæ, and for years General Superintendent of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses, was conducted by the Archdeacon of London, Dr. Holmes. It was simple in character, consisting of prayers, the cxxx Psalm ("Out of the deep have I called unto thee, O Lord: Lord hear my voice"), and the hymns "Children of the Heavenly King" and "Jesu, Son of Mary, Fount of Life alone—Here we hail Thee present On Thine Altar Throne."

Amongst those present were the Honble. Sir Arthur Stanley, Treasurer of the Hospital, the Matron, Miss A. Lloyd Still, Miss Rosalind Paget, Member of the Council Q.V.J.I., Miss Peterkin, General Superintendent, and Superintendents and Nurses Q.V.J.I., and other members of the Nursing Profession, who were glad to have this opportunity for remembrance of one who after a life of social service on earth has passed beyond the veil.

OUTSIDE THE GATES.

The Six Point Group has organised a Meeting to be held at the Kingsway Hall on November 14th at 8 p.m., on the subject of Child Assault. The Speakers will include:—The Viscountess Astor, M.P., Mr. Cecil Chapman, Staff-Captain Gill (Salvation Army), Miss Ada Moore and Mrs. Wintringham, M.P. The Viscountess Rhondda will take the Chair. The speakers are being supported by many Members of Parliament, leading medical women and other eminent persons. A large number of societies are co-operating in the Meeting, including the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, British Legion (Women's Section), London Council for the Promotion of Public Morality, National Union of Women Teachers, the Royal British Nurses' Association, the National Council of Trained Nurses, the Professional Union of Trained Nurses, and the Young Women's Christian Association.

Tickets 5s., 2s. 6d., and 1s., and a limited number of free tickets, to be obtained from the Six Point Group, 92, Victoria Street, S.W. 1. Telephone: Victoria 7175.

The National Union of Societies for Equal Citizenship, 15, Dean's Yard, S.W. 1, of which Miss Eleanor Rathbone, C.C., J.P., is President, is inaugurating a vigorous programme of work for the Autumn Session. It has approached the Home Secretary asking him to receive a deputation from women's organisations on the subject of the Guardianship of Infants' Bill. It is also organising a Conference on the Separate Taxation of Married Persons, to be held at Caxton Hall, Westminster, on Monday, November 12th, at 2.30 p.m., and, on the same day, a Demonstration on Reciprocal Vows in the Marriage Service at the Central Hall, Westminster, at 8 p.m., when the speakers will include the Countess of Selborne, Miss M. A.

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