August 11, 1923

# THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF NURSES.

## MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND CONFERENCE.

The Meeting of the Executive Committee of the International Council of Nurses, with which was associated an informal Conference, convened to meet in Copenhagen, by the kind invitation of Mrs. Henny Tscherning, President, and the National Council of Nurses of Denmark, was held in that city from July 30th to August 1st inclusive. In addition to the meetings those taking part in the business meetings and Conference were entertained with unlimited hospitality.

The programme was as under :-

### PROGRAMME.

### SUNDAY, JULY 29TH.

10.30: Meeting of the Executive Committee. At Frederiksborggade, 29 I.

8 p.m.: Sunday Evening Reception. At the home of Mrs. H. Tscherning, Classensgade 13.

MONDAY, JULY 30TH.

Opening of Conference at Kommune Hospital.

### 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.; Morning Session

BARONESS MANNERHEIM, President International Council of Nurses, Chairman.

I. Address of Welcome: Mrs. H. Tscherning, Baroness Mannerheim.

II. Minutes of the Business Meeting last year : Report of the Hon. Secretary, the Hon. Treasurer's Report.

III. The "I. C. N." in relation to the newlyformed "European Council for Nursing Education '': Baroness Mannerheim, Miss Enid Newton.

1 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. : Afternoon Session.

MLLE. LA COMTESSE LOUISE D'URSEL, Chairman. I. Reports and possible elections of Hon. Vice-Presidents.

II. A reconstruction of "The International Committee on Nursing Education ": Professor Isabel M. Stewart.

## 3.10 pm. to 4 p.m.

Visit to the "Finsen Hospital."

Excursion.

### TUESDAY, JULY 31ST.

4 p.m.

8.15: Meeting of the Executive Committee. At the Kommune Hospital.

# 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon: Morning Session.

MISS CH. MUNCK, Chairman.

I. Discussion on the standing of the "I. C. N." towards the "College of Nursing, Ltd.": The Representative of the National Council of Trained Nurses of Great Britain and Ireland, and Miss Lloyd Still.

II. The desirability of the "I. C. N." broadening its activities.

(a) A larger Head Quarters.(b) The necessary secretarial help for a progresssive work : Baroness Mannerheim, Miss Verwey-Mejan.

III. The possible co-operation with the Nursing Division of the League of Red Cross Societies : Miss Clara D. Noyes, Miss K. Olmsted.

IV. The formation of a Committee of Work: Baroness Mannerheim.

### 1 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.: Afternoon Session.

GENERALOBERIN SCHWESTER AGNES KARLL, Chairman.

I. The publication of a nursing magazine to serve as the official organ of the International Council of Nurses : Miss K. Olmsted.

II. Sectional nursing conferences : Miss Ch.

Munck, Miss Ella Anscombe. III. How can a journal be of real value to the nursing profession : REPORTS from : Great Britain and Ireland, U.S.A., New Zealand, Germany, Belgium, Italy, Holland, Norway, Finland, Denmark.

# 4 p.m.

# Visit to the "Rigshospital."

8 p.m.

Reception given in honour of the "I. C. N." by the Danish Red Cross.

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1ST.

# 9.30 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.: Morning Session.

MISS CLARA D. NOYES, Chairman.

I. Recent movements in the nursing world of U.S.A.

(a) Report of the Rockefeller Committee for the Study of Nursing and Nursing Education.

(b) University Undergraduate School of Nursing (at Yale University, New Jersey, U.S.A.): Professor Isabel M. Stewart.

# 1 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.: Afternoon Session.

BARONESS MANNERHEIM, Chairman.

Miscellaneous business.

### 4 p.m.

Visit to the "Bispebjærg Hospital."

#### 5 p.m.

Meeting of the Executive Committee.

#### 8 p.m.

Banquet : " Nimbs Restaurant," Tivoli.

### The following Hon. Officers of the "I.C. N." and Guests, were present at the Conference :----

### Hon. Officers.

Baroness S. Mannerheim (Finland), President; Miss Margaret Breay (Great Britain), Hon. Treasurer; Miss C. Reimann (Denmark), Hon. Secretary; Mrs. Henny Tscherning (Denmark), Generaloberin Agnes Karll (Germany), Miss Ver-



