

Chickenpox, Enteric Fever, Measles, Rubella, Scarlet Fever, Smallpox, Whooping Cough.

2. A Ward has been quarantined for measles—how soon would you expect a case? What are the signs and symptoms you would look for?

3. State what you know of the following:—(a) Koplik spots; (b) Paralysis in Diphtheria; (c) Serum rash; (d) Otorrhoea.

4. Describe the onset and course of a severe case of whooping cough. What complications are liable to occur?

SECTION B.—FEVER NURSING.

1. (a) What are the chief points to pay attention to when nursing a case of Enteric Fever? (b) Enumerate the chief complications and state the period in the illness when they are likely to arise.

2. About when does inflammation of the kidneys usually arise in Scarlet Fever? Describe how you would nurse a case.

3. What steps would you take to prevent cross infection in a fever ward?

4. What is meant by "the toilet of the mouth"? Why is it so important in Fever Nursing? How would you carry it out?

OPTIONAL EXAMINATION FOR THE SICK CHILDREN'S NURSES' REGISTER.

Morning Paper. Anatomy, Physiology, Hygiene.

(Time allowed 2½ hours).

ANATOMY.

(TWO questions only to be answered).

1. Describe briefly the vertebral column. State the number of vertebrae present and name the different segments.

2. Describe the general structure of the heart, and give the names of the chief vessels entering into, and passing from the heart.

3. What are the different varieties of joints? Describe one joint in detail.

4. Give a short description of the alimentary canal.

PHYSIOLOGY.

(TWO questions only to be answered).

5. Describe the process of respiration.

6. Trace the digestion of starch in the body.

7. Describe the structure and functions of the kidneys.

8. State what you know of the following:—(a) Reflex action; (b) Lymph; (c) Protein; (d) Cerebellum; (e) Iris.

HYGIENE.

(ONE question only to be answered).

9. What steps would you take to prevent the spread of infection in a private house in which a case of scarlet fever has occurred.

10. How would you deal with a case of pediculosis of:—(a) The hair; (b) the clothes, and (c) the body?

Afternoon Paper. Children's Diseases, Children's Nursing.

CHILDREN'S DISEASES.

(TWO questions only to be answered, one of which is to be taken from section A and one from section B).

A.

1. What are the symptoms of rheumatism as seen in childhood? State any dangers immediate or remote in connection with this disease.

2. By what signs and symptoms would you judge that a breast-fed infant is being underfed? State exactly what you would do in such a case.

B.

3. What do you understand by the following terms:—(a) Fowler's position; (b) Sequestrum; (c) Antisepsis; (d) Empyema; (e) Absorbable sutures.

4. What are the signs of inflammation, and how may inflammation terminate?

CHILDREN'S NURSING.

(THREE questions only to be answered).

5. Explain what is meant by:—(a) "Infectious Disease," and (b) "Contagious Disease." What are the characteristics of an acute infectious disease?

6. Describe the nursing of a severe case of summer diarrhoea in infants, and mention some of the chief causes.

7. In how many ways may saline fluid be introduced into the body? What is the object in giving saline fluid, and state the reason why the fluid should contain salt.

8. How would you prepare a child for an abdominal operation?
9. Describe the nursing of a case of acute nephritis in a child.
10. How would you nurse a case of paraplegia? What are the special points you would pay attention to?

THE STATE REGISTERS.

Since our last issue, the State Register of Nurses for 1924, issued under the direction of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, in pursuance of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1919, has been published, price 10s. 6d. It now approximates in size to the Medical Register.

We have also received the Register of Nurses, and the Roll of Midwives for 1924, published under the Joint Nursing and Midwives' Council for Northern Ireland, two slim booklets, admirably produced and printed, the former in a grey cover, price 3s. 6d., and the latter in a true Irish green, price 2s. 6d., both lettered in green.

THE STATE UNIFORM.

Messrs. Boyd Cooper, 4, George Street, Hanover Square, London, W.1, who designed the State Registered Nurses' uniform, are making it a special feature. Models of the whole uniform are on view in their showrooms, where everything is supplied except the State Registered Nurses' hats and badges. Price list and patterns will be sent to Registered Nurses on application.

At long last Registered Nurses seem within sight of obtaining the protected uniform which may not, under penalty, be worn by all and sundry. We recently saw in the Nurses' Saloon at Messrs. Garrould's, 150, Edgware Road, W., a model of the coat frock, with detachable cape, lined with Royal Blue satin of the same shade as the blue braid on the coat frock. The dark blue overcoat has also touches of blue of the same colour, and dark buttons bearing the Tudor Rose, and the words England and Wales round the border. The coat and skirt, which is designed in the same colouring, is worn with a shirt blouse of Jap silk, with a Regulation tie of Royal Blue silk poplin.

We advise our readers to inspect these models for themselves, and as this uniform, which is only supplied on a permit to be obtained from the Registrar of the General Nursing Council, at 12, York Gate, the sooner these permits are applied for the better.

Messrs. Marshall & Snelgrove, Vere Street, also supply the uniform, but so far it is not on view.

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