

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Association took place at Headquarters on Thursday, June 18th. Her Royal Highness the Princess Arthur of Connaught was unable to be present and Mr. Herbert Paterson, Medical Honorary Secretary, occupied the Chair.

The Executive Committee's Report dealt chiefly with the proceedings of the year 1924, which have all been fully reported in the Official Organ, as they occurred. Mrs. Fenwick pointed out that as a result of the Deputation to the Minister of Health, organised by the Registered Nurses' Parliamentary Council, a Select Committee had been appointed to consider the rules of the General Nursing Council with regard to the prescribed training of nurses, and the reservation of seats on the Council for Matrons.

The accounts showed some excess of income over expenditure on all the Funds, which is very satisfactory.

The following were declared elected as Members of the General Council as a result of the postal Ballot which had just been taken.

Medical Men :—

F. W. Morison, Esq., M.D., John Murray, Esq., M.B., F.R.C.S., Richard Lake, Esq., F.R.C.S., A. T. Schofield, Esq., M.D., Mark Hovell, Esq., F.R.C.S., Percy Jakins, Esq., F.R.C.S., Louis Parkes, Esq., M.D., D.P.H., Guy Barton, Esq., M.D., M. Cursham Corner, Esq., M.B., John MacEwen, Esq., M.B., and *Matrons and Superintendents* : Miss M. G. Allbutt, Miss E. Brodie, Miss A. S. Glegg Bryson, Miss Steuart Donaldson, Miss E. Macaulay, O.B.E., Miss E. Northover, Miss Mackenzie Rose, Miss K. Smith, R.R.C., Miss P. F. Watt, R.R.C., Miss M. Winmill.

*Sisters and Nurses :—*Miss L. Bennett, R.R.C., Miss E. C. Bramwell, A.R.R.C., Miss M. Dempster, Mrs. Eeles, Miss C. M. Eve, J.P., Mrs. Hamilton Gibson, Miss F. Macdonald, R.R.C., Miss J. Morrisey, Miss M. L. Muriel, Mrs. Campbell Thomson, O.B.E.

OUR VISITORS FROM BEYOND THE SEAS.

Members of the R.B.N.A. have enjoyed exceedingly the great privilege which we have had again this summer, that of welcoming to our Club visitors from other lands. Energetic Empire makers from our far-flung Dominions have visited us, and not a few of the alert and energetic Members of the profession in America. This has led to a stimulating interchange of opinion, and has added to our many pleasant friendships in other parts of the world. Every week during the summer we have had letters which show that nurses who visited London last year for the Exhibition, still remember their friends here ; they express the feeling that, at Queen's Gate, they really have an English Home, and the hope that, at future Congresses perhaps, they will captain sights and experiences for us when we visit other lands. We hope that, when the Congress in Finland closes, we shall be able to welcome many nurses to the Club as they pass through London homewards.



HER ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCESS ARTHUR OF CONNAUGHT, S.R.N., (PRESIDENT OF THE ROYAL BRITISH NURSES' ASSOCIATION) AND THE EARL OF MACDUFF.

DONATIONS.

General Purposes Fund.—Miss A. M. Tisdall, 10s.; Miss McCracken, Miss K. Raye and Mrs. Sutton-Pheelan, 5s.; Miss K. G. Jones, Mrs. Rant, Mrs. A. M. Smith, 2s. 6d.; Miss Mary Bell, 1s. 6d.; Miss K. Bangham, 6d.

Helena Benevolent Fund—Mrs. Cecil Roberts, 10s.; Mrs. Collett, Miss M. Cooper, 5s.; Miss C. Machin, 3s. 6d.; Miss R. N. Nattle, 3s.; Miss H. L. Pearse, 2s. 6d.; Misses

Bell, Gray, Maxwell-Moffatt, Sturgis and Turnbull, 1s. *House Beautiful Fund.*—Miss V. Rice, £5 5s.; Anon., Misses Grahame and Liddiatt, £1; Andrew S. Currie, Esq., M.D., 10s. 6d.; Misses F. Macdonald, I. Macdonald and Dr. Morison, 10s.; Misses C. Ford, M. McFarlane, R. Silcock and Mrs. Tribble, 5s.; Mrs. Aylesbury, 3s.; Misses E. L. Lawrence and MacVitie, 2s. 6d.; Misses A. S. Gray, Jarvis, Lohr, Sims and Mrs. Charles Gray, 2s.; Misses King, Pearse, Rodwell and A. Williams, 1s.

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