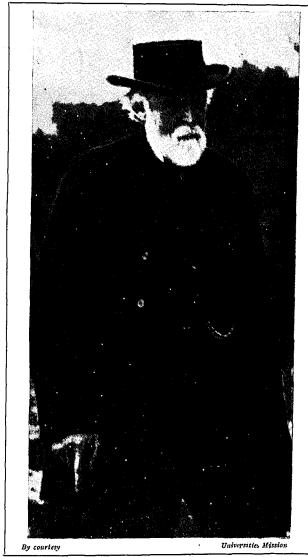
# GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL FOR SCOTLAND.

# PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION, OCTOBER, 1925. Results.

Elementary Anatomy and Physiology.—Total Entered, 265. Failed in Written Part, 49. Failed in Oral and Practical Part, 10. Total Passed, 206.

Hygiene.—Total Entered, 257. Failed in Written Part, 52. Failed in Oral and Practical Part, 12. Total Passed, 173.

Elementary Theory and Practice of Nursing.—Part I.— Total Entered, 233. Failed in Written Part, 7. Failed in Oral and Practical Part, 23. Total Passed, 203.



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# FINAL EXAMINATIONS, OCTOBER, 1925.

Fourteen Candidates presented themselves for Examination in Edinburgh, 19 in Glasgow, 3 in Dundee, and 6 in Aberdeen.

## General Nurses' Examination.

Ten candidates entered and all passed, both in the first paper on Medical and Surgical subjects, and in the second paper on Nursing and Cooking. None failed in the Oral and Practical Part.

#### Fever Nurses' Examination.

Thirty-one candidates entered. In the first paper on Infectious Diseases, 3 failed in the written part, and 28 passed. In the second paper on Nursing and Cooking, 3 failed in the written part, 3 in the Oral and Practical Part, and 25 passed.

#### Mental Nurses' Examination.

One candidate entered for the Mental Nurses' Examination, and passed.

### THE PASSING BELL.

"I would the light of reason, Lord,
Unto the last might shine,
That mine own hand might hold my soul
Until it pass to Thine."

How often have those who were wont to attend the service at St. Alban's, Holborn, on Sunday afternoons which Father Russell had made peculiarly his own, sung the above words, while he drew forth sweet music from the organ. It is good to know that this wish was fulfilled, and that, conscious to the last, he asked for a drink of water and peacefully passed away. Glad as he was to pass over (his friend, the Archdeacon of London, tells that when told he was homeward bound his reply was "Good news! Good news!") he took a keen interest in current events, and he had the wireless extended to his bedroom so that he could hear Big Ben strike once more. What he was to nurses during the half century he acted as Chaplain General to the Guild of St. Barnabas, they alone know. Beloved of the St. Alban's School Children, it is told that once when shown a picture of the Good Shepherd, and asked who it was, they acclaimed it as "Father Russell." We do not grudge him his long deferred rest, but the world seems an emptier place without him.

# APPOINTMENTS.

## MATRON.

Bracebridge Mental Hospital, Lincolnshire.—Miss A. S. Douglas has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, and has been Assistant Matron at the Newcastle Mental Hospital.

St. John's Brine Bath Hospital, Droit wich.—Miss Mabel Harrison, S.R.N., has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Bristol, and has been Assistant Matron at Acland Home, Oxford.

## "ASSISTANT MATRON,

Leeds General Infirmary.—Miss Helen Dey, S.R.N., R.R.C., has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, and Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, London. She has been Sister at Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, and served in France from August 1914, to March. 1919, with Q.A.I.M.N.S.R. and Q.A.I.M.N.S., and was mentioned in despatches. Miss Dey was also on Service in Ireland, 1921. She has also seen service in Detroit, U.S.A.

Bury Infirmary, Lancs.—Miss Ethel Blackett, S.R.N., has been appointed Assistant Matron and Sister Tutor. She was trained at the Preston Royal Infirmary, and was Sister of Medical and Eye Wards there. She has also been Night Superintendent at North Ormesby Hospital, Middlesborough; Male Surgical Ward Sister at the District Hospital, West Bromwich, and House-keeping Sister at the Royal Infirmary, Chester.

The New Headquarters of the International Council of Nurses are at 1, Place du Lac, Geneva, overlooking the beautiful Lake. Miss Reimann, the Secretary of the Council, is now settled in Geneva, and we hear that we may soon expect the first issue of the I.C.N., the name decided upon at Halila for the Quarterly Journal which will be substituted for the typewritten Bulletin.

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