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Editorial.

WE have received several communications, all of which, we regret, were couched in terms too strong for publication, relative to a matter which appears to have aroused a very considerable amount of local feeling in the parish of St. Marylebone. This district in the West End is popularly known as one of the wealthiest and one of the healthiest in London, the latter being a reputation much cherished by its inhabitants. It includes, as many of our readers know, the small area bounded by Cavendish Square, Wimpole Street, and Portland Place, in which live most of the leading physicians and surgeons of the day, so that the neighbourhood has certainly no excuse for unhealthiness. In one of the smaller streets in this locality, a Miss MARY POLLOCK has a Nursing Home for medical and surgical patients, to which, we understand, the neighbours have never raised any objection. So far as we can gather from the various statements, memorials, and newspaper cuttings which have been sent to us, it appears that some months ago Miss POLLOCK took two small houses opposite her Home, in Weymouth Street, and that it was understood these were for the accommodation of her employées, as this lady not only takes in patients, but also sends out private Nurses. It was, quite recently, discovered, however, that these houses were being used for the reception of patients suffering from scarlet fever and other infectious diseases, and that there was a constant succession of such cases

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