

3. Preparation of the Operation Bed.

The Nurse collects her equipment. The bed is stripped, and an ether, or operation bed is made.

The patient returns from the theatre and is put in the bed. His gown is changed and the bedclothes tucked in warmly around him.

Mimeographed procedure sheets, giving in detail the equipment necessary and outlining methods of procedure are sent with this film to schools of Nursing.

Public Health Films.

(Pictures taken at East Harlem Nursing and Health Service, New York.)

1. Contents of the Nurse's Bag.

This film shows, first, a general view of the contents of the bag, followed up by close-ups of the contents in groups of one or two pieces, with title cards naming the articles.

2. Demonstration Baby's Bath in the Home.

In this picture we see the nurse leaving the Public Health office and going to the home where she is to demonstrate to the mother how to bathe her two-weeks-old baby. Next we see the mother watching the procedure closely, while the grandmother helps the nurse gather her equipment. The other children are also seen in this film as interested spectators.

3. A Health Clinic.

In this film there is a general view of the Health Clinic. The mothers and babies are entering and registering with the officer at the door.

There is one particular baby that we follow through the Clinic, and then general views of other mothers and their children.

We see the baby weighed, and then it has its temperature taken by its mother, under the direction of the nurse. Next, we watch the mother speaking to the nurse about the baby's diet and the foods which she is giving to the child. The mother then takes the baby in to see the doctor, who makes an examination and checks the chart, after which another clinic nurse gives the mother a return appointment card.

RADIUM FUNDS NEED SUPPORT.

The Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, has a world-wide reputation for the treatment of disease for which radium is beneficial, and its little patients are dependent upon "borrowed" radium. Surely this is a reflection upon the generosity of the wealthy.

It will cost £1,000 to purchase a supply sufficient for use at Great Ormond Street, and towards this £269 has already been received. In addition, a promise has just been received that if this can be increased to £900 the last £100 will be given by a friend of the hospital. Donations may be addressed to the Financial Secretary at the Hospital marked "Radium Fund."

The extension of the Liverpool Hospital for Cancer and Radium Treatment is just opened. This extension has cost £25,000, and forms the first part of a £70,000 scheme to treat patients from Merseyside, North Wales, South-West Lancashire, and Cheshire. The building consists of 10 storeys. One of the floors will be completely occupied by apparatus of the newest type, and the walls, floors, and ceilings of this section are thickly lined with lead. For the hospital's £20,000 store of radium a lead-lined strong room has been provided. Apparatus of 230,000 volts will facilitate deep therapy treatment by X-ray, and for surface skin treatment the new Grenz ray apparatus will be used. The operating theatre will be supplied with filtered air and cooled by a constant cascade of water over its glass roof and wall.

APPOINTMENTS.

ASSISTANT MATRON.

Llandough Hospital, Cardiff.—Miss E. Upton, S.R.N., has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the County Hospital, Wakefield, and at the North Eastern Hospital, Tottenham, and took the Housekeeping Course of the Brompton Hospital, London. Miss Upton has been Ward Sister, Junior and Senior Night Sister at the City Lodge Hospital, Cardiff, and Assistant Superintendent Nurse at Tawe Lodge Hospital, Swansea.

SISTER-TUTOR.

Medway Hospital, Chatham.—Miss A. M. Parker, S.R.N., has been appointed Sister Tutor. She was trained at the General Hospital, Willesden, is a Certified Midwife, and holds the Sister Tutors' Certificate of the Battersea Polytechnic.

HOME SISTER AND SISTER TUTOR

Victoria Memorial Jewish Hospital, Manchester.—Miss E. Phillips, S.R.N., has been appointed Home Sister and Sister Tutor. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Preston, and the Royal Liverpool Children's Hospital, and has been Ward Sister at the General Infirmary, Macclesfield, Night Sister at the Women's Hospital, Liverpool, and Night Sister at the Royal Infirmary, Hull. Miss Phillips took the Housekeeping Course of the Royal Southern Hospital, Liverpool.

HOME SISTER.

Victoria Hospital for Children, London, S.W.3.—Miss C. Farrant, S.R.N., has been appointed Home Sister. She was trained at the Queen's Hospital for Children, London, where she was later Medical Ward Sister, and at the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, Norwich, where she was later Administrative Holiday Sister, and where she obtained the Housekeeping Certificate.

CHARGE SISTER.

Queen's Park Hospital, Blackburn.—Miss M. Cooke, S.R.N., has been appointed Charge Sister. She was trained at the Harton Hospital, South Shields, and has been Pupil Housekeeper at the Leeds Maternity Hospital, Night Sister at the Victoria Children's Hospital, Hull, District Midwife under the Stanley Nursing Association, Night Sister at the Primrose Bank Infirmary, Burnley, and Ward Sister, Children's Ward Sister, and Sister-in-Charge of the Ultra-violet Ray Department at Harton Hospital, South Shields.

NIGHT SISTER.

Grimsby and District Hospital, Grimsby.—Miss E. Brewster, S.R.N. has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the General Hospital, Nottingham, and has been Staff Nurse at the Infirmary, Warrington, Sister at the District Hospital, Cromer, Ward Sister, Theatre Relief Sister and Night Sister at the Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea, and Theatre Sister and Children's Ward Sister at the Haywood Hospital, Burslem.

Borough Infectious Diseases Hospital, Oldham.—Miss E. Williams, S.R.N., has been appointed Night Sister. She was trained at the Withington Hospital, Manchester, and has been Sister at the Fazakerley Sanatorium, Liverpool, and Sister at the Ladywell Hospital, Salford.

HEALTH VISITOR.

Borough of Heston and Isleworth.—Miss B. P. Manning, S.R.N., has been appointed Health Visitor and Clinic Nurse. She was trained at the Walton Hospital, Liverpool, and at the Maternity Hospital, Plaistow, and has been Health Visitor and School Nurse under the Bucks County Council and Health Visitor under the Wandsworth Borough Council.

LEGACIES FOR NURSES.

A gift of £14,000 to a hospital matron is made in the will of Dr. Alexander Duncan, medical officer of health for Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorgan.

Dr. Duncan, who left £14,873 (net personalty £14,673), gave, apart from £100 and a portrait, all his property to Miss Catherine Jones, matron of Merthyr Tydfil Isolation Hospital.

Mr. Cecil Dudley Driver, of Walmer, left £100 to Maud Enroth, for her skill in nursing his beloved wife.

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