

Miss A. M. Bushby, £3 6s. for Sympathy Fund from sale of stamps.

Miss H. Lamb, £1 0s. 6d. for Sympathy Fund.

Miss E. Harrald, Australasian Annual.

BRITISH JOURNAL OF NURSING, "The Nurses' Text-book," by Esther Fisher; "Midwifery for Nurses," by Douglas Miller; "Feeding and Care of Baby," by Sir F. Truby King, Kt., C.M.G., M.B., B.Sc.; "Medicine for Nurses," by W. Gordon Sears, M.D., M.R.C.P.; "Diseases of Women," by Ten Teachers. Edited by Clifford White, Sir Comyns Berkeley and Frank Cook; "Failure of the Heart and Circulation," by Terence East, M.A., M.D., F.R.C.P.; "A Catechism of Air Raid Precautions," by Norman Hammer, M.R.C.S.

INACCURATE NURSING HISTORY AVOIDABLE.

Miss M. Breay reported that a book entitled "The Story of the Growth of Nursing" by Agnes Pavey, had been sent to the BRITISH JOURNAL OF NURSING for review. The book purports to be a History of Nursing from earliest times, but it is to be regretted that in relation to the Organisation of Nursing into a State Recognised Profession, Miss Pavey had not consulted those who had initiated the movement and knew the history of State Registration of nurses from start to finish, and who would have been able to give her the accurate documentary information which she did not possess, and without which no one should venture to write history. This chapter contains many mis-statements which might have been avoided, which also applies to the account of the Foundation of the International Council of Nurses.

The Council unanimously agreed to communicate with Miss Pavey, drawing her attention to these numerous errors and to request her to correct them in subsequent editions.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

It was unanimously agreed that the next meeting of the Council be held on February 19th.

OTHER BUSINESS.

Miss E. Brodie, who was present, was warmly congratulated by the President on behalf of the Council on being appointed by the Department of Health for Scotland to serve on the General Nursing Council for Scotland.

THE OBLIGATION.

Two members attended and took the Obligation and were welcomed into the College by the Council, with whom they took tea.

The meeting then terminated.

FIXTURES.

February 19th.—Monthly Meeting of the Council, 2.30 p.m.

LECTURES.

Two Lectures will be delivered by Mr. W. E. Cooke, F.R.C.S.I.

(1) On "The Typhoid Group of Fevers" on Tuesday, 22nd February, 1938.

(2) On "The Dysenteries," on Tuesday, 22nd March, 1938. Both Lectures will be at 8 p.m., illustrated by Lantern Slides, to be followed by light refreshments. Fellows and Members will be cordially welcomed without further notice.

ADMINISTRATION CLASS.

By the kind consent of the authorities concerned, arrangements have been made by the Council of the British College of Nurses for an Administration Class of Fellows and Members to visit one of Dr. Barnardo's Homes, The Hospital, Girls' Village Home, Barkingside, Essex, on Thursday, March 10th.

Fellows and Members wishing to attend are requested to communicate as soon as possible with the Secretary, The British College of Nurses, 39, Portland Place, W.1.

APPOINTMENTS.

MATRON.

The Princess Beatrice Hospital, Earl's Court, London, S.W.—Miss H. M. Burbury, S.R.N., S.C.M., D.N. (London University), has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the Middlesex Hospital, London, W., where she was later Ward Sister, Assistant Housekeeper and Office Sister. Miss Burbury has also been Night Superintendent at the Surrey County Hospital, Kingston-on-Thames.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, London, E.1.—Miss Marion Hampshire, S.R.N., has been appointed Matron. She was trained at the General Infirmary, Salisbury, where she was later Staff Nurse and Sister, Out-Patients' Department and V.D. Clinic. Miss Hampshire has also been Ward Sister and Night Sister at Lord Mayor Treloar's Hospital, Alton; Sister at the Margaret Macdonald Baby Clinic and Hospital; Ward Sister, Night Sister, Home and Tutor Sister at the National Hospital for Nervous Diseases; Assistant Matron at St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Wapping, London, E.; Sister T.A.N.S., and has been engaged in private nursing.

ASSISTANT MATRON.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing.—Miss Isabella Else, S.R.N., has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the Children's Hospital, Sheffield, where she was later Surgical Ward Sister and Out-Patient Sister, and at the West London Hospital, where she was later Women's Surgical Ward Sister. Miss Else has also been Night Sister and Home Sister at the London Homeopathic Hospital; and Relief Sister, Housekeeper, and Sister Tutor at the Princess Elizabeth of York Hospital, Shadwell, London, E.

Royal Halifax Infirmary, Halifax.—Miss Emily Kinch, S.R.N., has been appointed Assistant Matron. She was trained at the East Suffolk and Ipswich Hospital, Ipswich, where she was later Sister, Assistant Sister Tutor and Assistant Home Sister, and Senior Home Sister; and has also been Night Sister at the South London Hospital, Clapham Common, and Night Sister at the Royal Halifax Infirmary.

SISTER TUTOR.

David Lewis Northern Hospital, Liverpool.—Miss Nora Livesey, S.R.N., S.C.M., has been appointed Sister Tutor. She was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Manchester, and at the Ladywell Sanatorium, Salford, where she was later Ward Sister. Miss Livesey has also been Ward Sister at the Lancs County Orthopaedic Hospital; Sister-in-Charge of the Preliminary Training School, and Senior Sister Tutor at the Royal Hospital, Salford; and Assistant Matron at St. Helens Hospital, Lancs.; and took the Housekeeping Course of the Leamington and S. Warwick General Hospital.

Maternity Nursing Association, 63-65, Myddelton Square, E.C.1.—Miss Alice Aldridge, S.R.N., has been appointed Sister Tutor. She was trained at St. Luke's Hospital, Chelsea, S.W.10, and at the East End Maternity Hospital, E.1, and has held the positions of Lying-in Ward Sister, and District and Labour Ward Sister at the East End Maternity Hospital. She has done Private Nursing in Folkestone and been Sister at the Eastern Hospital, Homerton, Maternity Ward Sister at Paddington Hospital, and Sister-in-Charge of the Ormond Maternity Home.

Monsall Hospital for Infectious Diseases, Manchester.—Miss Hilda Baker, S.R.N., R.F.N., S.C.M., has been appointed Sister Tutor. She was trained at the Mile End Hospital and at the Plaistow Hospital, London, E., and has been Ward Sister and Assistant Sister Tutor at the Romford Isolation Hospital; and Sister Tutor and Home Sister at the Ilford Isolation Hospital. Miss Baker holds the Sister Tutor's Diploma of the Battersea Polytechnic.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTER.

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan.—Miss L. E. Winch, S.R.N., has been appointed Housekeeping Sister. She was trained at the Essex County Hospital, Colchester; and at the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin; and has been Staff Nurse at Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate; and the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin; Sister of Surgical Wards and Relief Sister for Theatre and Housekeeping at the Essex County Hospital, Colchester. Miss Winch took the Housekeeping Course of Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, Norwich.

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