

Note.— $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ Conversion Loan is held to the value of £1,025 (Nominal £1,000), purchased on November 16th, 1937.

We have examined the above Receipts and Payments Account with the books and vouchers of the Council and certify the same to be correct.

REEVES, GOTHARD & FARRIES,
Chartered Accountants.

8, Laurence Pountney Hill,
London, E.C.4.
October 16th, 1940.

No. 2 ACCOUNT.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE SCHOLARSHIPS APPEAL FUND.

Receipts and Payments Account for the year ending September 30th, 1940.

RECEIPTS.				£	s.	d.
<i>To Balance brought forward October 1st, 1939—</i>						
„ At Bank	...	...	...	38	14	3
„ In Hand	...	...	...	1	8	0
„ Donations	...	...	...	20	0	0
				£60	2	3
PAYMENTS.						
<i>By Commission on Scottish Notes</i>						
„ Balance forward September 30th, 1940—	...	...	...	0	1	8
At Bank	...	...	...	58	12	7
In Hand	...	...	...	1	8	0
				£60	2	3

Note.—National Savings Certificates are held to the value of £249 15s. od. (Nominal £333) purchased on December 16th, 1935.

We have examined the above Receipts and Payments Account with the books and vouchers of the Florence Nightingale Scholarships Appeal Fund, and certify the same to be correct.

REEVES, GOTHARD & FARRIES,
Chartered Accountants.

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London, E.C.4.
October 16th, 1940.

No. 3 ACCOUNT.

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF NURSES FUND.

Receipts and Payments Account for the year ending September 30th, 1940.

RECEIPTS.				£	s.	d.
<i>To Balance brought forward October 1st, 1939—</i>						
At Bank	...	...	...	130	16	8
In Hand	...	...	...	2	12	5
				£133	9	1
PAYMENTS.						
<i>By Purchase of £100 $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ Conversion Loan</i>						
„ Balance in hand September 30th, 1940—	...	...	...	98	10	6
At Bank	...	...	...	32	6	2
In Hand	...	...	...	2	12	5
				£133	9	1

Note.— $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ Conversion Loan (Bearer) is held to the value of £98 10s. 6d. (Nominal £100), purchased on March 15th, 1940.

We have examined the above Receipts and Payments Account with the books and vouchers of the International Congress of Nurses Fund, and certify the same to be correct.

REEVES, GOTHARD & FARRIES,
Chartered Accountants.

8, Laurence Pountney Hill,
London, E.C.4.
October 16th, 1940.

THE GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL FOR ENGLAND AND WALES.

A meeting of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales was held at the offices of the Council, 23, Portland Place, London, W.1, on October 25th. Dame Ellen Musson, D.B.E., R.R.C., LL.D., was in the chair.

The Council paid silent tribute to the memory of the late Miss M. E. Sparshott, for 17 years a member of the Council, and its Vice-Chairman in 1932.

Finance.

On the recommendation of the Finance Committee, bills and claims submitted for payment were approved, and the sums of £590 for weekly salaries, £250 for postage stamps, £30 for insurance stamps, and £20 for petty cash were allowed.

Registration.

Applications for approval for Registration were: General part of the Register by reciprocity, 11; Supplementary part of the Register for Sick Children's Nurses, by reciprocity, 4; for Fever Nurses, by examination, 13, by reciprocity, 3. Total, 31.

It was agreed that 40 nurses who had hitherto failed to pay their retention fee, and now wished their names re-included in the Register, should be re-included.

It was reported that copies of Registers have been received from the Madras Nurses and Midwives Council, and from the Midwives and Nurses' Registration Board of Western Australia.

Education and Examination.

On the recommendation of the Education and Examination Committee, it was agreed that:—

The provisional approval of the schemes of affiliation between High Teams Hospital, Gateshead, and the Royal Infirmary, Sunderland; between Deal, Walmer and District War Memorial Victoria Hospital, and the Royal Northern Hospital, London; and between the Camborne-Redruth Miners' and General Hospital (formerly West Cornwall Miners' and Women's Hospital, Redruth), and Bridgwater Hospital, be extended for a further period of two years or for the duration of the war, whichever is the less;

The provisional approval of the County Hospital, Chatham, as a Complete Training School, be extended for a further period of two years, or for the duration of the war, whichever is the less;

The scheme of affiliation between Ransome Sanatorium, Rainworth, near Mansfield, and the City Hospital, Nottingham, be provisionally approved for a period of two years, or for the duration of the war, whichever is the less.

Correspondence from the Board of Education was considered, and it was agreed to provisionally approve the one year whole-time Pre-Nursing Course at Wallington County School for Girls; to approve the one year whole-time Pre-Nursing Course at Fairfield High School for Girls, Droylsden, Lancs; at Bexley Day Technical School for Girls; at Chatham Day Technical School for Girls; at Brighton Municipal Secondary School for Girls; to provisionally approve the one year whole-time Pre-Nursing Course at Brecon County School (Girls); at Carlisle and County High School for Girls; at Bournemouth Municipal College; at Shrewsbury Technical College, for the purposes of Part I. of the Preliminary Examination.

Mental Nursing.

On the recommendation of the Mental Nursing Committee, it was agreed that the provisional approval of the Bridge Home, Witham, in combination with the Royal Eastern Counties Institution, Colchester, be extended for a further period of two years or for the duration of the war, whichever is the less.

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