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FIRST MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE.

The first meeting of the Nurses' Salaries Committee was summoned by Lord Rushcliffe, C.B.E., Chairman, to meet at the Ministry of Health on Thursday, November 20th, at 11 a.m.

There was a full meeting and preliminary business was transacted. Mr. C. A. W. Roberts, M.B.E., Manager, Walton Hospital, Liverpool, was elected Chairman of the Employees' (Nurses) panel, and Miss D. M. Elliott, National Union of General and Municipal Workers, Secretary of the Committee.

Several scales of approved salaries were handed in, and all delegates were requested to forward such lists as soon as possible. It was agreed that the next meeting of the Committee was to be held on December 12th.

INFECTIOUS HOSPITALS MATRONS' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Infectious Hospitals Matrons' Association was held on Saturday, December 6th, at the Royal British Nurses' Association, 194, Queen's Gate, Kensington. The meeting was fully representative-members coming from considerable distances.

Miss McLoughlin took the Chair in the unavoidable absence of Miss Wright (on active service), who sent a letter asking to be relieved of the Chair for the duration, and Miss McLoughlin kindly consented to fill the vacancy.

Miss Sharp, of Woodford Hospital, was elected Vice-President, and Miss Barcham, of the Eastern Hospital, was appointed to serve on the Executive Committee.

Apologies for non-attendance were received from Miss Bryson and Miss Tilby in consequence of illness.

Miss Tilby (Waltham Abbey) was elected to serve on the British College of Nurses Special Committee in place of Miss Spaull.

In the absence of Miss Tilby, Miss Ruddy (East Grinstead) gave an account of the meetings of the Special Committee.

Miss West (Hon. Secretary) reported on the Meetings she had attended of the Reconstruction Committee of the Royal College of Nursing, amongst other matters.

The postponement of the Tea Dance was regretted, but it was decided to try to hold it early in the New Year.

During the recess for tea, Miss Madley, Matron of the American Red Cross Hospital in England, gave a short but extremely interesting account of the work of the Unit, and also replied to a number of questions arising out of her talk.

Miss Madley's sister, who has newly arrived in this country, was also present, and it was with unfeigned delight that she met Miss West (the Hon. Sec.). Miss Madley's sister was trained in England, at Dulwich Hospital, and was a probationer of Miss West. It was quite a surprising reunion.

Miss Madley extended a cordial invitation to the members of the Association to visit her Hospital at some date to be arranged.

The next meeting will be held, by kind invitation, at the Isolation Hospital, Waltham Abbey, on Saturday, March 7th, 1942.



