

THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF NURSES

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

May 11th to 16th, 1947

SUNDAY, MAY 11th, 1947

- 9 a.m. Protestant Services Afternoon
- 10 a.m. Catholic Services Registration

MONDAY, MAY 12th, 1947

MORNING SESSION

Presiding : Miss Effie J. Taylor, President

- 9 a.m. Organ Recital
- 10 a.m. Addresses of welcome Secretary of State
Canada—Canadian representative in Washington, D.C.
World Health Organisation—Dr. Chisholm
U.S. Public Health Organisation—Dr. Parran
Education—Miss Blanding, Vassar
President of the A.M.A.
Nurse—Great Britain
Nurse—China

GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING

Presiding : Miss Effie J. Taylor, President

- President's address.
- Report of the Eighth Congress of the International Council of Nurses.
- Report of the Executive Secretary—Miss A. Schwarzenberg.
- Report of the Treasurer—Dame Ellen Musson, D.B.E., R.R.C., LL.D., S.R.N.

Reports Of Standing Committees And Sections

- (a) Membership ... Miss Florence A. M. Emory
- (b) Program ... Miss Elnora Thomson
- (c) Arrangements ... Miss Katherine Densford
- (d) Publications ... Miss Mary Roberts
- (e) Nominations ... Miss Susan C. Francis
- (f) Education ... Miss Isabel M. Stewart
- (g) Public Health ... Miss Edna Moore
- (h) Private Duty Nursing ... Miss Isabel Macdonald
- (i) Ethics of Nursing ... Miss B. G. Alexander
- (j) Revision of Constitution and By-Laws ... Mrs. Alma H. Scott
- (k) Finance ... Dame Ellen Musson, D.B.E., R.R.C., LL.D., S.R.N.
- (l) Advisory ... Mlle. Jeanne Hellemans
- (m) Headquarters ... Dame Ellen Musson, D.B.E., R.R.C., LL.D., S.R.N.
- (n) Florence Nightingale Foundation ... Miss Effie J. Taylor
- (o) Mental Nursing ... Mrs. Karin Neuman-Rahn
- (p) Health Statistics ... Miss M. I. Lambie

12 to 2 p.m. LUNCH

5 to 5.30 p.m.—MOVIES, Section Rooms.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Section Meetings 1-3 p.m.

Section 1—General Assembly Room

Section 3—Ballroom

- Topic : Professional Education
- Topic : Functions of Professional Organisations in taking care of Nurses' Working Conditions, e.g., Salaries

Presiding : Philippines
Speaker : Belgium

Presiding : New Zealand
Speaker : Sweden, Hojer

- 3-3.45 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
- 4-5 p.m. SECTION MEETINGS (continued)
Discussion : Finland, bring in Discussion: U.S.A.
Minimum Requirements in Nursing Education

- 5-5.30 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
MOVIES, Section Rooms

TUESDAY, MAY 13th, 1947

MORNING SESSION

Section Meetings 9 a.m.

- Section 2—General Assembly Room
- Section 4—Ballroom
- Topic : Development of Industrial Nursing
- Topic : The Shortage of Nurses & Methods to meet it
- Presiding : Iceland
- Presiding : China
- Speaker : Great Britain
- Speaker : U.S.A.
- 10-10.45 a.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
- 11 a.m. SECTION MEETINGS (continued)
Discussion : Canada
- Discussion : Switzerland

AFTERNOON SESSION

Section Meetings 1-3 p.m.

- Section 1—General Assembly Room
- Section 3—Ballroom
- Topic : I.C.N. Responsibility for International Education of Nurses
- Topic : Recent Legislation As It Affects Nurses in Great Britain (see suggestion *ii*)
- Presiding : Greece
- Presiding : Brazil
- Speaker : Canada
- Speaker : South Africa

- 3-3.45 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
- 4-5 p.m. SECTION MEETINGS (continued)
Discussion : Norway
- Discussion : France, include *Protection in work*

- 5-5.30 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
MOVIES, Section Rooms

EVENING SESSION

- 8 p.m. Presiding : Miss Katherine Densford, President
Florence Nightingale Oration
Entertainment
(A.N.A. to plan evening)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14th, 1947

MORNING SESSION

GENERAL SESSION

- 10 a.m. Presiding : Miss Annie W. Goodrich
Introduction of Speaker : Miss Chambers, Eire
Speaker (outstanding scientist) : Peacetime use of Atomic Power
- Vote of Thanks : (Canada)
- VISIT EXHIBITS

AFTERNOON SESSION

1 p.m. Section Meetings

- Section 2—General Assembly Room
- Section 4—Ballroom
- Topic : Newer Developments in Nursing Education, e.g., Schools of Public Health Nursing
- Topic : International Relief Work for Nurses
- Presiding : India
- Presiding : Australia
- Speaker : U.S.A., Ziegler, Vanderbilt University
- Speaker : Denmark
- Discussion : Finland
- Discussion : U.S.A.

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