

3-3.45 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS
4 p.m. EXCURSIONS

EVENING SESSION

8 p.m. Relief Dinner (Hackney's) A.N.A.

THURSDAY, MAY 15th, 1947

MORNING SESSION

9 a.m. Section Meetings

Section 1—General Assembly Room Section 3—Ballroom

Suggestion 6 might be included

Topic: Post-Graduate Education Topic: Morale (Ethics of Nursing)

Presiding: Poland or Denmark

Presiding: Cuba
Speaker: Belgium—Dr. Serge Marie Haymas

Speaker: Holland

10-10.45 a.m. VISIT EXHIBITS

11 a.m. SECTION MEETINGS (continued)

Discussion: Canada, include *Professional Education (The Place of the Nurse in Social Medicine)* Discussion: Czechoslovakia

AFTERNOON SESSION

1 p.m. Section Meetings

Section 2—General Assembly Room Section 4—Ballroom

Topic: Social Workers and Public Health Nurses Topic: Professional Nursing Groups other than State Registered Nurses

Presiding: Iceland

Presiding: Hungary, J. S. or Bulgaria

Speaker: France

Speaker: Great Britain

3.45 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS

4 p.m. SECTION MEETINGS (continued)

Discussion: U.S.A. Discussion: Norway

5-5.30 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITS

MOVIES, Section Rooms

EVENING SESSION

8 p.m. GENERAL SESSION

Presiding: Miss Mary I. Lambie, President F.N.I.F. (I.C.N.)

FRIDAY, MAY 16th, 1947

MORNING SESSION

10 a.m. Farewell Session

Presiding: Miss Effie J. Taylor (Watchword and Introduces New President)

Address of New President

Vote of Thanks: 10 minutes

Australia—

Europe—Miss Monica Wuest, Switzerland

South America—Brazil

South Africa—Miss McLarty

India—Indian Nurse

AFTERNOON SESSION

SATURDAY, MAY 17th, 1947

NURSING ECHOES.

Next month this Journal will have the honour of presenting a short Biography of the late Mrs. Bedford Fenwick, for upwards of fifty years Editor of THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF NURSING, and the greatest Reformer the Nursing Profession throughout the world has ever known.

Her Majesty Queen Mary has been graciously pleased to approve the appointment of 115 nurses to be Queen's Nurses: 89 in England, seven in Wales, 16 in Scotland, and three in Northern Ireland.

Nurses of the world are beginning to focus their thoughts on Atlantic City, U.S.A., where plans are forging ahead for the Congress of the International Council of Nurses to be held in May, the popular vacation month there.

To quote *The American Journal of Nursing*. It may be confidently anticipated that the Ninth Quadrennial Congress of the International Council of Nurses to be held in Atlantic City, May 12th-17th, will be the largest and most significant meeting of Nurses the world has ever known. The spirit and character of the I.C.N. place it among the foremost of the forces in the world to-day that are seeking lasting values through international co-operation. The spirit of nursing has withstood the storm and stress of two world wars. Nurses have emerged from each with renewed faith in their calling. They derive durable satisfaction from the professional and personal bonds that unite the Nurses of all nations.

The work of the I.C.N. has gone forward since the historic meeting in London in 1900, at which the American Nurses' Association was one of the three founding members.

War has twice thwarted plans for entertaining the I.C.N. in this country. It is eminently fitting that this most fortunate of nations and the A.N.A. (American Nurses' Association) by far the largest of the national organisations which make up the I.C.N., should entertain the Nurses of the world in May.

Colleagues will wish to offer their congratulations to Mrs. M. B. Carmichael, S.R.N., S.C.M., Sister Tutor; when they learn that she has been appointed Matron of Moorfields, Westminster and Central Eye Hospital, London, the largest leading Eye Hospital in the world. Her professional experience will fit her for this position; she has held posts as Ward Sister, Theatre Sister, Night Superintendent, Housekeeping Sister, Sister Tutor in charge of Preliminary Training School, Assistant Matron and Sister Tutor and Acting Matron.

Mrs. Carmichael received her training at Charing Cross Hospital, Queen Charlotte's Hospital and the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London; and holds the Housekeeping Certificate, Tuberculosis Certificate, Certificate of the Institute of Public Health and Hygiene, Child Welfare and Infant Feeding Certificate, and the Diploma in Dietetics.

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