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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
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Washington, D. C., February 23, 1912.

SIR: Within comparatively recent years the trained nurse has become an important and constant helper of the physician, not only in public and private hospitals, but also in the home, taking the place of untrained watchers who, however willing, can render only an ineffective service. This work of nursing has rapidly advanced to the position of a profession requiring careful preparation for admission. Thirty States of the Union have enacted laws for its regulation, and all the other States will probably do the same within the next few years. In several of the larger cities nurses are employed by the boards of education to visit the public schools, to look after the minor ailments of the pupils, and to assist in caring for their health. For the education and training of nurses, schools have been established and are maintained in most of the States. There are at present more than 1,100 such schools, with an attendance of approximately 30,000 students. For this reason, the education of nurses and the educational status of nursing have become questions of general importance and public interest, on which the Bureau of Education, in pursuance of the purpose for which it was established, should give information. The accompanying manuscript, prepared by M. Adelaide Nutting, is an attempt to do this. Miss Nutting was for several years connected with the Johns Hopkins Hospital School for Nurses, and is at present director of the department of nursing and health of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, and has therefore had unusual opportunities to prepare herself for this work. I recommend that the manuscript be published as a bulletin of the Bureau of Education.

Respectfully submitted.

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EDUCATIONAL STATUS OF NURSING.

RECENT PROGRESS IN NURSING.

Although there have been no radical changes in methods of education in nursing during the past five years, there are yet substantial evidences of progress to record. Training schools for nurses throughout the country are steadily, even if slowly, effecting improvements in their work and conditions. The professional field of nursing is widening and embracing new and important activities, and offering new incentives to effort. Public interest in hospitals and training schools is growing, and an intelligent public opinion on nursing affairs is gradually forming. The education of nurses, long looked upon as a matter in which hospitals only were concerned, is now beginning to be seen as a matter in which the public also is deeply and necessarily concerned.

In training schools themselves improvement is shown as follows: Systematic instruction is steadily replacing unrelated courses of lectures, better facilities for teaching are provided, small libraries are beginning to appear, occasionally a microscope is secured, more time is allowed for teaching and for study, work is brought from the evening into the daytime. Little new subject matter is introduced, but the ordinary subjects are handled in a more thorough and comprehensive way, and there is a slight but evident tendency toward a better adjustment of theory and practice. In a very few schools higher standards of teaching and a better quality of work are secured through the introduction of specially trained teachers. Among the schools which have established such teaching positions are those belonging to the Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore, the Massachusetts General Hospital at Boston, and St. Lukes, the Presbyterian, and Bellevue Hospitals, in New York. Perhaps the most conspicuous improvements are those providing better housing and living conditions for students, interesting examples of which are seen in the new, spacious, and attractively equipped buildings for students, recently erected by the Presbyterian, Bellevue, and Metropolitan Hospitals in New York and by the Children's Hospital in Toronto.

Affiliations between training schools continue, and are doing much to consolidate and strengthen the educational system, and to provide larger opportunities for many small and special schools in which

good work, though of a limited nature, is done. These affiliations are serviceable so long as it is borne in mind that a group of affiliated weak schools does not result in a strong school.

A distinct evidence of progress is seen in the demand for postgraduate work. It is encouraging to find so large a number of graduate nurses seeking opportunities for further training and knowledge, but it is disturbing to note that their laudable demand can not be adequately met at present in most hospitals, since in order to secure a minimum of actual instruction they are obliged to perform a maximum of service for the hospital. There is great need of careful study of graduate work in nursing and of the organization of suitable courses to meet well-defined needs. Apart from the schools, but reacting constantly upon them in a way both stimulating and helpful, have been the steady advances in legislation; enactments governing the examination and registration of professional nurses are now on the statute books in 31 States. They have proved a powerful agency in promoting the better education of nurses and in bringing up the standards of training schools.

The most important evidence of progress and the most significant is the endowment in November, 1910, of a department of graduate work for nurses at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York. This is the outcome of a course in hospital economy established at the college in 1899 by the American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses and maintained by them until 1910. Lacking, however, adequate financial support, the work could not be satisfactorily developed, and its endowment by Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins, a trustee of Teachers College, places the work upon a permanent and stable basis and opens the way for long-needed developments. The amount of the gift is \$150,000, and it marks the first effort in this country to make suitable financial provision for any part of the education of nurses.

The department thus endowed is called Nursing and Health, the latter part of the title serving to indicate the scope of its work. It now embraces three main divisions of work and prepares, first, for teaching and supervision in training schools for nurses; second, for administration in hospitals and training schools; and third, for the more distinctly social and preventive branches of nursing, such as visiting nursing, school and municipal nursing, sanitary inspection, etc. Courses are appropriately grouped and arranged in preparation for each of these fields of work.

For the social field, courses in the college and university are supplemented by work in the school of philanthropy, in settlements, and in the municipal health department.

The requirements for admission to the department of graduate work are completion of an approved course in a secondary or normal

school, followed by a course of two or three years in a training school of accepted standards. Thirty-five students entered the department last year.

The enlargement of the professional field is continuous. Not only has the specializing tendency of the day brought into existence new forms of activity within those branches—institutional, private, and social—in which nurses have long been engaged, but new types of work are developing, and entirely new social and public demands are being made upon the nurse.

Moreover, it is unquestionable that, however largely supply may exceed demand in other fields of work, this at present does not hold true of nursing, for even in the older branches of work, which have been longest established and are best known, the demand for properly trained and competent workers is beyond the supply, while for all of the higher and more important positions in hospitals and training schools, and for the equally important fields of social and civic work which are rapidly opening up, there is as yet no adequate supply.

In institutions, such as hospitals and training schools, where formerly the superintendent of nurses was the sole officer of administration and instruction (exclusive always of the instruction embodied in the courses of lectures by physicians), or where at most she had one assistant to aid in supervision and instruction, there will now, in most larger schools, be found a graded staff of assistants and supervisors. The double office held by the superintendent of nurses is now pretty generally recognized by the additional and appropriate title of principal of the training school.

An interesting outcome of the efforts to improve training schools by a better organization of teaching is found in the creation of new positions involving little or no executive work and providing a fairly well-defined field of instruction calling for trained teachers.

In addition to these important developments in training schools and in the nursing departments of hospital work, there is an interesting and growing field for graduate nurses in actual hospital administration, and the larger number of moderate sized, and almost all of the smaller, hospitals throughout the country select trained nurses as superintendents. In the State of New York the inspector reported recently that about 55 per cent of the entire number of hospitals answering to this description were under the direction of nurses. Other types of institutions are the various sanitariums for the treatment of tuberculosis, for the care of children, for convalescents, fresh air homes, and those of a kindred nature which are preventive in purpose as well as charitable, and which have frequently important educational features in their work.

The tendency toward specialization which is developing in institutions is also observed as a growing feature of private nursing, and

there is an increasing call for nurses who have received some special preparation beyond that which the ordinary training school offers, for the care of certain special forms of disease—notably, for instance, the nervous disorders of different types, and certain diseases of infants and children where there are great disturbances of nutrition.

Dr. Lewellys Barker, physician in chief to Johns Hopkins Hospital, says of the development in these directions:

On looking over the history of nursing, I have been very much struck with the rapid expansion of the work intrusted to nurses. It must be remembered that formerly physicians did, or tried to do, nearly everything which is now done by the nurse; even the care of the bed, of the linen, and of the bathing was formerly a part of the physician's work in the hospital wards. Nurses soon demonstrated that a large part of ward work could be better done by them than by physicians, and, more and more, routine measures have been placed in their hands. Anyone who works in a hospital realizes that this transfer of routine from the physician to the nurse is still going on and this may account for an occasional misunderstanding perhaps as to what is a nurse's duty and what a physician's. I believe that nurses will do well to welcome, rather than resist, every additional opportunity for service, and the time may not be far distant when nurses will not only count the pulse, take the temperature, record the blood pressure, sterilize instruments, prepare dressings, etc., but will do far more, including, perhaps, sometimes many of the routine laboratory examinations now made by physicians. Indeed, there is already a demand for trained nurses who can make leucocyte counts, hemoglobin determinations, quantitative estimates of sugar and albumin, and scientific dietary calculations and weighings.

Thus far, nurses have, for the most part, been content to be general practitioners of nursing, but already some have begun to specialize, and it needs only half an eye to see that the near future will be marked by an extension of this tendency to specialization in nursing. While each nurse should have a general training in fundamentals of the art, there is no reason why she should not, like the physician, choose some one particular field of work which appeals to her interest and for which her natural talents may make her especially suitable. The time is fast approaching when we shall have nurses who attend chiefly or solely obstetrical cases, others who care only for pediatric cases, only for nervous and mental cases, only for fever cases, only for operative cases, only for metabolic cases, etc. Nurses who desire successfully to specialize will be compelled to acquire unusual training and experience, just as is the medical specialist. * * *

Nursing is the one profession in which all, men as well as women, will admit that women excel men. It is highly desirable that a sufficient number of the women of the better class be attracted to this work. If we expect to draw the best women into trained nursing, we must do what we can to make the rewards what they should be. The pecuniary return is not the only one to be considered. The kind of education given, the social regard insured, the interests aroused, the careers opened up, are really more motivating than any mere monetary consideration. As long as nurses were drawn from the lower classes and as long as the training was merely manual and not intellectual, there could be no profession of nursing. Now that nursing is offering ever new incentives, the position of the trained nurse has become more elevated, the educational standards are high, the time of nursing has become long enough to permit of thoroughness without overtaxing, the material position of nurses is being improved, the opportunities for higher careers in nursing are multiplied, we find the profession appealing more and more to the best class of woman. (The Johns Hopkins Nurse Alumnae Magazine, June, 1909, pp. 84-86.)

Nowhere, however, has the growth of opportunity for nurses been so great as in the field which may be broadly termed that of social welfare. Under the form and title of district and visiting nursing, a system of activities has been developed which makes of the nurse not only a skilled agency for the relief of suffering, but a teacher of sanitary and healthful living, and a power for the prevention of disease. This is looked upon as one of the most promising movements of modern times for social betterment.

Briefly reviewed, these various phases of work include ordinary district nursing among the sick poor, in which, according to Miss Waters' Visiting Nursing in the United States, there were engaged, in 1909, 566 associations, large and small, and something under 1,500 nurses. Recent reports bring the latter number up to nearly 2,000.

The important special branches of this work are school nursing, tuberculosis work, infant welfare work in milk stations and clinics, social service work in hospitals, dispensaries, and elsewhere, and welfare work in factories, department stores, and other industrial and commercial fields; while insurance nursing, the most recent form of preventive work, does not separate itself from regular visiting nursing and may touch at certain points almost any phase of these various branches of work. Maternity and contagious work are very special branches too little developed apart from institutions to be included here.

The social-service departments, which have been recently developed in connection with many leading hospitals and which are largely under the direction of nurses, afford peculiarly interesting and valuable opportunities for public service. The term "social service" is made to cover many activities on behalf of the patient who may have just entered or just departed from the hospital; but the main purpose of this new department of hospital work is the definite one of doing for the patient, through proper channels and agencies, certain things which are essential for his physical and mental welfare, and which the hospital can not do for him unaided. It is the avenue through which the hospital seeks for the advancement or completion of its own work, for special expert diagnosis, advice, and aid in matters affecting its patients, but not necessarily physical in their nature.

If, in some directions, these activities seem remote from those fields of service for the sick into which the nurse is usually led directly from her hospital training, the fact that she has not sought them but that they have sought her shows perhaps that the education, training, and discipline of a nurse do prove a valuable preparation for other work than nursing—a solid foundation upon which to build in many special directions. The profession of nursing is here taking on fresh significance, and the nurse to-day who is concerning herself with that

greatest of all human problems; the protection of the health of the people, represents a comparatively new idea. She is not a nurse in the usual acceptation of that term; she is a woman who has had the scientific training of a nurse, and her adequate use of this training will make of her an important factor in the progress of the human race. In the light of these new activities, which place new burdens and responsibilities upon her shoulders, her education becomes a matter of large significance.

In considering the activities of these new fields and their inherent needs, Dr. C. E. A. Winslow, professor of biology, College of the City of New York, says:

All this requires obviously enough a highly trained and specialized expert. I have no knowledge of the requisites for "stork nursing," but it is quite clear that in public-health work the visiting nurse must be no empirically trained upper bedside servant. She must understand thoroughly the general fundamental laws of hygiene and sanitation, which means a mastery of the principles of physiology and bacteriology, and she must have a minute grasp of their special application in the field of her own work, whether it be school nursing, tuberculosis nursing, or infant hygiene. She must know these things not merely as a practitioner but as a teacher, which means not only a knowledge of details but a vision of their right relationship and a talent for effective presentation.

Always there are the educational weaknesses inherent in an undertaking which is not primarily educational in aim. The course is apt to be carelessly planned, the teachers those who chance to be available, the teaching what they happen to find it easiest to give, and the laboratory equipment hopelessly inadequate. Most fundamental of all is the problem of time. It is absurd to attempt to train the nurses we need for the public-health campaign by a course which involves 2 or 3 hours a week of theory and 50 to 60 hours in the wards, not hours of clinical instruction, but for the most part a routine of unenlightening and exhausting manual work. The relation between the hospital and the training school should be a symbiotic one; it more nearly resembles a case of simple parasitism. ("The rôle of the visiting nurse in the campaign for public health," by C. E. A. Winslow. *American Journal of Nursing*, Aug., 1911, pp. 917-918.)

The extraordinary development of the work of the district nurse and its intrinsic importance have been admirably discussed by Dr. Henry Favill, superintendent of the Chicago Tuberculosis Institute. After pointing out that because of her essential adaptability to the situation, whatever it may be, the district nurse is wanted as school nurse, insurance nurse, industrial nurse, and in other different capacities, he says that in this visiting-nurse problem the great question now is that of expansion, which is inevitable; that we have arrived at practically an "impasse." He says:

The point has been reached where the structure is greater than the foundation, and the foundations have got to be broadened to insure the stability of the superstructure.
* * * Shall we follow the legitimate evolution of this medico-sociologic time or shall we set arbitrary definitions to which it shall be confined? And this is a question which faces us as a very important question, because no work which has in it the inherent values that are in this system of visiting nurse has any excuse for being jeopard-

ized by mistakes, and the obligations to settle this question wisely and broadly are enormous. (Address at twenty-fifth anniversary of founding of Boston District Nursing Association, by Henry Baird Favill, M. D. American Journal of Nursing, Oct., 1911, pp. 41-42.)

The evidences of progress thus measured are clear and considerable. They show definite achievement and unquestionable advance. There are, however, evidences of another nature to be weighed, which show that tendencies are not all in the direction of progress and that some are markedly subversive of it. Reactionary ideas have taken distinct shape in certain places, and destructive forces are constantly at work. Perhaps the most noteworthy and certainly the most interesting and dramatic instance in recent years of reaction working freely against nursing education was seen in New York in 1907, when, during a brief period, moved apparently by a common impulse, three important training schools, the New York, the Roosevelt, and the New York City, abolished the three years of training which had been in operation for several years and returned to the original course of two years, abbreviating the curriculum to correspond and making other radical changes. This movement seemed to be the outcome of distinctly local feeling. It was limited to a few institutions and does not appear to have had any effect upon the general situation.

The condition in training schools which is causing grave concern among those who have long been struggling to improve the education of nurses is the persistence of low standards for admission. The enormous multiplication of hospitals and sanitarium throughout the country, with the consequent unrestricted development of training schools as a part of their working organization, has led to a very large demand for students essentially for utilitarian purposes. No adequate supply could be secured through the usual sources with the maintenance of suitable standards, and such standards have therefore been lowered or sacrificed to meet the current needs of institutions. Overwhelming evidence is available from training schools and from public and private sources showing the inferiority from almost any conceivable or tenable standpoint of the majority of present candidates for admission to training schools. Some readjustment is needed of the conditions under which students work. Some reconstruction is imperative of a system of education which was admirable when it was established 50 years ago, for other educational advantages were then not available. But it is out of right relationship with the thought and methods of education to-day.

The subject is discussed in detail in the following pages, with some suggestions as to the direction which these changes should take.

RELATION OF TRAINING SCHOOLS TO HOSPITALS.

It should constantly be borne in mind, in discussing the education of nurses, that training schools throughout this country are established as integral parts of hospitals and are conducted in all their functions under the control and general direction of hospital authorities. Recent statistics from nearly 700 training schools show that not more than 6 of them were established on any other basis than this, and that the hospital and the school are, as one response to the question on this subject stated, "all one." All schools are therefore in one sense proprietary. The system is universal, and it has become so for several reasons.

The first and most obvious reason, and the one most generally advanced, is that the school forms the most economical way by which the sick in the hospital can be nursed with a reasonable degree of efficiency. Under almost any conceivable conditions in hospitals this would probably hold true, and it is unquestionably a strong factor, perhaps the controlling factor, in the entire situation. But it should not be accepted as the only one. After giving the fullest recognition to this important aspect of the situation, after according due weight to the advantages which this school system provides for proper organization and direction of nursing work and for control of the workers, there yet remain other and less tangible reasons which should none the less be considered. There is something in the spirit which the young student brings to her work, the ardor and enthusiasm in acquiring new and wonderful knowledge, and in testing her daily increasing skill, which is a genuine and valuable asset to the hospital. It is indeed a matter of history and of fact unquestioned to-day that the hospital owes much of its present status, its position in the community, and its powers in many important directions, to the presence within it of an organized body of women whose prevailing characteristics have been and are of a high order. The search will be long before there will be found any body of persons, either students or workers, animated by higher ideals of service, guided by nobler traditions of duty and devotion, willing to render a larger measure of self-sacrificing and courageous labor for others. The standing of a hospital in a community may usually be measured by the character of its nursing staff, and if it desires to prosper and to progress it must always be able to stand the test in that direction.

To preserve these high ideals and traditions which the founders of the early training schools established and their followers have tried to uphold and cherish, and at the same time to add to the value and maintain the dignity of nursing by fostering its every effort toward larger intellectual growth, toward more definite educational standards, as well as toward increasing skill and technical efficiency, are

the important functions of the modern training school. Any conditions, therefore, in the hospital or out of it which affect or threaten to affect the training school to the injury of these ideals, traditions, and standards become of immediate and direct importance to the hospital, as well as to the entire community.

It is therefore with the interests of the hospital in mind, as well as the interests of students and the public whom they will eventually serve, that some of those who have been for many years studying closely the problems of nurses' education are asking if the present system which has finally placed the hospital in full and unquestioned control of the education of nurses will prove favorable to the best educational growth and development, to the preservation of those high traditions, standards, and ideals which, important in all professions, are essential in nursing. It is the belief of many of those who have long been identified with training-school and hospital work, and who have been largely instrumental in creating and upbuilding in both hospital and school such educational standards as now prevail, that the principle of absolute control by the hospital is unsound and that in practice it does react unfavorably upon the education and training of nurses. It is their belief that this system of control affects profoundly the essential matters of standards of admission, hours of work, length of course, conditions of student life, and, above all, the freedom of the school to develop the education of nurses in response, not only to the current needs of a particular institution, but to changing and growing social needs in the community in which the educated nurse plays an increasingly important part.

The attitude of the hospital to this principle, however, is clearly defined in the statement here quoted from the report on training schools recently published by a special committee of the American Hospital Association. "The committee has tried to consider the interests of the school apart from the hospital wherever possible. At the same time the committee recognizes that the training school is an integral part of, and subordinate to, the hospital." (The International Hospital Record, Sept. 15, 1909, p. 9.) And as if in proof of the soundness of this contention history points to the early training schools of this country, Bellevue in New York, the Massachusetts General in Boston, and others of a later date, such as the Albany (N. Y.) Training School, which, originally established by bodies outside of and independent of the hospitals, were unable to retain that status and have found it necessary to place themselves wholly or largely under hospital government.

In order that the full value of the school to the hospital may be more clearly understood, it should be explained that an actual nursing staff for the hospital is created by the establishment in it of a school of nursing, and, through the organization of its student body into a

corps of workers of various grades—probationer, junior, senior—adjusted to the varying needs of the hospital. The hospital itself becomes the school, and the actual daily and nightly routine of work in its wards and other departments stands for a system of education. The supervision which would ordinarily be required for the proper conduct of the work becomes a form of instruction; the supervisors or head nurses are, as a rule, the instructors; the superintendent of nurses is also the principal of the training school. The entire burden, in fact, of the actual care of the sick and of their immediate surroundings rests upon the students of the school; and in many hospitals, particularly those of moderate size, the students are also filling executive official positions as head nurses, assistants, night supervisors. In these capacities they are responsible for the supervision and direction of the work of younger students and for much of their practical instruction. Under such a general system the training of nurses has been carried on during the 40 years that have elapsed since the schools were first established in this country; under it to-day about 30,000 students are being trained, and the idea is now firmly entrenched in the public mind that the only available way by which the hospital can secure an adequate nursing staff for its patients is through the student body of a school which the hospital establishes, owns, and controls.

The immediate advantages of this system do not lie wholly with the hospital, for the student receives, without incurring any expenses for tuition, board, lodging, laundry, and usually uniforms, such education and training as the hospital is prepared or willing to offer, and this, even when poor in character and meager in amount, is always of definite material value to her, enabling her as a rule to become self-supporting as soon as she leaves the hospital.

PAYMENT TO STUDENTS.

In the majority of schools the student's services to the hospital are distinctly recognized by the payment of a small sum of money monthly, stated to cover expenses of uniforms and textbooks, but ordinarily more than double the amount needed for these purposes. It is estimated that expenses for uniforms and textbooks do not usually exceed \$50 per student annually, while the sum of money provided students for this purpose is seldom less than \$84 per annum, and it frequently goes as high as \$120 per annum. Formerly these money payments were higher, ranging from \$120 to \$180 annually, and were not infrequently referred to in the announcements as wages. But of late years the amount has been gradually lessened, until \$8 a month appears to be the sum given in the larger number of schools. Recent reports show that in 24 schools, largely those of high standing, the practice has been abandoned altogether, and the money thus re-

leased is applied in some measure to improvements in educational methods. Its essential obligation to the student, the hospital does, however, clearly recognize, as is shown by the statement commonly found in training school announcements that an ample equivalent for the services rendered by the student is provided in the education and training offered. What that equivalent shall be is naturally determined entirely by the hospital, which has thus established an educational system and assumed educational functions.

The hospital of modern days, with its improved facilities for the treatment of disease and emergencies, in the way of physicians, nurses, buildings, and equipment, has become a popular institution, and no community, however small, likes to be without resources of this nature. Physicians, realizing the better opportunities which the hospital usually offers for the exercise of their skill and for the recovery of their patients, press its advantages, and a change in public sentiment toward the hospital has gradually come about which has resulted in a remarkable increase in the building of such institutions. This is especially marked in the smaller towns and communities.

TYPES OF HOSPITALS.

In type, character, and capacity, as well as in aims and purposes, these modern hospitals show the widest variations. In type there will be found a long list of institutions, including: (1) The large municipal hospitals for the treatment of all classes of disease and of patients (with the exception of private paying patients); (2) the large, endowed hospitals, such as are found in some numbers in all of our large cities, general in the scope of their work and treating all classes of persons; (3) the smaller hospitals of a somewhat similar type in the smaller towns and communities; (4) the special hospitals, such as those devoted especially to (a) surgery, (b) emergency work, (c) obstetrics, (d) nervous disorders, (e) diseases of women, (f) diseases of infants and children, (g) diseases of the special senses, namely, the eye, ear, throat, and the skin, (h) tuberculosis, (i) contagious and infectious diseases, (j) chronic and incurable disorders, and (k) convalescents. These may be maintained by public funds for the benefit of the public, by private contributions for the same purpose, or by private capital for private profit.

HOSPITAL CAPACITY.

In capacity the variations are naturally very great. Statistics on this point show that in 692 hospitals reporting to the Bureau of Education the range is (exclusive of State institutions for the insane) from 5 beds up to 500. About 60 per cent of the entire number have a daily average of under 75 patients, and 172 hospitals, or about 25

per cent of the whole number, have a daily average of not more than 25 patients:

The capacity in these hospitals is as follows:

	Hospitals.
4 to 10 patients daily were found in.....	39
10 to 15 patients daily were found in.....	43
15 to 20 patients daily were found in.....	58
20 to 25 patients daily were found in.....	32
Total.....	172

Thirty-nine hospitals did not reply to this question.

RELATION OF CAPACITY TO AVERAGE NUMBER OF PATIENTS.

The average daily number of patients is used here rather than the stated number of beds because it has been found after careful study and comparison that the number of beds is no true guide to the actual daily number of patients. This average daily number of patients in nearly 50 per cent of hospitals of the class referred to has been found not to exceed one-half the hospital's capacity in number of beds; in about 75 per cent of these hospitals the average number of patients daily was not over three-fourths of the hospital's capacity, and in no instance in this group was the hospital used apparently up to its stated capacity in beds. In all but 5 of the 172 small hospitals (averaging 25 patients daily or under) training schools were maintained, and 100 of them required three years for the completion of the course of training. To the suggestion that probably some of these affiliate with larger hospitals, the answer is that 31 hospitals reported some such arrangement covering from 3 to 6 months, but that 115 hospitals out of the 172 had no affiliations, and the remaining number overlooked the question on this subject.

The number of beds in a hospital has an important bearing upon the educational facilities it offers. Taken in connection with the varieties of service, the number of beds affords some idea of the scope of work in a hospital, of the amount and variety of opportunity which it affords for the observation and study of disease and for training in the practical procedures in nursing.

The ability of the hospital to give a thorough and complete training in nursing rests then mainly upon two conditions: First, the character, variety, and extent of its service; second, the state of its finances. The first condition determines whether or not it affords suitable and sufficient opportunities for instruction and training; the second indicates its ability to provide suitable instructors, equipment, accommodation for students, and other appurtenances of a school. If the hospital treats medical, surgical, and obstetrical patients, and admits children as well as adults of both sexes, it comes

under the head of general hospitals, and as such may be considered a suitable ground for the general training and education of nurses. It is obvious that the question of numbers must be considered here, and that the very small hospitals, even though some of them may justly claim to be general in the scope of their work because they treat all classes of cases, are too restricted in actual numbers of patients to afford the requisite opportunities for observation and experience.

REQUIREMENTS IN CAPACITY FOR MAINTAINING TRAINING SCHOOL.

The New York State Education Department, in its registration of nurses' training schools, states that—

the hospitals with which such schools are connected must have not less than 50 beds and a daily average of 30 patients. Each bed must meet the requirements of the State board of charities as to air space. The hospital should provide experience in the following departments of nursing: Medical, surgical, obstetrical, and pediatric. Training schools connected with the hospitals not providing adequate opportunities for experience in all of the above departments must become affiliated with institutions approved as giving such experience. (Education Department, Bulletin, Albany, N. Y., July 1, 1911, p. 5.)

The committee on training schools of the American Hospital Association, in considering this question in a recent report, says:

It is the sense of the committee that hospitals of less than 25 beds which can not affiliate or maintain some association with larger institutions, on account of their isolated or financial condition, should not attempt to maintain training schools for the training of nurses. (The International Hospital Record, Sept. 15, 1909, p. 8.)

The Royal British Nurses' Association recognizes hospitals having 40 beds and upward as qualified to train nurses and excludes the rest. Other advocates for nurses' registration in England are pressing for a rule excluding all hospitals below 50 beds from this privilege. (The Hospital, London, Oct. 24, 1908, p. 103.)

The national committee on Red Cross nursing service has taken a similar stand, and at its regular meeting in Boston, June 1, 1911, decided that "only those nurses should be eligible for enrollment who are graduates of training schools connected with general hospitals of at least 50 beds, unless the applicant has had subsequent hospital experience or postgraduate work." (American Journal of Nursing, Sept., 1911, p. 1033.)

Such a minimum requirement as has been established in New York State is a definite gain, in that it recognizes the necessity of some standard where educational work is carried on. The minimum is still low, however, and should be so considered. The difficulty in exercising any real control in this situation is great, since, although it is not so stated, the small hospital, as a rule, does consider itself helplessly dependent on the training school to carry on its work.

Dr. Henry M. Hurd, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, puts the matter very clearly in a recent article. He says:

In some of these smaller, unendowed hospitals, to procure graduate nurses for their service might incur an outlay which would imperil the very existence of the hospital. Hence the need of a training school for nurses with a small salary roll, instead of a large one. ("State registration and the education of nurses in the United States." The Nursing Mirror, London, Apr. 17, 1909.)

SPECIAL HOSPITALS.

Specialization in medicine has led, naturally, to the development of special hospitals or sanatoria designed to treat either a particular form of disease or a particular class of individuals. Examples of this type may be found in those special hospitals for the treatment of women. Such institutions have been springing up rapidly for years in all fairly well settled parts of the country, and now exist in large numbers. The majority of these are purely surgical in nature, frequently limited to gynecological disorders only, usually small in capacity, owned and managed by a physician or a small corporation, and, as a rule, devoted exclusively to private, paying patients. They are essentially commercial in character, intent, and methods. About 16 per cent of the 692 hospitals reporting to the Bureau of Education came under this classification, in that they were special, or private, or both.

As regards essentially private institutions, devoted to the care of paying patients, affording, for training, meager opportunities in a restricted field, it would seem as if the question of a school for the education of nurses could hardly arise; yet, private and special hospitals and sanatoria of this type, in numbers, have not hesitated to announce themselves ready to receive pupils and meet the obligations which a school of nursing involves. Such special branches of work as these hospitals offer are frequently found as a part of the system of a general hospital, and in these it is considered that from four to six months affords ample time and opportunity for training the nurse in any one such branch, the briefer period named being the commonly accepted period. Longer training in such special branches of work is only recommended in those cases where the student, after having received the full general groundwork, wishes to devote herself solely to a special field of work, such, for instance, as surgical nursing, or obstetrics, or the care of patients with nervous disorders, or the care of children. Yet a course of training for nurses covering three full years is quite commonly found in hospitals of the special type.

UTILIZING STUDENTS.

Not only is all the general nursing in these hospitals done through the services of the students, but in certain instances the students themselves become an actual source of direct and considerable profit

to the institution. This happens when the student enters such a private hospital for two or three years and is placed at a very early stage of her work upon special duty with a single patient, a considerable fee being charged for her services. In some instances it is said that pupils are kept at such special individual work during the greater portion of the course of their so-called training, the fees for their services going directly to the management.

But this does not exhaust the methods by which hospitals can utilize for their own profits the services of their students.

Out of the entire 692 hospitals from which statistics were recently received, 248 were found sending out their pupils into families in the community for private nursing, for periods ranging from 2 to 26 weeks, the payment for this service in almost all instances going directly to the hospital. It was difficult to secure explicit information as to the amount of time which student nurses really are devoting to outside work of this nature. Fifty-nine hospitals stated that they sent out their students, but omitted any reply to the question asking about the average amount of time in which the student was so occupied, using merely the vague but suggestive phrases "time varies," "as needed," or "subject to call."

It can be readily seen how the effort to guard the education of nurses by suitable legislation would interfere with such exploiting of the pupil nurse, and it is a well-known fact that the most persistent opponents of such legislation in the various States have been found among those representing such hospitals—those whose financial interests were involved in maintaining the status quo.

There are schools which include in their curriculum a brief course in visiting nursing, and certain students may elect this work among the sick in the poorer districts. This is always done without payment of any kind.

There are also occasional instances of emergencies in small communities where fully qualified nurses are not readily available, which may be temporarily met through some member of the nursing staff of the hospital. Such instances as these are not included in the situation above described. This discusses the practice of sending out pupil nurses during their training to earn money for the hospital, and urges that as a practice it can not be too strongly condemned.

HOSPITAL FINANCES.

Assuming, however, that the hospital is neither special nor private, nor so very small as to be unserviceable, that in type, character, and capacity it affords a suitable ground for the training of nurses, there should, it would seem, be some assurance that it is financially able to carry the double burden of a hospital and a school, that it can meet the expenses of its own work, and in addition can provide in

some reasonable measure at least for the common fundamental needs of a school.

Now, it is not generally understood what extraordinarily expensive places hospitals are to maintain; the work in them goes on unceasingly day and night, and service must be provided accordingly. The service must be in the main of an exceptionally high type, there must be certain trained and skilled workers, the appliances are almost invariably costly in nature, the equipment must be liberal enough to meet any emergency, it must stand the wear and tear of use for 24 hours out of the 24. The food ought to be the best in quality, the best and purest milk, the freshest eggs, good meats and vegetables and fruits; drugs, disinfectants, and dressings are costly, and their use is enormous. While every hospital should be watchful of expenses, too rigid economy in any one of the above matters may defeat the very purpose of the institution. The majority of hospitals are engaged in a constant struggle to make ends meet, and it is rare to hear of one that has an income large enough to fully and satisfactorily meet its legitimate expenses. How, then, can it adequately meet the equally legitimate expenses of a school? It has no margin for educational needs, and hospital authorities confronted daily with the pressing problem of actual necessities in the way of accommodation, food, clothes, drugs, appliances, and equipment are often and not unnaturally impatient with requests from the head of the training school for proper consideration for the needs of her department.

To pay for instructors, books, teaching material, and other of the simplest necessities of a school, in the face of these imperative hospital demands, seems to them an unjustifiable action. In the larger hospitals it is usually done with reluctance and inadequately; in the smaller it is usually not done at all. Yet schools can not exist without instructors, without libraries, without classrooms, without teaching material.

VARIATIONS IN HOSPITALS.

With hospitals of many types already existing, with a tendency toward increasing specialization so clear that the development of new types seems inevitable, with wide variations in capacity and in variety of service even in those of the same type, and with essential differences in character and methods of work, the difficulty of maintaining any serviceable uniformity in standards in the education of nurses, is not only formidable; it is insurmountable under present conditions. The "equivalent in education" which hospitals offer their students must in the last analysis be determined, not by definite, recognized, and generally accepted standards, but by the ability of each particular hospital to measure up to such standards, and to provide adequate educational opportunities, by its sympathetic interest in the general problem of education, and by a full acceptance of its responsibilities and obligations in the educational work it has undertaken.

RELATION OF HOSPITAL TO ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS IN TRAINING SCHOOL.

At the very outset, the hospital demonstrates its unfitness for this responsibility in the control it exercises over the selection of candidates for admission to the training school. The first function of the school is the establishment of certain definite suitable requirements for admission, but the school, it must always be remembered, is the nursing staff of the hospital. The first function of the hospital is to secure enough workers of various grades to meet its daily needs, always immediate and urgent. Numbers of students it must have, whether or not they meet such standards for admission as the school, to retain its function, should maintain.

So long as there were few hospitals requiring students, and few professions other than teaching and nursing open to women, there were many more candidates for admission to training schools than could be received; a fairly rigid system of selection prevailed, and those who entered and remained were well qualified to meet the educational and other tests and demands of the day. But with the remarkable advances of recent years in medicine and surgery, aided by a quickening of social and philanthropic spirit widespread in its dimensions, hospitals have not only arisen in great numbers in every section of the country, but those already in existence have been steadily enlarging and expanding, and a continuous improvement and elaboration in work and technique is taking place. One thousand three hundred and sixty training schools are recorded in Sutton's Hospital and Institutional Directory for 1910. With this rapid growth in many directions has come a constantly increasing demand for students, and there is now great difficulty in securing enough to meet the needs of the hospital and at the same time maintain even the most moderate requirements for admission. There are, it appears, not only too many hospitals in competition for the existing number of qualified candidates, but there are too many other interesting and less arduous occupations open to women to enable nursing, under present conditions, to hold its own as an attractive field.

With very few exceptions, all hospitals, large and small, alike confess a great and increasing difficulty in securing enough students to carry on their nursing work. This is a matter of common anxiety among training-school superintendents and principals, and it is obvious that the difficulty in this direction is serious, is growing, and that it offers a great problem. The only way in which it appears to be possible for the hospital to deal with it, is by lowering still further the requirements for admission, already far too low, or by simply ignoring them altogether.

The superintendents of several important schools frankly admitted to the writer not long since that they had been obliged, in order to

get enough pupils to do the work, to bring into their classes entering that year a considerable number of students who ought not to have been admitted, owing to their inability to measure up to any satisfactory educational or cultural standards. Their reason for admitting these undesirable candidates was simply the necessity of getting the work in the hospital done.

CANDIDATES AND COURSES OF STUDY.

PRELIMINARY EDUCATION OF CANDIDATES.

Further evidence of the difficulty of securing students is the fact that in the State of New York, where the requirement has been made of one year of high-school work for admission to training schools, the efforts to have that one year removed as a requirement have been persistent and have come from some of the most representative hospitals. Their need for a large staff of workers is imperative, and it overshadows completely to them the need of the school that its standards shall be maintained.

It is not assumed that these representative training schools could not attract a fair number of students of even much higher qualifications than those stated in the requirements (the following statistics show that they can do so), but it is certain that they are unable at present to attract enough to supply adequately the needs of the hospital, and it seems tolerably clear that the principle of dependence upon the student body for all of the actual nursing work, and for a very considerable amount of other work, some purely domestic in nature, some supervisory and executive, is so universally accepted and so deeply rooted as to render hospitals generally unwilling to tolerate any conditions which affect this principle and which require a modification or frank abandonment of the plan and system upon which it is based.

Educational qualifications of 303 students forming the classes admitted in 1910 to 7 representative training schools in New York City.

Education.	Number of students.
College:	
4 years.....	10
3 years.....	
2 years.....	2
1 year.....	3
Normal school.....	20
High school or collegiate institute:	
4 years.....	107
3 years.....	24
2 years.....	44
1 year.....	14
Private schools (from 1 to 3 years).....	58
Academy.....	3
Common or grammar (supplemented in some instances by a business course or some instruction in domestic science).....	19
Total.....	303

The points to be noted in the above are that the proportion of students who fully meet the highest requirement that has yet been made for admission in any training school, namely, high-school graduation, is not far below 50 per cent, but that of the remaining number over 25 per cent fall definitely below any suitable standards upon which a sound professional education can usually be built, and, further, that the degree of attainments presented by these students shows such wide and striking differences that the question at once arises, how is it possible to work out any uniform educational standards in nursing when handicapped at the very outset by the impossibility under present conditions of establishing and maintaining any uniformity in standards or requirements for admission. In any entering class of students in a training school of good standing will be found all the degrees and shades of educational preparation, such as are included in the reports of the seven New York schools, and still more clearly are they shown in the following statistics concerning the educational qualifications of students in the Johns Hopkins Hospital training school for nurses for a period of 16 years.

Educational qualifications of training school nurses in Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Years.	Common school.	High school and collegiate institute.	Private.	Convent.	Seminary.	College.	Normal.
1891	2	5	3	1	2	3	
1892	1	3	10	2	1	3	
1893	13	5	7	2	2	4	2
1894							
1895	7	11	7	1	1	4	3
1896	5	18	7	5	4	2	1
1897	1	7	5	1	3	4	
1898		3	4	2	1	2	
1899	2	10	7	1	3	3	
1900	3	11	7	1	2	3	1
1901	2	9	6	1	1	4	2
1902	5	12	10	3	2	3	
1903	2	10	4	1	4	3	5
1904	2	9	7	2	1	6	4
1905	2	14	2		5	8	
1906	3	9	1	1	5	12	4

Women whose actual formal education has not gone beyond the common school, and has ended at the age of 13 or 14 years, or who have had but one year of high school, or one or two years in private school or convent, enter training schools on identically the same terms as do women bringing a college degree. The students enter the same classes and take precisely the same courses; no recognition or credit is, as a rule, given the college woman for the higher qualifications she presents or for previous work done, yet curiously enough in the announcements of most training schools will be found the statement "women of superior education preferred."

From the reports of 692 training schools made in 1911 to the Bureau of Education, it appears that about 35 per cent of the total

number state a requirement of "high school or its equivalent;" about 23 per cent call for one year of high-school work (or an equivalent); 28 per cent call for nothing beyond the common school; the remaining 14 per cent either make no educational requirements whatever, and say so in unmistakable terms, or indicate merely a preference. It has been found that the equivalent of high-school work either of four years or one year must be interpreted with great liberality, so much so, in fact, that the former may be said to have little real significance in the majority of schools as a requirement for admission.

The large, best-equipped, and well-known schools naturally attract the most desirable candidates, yet not one of them is exempt from the necessity of admitting and keeping in the school pupils of pitifully low educational attainments and mental ability in order that there may be no disturbance or breakdown of the system which requires the hospital to be "manned" at all points throughout its departments with student nurses. In the smaller hospitals the situation is in the main much more difficult and pressing, and the principals of the larger training schools are not infrequently appealed to by their colleagues of the smaller to pass on to them candidates who have failed to measure up satisfactorily to the standards of the larger school.

The ultimate effect of the lowering of educational standards for admission to training schools is thus discussed by Miss L. L. Dock, honorary secretary of the International Council of Nurses. (A letter to hospital superintendents, by L. L. Dock. National Hospital Record, Jan. 15, 1909.)

The plea for laxity in preliminary educational standards, low entrance requirements for hospital training schools, and even for shorter terms of training, is often made with great skill of argument, and can be so presented as to sound extremely plausible, especially when present difficulties, graphically portrayed and emphatically dwelt upon, are placed well to the forefront of the statement.

Yet it is a singularly shortsighted plea—that of providing at all costs for the present without reflection as to the future. It is, indeed, an statesmanlike type of mind that can advocate a deliberate choice of lower, instead of higher, standards of education, because this kind of policy tends ultimately to self-destruction. It is like the pit that one digged and into which he himself fell.

Those who live in social settlements, where there are many opportunities to observe the curves of social tendencies, see daily evidences that the way for an inadequate and superficial education lies along the path of least resistance. No special pains are needed to induce people to be poorly educated; precisely the opposite, indeed, is the actual case. What with struggle for existence on the one hand and the weight of inertia on the other, those who will be standard bearers for worthy educational ideals and human progress must wage the most unremitting warfare that peace knows.

Our hospitals to-day employ in their services so large an army of young women that their indirect influence on common school education is very great indeed. If they will continue to demand applicants of good preliminary education, the whole cause of popular education will be materially strengthened; but if they should slip down to the basis of the primary grades, and be satisfied with that plate on which children of 14 are allowed to go into industry, they will deal a serious blow to education.

It can hardly be denied that the immediate effect of a ruling on the part of all hospitals to accept, in the near future, only those applicants who have had the equivalent of a high-school education, would be to stimulate a steady procession of girls into the high school; for, after all, even the most determined pessimist can not, as yet, show that the majority of the families from which nurses come are too poor to send their daughters to school, if there is a good and practical reason why they should go.

Nor, on the other hand, can the discouraging effects of a contrary step be denied, for the world is full of the proofs of inefficiency resulting from meager education, which, in turn, is directly traceable to low ideals.

It seems plain that here is an ethical obligation of the hospital to society of a very real nature and far-reaching extent, the more so as hospitals do not rank themselves among the "soulless" corporations that seek only material gains, but claim place among the forces that make for a higher civilization and an ampler distribution of the blessings of science. From the more selfish point of view, too, it would seem suicidal for hospitals to retrograde in educational ideals, for, as they are themselves entirely dependent upon an enlightened public for their support, they would help to cut off their own source of supply by helping to bring about a falling estimate of educational requirements. If, again, hospitals should generally accept a low standard, but other lines of occupation and skilled callings should steadfastly maintain high ones, then one of two things must result, both equally discreditably to the hospital, namely, either it must be permanently satisfied with the inferior grade of worker, with the accompanying loss of its own prestige, or it must reap the advantage made possible by the uncompromising high ideals of other callings, by which a generally good standard has been sustained; in other words, the hospital will reap where it has not sown—at the best, a shabby deed.

There was a time when hospitals were quite without influence in matters of general education. That was in the day of the untrained nurse or attendant, whom some of our reactionaries would like to bring back. Strange that in those days no one was satisfied, the public least of all. After all, as a country we believe in education; indeed, we stand for it. It is one of our corner stones. Is it, then, really respectable for men of any standing to maintain that the "equivalent" of the first high-school year is too much to exact of women who are to be intrusted with responsibilities of life and death? Should we not be ashamed to assert that a primary education is enough for hospital probationers, or that three years is too long a time for the training of a nurse, though it is not long enough for a complete knowledge of horticulture?

The thing of real importance is not that nurses should be taught less, but that all women should be taught more; not that courses of training for any serious work should be shortened, but better filled.

The arguments in behalf of lower standards are usually commercial arguments, and are, to persons familiar with the shibboleths and battle cries of the industrial struggle, ludicrously identical with those that are put forward in defense of forest and soil destruction, waste of natural resources, child labor, and other self-destructive policies. The correctness of this statement may be easily verified by the most casual reader.

The perennial widow who is compelled to depend on the wages of young and undersized boys, is the same piece of stage property as the excellent and competent nurse who possesses every known virtue but no education to speak of. One must ask why, as this excellent woman could not in any event be admitted to hospital probation until she is at least 19, should she not be encouraged to go to school until that time?

Long experience in the daily urgency of getting hospital work done, and the often unavoidable necessity of retaining probationers of elementary education, has but served to convince that it is more wholesome in the long run to hold a standard sufficiently high to act as a stimulus, even if one often consciously falls below it, than to be satisfied with one which is nothing more nor less than an indorsement of the status quo.

The present is urgent, but those in places of responsibility and authority have not the moral right to ignore the future.

AGE OF CANDIDATES.

Until the last few years the general age requirement for admission to training schools was 23 years, and it was only in exceptional instances that students were admitted under that age. But of recent years, in the effort to secure enough students to staff the hospital, this age requirement has been steadily lowered until now in the majority of schools (55.20 per cent) students are admitted at 20 years or under, and in 13.15 per cent of all schools they are admitted at 18 years of age. A further descent may be perhaps foreshadowed in the record of the two schools admitting that they receive students of 17 years of age. The age requirements in the various schools are as follows:

Schools.		Schools.	
17 years.....	2	23 years.....	12
18 years.....	91	24 years.....	1
19 years.....	48	25 years.....	7
20 years.....	241	No definite age.....	10
21 years.....	255	Total.....	692
22 years.....	25		

While there is little reason to suppose that the age standard could in the present day, be kept at 23 or even 22; yet it is a grave question whether the admission of young, immature girls of 18 and 19 to hospital wards, and to the heavy physical demands and the overwhelming responsibilities and anxieties of such work as inevitably awaits them there by day or by night, should be considered. No school dare assume that it will be able to provide influences and safeguards strong enough and far-reaching enough to protect either patient or pupil under those conditions.

There are undoubtedly a few schools in the country able to maintain suitable age standards, but the statements which have been made refer to the general situation and not to a few special instances.

CHARACTER OF WORK FOR STUDENTS.

There are certain measures which hospitals could adopt without any very great delay which would greatly relieve the present situation and check to some degree the constant flow into training schools, and thence into the community, of applicants who are fundamentally unfit for nursing, not only because of their limited general education and immaturity, but because of genuine defects in temperament, character, and habits. Hospitals, generally, could and should begin to accept the idea that a considerable proportion of actual nursing work must be paid for. Such official, executive positions as those of head nurse, supervisor (for day or night), and assistant should be filled not with students, but with graduate nurses carefully selected because of their fitness for the posts they are to occupy. They should be paid a proper salary, and provision should be made in

certain institutions in America, as has long been done in England, for an additional salaried body known as staff nurses. Beyond this, a sufficient number of employees should be provided to release the students from the performance of much of the common domestic service which pupil nurses are in nearly all hospitals daily performing. The students should of course be taught thoroughly how to do such work in order that they may know how to maintain proper surroundings and conditions for their patients, but it is a great waste of students' precious time to keep them for years repeating routine tasks of a purely domestic nature and of no educational value whatever. These suggested measures alone would substantially reduce the number of students now required to be admitted yearly, and would enable the schools to reject a considerably larger proportion of those falling below suitable standards.

HOURS OF WORK FOR STUDENTS.

The introduction of these measures, particularly that providing for a nursing staff independent of the student body, would also if properly carried out render important services to the training school in other ways. It would enable the school to shorten the hours of work for students, or, in the language of the hospital, "hours of duty." These long hours have always formed a persistent and at times an apparently immovable obstacle in efforts to improve the education of nurses and to establish a rational adjustment of practice to theory. A brief study of hours of work in 111 hospital training schools made by the writer in the year 1896 ("Working Hours in Training Schools," by M. A. Nutting, Report of American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses, 1896, pp. 31-39) showed that at that time in very nearly two-thirds of these training schools throughout the country student nurses were on duty for 10 hours and over daily. The hours of night duty were found to be 12 hours in 70 per cent of the schools, and in the remainder they exceeded that number and ranged from 13 to 13½. In no instance were these hours found to be under 12.

The entire course of training at that date was in all schools in this country two years or under (the one exception was the training school of the hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, which adopted the three-year course in 1904), a condition which should be considered in discussing the working hours of students. Ten or more hours a day in addition to class work and study might be endured for a period of two years without obvious or immediate injury to health. The same hours carried on for three years would prove a serious strain upon the student's physical resources, inflicting perhaps irreparable injury. The conclusions reached in this first study of working hours of students were that they were universally excessive,

that their requirement reacted injuriously not only upon the students, but eventually upon the patients and the hospital, that it was a shortsighted and unjustifiable economy in hospital administration which permitted it to exist. Fifteen years later, statistics show that though the course of training has now in the great majority of schools been lengthened to three years, shorter hours of work have not generally accompanied this change, and that progress in that direction has been slow and unsatisfactory. Nearly half (45.4 per cent) of the entire number of hospitals reporting on this subject still require a working day of 10 hours and over. The following statistics are from reports received recently by the Bureau of Education, and presented with them for comparison are statistics on the same subject in 1896.

Hours of duty in 1911 and 1896.

Hours of duty.	Schools in 1911.	Schools in 1896.
8	69	2
8½	43	0
9	239	11
9½	26	29
10	220	14
10½	0	32
11	22	3
11½	0	14
12	44	3
More than 12	0	3
Hours not given	29	
Total schools	1,692	111

¹ Percentage under 10 hours in 1911, 54.6.

² Percentage under 10 hours in 1896, 37.8.

In speaking of hours it must be remembered that these statistics refer only to practical work in ward, clinic, operating room, or other hospital department, and not to any portion of theoretical work; that the 10 hours in question are required of the student irrespective of lectures, class, or study. This practical work, also, is in many of its aspects unusually exacting and fatiguing; much of it is done while standing, bending, or lifting; much of it is done under pressure of time and nervous tension, and to a considerable degree the physical effort which the student must make is accompanied by mental anxiety and definite, often grave, responsibility. Viewed from any standpoint whatever, real nursing is difficult, exacting work, done under abnormal conditions, and all the extraordinary, subtle, intangible rewards and satisfactions which are bound up in it for the worker can not alter that fact.

Ten hours, or even nine hours, of work daily of this nature can not satisfactorily be combined with theoretical instruction to form a workable educational scheme. It is futile, and it should frankly be so conceded, to offer instruction to students who are unable through fatigue to make the required mental effort, who can not, if they would,

bring freshness, enthusiasm, or even intelligent interest to the subjects presented. The attention of tired students may be held by an exceptionally able lecturer for brief periods, but sustained work is out of the question. The student under these conditions not only loses the valuable knowledge which should illuminate every step of her work, but is liable through fatigue to misunderstand or misinterpret the instruction designed to afford her a safe basis upon which to build correct practical procedures. The direct effect of this is an immediate loss to the student; the indirect effect is a steady loss of interest in that part of her work which she can not by any possible effort find time and strength to handle satisfactorily. The importance of the practical side of her work is highly emphasized, that of the theory is minimized and belittled. It is not surprising that student nurses in training schools should eventually grow to exalt the practical above everything. It is the logical and inevitable result of the daily lessons taught them of the relative importance of the two factors in their education. Another aspect of these long hours, and one of extreme importance, is their bearing upon the health of student nurses.

Included in the special questionnaire on hours of work were questions on the average number of days of illness per student, the nature and causes of such illnesses. The replies received did not lend themselves readily to ordinary methods of tabulation, but as far as could be gathered the illnesses of students were due to one or more of the following causes: Overcrowded wards, overcrowded and unsanitary nurses' homes, overwork due to shortage of pupils, fatigue, exposure, overheating, poor food, not enough outdoor life, too little play, epidemics—these all figured as being in some measure contributory to the illnesses of students recorded in the various institutions. Of interest was the statement made in one reply that improved accommodations for more nurses brought down the number of pupils off duty on account of illness.

That long hours of ward work are, however, in most hospitals in the last analysis the main factor in causing, directly or indirectly, sooner or later, a heavy percentage of illness, those familiar with hospital life and its demands will not be disposed to doubt, and lowering the age of admission to schools becomes in its relation to prevailing hours of work a matter of the utmost importance. Dr. Frederic Lee, whose studies of fatigue in its relation to health are authoritative, makes the point that the fatigue resulting from long hours is far more serious in its effects upon such younger candidates as are now entering our schools—of such ages, for instance, as 18, 19, and 20—than upon the older student of former years. The shorter day, therefore, is seen to be important from the standpoint of the younger student, as well as from the effects of the longer (three years' course of training.

How largely the superintendents of training schools feel the need of improvement in this direction may be gathered from the fact that over two-thirds of the replies to the questions on this subject suggested shorter hours as advisable or necessary, that a large proportion of these stated their firm belief in an 8-hour day, and that almost every reply which came showed clearly in one way or another the difficulties under which the schools were laboring in trying to carry on the hospital work with the existing number of students. Many replies expressed outright the urgent need of more nurses, and one stated frankly that in order to adhere to a proper system of hours, and not make them dependent on hospital conditions, she would require a 20 per cent increase in the number of students—which she was quite unable to secure.

An interesting reply from a school where, as nearly as could be discovered, the working hours were 11 was to the effect that these hours were very satisfactory, and that the patients disliked a change of nurse even from day to night. Another stated "12 hours are not too many if there is plenty of good, nourishing food."

LENGTH OF ACADEMIC YEAR.

In considering this whole question of time and hours, it must not be forgotten that, as compared with other professional schools or with colleges, the training-school year is unprecedentedly long. It covers, in the majority of schools, 50 weeks each year, in which there are no Christmas, Easter, or Thanksgiving holidays and rarely a whole free Sunday. The annual vacation period is generally two weeks in length and although there are some schools allowing three weeks or even one month, there are others allowing but 10 days of vacation annually. In all schools it is customary to require the student to make up to the hospital every day or half day lost by illness or absence. Contrast the 50 weeks of the training school year with the 32 or 36 weeks of the academic year in the college or professional school. It is the rare instance in which the year in either of these institutions extends to 38 or 40 weeks. In point of actual time, therefore, the course of training in the majority of schools, which covers three years, as the accompanying table shows, is equivalent to four full academic years.

<i>Length of period of training.</i>	
Number of years in course—	Number of schools.
4.....	1
3½.....	1
3.....	501
2½.....	82
2.....	103
No data.....	4
	092

¹ The Waltham School, Waltham, Mass

² The Presbyterian School, Chicago, Ill.

In connection with so long a course of training, long hours of work take on a new significance. They seem an intolerable offense against the principles for which the hospital and training school are standing in modern society, the principles upon which efforts are based to preserve and protect health and to advance knowledge concerning them.

The late Mrs. Hunter Robb, the first principal of the training school in the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, and an authority on nursing education, pointed out in the very beginning the dangers of adopting the three years' (calendar years) course unless with it came shorter hours, and she insisted that superintendents of nurses ought to hold to the two years, and not consider adding to them, unless they were prepared to limit the day's work of practical nursing to eight hours. In an address on this subject written in 1895, and read at a meeting of superintendents of training schools, she said (Transactions of the American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses, 1895, p. 36):

I am sure that many of you have had some qualms of conscience at the way in which we are sometimes forced, I might almost say, to drive our pupil nurses through a two years' course. I assure you that I have had myself many anxious moments for the future of certain of my pupils as regards their health. It is well known that a combination of physical and mental labor is more exhausting than simple manual or simple mental occupation. It is true that for a time such a strain can be borne without producing any permanent injurious effects, and it is possible in most cases for women, to stand the strain imposed upon them for two years, although I am afraid that not all of them come out of the trial unscathed. If, however, this high pressure is to be kept up for three years, I am sure that the health of the nurses will suffer. A woman who works physically over eight hours a day is in no mental condition to profit to any extent by class instruction or lectures. I maintain, therefore, that the three years' course must not be considered at all unless the hours of practical work are shortened, but if the two changes can be made together, then the preservation of the health of the nurse and the extension of her education and training will be insured. This again will result in an increase in her competency and consequently will be productive of greater benefits to the patients who come under her care during her training, and after she has graduated.

Whatever changes may arise in the future in the system of educating nurses, this question of shorter hours certainly is a matter of immediate, paramount importance, and perhaps no one aspect of training-school work has greater influence upon prospective candidates than this one of the long hospital hours.

NEED OF VITAL STATISTICS.

It is felt by some of those who have been identified for many years with hospitals and training schools, that there is need for carefully secured vital statistics which shall supply exact information, not only as to the relative effect of two against three years of rigid hospital training, or the 8, 9, or 10 hour day, the conditions

under which the students live and work, the number of physical and nervous breakdowns during the ordinary course of training, but which shall carry its investigations out into the nurse's professional life and work, in an attempt to discover the length of the working life of the average nurse in various professional fields of activity—private nursing, hospital work, district work, tuberculosis work especially, and other phases of work in which nurses are now engaged in numbers. It is important to have some accurate data as to the amount, for instance, of tuberculosis which develops in nurses after they leave the training schools, and at what period; and now that the idea of requiring a careful physical examination of all students is gaining favor in schools of the highest standing, as a measure of protection both to the student, hospital, and school, it should be comparatively easy to secure such vital statistics.

THE CURRICULUM.

The general plan of work in all training schools has the merit of extreme simplicity. The accepted candidates are admitted at certain periods of the year in numbers in accordance with the needs of the hospital. In some schools it is customary to admit groups of students twice yearly, in the spring and in the autumn; in others they are admitted every three or four months; and still others admit when a vacancy occurs in the school or some special need arises in the hospital. It has been the universal custom to place these students, called "probationers," on duty in the hospital wards immediately on arrival, to confine them for the first few days to the simpler tasks in caring for the surroundings of patients, and to advance them shortly to minor duties in the actual care of patients. A certain proportion of these students thus on probation fail to pass the required tests, and retire or are dropped. The successful ones are placed in uniform, becoming the junior students on the staff, and from this point on they are pushed forward with considerable rapidity into the more difficult and important tasks and into increasing responsibility. It is naturally essential that they should be ready to render efficient service to the hospital at the earliest possible date. Some idea of the the rapidity with which this process of development goes on may be gathered from the fact that it is customary to place this young student on night duty (i. e., the sole charge of a ward of patients) at a comparatively early stage of her training, and it is expected that those who have been training her will have prepared her for this stage of her work, which may come at any time after the fourth month. Formerly it was a common custom to place student nurses on night duty at the end of the third and sometimes even of the second month. There has been great improvement in this matter of recent years,

and now many of the better type of schools postpone this trying experience until the sixth month or later.

In thus hastening the practical progress of the student for practical purposes it has been necessary to set her at many tasks without any adequate instruction to prepare her for them. She has been doing certain work long before acquiring knowledge of the fundamental sciences or the principles upon which that work is based. The few hours devoted to theory, usually not more than two a week, have made the rate of progress in that part of her education exceedingly slow, and the fatigue resulting from 9 to 10 hours of work daily have made it difficult for her to profit by the instruction offered.

PRELIMINARY COURSES.

With the view of improving this feature of training-school work and introducing better methods, brief preliminary courses were established in 1903 in two training schools in Great Britain, the schools of the Royal Infirmary at Glasgow and of the London Hospital at London. This attempt to give the student some slight preparation in theory and elementary nursing procedures proved highly satisfactory, and at a little later date the same plan was tried in this country in a somewhat larger way. In the report on this subject published by the Bureau of Education in 1905, statistics were given of 43 training schools in different parts of the country in which these preliminary courses had been established. The development in this direction was recognized as marking an important and interesting advance in training-school work, and the progress made in the brief period following its introduction into a representative school of nursing, in 1901 (the Johns Hopkins Hospital training school, at Baltimore), had been so surprisingly rapid as to afford great encouragement to those who had urged it as an improvement in educational methods.

The course as originally outlined here covered a period of six months, and provided instruction in the fundamental sciences which underlie the art of nursing, such as anatomy and physiology, bacteriology and chemistry, materia medica, hygiene, dietetics (with laboratory work in cookery), housewifery, sterilization and disinfection, and the elementary principles and procedures in nursing. It was realized that a few months spent in preparation of this nature would enable the student to enter the ward and begin the practical care of patients and the study of disease under conditions favorable alike to educational growth and to the safety and welfare of her patients. Instead of being the unskillful performer of successive acts the meaning and purpose of which she was frequently entirely unable to comprehend, the student could approach her practical work prepared in some small degree, at least, to profit immediately by the opportunities

afforded, and to avoid the errors, the losses through ignorance and ill-directed effort, and the period of distressing mental confusion through which almost all conscientious student nurses passed when trained under the older system, which placed them at a very early stage of their training at the bedside of the patient, entirely unprepared and unfortified. The general principles underlying this new plan of work are recognized as sound. They are approved by the Education Department of the State of New York, which says:

Schools of nursing to be registered by the regents must be prepared to provide the following opportunities for their pupils: A preliminary course of instruction and probation of not less than four months, during which term the pupils receive the theoretical and practical instruction necessary before undertaking any actual nursing in the wards. (Education Department Bulletin, Albany, N. Y., July, 1911, p. 6.)

A further impetus toward the development of preliminary work was given by the training-school committee of the American Hospital Association, which in its recent report (the International Hospital Record, Sept. 15, 1909, p. 8) insisted "that a preliminary course of study of not less than three months' duration be given to each class."

Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, has offered for two years opportunity for special work in the preliminary sciences leading to nursing. Some of the subjects studied are anatomy and physiology, bacteriology, chemistry, hygiene, household economics, dietetics, cookery, home nursing and emergencies, care of children, and some work in the history and ethics of nursing and nursing sociology.

This course as outlined takes eight months, students who have carried the work satisfactorily being admitted on advanced standing to an approved training school for nurses. Bellevue, Mount Sinai, Presbyterian, and St. Luke's Hospitals, New York, and the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, have agreed to deduct 6 to 9 months from their regular course in recognition of such preparation. Applicants must be high-school graduates, and must of course meet the requirements of the training school as to age, health, and general fitness before being admitted as pupil nurses.

In England the course, usually but six weeks in length, has been established in a good many prominent schools, and it is worthy of note that it has been recently introduced into the oldest regular training school in existence, that established by Florence Nightingale in 1860 at St. Thomas' Hospital, London. From statistics gathered through a special study on this subject made in 1911 by the committee on education of the American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools (see Annual Report of this Society for 1911), it was found that 86 schools have now established such preliminary courses, varying in length as the following table shows:

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Length of preparatory course:	Schools.
1 college year.....	1
6 months.....	11
4 months.....	7
3 months.....	34
2 months.....	23
6 weeks or under.....	10
Total.....	86

The University of North Dakota.

Preparatory courses reported in training schools in June, 1911.¹

Location.	Hospital.	Number of beds.	Number of pupils.	When established.	Included in 3 years?	Subjects taught.						
						Anatomy and physiology.	Bacteriology.	Chemistry.	Hygiene.	Dietetics and cookery.	Maternal medicine.	Elementary practical nursing.
1	University, N. Dak.	University of North Dakota.		1910	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<i>Schools offering a six months' preparatory course.</i>												
2	Baltimore, Md.	Johns Hopkins.	360	145	1901	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
3	Chicago, Ill.	Presbyterian.	200	110	1903	No.	x	x	x	x	x	x
4	Cleveland, Ohio.	Lakeside.	269	91	1903	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
5	Dallas, Tex.	Texas Baptist Memorial.	135	45	1910		x	x	x	x	x	x
6	Detroit, Mich.	Harper.	220	85	1902	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
7	Minneapolis, Minn.	Northwestern.	75	31	1904	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
8	do.	University.	52	16	1909	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
9	New York, N. Y.	Presbyterian.	233	100	1904	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
10	do.	St. Luke's.	300	108	1902	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
11	Philadelphia, Pa.	Polyclinic.	100	30	1903	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
12	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Allegheny General.	316	73	1906	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
<i>Schools offering a four months' preparatory course.</i>												
13	Boston, Mass.	Children's.	100	45	1904	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
14	Chicago, Ill.	Mercy.	250	106	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
15	do.	St. Luke's.	315	120	1907	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
16	Norfolk, Va.	Norfolk Protestant.	140	39	1907	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
17	Taunton, Mass.	Taunton.	20	12	1910	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
18	Toronto, Ont.	Hospital for Sick Children.	150	55	1905	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
19	Worcester, Mass.	Worcester City.	285	100	1905	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
<i>Schools offering a three months' preparatory course.</i>												
20	Bangor, Me.	Eastern Maine General.	100	35	1909	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
21	Boston, Mass.	Massachusetts General.	310	140		Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
22	do.	Massachusetts Homeopathic.	300	100	1906	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
23	Bridgport, Conn.	Bridgport.	112	46		Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
24	Charlottesville, Va.	University of Virginia.	110	30	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
25	Chicago, Ill.	Cook County.	1,800	180	1904	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
26	do.	Michael Reese.	850			Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
27	Cincinnati, Ohio.	Christ.	120	53	1903	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
28	do.	Jewish.	128	80	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
29	Dayton, Ohio.	Miami Valley.	150	45	1906	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
30	Detroit, Mich.	Grace.	150	65	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
31	Fall River, Mass.	Union.	80	29	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
32	Indianapolis.	Methodist Episcopal.	70	40	1911	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
33	Lewiston, Me.	Central Maine General.	70	33		Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
34	London, Ont.	Victoria.	300	84	1906	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
35	Muskegon, Mich.	Hackley.	40	30	1907	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
36	New Haven, Conn.	Connecticut.	225	70	1905	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
37	Newport, R. I.	Newport.	100	23	1908	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x
38	Newton, Mass.	Newton.	100	65	1907	Yes.	x	x	x	x	x	x

¹ Ten additional schools report a short course of six weeks or under of preparatory work.

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Hours of theory, daily.	Practical work, hours daily.	Practical work, where done.							Tuition charged.	Uniforms supplied by—	Textbooks supplied by—	Additional assistants or instructors required.	Affiliation with college or technical school.	
		Demonstration room.	Wards.	Dispensary or clinic.	Diet kitchen.	Pharmacy.	Supply room.	Linen and sewing room.							Laundry.
5	0								\$25			Yes	No	1
1-2	6			X	X	X	X		50-25	Stu. Hosp.	Hosp. Stu.	2	No	2
2	6			X	X	X	X		25	Stu.	Stu.	1	Rush Medical College.	3
2	7		X	X	X	X	X		25	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	No	4
1 1/2	10		X	X	X	X	X		0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	Baylor Medical College.	5
2	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	6
2 1/2	6 1/2		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	7
2 1/2	6		X	X	X	X	X		25	Hosp.	Hosp.	2	University of Minnesota.	8
2 1/2	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Hosp.	Hosp.	2	No	9
2 1/2	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Hosp.	1	Teachers College.	10
2 1/2	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Hosp.	1	No	11
2 1/2	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	12
2-3	0	X	X						200	Stu.	Stu.		Simmons College	13
2-3	6	X	X						0	Stu.	Stu.	1	Northwestern University.	14
2	5 1/2		X	(?)					0	Hosp.	Hosp.	2	No	15
2	5		X	X	X	X	X		0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	No	16
4	4		X	X	X	X	X		0	Hosp.	Hosp.	No.	No	17
2	7		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Hosp.	2	No	18
2	7		X	X	X	X	X		0	Hosp. in part.		1	No	19
1-2	10		X	(?)					0	Stu.	Stu.	Yes	No	20
1-2	5		X	X					0	Stu.	Stu.	No	No	21
2	7		X	X					0	Stu.	Stu.	3	No	22
1	16		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Stu.	4	No	23
1	6		X	X	X	X	X		0	Stu.	Hosp.	1	No	24
2	8		X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Hosp.	Stu.	2	No	25
2	8		X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	Yes	No	26
5	5		No	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	2	No	27
4	5		X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Hosp.	Hosp.	3	No	28
1	8		X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	29
1 1/2	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Hosp.	Hosp.	No.	No	30
2	10	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No	31
1	8	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	32
1	8	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No	33
1 1/2	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No	34
1	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	Hackley Manual Training School.	35
1	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Hosp.	Stu.	1	No	36
2 1/2	8	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.		No	37
2 1/2	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	0	Stu.	Stu.		No	38

* In Homeopathic Hospital.

† In different departments.

‡ Approximately.

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Location.	Hospital.	Number of beds.	Number of pupils.	When established.	Included in 3 years?	Subjects taught.												
						Anatomy and physiology.	Bacteriology.	Chemistry.	Hygiene.	Dietetics and cookery.	Maternal medicine.	Elementary practical nursing.						
<i>Schools offering a three months' preparatory course—Continued.</i>																		
39	New York	Mount Sinai	300	170	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
40	do.	New York Infirmary for Women and Children.	119	23	1906?	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
41	Pittsburgh, Pa.	South Side	135	30	1903	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
42	Providence, R. I.	Rhode Island	400	100	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
43	Fueblo, Colo.	Minnequa	150	25		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
44	New York, N. Y.	Bellevue	1,223	111	1910	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
45	Quebec, Quebec	Jeffery Hale's	50	27	1909	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
46	Rochester, N. Y.	Rochester General	110	56	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
47	St. Louis, Mo.	Washington University	200	45	1910	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
48	St. Paul, Minn.	St. Luke's	100	44	1910	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
49	San Francisco, Cal.	Lane	175	70	1905	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
50	Topeka, Kans.	Christ's	85	35	1908	Yes.	X	X	X	X		X						
51	Toronto, Ont.	Toronto General	400	115	1911	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
52	Wauwatosa, Wis.	Milwaukee County	250	30	1911	No.	X	X		X	X	X						
53	Westfield, Mass.	Noble	55	13	1911	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
<i>Schools offering a two months' preparatory course.</i>																		
54	Akron, Ohio	City	80	25	1908	Yes.	X	X	X	X	X	X						
55	Ann Arbor, Mich.	University	300	70	1911	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
56	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Brooklyn	196	44	1906	Yes.	X	X	X	X	X	X						
57	do.	St. Mary's	250	60	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
58	Buffalo, N. Y.	Buffalo Homeopathic.	41	18	1910	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
59	do.	Erie County	450	47	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
60	Camden, N. J.	Cooper	300	35	1911	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
61	Canandaigua, N. Y.	F. F. Thompson	50	15			X	X		X	X	X						
62	Chicago, Ill.	Augustana	200	88	1906	(?)	X	X		X	X	X						
63	Jamaica Plains, Mass.	Adams Nervine	50	19	1906	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
64	Kingston	Kingston General	100	36		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
65	Louisville, Ky.	John N. Norton Memorial	100	36	1908	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
66	Minneapolis, Minn.	Asbury and Rebecca Methodist Episcopal Hospital and Home.	105	42		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
67	do.	City	260	46		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
68	New York, N. Y.	City and Maternity and Gouverneur.	900	100	1902	No.	X	X		X	X	X						
69	do.	New York	225	94	1904	No.	X	X		X	X	X						
70	Omaha, Nebr.	Nebraska Methodist Episcopal	100	45	1900	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
71	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	Vassar Bros'	65	22	1910	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
72	Philadelphia, Pa.	Jewish	150	55	1909	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
73	do.	Pennsylvania	315	72		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
74	Quincy, Ill.	Blessing	30	20	1905	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
75	Saginaw, Mich.	Saginaw General	30	20		Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						
76	Springfield, Mass.	Springfield	100	43	1909	Yes.	X	X		X	X	X						

* Approximately.

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Hours of theory, daily.	Practical work, hours daily.	Practical work, where done.							Tuition charged.	Uniforms supplied by—	Textbooks supplied by—	Additional assistants or instructors required.	Affiliation with college or technical school.	
		Demonstration room.	Wards.	Dispensary or clinic.	Diet kitchen.	Pharmacy.	Supply room.	Linen and sewing room.						Laundry.
1	7								0			1	No.	39
1	8	X	X		X	X	X		0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	40
1	9		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	41
1	10		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	42
1	11		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Hosp.	No.	No.	43
1	12		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	5	No.	44
1	13		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	45
1	14	X	X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	14	No.	46
1	15		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	No.	47
1	16		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Hosp.	No.	No.	48
1	17		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	2	Cooper Medical College.	49
3	6		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Partly Hosp.	1	No.	50
3	5		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	No.	51
1	2		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	52
1	3		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	State Normal.	53
2	6		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	54
3	10		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	University of Michigan.	55
1	11		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	56
1	12		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Hosp.	2	No.	57
1	13		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Hosp.	No.	No.	58
2	6	X	X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	2	No.	59
1	7		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	60
1	8		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	61
1	9		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	62
1	10		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	63
1	11		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	64
1	12		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Hosp.	1	No.	65
1	13		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	66
2	8		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	Yes.	67
1	7		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Hosp.	No.	No.	68
1	6		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	1	No.	69
1	7		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Hosp.	1	No.	70
1	8		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	71
1	9		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	72
1	10		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	73
1	11		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	74
1	12		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	75
2	7		X	X	X	X			0	Hosp.	Stu.	2	No.	76
1	7		X	X	X	X			0	Stu.	Stu.	No.	No.	76

* One month additional.

TIME GIVEN TO SUBJECTS OF STUDY.

In nine schools the preparatory course was established during the last year. The idea for which it stands finds ready acceptance in the minds of both training schools and hospital workers, and to the laity it seems an essential measure for safeguarding the patient. In actual operation, however, practical difficulties appear. Increased accommodation for students is required; special instruction and supervision are essential features of the plan. Beyond this, when the demands of the hospital press, as they will, and the services of even the unskilled probationer are of value, it is well-nigh impossible to maintain any scheme of instruction uninfluenced by hospital requirements. Such conditions have operated to reduce the preliminary course from the six months of the original plan to the three months which is now the usual preliminary period, and to further impair its purpose by placing the student at the very beginning of the course in the hospital wards for several hours daily. A very small number out of the 86 schools offering preliminary courses are able, apparently, to keep their students out of the hospital service for the entire or even a major part of the brief course, and the hours of ward work are now in instances so long as to leave hardly any time for that study of the sciences and other fundamental subjects for which the preparatory course was established. With the concentration in a few months of the theory which was originally scattered through at least the entire first year, the student is of necessity required to give several hours daily to study. If this need is not recognized, and the student is called upon for eight or even seven hours of practical work daily in wards or anywhere else, she is in a worse plight than under the old system.

To derive full benefit from this all too brief opportunity for preparation, the student should of course, be permitted to give her entire time and energy to it, but where at present this is not feasible the maximum amount of hospital work required of her daily should not exceed four hours. It appears from the statistics that about 40 per cent of the 86 schools require during the preliminary course seven or more hours of hospital work daily. The introduction of these preliminary courses has formed the first steps in bringing about a proper grading of the various subjects in the curriculum. It has brought into proper place and orderly relationship such fundamental subjects as anatomy, physiology, bacteriology, hygiene, dietetics, materia medica, which formerly were scattered in a haphazard way throughout the entire course. These subjects now form an important part of the curriculum in almost all schools, and it is evident from a study of nearly 500 reports that a considerable degree of uniformity in subjects has been reached. There is, however, a striking lack of uniformity in the length of time devoted in the different schools to

these subjects. According to the records, the time allotted to the various subjects of the first year range about as follows:

Subject.	Number of hours.
Anatomy.....	8-72
Physiology.....	6-80
Bacteriology.....	2-40
Hygiene.....	2-24
Dietetics.....	5-40
Materia medica.....	10-60

In respect to all these subjects several instances were found in which the number of hours either fell below or exceeded those here recorded, but the record may be accepted as indicating the general situation and showing clearly the wide divergence of views held in training schools as to the ground which should be covered in these fundamental and essential subjects.

In anatomy and in physiology from 20 to 24 hours seems to be the usual time required in the larger number of schools, but it is noted that 40, 50, and even 60 hours are not uncommon.

In bacteriology, the majority of schools do not require more than 10 hours of work, many of these actually stating the requirement to be from 2 to 5 hours. In view of the extreme importance of this subject in the education of the nurse, as one of the very pillars upon which much of her training must rest, that school must come under criticism which fails to provide adequate work in this subject. Students of domestic science are usually required to cover one full half-year in bacteriology, chiefly of laboratory work in which the time occupied is usually not less than 60 hours. Prof. Moore, of Cornell University, believes that bacteriology plays such an "important part in the immediate physical well-being of every individual" that it should be "introduced into the common schools." (Bacteriology in General Education, Science, February 24, 1911, p. 280.)

It is noticeable in the reports how much more time is allotted in many schools to materia medica than to dietetics. This may perhaps be due to a lack of appreciation of the true relative importance of the two subjects, or to the fact that instruction in materia medica can usually be rather easily obtained without additional expense from some member of the staff, whereas instruction in dietetics calls for a specially trained teacher, who must be paid for her work. Far too little attention is given this important subject in training schools; the courses offered are brief; the work is elementary in character. There should be more work in food properties and values, in nutrition, and food preparation.

The nurse is required to be something of an expert in this province, to be able to work out satisfactory dietaries on certain general lines

laid down by the physician, not only during illness, but in convalescence, during infancy and childhood, and in those special conditions where the diet is the treatment. She should be able also to plan nourishing dietaries and advise as to healthful food in families where sickness is combined with poverty and economic difficulties must be surmounted.

But this more thorough work in foods should be preceded by at least an elementary course in chemistry, and this is equally needed as a basis for any satisfactory work in hygiene and sanitation or in materia medica. In some of the training schools connected with universities, it is noted that courses in chemistry are given, but these are few in number.

In all the subjects which have just been discussed, it is important that more uniformity in standards should be reached, and steady work in this direction is urgently needed.

In arrangement and grading of subjects, a somewhat curious situation appears—the first year includes, apparently, a considerably larger amount of instruction than either of the other two years. Theoretical work appears to diminish appreciably with each year, and there are schools (32 were found in the reports) in which apparently no instruction whatever is offered in the third year. Instead, therefore, of a course so arranged that the student progresses from year to year in theoretical knowledge as well as in practical experience, there is offered a course which, so far as intellectual effort is concerned, decreases instead of increases in its demands upon the student. This naturally might lead one to ask why a third year is necessary and gives color to the suggestion frequently made, that the third year is established more for the benefit of the hospital than for the student.

> INSTRUCTORS.

In 315 schools (nearly half the entire number from which reports were received) there are no paid instructors. On this subject, for the remaining schools, it is difficult to present any accurate and serviceable information, since the returns show such a misconception of the data asked for as to render the results unsuitable for use. In the majority of instances the officers of instruction and supervision were evidently identical, and frequently this was stated to be the case. The salaried instructor is a new feature in a training-school work, and apart from teachers of dietetics and massage there are very few schools, probably not more than 10 in the whole country, which have any one officer whose time is devoted wholly to teaching. The conclusions reached from the reports on this subject were that teaching in training schools is now conducted almost entirely by administrative and executive officers, such as the superintendent or assistant superintendent of nursing, with the cooperation of the

visiting staff of physicians and surgeons. In the latter instance the teaching is largely through short lecture courses for which the lecturer receives no payment.

LIBRARIES.

In 299 schools out of the 692 reporting, no evidence was found of anything in the nature of a library. The reports said "no books" or "no data," or ignored the question. In the remaining schools, reports showed 92 in which the number of books did not exceed 25, and it was found not to exceed 100 in over two-thirds of the entire number reporting. In some instances libraries were reported containing from 100 books up to 1,000, and in two or three instances beyond that number. In the latter case it seemed probable that the library usually was that of the hospital, the medical school, or of the physician in charge, and thus more or less available to the student nurse, rather than a library selected with special reference to the needs of the training school and freely and easily accessible to the students at all times.

TUITION FEES FOR PRELIMINARY INSTRUCTION.

In this country tuition fees are charged in six schools, the very small sum of \$25 forming the usual fee. These schools are in all but one instance those offering a full six months' course. They are—

Johns Hopkins Training School, Baltimore, Md.....	\$50
Presbyterian Training School, Chicago, Ill.....	25
Lakeside Training School, Cleveland, Ohio.....	25
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.....	25
University of North Dakota, Fargo, N. Dak.....	25

In the school connected with the Children's Hospital, Boston, a fee of \$200 is charged, which covers not only the preliminary instruction but that given during the entire course. This is a small but admirably managed and highly progressive school, which has by its various affiliations secured exceptional opportunities and advantages for its students, for which they willingly pay.

In this school the preliminary course is given largely in Simmons College, where the students receive all of their scientific preparation. There is a slight but distinct tendency on the part of training schools to seek some such relationship as this, and several have turned to colleges or technical schools for that scientific groundwork which the training school without endowment, trained teachers, laboratories, or equipment can not give in any satisfactory way.

In the Waltham Training School, Waltham, Mass., tuition fees amounting to \$250 are charged for the first two years of the course. This school offers an excellent preparatory course, but limited opportunities for hospital training and practice. The larger part of the students' training is obtained in the private practice of physicians, payment for their services going to the support of the school.

RELATIONS TO COLLEGES.

Some of the training schools which have succeeded in establishing such a relationship in a greater or less degree are those connected with the hospitals here named, the institutions with which they are related being given also:

- Children's Hospital, Boston, Mass., with Simmons College.
- The Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago, Ill., with Rush Medical College.
- The Mercy Hospital, Chicago, Ill., with Northwestern University Medical School.
- Wesley Hospital, Chicago, Ill., with Northwestern University Medical School.
- Evanston Hospital, Chicago, Ill., with Northwestern University Medical School.
- Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., with Northwestern University Medical School.
- Lane Hospital, San Francisco, Cal., with Cooper Medical College, Leland Stanford.
- Iowa Methodist Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa, with Drake Medical College, Drake University.
- Madison General Hospital, Madison, Wis., with University of Wisconsin (for some class and laboratory work).

An interesting experiment was made last year in the University of North-Dakota, where a course was organized, designed to give instruction in the academic and technical subjects which precede the practical work in hospital training. The work as arranged covered one academic year and provided instruction in the usual subjects of anatomy, physiology, bacteriology, chemistry, hygiene and sanitation, dietetics, materia medica, and principles of nursing, and in addition suitable courses in psychology and sociology were offered. Arrangements were made with several adjacent hospitals to receive the students who satisfactorily completed this course. Three students entered last year, and as the movement is in the right direction, it should eventually attract a desirable grade of students and contribute materially to the improvement of nursing education. There does not appear to be here, however, any organic relation between the university and the hospitals which are said to be affiliated which would give the university control over the whole education of the nurse. Such relation would insure an adequate completion of the work begun, a proper grade and degree of instruction in actual nursing subjects, reasonable hours of practical work, etc.

TRAINING SCHOOLS FOR NURSES IN UNIVERSITIES.

Perhaps the most promising effort now being made anywhere to establish nursing on a satisfactory educational basis is that which has recently been inaugurated at the University of Minnesota, in its new school of nursing. Dr. Richard Olding Beard, professor of physiology in the university, says of it:

The university education of the nurse and the university control of the training school for nurses, as a department of instruction, is an accomplished fact. The training school for nurses of the University of Minnesota, as well as the university hospital,

is in the direct charge of the faculty of the College of Medicine and Surgery. Its preliminary courses of instruction and its undergraduate lectures are given in the laboratories and lecture rooms of that college. Its examinations are conducted by the chiefs of the college departments. Its diplomas are conferred by the board of regents of the university, upon recommendation of the faculty.

Its integrity as a teaching department is assured not only by its university control but by the fact that the university hospital exists in itself as a purely teaching institution. It is the clinical laboratory of the college. It is devoted to the education of medical students and the training of nurses. So conceived and so maintained as a teaching hospital, it must of necessity realize the highest ideals of a hospital service. Its existence is justified by the attainment of nothing less. Entertaining as it does free patients from all parts of the State, selected for the clinical contribution they offer, and selected moreover from among those who are unable to pay for care and treatment, the realization of these ideals is unembarrassed by any secondary considerations. The best results to the patient and the highest values to the student in the practice and teaching of scientific medicine are its only and its lofty aims.

The unification of medical teaching in the State of Minnesota under the immediate control of the State university guarantees the future growth and the high quality of its service. The training school will be developed as a special department of this single university school of medicine. ("The university education of the nurse." Teachers College Record.)

A somewhat similar situation in plan exists in the school of nursing of the University of Texas, which in 1897 was by action of the regents of the university created as—

One of the regular schools of the medical department of the university, and the pupil nurses are recognized as students of this branch of the medical department. The regents of the university are responsible for the instruction of the student nurses in all branches and have placed the management of the curriculum in the hands of a committee composed of the clinical instructor of nursing, the dean, and two members elected annually from the faculty of medicine by the members of the faculty. The committee has arranged a curriculum and appointed from the members of the faculty and corps of lecturers and demonstrators the special instructors in each branch. (Bulletin of the University of Texas, Mar., 1910, p. 96.)

The clinical instructor of nursing referred to above is the superintendent of nurses, who is a member of the faculty. A different and less close relationship with the university is held by those schools of nursing forming an integral part of university and other hospitals connected with the following institutions: University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.; George Washington University, Washington, D. C.; University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va.; University of Colorado, Boulder, Colo.; Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.; University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

The advantages to training schools resulting from such connections with universities are emphasized in letters recently received by the writer from the heads of several such schools. They may be summarized about as follows:

(a) Lecture rooms, laboratories, libraries, and teaching material are usually freely available to student nurses.

(b) Instruction is given to student nurses by professors and instructors in medical schools, those who are accustomed to teaching and to providing systematic, thorough instruction.

(c) Respect is shown for the theoretical side of their work, and student nurses are obliged to give the same attention to their studies that the other students give.

(d) The foregoing conditions naturally operate to attract a higher grade of candidate for admission.

The letters dwell also on the value of less tangible matters, such as the facts that the nurses are entered as students in the university, graduate with the other students, receive their diplomas from the hands of the president, and catch something of the university spirit. An interesting opportunity exists here for strengthening and developing training schools and improving the education of nurses which should be fully utilized. All of the resources of the university, and not alone those of the medical department, should be freely available to student nurses, since nursing draws from many sources beyond the strictly medical and sanitary for its perfection. Valuable, however, as are these connections with university, college, or technical school, they will not alone solve the problem of education in nursing. If the connection is through the hospital of which the training school is a part, there may be certain opportunities available, certain privileges granted to the student nurses, but there is no certainty that the university hospital will differ materially from other hospitals in its relation to the training schools. There are several schools belonging to university hospitals reaping no obvious benefit from such relationship.

If, on the other hand, the training school is a department of the medical school, there may be some further advantages secured to it, but there is no guarantee that the medical school will be willing to incur any appreciable expense for the training school or accord it any real freedom for growth. This relationship is very interestingly discussed by Dr. Alfred Worcester, of Waltham. He says:

Of course it would be a step forward from the present hospital domination of the training school if the education of nurses were assumed by the medical schools which have whole control of their hospitals. But such a step would at best be only a half-way step and would entail great difficulties. It is true that the nursing profession is secondary to the medical profession in that the nurse is the doctor's executive officer. In the same way the engineer of the battleship is secondary to the captain. But from that it does not follow that the education of naval engineers should be intrusted to officers of the line. Engineers must be educated by engineers, surgeons by surgeons, and nurses by nurses—each profession in its own school, under its own separate faculty, and controlled only by the university. ("The education of nurses." The University Record, Chicago University, May, 1903, p. 1.)

It is the opinion of some of those who have for many years been engaged in hospital and training school work, who have given careful

study to the peculiar relationship which has been established between them, and have met in every form the difficulties due to that relationship, that the first step toward developing proper schools of nursing lies in separating them from the hospital and its control and placing them upon an independent basis. Under the present system the school has no life of its own. It is in essence simply a part of the hospital service, and it is unquestionably governed in all its important functions, not by a body concerned with their fulfillment, but by everyday hospital conditions and necessities. That a number of important hospitals are interested in their schools and kindly disposed toward their students does not greatly affect the situation. It does not insure the maintenance of any stable educational policy; it does not prevent sweeping changes in the school as the result of a change in the administrative staff of the hospital, and members of that staff who may be hostile to the education of nurses will have power to do such destructive work in the training school as may set it back for years, upon so insecure a foundation does it now stand. Mrs. Hunter Robb, writing on this subject, said:

Hospital authorities and superintendents of training schools have done to the best of their ability, and have utilized approximately to the limit the possibilities of the system under which they have had to work. The main limit is based upon the fundamental fact that from the educational standpoint the relation of the training school to the hospital work has always come first and the nurses' education has been relegated to a secondary position. In no instance has a training school for nurses been founded primarily as an educational institution; it has always been regarded as an appendage to a hospital. But until this is changed and schools for nurses are founded for the primary purpose of educating women in nursing, the hospital being utilized as the ground for gaining practical experience, we can scarcely hope for any uniformity in nursing or for the higher grade of work for the hospital or the sick. ("Affiliation of training schools for educational purposes," Mrs. Hunter Robb. Report American Federation of Nurses, 1905, p. 159.)

In an interesting and suggestive paper on the education of nurses, Dr. F. P. Denny, of Brookline, Mass., advances the same idea, pointing out the need for an educational institution which would assume the whole responsibility of the training of nurses. After showing the improvements which such schools might bring about, he says "these reforms are sure to come if the training is wholly in the control of an institution whose only object is to secure the best possible education for the nurse." ("The need of an institution for the education of nurses independent of the hospitals," by Francis P. Denny, M. D. Boston Medical and Surgical Journal, June 18, 1903, p. 658.)

An English writer (a physician), discussing this subject not long since, advocated the incorporation in England of a Royal College of Nursing, which would grant degrees in nursing just as they are granted in medicine. After briefly outlining a plan for such an organization he says: "The degrees might rightly follow the lines of the patron

profession, and a diplomaed nurse might be entitled to the degree of B. N." (bachelor of nursing). A higher diploma, he thinks, should be encouraged for those who aspired to administrative or teaching posts. "Only those," he says, "who held a recognized degree would be recognized as nurses; and the line of demarcation would be sharp and clear." ("The nurse of the future," Josiah Oldfield. Westminster Review, Dec., 1905, p. 661.)

But a college for nurses is not a new idea. It was included in the plans of that committee of the State Charities Aid Association which in 1874 was instrumental in establishing a training school in connection with Bellevue Hospital, New York: "As the work advances," their report reads, "we hope to establish a college for the education of nurses which will receive a charter from the State and become a recognized institution of the country."

The founders of Bellevue Training School were in a position to plan for future educational growth and development because this school, though closely connected with the hospital, was not controlled by it, but under the management of a separate board maintained largely or wholly by separate funds. The board entered into an agreement with the hospital to provide the students opportunities for definite training and experience in return for such services as they could render the sick. In the hospital they were subordinate to the organization and its system, but under the control of the school board in matters of teaching, training, and discipline.

The earlier schools, both in England and America, were established on this basis, and the very first school founded by Florence Nightingale, in 1860 in connection with St. Thomas Hospital in London, was and still is managed by a separate board, under its own endowment, and represents a distinct educational institution. The Illinois Training School, of Chicago, is a separate institution for the education of nurses, and has a large and strong board of directors. It is connected with a great municipal hospital—the Cook County Hospital—and a contract is made annually by the school to carry on the nursing in the hospital. But in the last analysis this school is really maintained by the student nurses, for whose services the hospital pays the directors of the school a stated sum per capita per day.

With one or two exceptions, however, the schools in this country have not been able to maintain a separate status, and they have one by one eventually become incorporated into the hospital. No careful study has been made of the causes of this transition, but it is probably safe to hazard a guess that the lack of sufficient endowment and the difficulty of securing funds to maintain the school were largely instrumental in bringing about the change. And hospitals were eager to secure control of the schools. The crux of the whole situation seems to lie here—education when worth anything

is costly, and no scheme of education that will fitly prepare women for the extraordinarily varied demands in nursing can be carried on without expense. The hospital knows this, but can not meet it. Society has so far not recognized it; while requiring much of the nurse in private, and of late in municipal life, it has left the entire task of educating nurses to the hospital, unmindful of the fact that the hospital is not founded for such work primarily and that it can not incorporate into its own great scheme of activities another scheme equally great but entirely different in purpose and requiring special conditions and a special government.

While hospital and training school are fundamentally interdependent, there is no more reason why the hospital should own and control the training school than the medical school. The basis of relationship should be one of close and efficient cooperation.

Dr. Henry M. Hurd, until recently superintendent of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, in a valuable paper on this subject says:

It is well known that no first-class school of any sort, and no form of higher education can be a profitable business enterprise; that the teaching of theology, of law, medicine, and pedagogics, or instruction in the strictly technical schools can not rest upon a commercial basis and pay its proper expenses. It should ever be borne in mind that nursing the sick is now a calling as much as law, medicine, or theology; that it enters into the life of the community to a greater extent even than these professions, and that the families of the rich equally with the poor are concerned in the proper education and training of nurses.

Medical schools must have an ample endowment to place medical education upon a proper footing and do good educational work. It is equally true that a similar endowment is necessary for the training schools for nurses. The duty is apparent; to the nurse is committed the personal care of the sick in every community; she comes into the family; she bears the responsibility and care of the family in the absence of the family physician; she represents him, replaces him, assists him, and supplements his labors by her efficiency and helpfulness. Through her efforts his labors to cure his patients are made effective. If she is imperfectly trained and unable to appreciate the higher range of her duties, she becomes a broken reed, upon which he can not lean with safety.

Then, too, in the more public duties of the nurse an adequate training is equally essential. In every city, large or small, nay, in every village or town, the hospital, with its properly arranged, well-equipped operating room, efficiently supervised by a trained nurse, has become essential, so that an accident case, or one requiring sudden surgical intervention, can be cared for as speedily and as well at the home of the patient, wherever that may be, as in the largest city clinic or the most expensive hospital in the land. The competent and thoroughly trained nurse is an all-important adjunct of every such hospital.

The nurse has also been introduced into the public school with great advantage to the public welfare. She watches over the health of the pupils; she observes the hygienic conditions of the school; she visits the home to know how the pupils live there and to give such instruction as will improve the conditions of living. In district nursing her services also require the highest grade of intelligence and training. She must become, to use Florence Nightingale's term, "a missioner of health" to families of the poor, and must preach the gospel of hygienic living and healthful surroundings.

Upon the tuberculosis nurse is placed the hardest part of the battle which is being waged against tuberculosis in every part of the country. She not only must look after the sick as a nurse, but also is responsible for the hygienic care of the sick and the instruction of the family; so that tuberculosis may not be a source of danger to the community. She must equally instruct the family and supervise the home; so that other members of the family may not, through inadvertence or ignorance, acquire the dread disease. She must see that families live healthily; that too many are not crowded into an infected room; that rooms are properly disinfected after the death or removal of a tubercular patient, and must protect the whole community from the spread of tuberculous disease.

Everywhere her presence makes for comfort in sickness, for the minimization of the loss to the community and the state which disease, suffering, and death entail, for the prevention of disease, and for the social uplift which is the hope of the nation with its conglomerate population and racial diversities and animosities. More surely than education alone, more strongly than the ties of religion, more firmly than self-interest and commercialism, this form of service will bind society together and assist each class in the effort to lighten the burdens of the other.

When such important duties devolve upon the trained nurse it is short-sighted in the extreme and contrary to good policy to leave the establishment and maintenance of training schools to private initiative, where too often the governing motive must be to get public or private hospitals supplied with nurses at the lowest cost to the institution.

Is it not the duty of the public, rather for its own welfare, to see that nurses' training schools are adequately endowed, so that young women of character and ability can be induced to come to them, and so that when they come to such training schools they may be properly instructed for the discharge of duties which take hold of the health and welfare of the entire community?

(“Shall training schools for nursing be endowed?” Dr. Henry M. Hurd. *The American Journal of Nursing*, Sept., 1906, pp. 849-952.)

Whether the freedom of the training school is brought about by means of endowments or by State or municipal aid does not matter. The thing to be secured is a separate government for the training school. The actual relation of the school to the hospital need not greatly change in certain ways, and student nurses on duty would always be subject to the administrative régime. The school buildings should remain beside the hospital. But the endowment should provide such extensions and additions to those buildings as will make them schools in the accepted sense of that word—lecture rooms, laboratories, teaching material—every equipment needed for the required academic and scientific work should be supplied, and nothing should stand in the way of the student in securing proper foundations of this nature for her later work in the hospital. She should, however, pay for her tuition and probably for a part of the time for her board.

The faculty should determine the requirements for admission, length of course, subjects to be taught, in theory and in practice, diplomas and degrees, vacations, salaries for staff, and other similar matters, and should make all arrangements and adjustments with the hospital.

The board, the controlling body of the school, should be inspired by the fullest appreciation of the social importance of the nurse's work and should have a clear understanding of the scope and extent of her professional field and of the way in which it is developing.

It should be clearly understood that in insisting upon the necessity for a sounder scientific foundation and a fuller knowledge of the principles and the general theory underlying and relative to the art of nursing, there is no thought of minimizing in any degree the importance of the practical training and the value of experience which the hospital provides, nor of reducing it in any way which might tend to render it less serviceable for its purpose. This practical work, however, in the hospital or out of it, always must suffer when the theoretical foundations are weak. No one with any real knowledge of the situation could underestimate the value of the opportunity which the hospital affords the student, of actually living and working among the sick under the supervision and instruction of a staff of expert nurses, whose methods can be studied at close range. In no other way can the student observe and study the various diseases, become familiar with their symptoms, stages, complications, and fluctuations, and watch the effect of treatment and care of them. The steady industry and the ordered life and the increasing responsibility in the hospital supply conditions under which essential qualities of character and habits of thought and action are developed; decision, self-control, fortitude, resourcefulness, and judgment are in some measure built up in the student who becomes a member of a highly-organized staff controlled by a unique and wonderful discipline, and guided by traditions of courage, devotion to duty, and self-sacrificing service for others. So far from undervaluing that which the hospital can give, it is the conviction of the writer that these magnificent opportunities should only be given to students thoroughly prepared to take the fullest possible advantage of them; they should be properly utilized and wisely directed.

STATE REGISTRATION.

ENACTMENTS.

North Carolina, in 1903, was the first State to present a bill and secure a law providing for the State registration of nurses. Within the eight years that have elapsed since that date, 31 States have succeeded in obtaining such laws. In the 5 States of Vermont, Tennessee, Idaho, Oregon, and Wisconsin these laws have been passed in 1911. In New Jersey, where a defective law was enacted in 1903, the State society of nurses is struggling against considerable opposition to secure the passage of a new bill which shall make some definite requirement in the way of educational and other standards for nurses.

A careful study of the laws which have so far been enacted in this country will serve to show that there is still much work to be done, and that as yet the foundations only have been laid upon which may be built bulwarks of suitable strength for the adequate defense of educational standards in nursing. Take that most important feature, preliminary education, and it will be seen that from the standpoint of statutory requirements practically no definite standards exist, since in almost every instance the requirement made is qualified by the term "or an equivalent," and 18 of the 31 enactments make no educational requirement whatever; 6 States (North Carolina, Maryland, Indiana, West Virginia, Oklahoma, and Delaware) ask for a high-school course or "its equivalent;" 2 States (Minnesota and Nebraska) call for high-school entrance examinations; 4 States (California, Missouri, Michigan, and Oklahoma) for a common-school course, or equivalent, and the remaining 18 States leave the matter untouched, to be determined by the examining board or others. What may be accepted as properly constituting a just equivalent of the full high-school course, of one or two years of high-school work, or of a completed grammar-school course, must apparently under present conditions be left to the superintendents and principals of training schools in different States to determine. This would be under any circumstances a difficult and perplexing problem, but under the present system of training-school administration it is a well-nigh hopeless one in the majority of instances. The head of the training school is now unquestionably obliged to give herself great latitude in this matter. She must often interpret this equivalent according neither to the letter nor to the spirit, but in accordance with the requirements of the hospital. This in the last analysis controls more or less arbitrarily the question of preliminary standards of education, and herein lies the reason for the consistent opposition which nurses have met and are likely to meet on this point.

As to the type of hospital in which the practical training may be given, the laws provide for a considerable degree of variety. Several States provide that the school must be connected with a general hospital, which may be further qualified as "registered," "chartered," "approved," or "in good standing." In various other States the training may be in sanatoria, State hospitals, or special hospitals, usually with the provision that a certain additional specified time, which may be from six months to one year, shall be spent in a general hospital. Three States (New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts) make no mention of where the training is to be received, thus leaving the matter entirely in the hands of the examining board.

The occasional use of the word "reputable" suggests problems, as, for instance, when the law requires that the training must have been received in a "reputable hospital." This is practically equivalent to

assuming that any hospital which can not actually be proved to be disreputable should be accepted as suitable ground for the education and training of nurses without reference to the character and scope of its work.

In the several laws in which mention is made of the subjects on which the applicant will be examined they are very similar, and include anatomy and physiology, hygiene, materia medica, dietetics or invalid cookery, and practical nursing in the care of medical, surgical, and obstetrical patients.

Notwithstanding, however, the very moderate requirements of these laws as a whole, they have apparently been the means of accomplishing definite, tangible results, and while the indirect influence which they have exerted can not be readily measured, it can be clearly recognized.

It appears from the statements of officers of various State societies that a number of small, private, or special hospitals or sanatoria which had been maintaining schools have been sufficiently affected by the laws to lead them either to seek suitable affiliations or to close the schools and carry on their work by means of a salaried nursing staff.

The effect of the laws upon the larger schools has been salutary, and in a very considerable degree the improvements in curricula noted during the past few years, the increase in teaching equipment, the better living conditions for students are due to the direct and indirect influence of the laws. Members who have served on examining boards for several years have had ample time to note the progressive improvement in successive groups of nurses from the same schools as they have presented themselves from year to year for examination, and nurses themselves are recognizing the fact that a registered nurse has a status in the community publicly and professionally which the unregistered nurse can not ordinarily hope to attain. In a number of the reports from training schools recently received by the Bureau of Education, statements were made that certain improvements and additions had been brought about to enable nurses to qualify for registration.

The opposition to the principle of State registration for nurses and to the enactment of laws providing for it has almost uniformly come from those who control or have some interest in private hospitals or sanatoria in which schools are established to secure nursing without expense, or from the short-term schools in which the pupil performs somewhat the same service in the private practice of one or more physicians. The opposition, however, also comes to some extent from general hospitals dependent upon their training schools and unwilling to support measures which will result in restricting the number of available qualified candidates for admission.

A somewhat careful study of the opposition which has been met both in this country and abroad shows how largely commercial it has been and is in its nature, and to what lengths the exploitation of pupil nurses has been carried. There could indeed be no possible rational objection urged against a procedure the principle of which is recognized as sound in all other professions or vocations in which scientific knowledge and technical skill in definite degree are essential for public safety.

EXAMINING BOARDS.

It has been pointed out that in a few States the laws are so ill-defined, so low in their requirements, or so lacking altogether in this respect, that it seems doubtful if anything can be accomplished through them, since they appear merely to legalize low standards. It is clear that their value as a means of public protection and of uplifting nursing education must depend to an unusual degree upon the board of examiners, upon whom, in the absence of statutory requirements, the responsibility of determining all standards, as well as of interpreting and enforcing them, must rest. Whatever standards in nursing are set up in such States must be by their action, and a weak, inefficient, or timid board will have little effect upon training schools and their work.

An immense responsibility, under any conditions, rests upon these examining boards. They are the agencies through which the laws must work, and while no board, however zealous, able, and energetic can make a poor school give good training, it can be of great and constant service in helping schools to discover their own deficiencies and in making it difficult, if not impossible, for these training schools which are not willing to meet the very modest requirements which the law now makes to continue in operation and to attract candidates.

There is hardly any duty falling upon the State society of nurses of more importance than the nomination from its membership of candidates for appointment to the examining boards. These boards should be composed of the best representatives of the profession. They should be women of liberal education, or as near it as can be found, highly skilled in nursing, broad-minded, courageous, vigorous, and alert. Those who are, or have recently been, teachers, if qualified in other ways make excellent examiners. The board should be carefully organized, with its powers accurately defined. It should have suitable headquarters, properly kept records, and enough clerical assistance to do its work. It should be in a position to know definitely the character and the amount of work which each training school in the State is doing, and it should have a clear idea of the hospitals with which these schools are connected, their standing in the community of which they are a part, their resources, and the scope of their

work. The board should have the power of obtaining whatever information it may need, and it should be ready to publish when advisable such statements, suggestions, or instructions as will enable training schools to strengthen themselves in those departments which are shown to be weak. The more carefully one considers the work of the examining board, the more certain does it seem that they have it in their power to do much of that constructive, unifying work for our training schools which is so urgently needed. All work of this nature will of necessity be slow, since in very few of our States are the laws mandatory. In the majority they are permissive only, and in those States anyone is permitted to nurse and to call herself a nurse. The requirement of the law is that she shall not call herself a *registered nurse* or assume a similar title; and even in those States where mandatory laws have fortunately been secured their value will be proportionate to the degree of vigor with which the laws are enforced.

Thus at every turn we are brought back to the examining board and to face squarely its great responsibilities and powers. As yet these boards are working largely upon independent lines, but there is little doubt that they will more and more confer together upon the many problems in nursing education which are of common import, which must be solved with reference to general good and uniform standards, rather than to the special conditions of a special locality.

TRAINING SCHOOL INSPECTION.

For adequate supervision of this branch of woman's education in any State, it will be necessary to develop further the idea of systematic and continuous inspection and supervision of hospitals and training schools. In New York this principle was adopted several years ago, largely owing to the energy and persistence of Miss Sophia Palmer, editor of the *Journal of Nursing*. The inspector is appointed by the regents, and her work is and has been of incalculable value, recognized as such by the nursing profession throughout the State. In the present stage of nursing education, where the relationships between the training school and the hospital, the physician and the public, present issues of a complicated and confused nature, often difficult of adjustment, there is urgent need of the most patient, careful investigation, study, and thought. Inspectors should be selected with the utmost care from those who have had exceptional education and training and who are recognized as experts in training-school work.

There are now regular inspectors in New York, in Illinois, and in Washington. In Iowa a member of the examining board is appointed to act in this capacity for a certain term, and this apparently holds true of New Hampshire in a sense. In several States members of

the examining boards do informal inspection, through their president, secretary, or other selected members. In the American Journal of Nursing for March, 1911, the province of the inspector is thus editorially discussed:

As the work develops the term inspector seems to be a misnomer, and she is vastly more than an inspector of buildings, equipment, and methods. She not only reports conditions as she finds them, but her work is constructive and advisory, and through her influence chaotic conditions are reduced to order, and affiliations are provided for, which, without the authority and guidance of a State official from the outside, would be impossible to bring about. That she should be not too young, a type of woman who commands not only respect but confidence, and that she herself should have battled with all of the problems of the training school, goes without question. Otherwise she can be little more than a figurehead in the vital work of this period.

The laws for State registration having been brought into effect through the influence of nursing organizations, such organizations have a moral right, at least, to insist that they shall be administered in a manner satisfactory to the highest nursing ideals, and when the appointments of such State officials are made without regard to a proper fitness, whether moral or professional, protest should be vigorous and continued until efficient nurses are installed. * * *

One of the things that nurses must look to in the administration of laws for State registration is the proper recognition by the public of their official representatives, and the only way in which such recognition can be brought about is for the whole nursing body to concede to such officers confidence, loyalty, and support; also such liberal compensation to inspectors and secretaries that as they go about in the performance of duty they may be able to afford the outward manifestations that custom calls for in the person occupying a dignified official position.

Some important features of State laws for registration of nurses.

States.	Year enacted.	Man- dis- tory or per- mis- sive.	Preliminary education required.	Years in course.	Hospital training re- quired.	Composition of ex- amining board.	Title.	Remarks.
1 North Carolina	1903	P.	High school graduate or equivalent.	3	General hospital.	3 nurses, 2 physicians.	R. N.	
2 New Jersey	1903	P.	None.	2	No requirement.	No board.	R. N.	Power to issue licenses vested in county clerks.
3 New York	1903	P.	None.	2	Hospital or sanitarium.	Nurses.	R. N.	
4 Virginia	1903	M.	None.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
5 Maryland	1904	P.	High school graduate or equivalent.	3	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
6 Indiana	1905	M.	High school graduate or equivalent.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
7 California	1905	P.	Grammar school or equivalent.	3	General hospital.	No board.	R. N.	Power vested in regents of University of California.
8 Colorado	1905	M.	None.	3	General hospital or sanitarium.	Nurses.	R. N.	
9 Connecticut	1905	P.	None.	2	(1)	Nurses.	R. N.	
10 New Hampshire	1907	P.	None.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
11 District of Columbia	1907	P.	None.	2	General hospital.	2 physicians, 2 nurses, secretary, State board of health.	R. N.	Decisions of State board of health are final.
12 Iowa	1907	P.	None.	3	General hospital.	Physicians.	R. N.	Only voters eligible to office.
13 West Virginia	1907	P.	High school graduate or equivalent.	2	General hospital.	Physicians.	R. N.	
14 Minnesota	1907	P.	High school entrance or equivalent.	3	General hospital.	4 nurses, 1 physician.	R. N.	2 nurse members must have two or more years experience in teaching nurses. 3 members required to have two years' experi- ence in teaching nurses.
15 Illinois	1907	P.	None.	3	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
16 Georgia	1907	P.	None.	3	Hospital or sanitarium.	Nurses.	R. N.	
17 Wyoming	1909	M.	None.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
18 Washington	1909	P.	None.	2	General hospital or sanitarium.	Nurses.	R. N.	
19 Texas	1909	M.	None.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
20 Oklahoma	1909	M.	High school graduate (1914) or equivalent.	2	General hospital.	Nurses.	R. N.	
21 Nebraska	1909	P.	High school entrance or equivalent.	2	General hospital or sanitarium.	Nurses.	R. N.	Called board of secretaries, who assist and advise State board of health.

¹ Amended in 1907.

² Medical, surgical, or obstetrical cases in public or private hospital.

³ Hospitals registered by regent State board of medical examiners.

⁴ Or 3 years equivalent in special hospitals.

⁵ Or special hospital with 6 months' additional general training.

Some important features of State laws for registration of nurses—Continued.

States.	Year enacted.	Mandatory or permissive.	Preliminary education required.	Years in course.	Hospital training required.	Composition of examining board.	Title.	Remarks.
Delaware.....	1909	P.	High school graduate or equivalent.	3	General hospital.....	3 nurses, 2 physicians	R. N.	Physicians representing two leading schools of medicine. Physicians must also be hospital officials.
Pennsylvania.....	1909	P ²	None.....	2	Surgical and medical nursing.	3 physicians, 2 nurses.	R. N.	
Missouri.....	1909	P.	Grammar school or equivalent.	2	General hospital ¹	Nurses.....	R. N.	
Michigan.....	1909	P.	Grammar school or equivalent.	2	General hospital ¹	3 nurses, 1 physician, secretary State board of health.	R. N.	
Massachusetts.....	1910	P ²	None.....	2	No requirement.....	3 nurses, 1 physician, secretary State board of medical registration.	R. N.	Secretary of State board of medical registration, also secretary of board of nurse registration.
Vermont.....	1911	P.	None.....	2	Any hospital.....	2 physicians, 1 nurse.....	R. N.	Physicians must be on staff of hospital having a training school. Nurse—3 years' nursing experience.
Tennessee.....	1911	M.	None.....	2	Hospital or sanitarium.....	5 nurses.....	R. N.	Nurses have endorsement of nurses society to which they belong.
Idaho.....	1911	P.	None.....	2	General hospital approved by board.....	2 nurses, 1 physician.	R. N.	Both to be nominated by State Association of Graduate Nurses, and 5 years' practice.
Oregon.....	1911	P.	None.....	2	General hospital (if reputable).....	3 nurses.....	R. N.	Nominated by State Association of Nurses.
Wisconsin ¹	1911							

¹ Or equivalent in sanitarium, special, or one or more hospitals.² Three years after 1914.³ Details not yet received.

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TABLE 1.—Comparative statistics of nurse training schools.

Year.	Schools.	Nurse pupils.	Capacity of hospitals (beds).	Graduates.
1911 ¹	1,121	29,805	194,236	7,720
1910.....	1,129	32,636	214,597	8,140
1900.....	432	11,164	84,227	3,456
1890.....	35	1,552	.....	471
1880.....	15	323	.....	157

¹ Includes the statistics of three schools in Porto Rico.

TABLE 2.—Summary of statistics of schools for training of professional nurses, 1910-11.

States.	Class A, excluding schools connected with hospitals for the treatment of nervous, mental diseases, etc.					Class B, including schools for the treatment of nervous, mental diseases, etc.				
	Schools.	Students.	Graduates.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Schools.	Students.	Graduates.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.
United States.....	1,048	26,511	6,971	101,708	53,232	70	3,251	738	92,378	168,856
North Atlantic Division.....	412	11,707	3,243	46,782	20,537	40	1,828	470	58,096	36,183
South Atlantic Division.....	131	2,628	627	9,519	4,015	5	208	43	6,925	6,124
South Central Division.....	72	1,428	336	7,061	2,295	2	48	15	2,700	2,660
North Central Division.....	330	7,911	2,073	27,881	12,463	23	1,167	210	24,657	24,889
Western Division.....	103	2,837	692	10,445	4,922	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Atlantic Division:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maine.....	11	319	72	746	496	2	48	13	1,500	1,390
New Hampshire.....	14	202	41	563	276	1	60	15	1,114	.....
Vermont.....	10	167	48	390	211	1	17	5	595	.....
Massachusetts.....	70	1,933	554	6,810	3,658	9	581	136	10,674	5,772
Rhode Island.....	7	261	67	735	521	1	130	15	200	.....
Connecticut.....	17	488	117	1,936	1,272	2	37	14	3,350	.....
New York.....	132	4,147	1,212	18,739	13,479	13	456	170	26,811	23,876
New Jersey.....	29	700	196	2,504	1,547	4	137	35	5,215	3,558
Pennsylvania.....	122	3,490	936	14,419	8,677	7	362	67	6,637	1,589
South Atlantic Division:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delaware.....	2	34	11	137	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maryland.....	20	648	149	2,657	1,612	2	47	18	2,978	2,887
District of Columbia.....	10	426	131	1,545	566	1	33	15	1,190	1,130
Virginia.....	21	399	110	1,433	384	1	7	3	1,182	1,107
West Virginia.....	16	215	48	916	273	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Carolina.....	25	311	63	1,019	231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Carolina.....	8	135	37	439	300	1	121	7	1,575	.....
Georgia.....	24	407	66	1,158	467	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Florida.....	5	53	12	215	102	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Central Division:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kentucky.....	13	190	57	775	134	1	17	3	1,200	1,150
Tennessee.....	8	142	43	502	229	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alabama.....	6	156	32	462	115	1	31	12	1,500	1,510
Mississippi.....	6	81	20	476	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Louisiana.....	7	280	75	1,706	311	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Texas.....	19	377	72	2,124	870	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arkansas.....	7	148	51	800	421	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oklahoma.....	6	52	6	235	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Central Division:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ohio.....	51	1,151	324	4,546	2,051	3	131	46	4,925	4,831
Indiana.....	25	488	135	1,449	885	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois.....	67	2,119	563	7,382	4,231	5	472	38	5,370	6,103
Michigan.....	39	997	266	3,208	1,161	3	157	34	4,210	3,316
Wisconsin.....	16	380	109	1,157	632	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Minnesota.....	27	672	178	2,531	767	3	161	40	2,710	3,735
Iowa.....	30	666	151	2,073	629	6	138	38	3,720	3,340
Missouri.....	31	763	194	3,114	1,444	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Dakota.....	5	65	19	232	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Dakota.....	7	99	27	317	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nebraska.....	17	334	68	1,326	335	2	37	6	1,042	914
Kansas.....	12	157	39	546	260	2	71	8	2,080	2,660
Western Division:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montana.....	6	126	35	665	180	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wyoming.....	3	40	14	210	113	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colorado.....	17	429	98	1,808	875	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Mexico.....	1	14	6	100	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arizona.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Utah.....	4	118	27	425	273	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nevada.....	2	29	6	130	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Idaho.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington.....	30	365	98	1,288	474	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oregon.....	4	185	50	750	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
California.....	46	1,530	358	5,069	2,857	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

¹ In so far as reported to this office.

TABLE 3.—Statistics of schools for the training of professional nurses for the school year 1910-11—Class A.

[Class A excludes schools connected with hospitals for the treatment of nervous and mental diseases, etc.]

Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of nurses.	Students enrolled.	Years in course.	(Graduates in 1911.	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during training?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Requirements for admission.		
									Education. ¹	Age.	
1	3	3	4	6	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
ALABAMA.											
1	Hullman Hospital*	Miss O. B. Holt.	22	2	4	80			10		
2	St. Vincent's Hospital.	Sister Chrysoptom.	35	3	8	175	90	Yes	10	C. S.	18-30
3	Providence Infirmary.*	Sister Stephanie.	26	3	3	80					
4	St. Margaret's Hospital.*	Sister Mary Slenna.	27	3	2	69		Yes	7	2 years, non-mat.	18
5	Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes.	Pearl L. Younger.	12	3	3	22	5		8	8th grade.	18-35
6	Tuskegee Institute.	John A. Kenney, M. D.	36	2	12	45	20	Yes			
ARKANSAS.											
7	Fert Smith.	Monia S. Tye.	15	2	3	100	46	No.	10	1 year H. S.	19-30
8	Hot Springs.	M. Agnes MacNally.	6	2	3	40		No.	10	H. S.	25
9	Ozark Sanatorium.	Sister Mary Edward.	17	2	8						
10	St. Joseph's Hospital.*	Edward Meek, M. D.	25	3	6	75	25	Yes	10	C. S.	20
11	Physicians and Surgeons Hospital.	W. C. Green, M. D.	27	2 1/2	1	300	150	Yes	9	8th grade.	18
12	Little Rock.	J. Palmer Sheppard, M. D.	18	2	10	250	200	Yes	8	.06.	20
13	Little Rock Sanatorium.*	Sister Bernard.	40	2	10	250	200	Yes	8	.06.	20
14	Pulaski County Hospital.										
15	St. Vincent's Hospital.										
CALIFORNIA.											
14	Sequoia Hospital.*	Ida M. Mason.	10	3	5	45		No.	10	8th grade.	20-35
15	Burnett Sanitarium.	Ellen Eunice Garland, M. D.	20	3	6	53	35	No.	9	9th grade.	19
16	Glendale Sanitarium.	Belle Wood Comstock, M. D.	35	2 1/2	16	60	40	Yes	12	1 year H. S.	21-33
17	California Hospital.	Anne Armstrong Williamson.	82	3	29	150	108	Yes	9	H. S.	20-36
18	Clara Barton Hospital.	Gertrude E. Constant.	42	3	4	62	36	No.	8 1/2	.Co.	20-32
19	Los Angeles County Hospital.	Charles H. Whitman, M. D.	93	2	31	600	500	No.	8	1 year H. S.	21
20	Emergency General Hospital.	Rose M. McDonald.	35	2	8	75	45	No.	8	H. S.	21-30
21	Hospital of the Good Samaritan.	Helen D. Jackson.	60	3	13	100	70	No.	9	8th grade.	21-35
22	Los Angeles Infirmary.	Sister Mary Ann Keating.	45	3	12	200	150	No.	9	H. S.	20-32
23	Pacific Hospital.	Laurain Tracy.	30	3	5	50	35	No.	9	.06.	20
24	East Bay Sanatorium.	Minnieha Taylor.	30	3	3	35	25	No.	9	.06.	20
25	Fabiola Hospital.	Jennie E. Jessen.	33	3	9	120	75	No.	9	8th grade.	21

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No.	Location	Name of School	Name of Director	Faculty	Students	Teachers	Grades	Years	Admission	Examinations	Graduates	Notes
26	do.	Providence Hospital *	Sister Mary Alphonsus	46	3	10	130	10	No.	65	9	H. S.
27	Pasadena	Pasadena Hospital	Lida Anderson	100	14	100	100	10	No.	10	9	H. S.
28	Redlands	Redlands Hospital	Miss F. L. Armstrong	8	3	30	10	3	No.	10	9	1 year H. S.
29	Riverside	Riverside Hospital	Mary Jane Cory	12	3	5	45	3	No.	23	10	H. S.
30	Sacramento	Mater Misericordiae Hospital *	Sisters of Mercy	35	3	3	80	3	No.	45	9	2 years H. S.
31	San Diego	Agnew Hospital	Mabel E. Rainbow	17	3	3	50	3	No.	150	10	8th grade
32	do.	San Diego County Hospital	Amelia L. Smith	31	2	8	60	3	Rarely	30	11	do.
33	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Mother M. Michael Cummings	10	24	8	60	3	No.	83	10	1 year H. S.
34	San Francisco	Buerba Vista Sanatorium	Sellma Kapp	14	3	4	50	3	No.	120	11	8th grade
35	do.	French Hospital	F. Milo Hinch	47	3	17	200	120	No.	174	10	H. S.
36	do.	German Hospital	Lottie Christine Gansner	40	24	7	250	174	No.	125	8	2 years H. S.
37	do.	Hahnemann Hospital	Emer Royl Smith	72	3	17	200	125	No.	125	8	2 years H. S.
38	do.	Laurel Hospital	Elizabeth Curva Smith, R. N.	25	3	2	50	2	No.	40	9	H. S.
39	do.	McNutt Hospital	Anne E. Bowman	30	3	2	50	2	No.	40	9	H. S.
40	do.	Morton Hospital	Jessie F. MacKenzie	30	3	6	34	3	No.	100	10	H. S.
41	do.	Mount Zion Hospital	Elizabeth M. Jamieson	35	3	3	136	120	No.	66	9	1 year H. S.
42	do.	Northwestern Hospital	Sister Lidwina	18	3	12	96	66	No.	100	10	do.
43	San Francisco	St. Francis Home and Hospital	Helen Randal	68	3	11	157	100	No.	16	8	H. S.
44	do.	St. Luke's Hospital	Sister M. Agnes White	33	3	3	35	16	Yes	350	10	1 year H. S.
45	do.	St. Mary's Hospital	Eveline McWiley	22	3	3	50	35	No.	400	10	8th grade
46	do.	St. Thomas' Hospital	Ethel B. Davie	22	3	3	50	35	No.	400	10	3 years H. S.
47	do.	St. Vincent's Hospital	Elvira McGinnis	27	21	16	45	20	No.	200	9	1 year H. S.
48	do.	Thomas Sanatorium	Miss M. C. Miller	34	3	7	45	20	No.	200	10	1 year H. S.
49	do.	Trinity Hospital	Mrs. Mary Y. Miller	62	3	8	230	200	Yes	110	9	1 year H. S.
50	San Jose	San Jose Training School for Nurses of the O'Connell Sanitarium	H. F. Rand, M. D.	34	2, 3	11	110	110	Yes	23	8	1 year H. S.
51	do.	San Jose Training School for Nurses of the O'Connell Sanitarium	Jennine Creel, Burke	12	24	24	150	150	No.	23	9	8th grade
52	San Leandro	Alameda County Hospital	Laura Leing Mitchell	45	3	3	30	23	No.	40	8	1 year H. S.
53	Santa Barbara	Cottager Hospital	M. L. Loomis, M. D.	8	3	1	26	40	No.	60	10	8th grade
54	Stockton	Santa Monica Bay Hospital *	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
55	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
56	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
57	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
58	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
59	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
60	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
61	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
62	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
63	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
64	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
65	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
66	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
67	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
68	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
69	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
70	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade
71	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sisters in charge	17	3	3	30	23	No.	60	10	8th grade

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										Education.	Age.
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
COLORADO—continued.											
72	Love land.	Dr. W. B. Sutherland's Private Hospital.	6	2	2	25	8	Yes	12	H. S.	21
73	Pueblo.	Minnequa Hospital.	27	3	7	150	110	No.	9	8th grade.	18-35
74	do.	St. Mary's Hospital.	12	3	19	135	45	Yes	8	8th grade.	20-31
75	Trinidad.	St. Raphael's Hospital.	17	3	19	130	45	Yes	8	8th grade.	20-31
CONNECTICUT.											
76	Bridgport.	Bridgport Hospital.	45	2½	15	175	115	Yes	9	H. S.	21-35
77	do.	St. Vincent's Hospital.	28	3	5	120	100	Yes	8	do.	21
78	Hartford.	Hartford Hospital.	20	2½	5	60	40	Yes	12	do.	20-30
79	do.	St. Francis Hospital.	90	3	13	400	313	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20
80	do.	St. Francis Hospital.	61	3	10	290	209	Yes	10	8th grade.	20-35
81	Middletown.	Meriden Hospital.	12	2½	4	54	25	No.	10	H. S.	18
82	Middletown.	Middlesex Hospital.	14	2½	4	70	39	No.	8½	8th grade.	18
83	New Britain.	New Britain General Hospital.	13	2½	5	60	40	No.	10	H. S.	20-32
84	New Haven.	Grace Hospital.	24	3	5	60	40	No.	10	H. S.	22-35
85	do.	Connecticut Training School for Nurses of the New Haven General Hospital.	24	3	29	225	159	Yes	9½	do.	21
86	do.	St. Raphael's Hospital.	84	3	142	142	142	No.	9	1 year H. S.	22-35
87	New London.	Memorial Hospital.	16	2	6	52	32	No.	10	H. S.	20
88	Norwalk.	Norwalk Hospital.	18	2	3	40	30	No.	9	do.	21-35
89	Norwich.	Stamford Hospital.	7	2	4	63	36	Yes	9	do.	20
90	Stamford.	Stamford Hospital.	12	2½	6	35	32	Yes	11	do.	20
91	Waterbury.	Waterbury Hospital.	20	2½	24	65	40	No.	9	8th grade.	20
92	Winsted.	Litchfield County Hospital.	9	3	2	33	20	No.	10½	H. S.	20
DELAWARE.											
93	Wilmington.	Delaware Hospital.	20	3	6	67	50	No.	9	C. S.	18
94	do.	Homeopathic Hospital.	14	3	5	70	50	Yes	10	do.	20

STATISTICS OF NURSE TRAINING SCHOOLS, 1910-11.

No.	Location	School Name	21	3	L5	105	No.	10	20-35
96	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	Capital City Training School for Nurses of the Washington Asylum Hospital.	21	3	15	300	No.	10	20-35
97	Washington	Washington Asylum Hospital.	30	3	4	105	No.	9	do
98	do	Freedmen's Hospital.	40	3	13	278	No.	9	H. S.
99	do	Georgia Memorial Hospital.	45	3	17	225	No.	8	H. S.
100	do	George Washington University Hospital.	34	3	3	180	No.	8	8th grade
101	do	National Homeopathic Hospital.	39	3	14	104	No.	8	8th grade
102	do	St. Elizabeth's Hospital.	27	3	6	85	No.	8	H. S.
103	do	Lacy Webb Hayes National Training School of the Sibley Memorial Hospital.	20	24	39	75	Rarely.	8	H. S.
104	FLORIDA	National Odd Fellows' Sanitarium.	4	2	1	35	Yes.	9-10	do
105	Gainesville	De Soto Sanatorium.	17	2	6	36	No.	94	C. S.
106	do	St. Luke's Hospital.	19	24	3	65	No.	9	do
107	Pensacola	Mission Hospital.	3	2	3	19	Yes.	8	C. S.
108	St. Augustine	East Coast Railway Hospital.	10	3	2	60	Yes.	8	C. S.
109	GEORGIA	Atlanta Hospital.	10	3	3	20	No.	8	8th grade
110	do	Elkin-Goldsmitn Sanatorium.	10	3	3	22	No.	10	H. S.
111	do	Grady Memorial Hospital.	37	3	6	125	Yes.	9	8th grade
112	do	Morris Brown College Fair Haven Infirmary.	22	3	4	10	No.	9	H. S.
113	do	St. Joseph's Infirmary.	50	3	4	26	No.	8	8th grade
114	do	Spelman Seminary McVicar Hospital.	21	3	7	50	No.	8	8th grade
115	do	Wesley Memorial Hospital.	24	3	9	55	No.	84	H. S.
116	do	St. Mary's Hospital.	24	3	9	18	No.	84	H. S.
117	Athens	Augusta City Hospital.	22	3	2	70	No.	8	1 year H. S.
118	do	Lanier Hospital.	12	3	4	60	No.	64	C. S.
119	do	Brunswick Hospital.	3	3	1	10	No.	84	H. S.
120	do	Griffin Hospital.	5	3	1	30	Yes.	12	do
121	La Grange	La Grange Sanatorium.	3	3	1	20	Yes.	12	do
122	do	Macon Hospital.	18	3	2	78	No.	74	do
123	Macon	Rawling's Sanitarium.	15	3	5	35	No.	74	do
124	Sandersville	Charity Hospital.	10	2	4	24	Yes.	114	8th grade
125	Savannah	Georgia Infirmary.	7	2	1	50	No.	7	H. S.
126	do	Oglethorpe Sanatorium.	10	3	3	65	No.	8	C. S.
127	do	Park View Sanatorium.	15	3	3	100	No.	9	do
128	do	St. Joseph's Hospital.	13	3	1	40	No.	10	H. S.
129	do	Swain County Hospital.	14	3	3	40	No.	10	H. S.
130	do	Telfair Hospital.	14	3	3	40	No.	10	H. S.
131	do	Union Hospital.	7	3	3	15	No.	10	H. S.
132	Valdosta	Union Hospital.	7	3	3	15	No.	10	H. S.
133	IDAHO	St. Luke's Hospital.	21	3	6	70	No.	2	2 years H. S.
134	Boise	St. Joseph's Hospital.	8	3	60	No.	No.	2	H. S.

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										Education. ¹	Age.
I			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
ILLINOIS.											
127	Aurora Hospital.....	Nettie B. Jordan, R. N.	10	2 1/2	24	25	20	No.	9	S. h. grade.	20
128	Graham Hospital.....	Harriet C. Peck.	8	3	3	27	13	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20
129	Julia F. Burnham Hospital.....	Mary Margaret Uglow, R. N.	15	3	4	45	22	No.	10	H. S.	20-20
130	Augustana Hospital.....	Lilla Pickard, R. N.	95	3	18	200	170	No.	9	8th grade.	21
131	Chicago Hospital.....	Mrs. E. D. McWhorter.	25	3	14	70	60	No.	8 1/2	H. S.	21
132	Chicago Baptist Hospital.....	Essenor C. Gough.	25	3	12	50	35	No.	8	do.	21
133	Chicago Homeopathic Hospital.....	Edna V. Davis, M. D.	10	1	5	20	13	Rarely.	10	C. S.	19-20
134	Chicago Maternity Hospital.....	Mary C. Bayard, R. N.	40	3	5	75	80	No.	10	1 year H. S.	20-25
135	Chicago Policlinic Hospital.....	Martine A. Egger, R. N.	25	3	3	55	55	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-25
136	Chicago Union Hospital.....	Elsan Scott Eby, R. N.	100	3	48	1,800	1,500	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-35
137	County Hospital.....	Emelia Dahlgren.	39	3	10	100	90	No.	10	H. S.	20
138	Englewood Hospital.....	Mary Bird Talcott, R. N.	35	3	8	70	55	No.	9	2 years H. S.	20-25
139	Frances K. Willard Hospital.....	H. P. Skiles, M. D.	20	3	5	45	40	No.	10	1 year H. S.	20
140	Garfield Park Hospital.....	Nina Dale, R. N.	26	3	8	75	60	No.	9	do.	20
141	German Hospital of Chicago.....	Anna T. Schering.	25	3	6	60	60	No.	9	do.	20
142	German American Hospital.....	Edna Locke Hamilton.	20	2	9	12	60	No.	9 1/2	C. S.	22
143	Grace Hospital.....	Grace E. Ward, R. N.	44	3	11	60	60	No.	10	1 year H. S.	20
144	Hahnemann Hospital.....	Lillian E. Saul, R. N.	28	3	3	60	16	No.	9	do.	20
145	Jefferson Park Polyclinic and Hospital.....	Caroline Boehler, R. N.	11	3	3	83	50	No.	9	H. S.	21-30
146	Lakeside Hospital.....	Edith E. Young, R. N.	18	3	7	250	15	No.	9	2 years H. S.	21-30
147	Lake View Hospital.....	Mary Thompson.	106	3	37	400	300	No.	8 1/2	H. S.	21-35
148	Mary Hospital.....	Clara Mary Elms, R. N.	106	3	36	400	300	No.	12	C. S.	18
149	Michael Reese Hospital.....	Descomess Malinda Munson.	25	3	6	100	75	Rarely.	9	do.	20
150	Norwegian Lutheran Descomess Home and Hospital.....	Bella Olsen.	20	3	10	45	36	No.	9	2 1/2 years H. S.	20-25
151	Northwestern Tabitha Hospital.....	Elias C. Glenn, R. N.	32	3	7	70	55	No.	8	H. S.	20-30
152	Passavant Memorial Hospital.....	L. Clark Gary, M. D.	4	3	1	60	25	No.	8	do.	20-30
153	Peoples' Hospital.....	M. Helena McMillan, R. N.	110	3 1/2	25	65	35	No.	8 1/2	do.	20-27
154	Presbyterian Hospital.....	Jeanette S. Lyon.	21	3	9	65	65	No.	9	do.	20-27
155	Provident Hospital.....	Sidney K. Appel, R. N.	24	3	1	50	39	No.	8 1/2	2 years H. S.	20
156	Ravenwood Hospital.....		24	3	1	50	39	No.	8 1/2	2 years H. S.	20

No.	City	School	Principal	3	10	70	No.	9	Year H. S.	20-30
166	do.	Rhodes Avenue Hospital*	Helen W. O'Malley	3	3	48	110	No.	1 year H. S.	20-30
167	do.	St. Bernard's Home, Glen	Sister Alice Burns	3	8	200	260	No.	C. S.	21-30
168	do.	St. Elizabeth's Hospital*	Sister Engratia	3	3	47	95	No.	H. S.	20-31
169	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sister Camilla	3	23	177	250	No.	1 year H. S.	21-35
170	do.	St. Luke's Hospital	Margaret E. Johnston, R. N.	3	23	340	10-15	No.	H. S.	20-35
171	do.	St. Luke's Hospital	Sister Ambrosia Krygier	3	2	160	50	No.	H. S.	20-35
172	do.	St. Charles Hospital	William H. Winans	3	4	45	25	No.	1 year H. S.	20-35
173	do.	St. Mary's Hospital	Katharine Fiske	3	6	45	72	No.	H. S.	20-30
174	do.	St. Peter's Hospital	Frances Regenia Wilson, R. N.	3	3	60	100	No.	H. S.	20-30
175	do.	Washington Park Hospital	Bertha L. Knapp, R. N.	3	23	103	65	No.	H. S.	20-30
176	do.	West Side Hospital	Bertha E. Brannenman	3	5	45	33	No.	1 year H. S.	20-30
177	Danville	Lake View Hospital	Maud Northwood, R. N.	3	5	21	18	No.	2 years H. S.	18-30
178	Dixon	Dixon Public Hospital	N. Elizabeth Casey	3	2	50	35	No.	1 year H. S.	20-35
179	East St. Louis	Henrietta Hospital	Mrs. Rose P. Mitchell	3	3	40	60	No.	do.	20-35
180	East St. Louis	Bierman Hospital	C. Irene Obrey, R. N.	3	5	75	60	No.	H. S.	20-35
181	East St. Louis	Evanston Hospital	Helen L. Bloomfield, R. N.	3	3	25	22	No.	1 year H. S.	20-35
182	East St. Louis	Globe Hospital	Annie R. Pengilly	3	7	85	46	No.	H. S.	20-35
183	East St. Louis	Chalaburg Hospital	Louise Eggert	3	3	50	30	No.	1 year H. S.	20-35
184	East St. Louis	Truman Memorial Hospital	Ida B. Venner	3	4	90	35	No.	H. S.	21-35
185	East St. Louis	St. Vincent's Hospital	Rachel Turner	3	4	24	12	No.	do.	20-30
186	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Katharine Winans	3	3	60	60	No.	H. S.	20-30
187	East St. Louis	St. Andrew's Hospital	Marjaret Rooney	3	5	35	35	No.	H. S.	20-30
188	East St. Louis	St. Andrew's Hospital	Katharine Winans	3	3	60	60	No.	H. S.	20-30
189	East St. Louis	Brokaw Hospital	Lula J. Juska	3	6	23	16	No.	H. S.	20-30
190	East St. Louis	Oak Park Hospital	Sister St. Laurence	3	3	60	44	No.	1 year H. S.	20-30
191	East St. Louis	John Stuart Reburn Memorial Hospital	Elizabeth Ann Aseltine	3	6	23	16	No.	do.	20-30
192	East St. Louis	John C. Proctor Hospital	Lucy Green	3	10	90	30	No.	do.	20-30
193	East St. Louis	Blessing Hospital	Florence Burt, R. N.	3	8	75	50	No.	do.	20-30
194	East St. Louis	Rockport City Hospital*	Elizabeth Knight Smith	3	2	45	45	No.	8th grade	18
195	East St. Louis	St. Anthony's Hospital*	Anna T. Legris	3	11	70	42	No.	1 year H. S.	20
196	East St. Louis	St. John's Hospital	Sister Benedicte	3	3	42	33	No.	H. S.	20
197	East St. Louis	Springfield Hospital	Rosa Wafke	3	3	42	33	No.	H. S.	20
198	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Martha J. Heil, R. N.	3	3	42	33	No.	H. S.	20
199	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Mabel R. Van Anker	3	2	15	9	No.	H. S.	20
200	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Agnes E. Maloney	3	2	15	12	Yes	1 year H. S.	20
201	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	W. Pfeiler	3	3	15	12	Yes	H. S.	21
202	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Elizabeth Hannan	3	3	25	20	No.	do.	20-32
203	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Biancho Pyna	3	3	20	20	No.	do.	20-32
204	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sister Zoe	3	3	20	20	No.	do.	20-32
205	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Laura R. Logan, B. A.	3	3	125	60	Yes	C. S.	18
206	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Mary B. Ludy	3	10	60	45	No.	1 year H. S.	20-35
207	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Florence J. Martin, R. N.	3	11	75	65	No.	8th grade	19
208	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Mary Gertrude Hoarn, R. N.	3	18	283	211	No.	C. S.	21
209	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Mary Gertrude Hoarn, R. N.	3	2	16	10	Yes	H. S.	21
210	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Urbanus Spink	3	3	60	40	No.	8th grade	18
211	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	St. Joseph's Hospital	3	1	10	10	No.	1 year H. S.	21-35
212	East St. Louis	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sollita S. Segertund	3	13	125	60	No.	8th grade	21

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INDIANA—continued.											
264 Indianapolis.	St. Vincent's Hospital.	Sister Margaret.	37	3	11	135	5	Yes	8	11	18
265 Jeffersonville.	Jeffersonville City Hospital.	Mary King.	5	2	12	45	25	No.	9		20-35
266 La Fayette.	General Hospital.	Fanny Elizabeth Koecht, R. N.	15	3	2	30	25	No.	10		20-35
267 "do.	William Miller Sanitarium.	F. A. Loop, M. D.	18	3	1	30	10	Yes	9		18-25
268 "do.	Williams Hospital.	Olive H. Golin.	5	3	3	10	4	Yes	12		18-21
269 "do.	Dugan's Sanitarium.	George E. Denny, M. D.	4	2	1	10	5	Yes	10		18-21
270 Marion.	King's Daughters' Hospital.	Laura Belle Roer.	3	2	1	10	5	Yes	9		18-21
271 "do.	Home Hospital.	Marion Whitten.	10	3	2	22	16	Yes	9		18-21
272 Muncie.	Grant County Hospital.	Bernabe M. Smith, R. N.	3	2	1	20	8	No.	9		18-21
273 Richmond.	Reid Memorial Hospital.	Mary E. Rollers.	14	3	0	55	35	No.	9		18-21
274 South Bend.	Speworth Hospital.	Edith E. Willis, R. N.	3	3	2	20	30	Rarely.	9		21-35
275 "do.	Lewis Hospital.	Marquet K. Lewis.	3	3	3	60	40	No.	8		20-32
276 Terre Haute.	Union Hospital.	Ethel L. Chisholm, R. N.	10	3	3	25	10	Yes	10		20-30
277 Valparaiso.	Christian Hospital.	Mrs. Nora W. Conrad.	10	3	4	25	12	Yes	10		21
278 Vincennes.	Good Samaritan Hospital.	Minnie E. Hannan.	6	2	2	20	12	Yes	10		21
IOWA.											
289 Boone.	Eleanor Moore Hospital.	Mary Elizabeth Good.	8	3	3	30	10	Yes	8		21-35
290 Burlington.	Burlington Hospital.	Miss Q. C. Keiser.	20	3	5	65	45	Yes.	10		20-30
291 Cedar Rapids.	Mercy Hospital.	Sister Mary Alphonsus.	25	3	4	70	40	No.	10		20
292 "do.	St. Luke's Hospital.	Sister Mary Evangelista.	6	3	4	28	40	No.	8		18
293 "do.	St. Joseph's Hospital.	Martha Tanner.	21	3	4	50	50	No.	8		18
294 "do.	St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital.	Rev. Mother M. Plus.	19	3	6	50	33	No.	9		20
295 "do.	James Edmundson Memorial Hospital.	Ella M. Stillbach.	23	3	5	55	75	No.	12		21-30
296 "do.	Mercy Hospital.	Sister Mary Alphonsus.	25	3	10	150	75	No.	9		21-35
297 "do.	Mercy Hospital.	Martha Oake.	30	3	7	100	23	No.	10		21-35
298 "do.	St. Luke's Hospital.	Millie Schoer.	15	3	4	45	110	No.	9		18-35
299 "do.	Iowa Methodist Hospital.	Sister Mary Mechthildes.	65	3	10	145	110	No.	9		18-35
300 Des Moines.	Mercy Hospital.	Alice F. Isaacson, R. N.	45	3	10	100	30	No.	9		20-30
301 "do.	Finley Hospital.	Sister Mary Ursula.	24	3	7	60	30	No.	8		18-30
302 "do.	St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital.	Sister Mary Ursula.	40	3	4	280	30	No.	10		18-30

Line No.	City	School Name	Principal	Faculty	Students	Admission	Term	Grades	Year	Notes
244	Iowa City	Iowa State University Hospital*	Mary E. Nesbit	12	7	125	20	Yes	9	1 year H. S.
245	do	University Homeopathic Hospital	Anna C. Goodale	3	4	30	30	Yes	7-9	C. S.
246	Keokuk	Keokuk Hospital	Marjaret Goodard	3	3	15	6	Yes	10	H. S.
247	do	W. C. Graham Protestant Hospital	Mary C. Jackson, R. N.	3	2	35		Yes	10	H. S.
248	do	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sister Superior	13	4	150		Yes	10	H. S.
249	Lyons	St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital*	Sister Mary Louis	3	3	80		Yes	9	1 year H. S.
250	do	Merry Hospital	Sister M. Dorothy	3	4	30		Yes	9	1 year H. S.
251	Marshalltown	City Park Hospital*	Helen Gill	3	3	25		Yes	9	H. S.
252	Mason City	Beckman Hersey Memorial Hospital	M. Grace McIlvray	3	3	13		Yes	9	H. S.
253	Missouri	Jews Sanitarium	C. W. Head, M. D.	3	6	40		Yes	8-10	8th grade
254	Newcastle	Ottumwa Hospital*	Elizabeth Trotter	3	5	33		Yes	8	H. S.
255	Ottumwa	German Lutheran Hospital	Dorothy Fick	3	5	44		No	8	H. S.
256	St. Charles	St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital*	Sister Mary Daubel	3	14	100		No	8	H. S.
257	do	Samarian Hospital*	Nellie M. Orer	3	9	65		No	9	H. S.
258	do	St. Joseph's Hospital	Aurilia J. Perry	3	7	36		No	9	H. S.
259	Wasson	Synodical Presbyterian Hospital		3	7	36		No	9	H. S.
260	WARREN									
261	Ellsworth	Ellsworth Hospital	Henry Z. Husem, M. D.	4	3	15		Yes	12	H. S.
262	Ellsworth	Methodist Training School of the Bethany Hospital	Elizabeth J. Eason	25	5	50		Yes	9	H. S.
263	Lawrence	Douglas Hospital	Frances M. Williams	5	2	20		Yes	10	do
264	Lawrence	Lawrence Hospital	Laura Hostetter	3	2	20		Yes	10	do
265	Leavenworth	Cushing Hospital	Almey C. Murray	9	3	75		Yes	8	8th grade
266	do	St. John's Hospital	Sister Mary Rita	10	2	60		Yes	10	H. S.
267	do	Mount Carmel Hospital	Sister M. Alphonza	8	3	40		Yes	9	do
268	Leavenworth	University of Kansas	Luzerna O'Connell, R. N.	13	4	45		No	9	C. S.
269	Scottsbluff	St. Bernard's Hospital	Alma M. O'Connell	3	4	21		Yes	9	H. S.
270	do	Christ Hospital	Alma M. O'Connell, R. N.	15	3	56		Yes	9	H. S.
271	Topinka	Jesus C. Hospital	Theresa Smith	3	4	50		Yes	8	do
272	do	St. Vincent Hospital		3	4	33		Yes	8	do
273	Wichita	Wichita Hospital	Lisabel M. Woodburn	22	7	73		No	10	1 year H. S.
274	KENTUCKY									
275	Dayton	Speers Memorial Hospital*	Sophia Steinhauer	21	8	75			9	1 year H. S.
276	Franklin	Southern Kentucky Sanatorium	Flora Keen, R. N.	6	3	26				
277	Henderson	City Hospital	Sarah J. Barnett	6	3	20				
278	do	Letcher Hospital*	Katherine M. Shaw	4	3	12				
279	do	Good Samaritan Hospital*	Mary R. Shaver	38	7	100				
280	Lexington	Children's Free Hospital	Katherine M. Arnold	10	3	50		No	9	H. S.
281	Louisville	Citizens National Hospital	E. A. Jackson	6	2	12		Yes	10	8th grade
282	do	German Methodist Deaconess Home and Hospital	Elizabeth Borcharding	17	2	33		No	10	C. S.
283	do	Irish Hospital		8	3	60		No	9	C. S.
284	do	John N. Norton Memorial Infirmary	Nelle Gillette	24	3	100		No	9	C. S.
285	Louisville	Louisville City Hospital*	Eliza Johnson	28	3	13				
286	do	Red Cross Sanitarium	Petra F. Pinn	6	3	260				
287	do	Owensboro City Hospital*	Ella Green Davis	6	3	12				
288	Owensboro			6	3	1				

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										Education. ¹	Age.
I	3	8	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
LOUISIANA.											
264	Alexandria Sanitarium.....	J. L. Wilson, M. D.	4	3	1	20	8	Revel.	12	G. 8.	18
265	Charity Hospital.....	Sister Dolores	128	3	39	1,050	54	No.	104	C. 8.	20
266	Hotel Dieu.....	Sister Mary Grace	20	3	4	60	12	Yes.	7	8th grade.	18
267	Sarah Goodridge Hospital.....	R. T. Fuller, M. D.	8	3	15	160	130	No.	9	C. 8.	21-35
268	Touro Infirmary.....	E. K. Zeller	60	3	8	200	115	No.	10	C. 8.	20-35
269	T. E. Schumpert Memorial Sanitarium.....	Sister Mary Raphael	28	2	2	208	208	No.	11	H. 8.	21
270	Shreveport Charity Hospital.....	J. M. Callaway, M. D.	27	2	2						
MAINE.											
271	Augusta General Hospital.....	Mrs. Sarah Hayden	20	3	2	58	85	Yes.	9	do.	22-35
272	Eastern Maine General Hospital.....	Ida Washburne	33	3	2	140	25	No.	11	do.	22-35
273	Trull Hospital.....	Lacy Jennette Potter, R. N.	23	3	2	75	60	No.	10	H. 8.	21
274	Central Maine General Hospital.....	Sister Michaels	20	2	6	75	85	Yes.	8-9	do.	21
275	St. Mary's Hospital.....	Sister Campese	20	2	6	140	64	No.	9	do.	20-30
276	Children's Hospital.....	Helena L. Redfern	24	2	5	70	64	No.	9	do.	21-35
277	Dr. King's Private Hospital.....	Minerva Kenrick	9	2	2	28	38	No.	9	do.	21-28
278	Mauno Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	Nettie M. Pine	18	3	3	75	108	No.	8	do.	21
279	Maine General Hospital.....	Harriet M. Hohenfeld, R. N.	55	3	20	175	108	No.	8	do.	21
280	St. Barnabas' Hospital.....	Maud B. Rooney	75	3	25	20	21	No.	12	do.	21
281	Knox County Hospital.....	Margaret D. Sibbey	6	2	1	25	10	No.	9	do.	21-31
MARYLAND.											
282	Bleeder-Sellman Hospital.....	Pearle A. Beulling, R. N.	14	3	3	125	135	No.	84	do.	21
283	Church Home and Infirmary.....	Edith R. Bennett	48	3	11	160	21	No.	9	do.	20-35
284	Franklin Square Hospital.....	Katherine M. Garvin, R. N.	10	2	3	20	21	No.	9	do.	20-35
285	Robert Garrett Hospital for Children.....	Mrs. Belle Strick, R. N.	24	3	3	100	90	No.	124	do.	19-33
286	Reborel Hospital.....	Frances K. M. Butler	6	3	6	59	41	No.	10	C. 8.	19-33
287	Hospital for the Women of Maryland.....	Elaine M. Lawler, R. N.	139	3	35	360	307	No.	8	do.	22-35
288	Johns Hopkins Hospital.....	Mary J. Potts	20	3	5	65	45	No.	10	do.	20-35
289	Maryland Homeopathic Hospital.....	A. E. Wheeler	34	3	9	150	130	No.	104	8th grade.	21

No.	School	Director	3	18	300	275	No.	9	H. S.	29-30
211	do.	Mercy Hospital.	66	3	18	300	275	No.	H. S.	29-30
212	do.	Providence Hospital.*	6	1	25					
213	do.	St. Anna's Hospital.*	23	5	25				H. S.	29-30
214	do.	St. Joseph's German Hospital.	42	2	27	170	No.	8	1 year H. S.	29-30
215	do.	Union Protestant Infirmary.	45	3	110	80	No.	9-94	do.	29-30
216	do.	University Hospital.	75	3	253	200	No.	9	2 years H. S.	21-27
217	Cumberland.	Albany Hospital.	15	3	40	25	No.	9		
218	do.	Western Maryland Hospital.*	20	2	52	30	No.	10	H. S.	20-35
219	Frederick.	Frederick City Hospital.	8	3	50	22	15	9	do.	20-30
220	Hagerstown.	Washington County Hospital.	10	3	22	15	Yes.	9	do.	
221	Salisbury.	Penninsula General Hospital.*	14	3	150					
MASSACHUSETTS.										
222	Attleborough.	Attleborough Sanitarium.*	15	3	75					
223	Beverly.	Beverly Hospital Corporation.	16	2	50	30	No.	9	H. S.	21-35
224	Boston (Jamaica Plain).	Adrian Nurses Asylum.	19	2	42	30	No.	10	C. S.	21-30
225	Boston (South Boston).	City Hospital.	23	3	200	100	Yes.	8	H. S.	21-32
226	Boston.	Carney Hospital.	57	3	25	20	No.	94		
227	do.	Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.	4-6	2	210	150	No.	8	H. S.	21
228	do.	Children's Hospital.	4-12	3	100	70	No.	10	do.	21-30
229	do.	Cushing Hospital.	15	2	30	24	No.	10	do.	21-30
230	do.	Faulkner Hospital.	30	3	48	28	Yes.	10	do.	21
231	Boston (Jamaica Plain).	Massachusetts General Hospital.	13	3	30	18	No.	94	do.	19-36
232	Boston.	Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital.	140	3	322	303	No.	8	do.	21-30
233	do.	Long Island Hospital.	100	3	319	314	No.	9	C. S.	21-30
234	do.	New England Baptist Hospital.	37	2	46	38	No.	10	do.	22-35
235	do.	New England Deaconess Hospital.	42	2	40	40	Yes.	10	H. S.	21-32
236	do.	New England Hospital for Women and Children.	24	3	150	78	No.	9	do.	21
237	do.	Plymouth Hospital.	31	3	130	78	No.	9	do.	19-35
238	do.	St. Elizabeth's Hospital.	12	3	15	15	Yes.	6	C. S.	21-30
239	do.	Woman's Charity Club Hospital.	26	2	110	66	Rarely.	10	H. S.	21-30
240	Brockton.	Brockton Hospital.	14	2	30	30	No.	8	C. S.	21-35
241	do.	Cambridge Hospital.	20	24	50	39	No.	9	do.	21-35
242	Cambridge.	Rufus S. Frost General Hospital.	23	24	60	37	No.	9	do.	21-35
243	Clinton.	Clinton Hospital.	14	3	60	35	No.	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
244	Clinton.	Whittem Memorial Hospital.	17	3	30	28	Yes.	9	8th grade.	21-35
245	Everett.	Boston Hospital.	9	3	22	16	Yes.	9	C. S.	21-35
246	Fitchburg.	Adrian Gilbert Hospital.	28	11	80	40	Yes.	9	H. S.	21
247	Gloversburg.	Hale County Hospital.	13	2	30	19	Yes.	84	C. S.	21-33
248	Haverhill.	City Hospital.	14	2	46	16	No.	9-10	C. S.	21
249	Holyoke.	House of Providence Hospital.	30	3	70	64	No.	9	1 year H. S.	21
250	Lawrence.	Lawrence General Hospital.	24	3	100	100	Rarely.	8	H. S.	21-35
251	Lowell.	Lowell Hospital Association.	33	3	85	64	No.	11	do.	21-30
252	Lowell.	Lowell General Hospital.	17	2	8	43	No.	84	do.	20

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
MASSACHUSETTS—CON.											
287 Lowell.	St. John's Hospital.	Sister Celine.	21	3	3	65	45	No.	9	1 year H. S.	22-35
288 Lynn.	Union Hospital.	Annie I. Fletcher, R. N.	25	2	19	90	30	No.	11	C. 8.	21-35
289 do.	Maiden Hospital.	Julia Agnes Smith, R. N.	15	3	6	35	43	Yes	9	H. S.	21-35
290 Malden.	Melrose Hospital.	Charlotte M. Perry, R. N.	27	3	4	80	43	No.	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
291 do.	New England Sanitarium.	Alma E. Grant.	13	3	4	19	14	Yes	9	H. S.	21-35
292 do.	Farrington Memorial Hospital.	William E. Bliss, M. D.	41	3	11	80	14	Yes	8	1 year H. S.	20
293 Montague City.	Leonard Morse Hospital.	Sister Mary Immaculate Heart.	4	2	2	50	15	Yes	10	1 year H. S.	21
294 do.	Emergency Hospital.	N. J. van Cor.	14	3	5	25	17	Yes	9	H. S.	21
295 New Bedford.	Anna Jacques Hospital.	Charles Arthur Derby, M. D.	6	2	2	20	30	Yes	10	11th grade.	21
296 Newburyport.	Newton Hospital.	Brenda F. MacFarce.	15	2	3	40	23	No.	12	H. S.	21-30
297 do.	Newton Hospital.	Mary M. Riddle.	14	3	3	165	13	Yes	10	H. S.	21-30
298 North Adams.	North Adams Hospital.	Lillian A. Hanford, R. N.	63	3	21	165	13	Yes	10	H. S.	21-30
299 Northampton.	Henry W. Bishop, Third, Memorial Training School of the House of Mercy Hospital.	Mary Rose Reser.	17	3	9	65	50	Yes	12	H. S.	21-30
300 do.	Jordan Hospital.	Mary M. Mary, R. N.	32	3	13	130	74	No.	9	C. 8.	21-30
301 Pittsfield.	City Hospital of Quincy.	Emma Margaret Smith.	9	2	20	20	20	No.	10	H. S.	21-35
302 Quincy.	Salem Hospital.	B. M. Thayer.	10	2	5	100	50	No.	10	H. S.	21-35
303 do.	Somerville Hospital.	Caroline Brown Wilks.	26	3	6	40	26	Yes	10	1 year H. S.	22-35
304 do.	Framingham Hospital.	Elizabeth C. Hogle.	20	3	2	50	30	Yes	9	H. S.	20-35
305 South Framingham.	Mercy Hospital.	Elbel Humphrey, R. N.	41	3	7	180	86	No.	10	1 year H. S.	21-30
306 Springfield.	Springfield Hospital.	Mother, Mary of Providence.	29	3	11	80	30	No.	10	H. S.	20-31
307 do.	Wesson Memorial Hospital.	Fessie M. Colton.	14	3	11	65	16	No.	9	do.	20-31
308 do.	Taunton Hospital Co. Training School of the Taunton Hospital.	Hilda M. Boyd, R. N.	12	3	4	25	16	No.	9	do.	21-35
309 do.	Taunton Emergency Hospital.	Charles B. Leavoy, M. D.	3	2	15	100	50	Yes	9	C. S.	19-35
310 Waltham.	Waltham Hospital.	Beatrice de Veber.	92	4	14	100	27	Yes	8	do.	21
311 do.	Noble Hospital.	Nellie B. Hall.	13	3	2	55	27	No.	9	H. S.	20-35
312 do.	Choate Memorial Hospital.	Grace B. Hancock.	8	2	20	20	15	Yes	9	do.	20-30
313 Worcester.	Worcester City Hospital.	Louise Eleanor Keister.	110	3	34	290	210	No.	9	do.	20-30
314 do.	Fahnenmann Hospital.	Edith Robbins, R. N.	12	3	1	25	14	Yes	10	do.	21
315 do.	Memorial Hospital.	Donna G. Bugar.	67	3	1	150	150	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-35
316 do.	St. Vincent Hospital.	Mother Mary Providence.	26	3	8	110	85	No.	10	H. S.	21-35

State	City	School Name	Instructor	Students	Yes	No	Total	Grade	Yes	No	Total	Other	
MICHIGAN	Alma	Brainerd Hospital	I. N. Brainerd, M. D.	5			5						
	Ann Arbor	University Hospital	Luella Bristol	75	3	19	24	12	10	24	18	C. S.	
	do	University Homeopathic Hospital	D. W. Myers, M. D.	40	3	9	100	10	10	85	20-32	H. S.	
	do	Peterson's Hospital	Fantine Pemberton	10	4	3	9	9	0	0	21-35	do	
	Battle Creek	Battle Creek Sanitarium and Hospital	Mrs. M. S. Foy	180	41	6	650	28	9	0	10	do	
	do	Nichols Memorial Hospital	Maud Agnes Cline, R. N.	20	3	6	46	46	0	0	18-21	H. S.	
	Bay City	Mercy Hospital	Sister Mary Baptist	14	3	7	100	40	0	0	21	do	
	Benton Harbor	Mercy Hospital	Millicent B. Northway, R. N.	9	24	4	37	12	0	0	19-30	1 year H. S.	
	Big Rapids	Mercy Hospital	Sister Mary Philomena McDonald	15	3	4	100	35	0	0	20-30	8th grade	
	Calumet	Calumet and Hecla Hospital	Liege English	10	3	2	25	25	0	0	21-36	do	
	Detroit	Boulevard Sanitarium	Miss Harlow, R. N.	17	3	9	130	191	0	0	21-36	do	
	do	Grace Hospital	C. F. van der Water	62	3	35	200	200	0	0	22	2 years H. S.	
	do	M. J. Grand Training School of the Harper Hospital		84	4	2	24	12	0	0	18-35	H. S.	
	do	Red Cross Hospital	Sister Lucia	50	3	15	200	15	0	0	20-30	C. S.	
	do	St. Mary's Hospital	Melvina M. Malhot	14	3	4	50	24	0	0	20-35	8th grade	
	do	Soiway General Hospital	Miss S. Meville	21	24	4	100	70	0	0	21-36	H. S.	
	do	Woman's Hospital and Infants' Home	Elizabeth G. Flaws, R. N.	45	3	14	100	70	0	0	21	1 year H. S.	
	Grand Rapids	Butterworth Hospital	Sister M. Thomas	20	3	4	45	59	0	0	21	H. S.	
	do	St. Mary's Hospital	Ida M. Barrett, R. N.	40	3	10	70	59	0	0	21-35	do	
	do	Union Benevolent Association Hospital	Margaret M. Moore	17	3	3	50	27	0	0	21	C. S.	
	do	Iron Mountain Hospital	Sister M. Raphael, M. D.	12	3	5	12	12	0	0	21	C. S.	
	Kalamazoo	St. Catherine's Training School of the Borgess Hospital		23	3	10	45	25	0	0	20-30	1 year H. S.	
	do	Brimson Hospital	Irene V. B. van Pelt	3	3	2	30	30	0	0	20-30	do	
	do	Lake Linden	Zetta De Witt	8	3	2	30	25	0	0	21	H. S.	
	Lansing	Lansing Hospital	Mabel L. Morgan	19	21	2	25	10	0	0	21	do	
	Leavitt	Houghton County Training School of the Calumet Public Hospital	Nettie L. Lester, R. N.	8	3	2	25	10	0	0	21	do	
	Ledington	Paulina Stearns Hospital	Nellie E. Dart	8	24	4	16	16	0	0	20	H. S.	
	Manistee	Mercy Hospital	Sister M. Camillus	14	3	3	75	75	0	0	20	do	
	Marquette	St. Luke's Hospital	Sister Clara L. Mack	7	2	2	26	26	0	0	20	do	
	Monet Clemens	St. Joseph's Sanitarium	Sister M. Bertha	14	5	3	100	60	0	0	20	do	
	Montegon	Mackey Hospital	Elizabeth A. Greener, R. N.	20	3	9	60	60	0	0	20	do	
	do	Mercy Hospital	Sister M. Joseph, R. N.	47	3	3	42	25	0	0	20	2 years H. S.	
	do	Lockwood Hospital	Mary R. de Boer	4	24	1	18	12	0	0	18	2 years H. S.	
	do	St. Huron Hospital	Elizabeth McCuskie	12	2	4	34	17	0	0	19	H. S.	
	do	St. Mary Hospital	St. Mary's Charity	27	3	3	50	50	0	0	20	do	
	Saginaw	Saginaw General Hospital	Lida M. Tracy	12	3	3	50	28	0	0	20-35	1 year H. S.	
	do	Woman's Hospital	Rosa Thomas	9	21	4	34	15	0	0	20-30	3 years H. S.	
	Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie Hospital	Rosa Thomas	9	2	1	30	15	0	0	20-30	do	
	Trimountain	Copper Range Hospital	Collina MacDonald	4	3	1	30	15	0	0	20	do	
	MINNESOTA	Brainerd	Northern Pacific Benevolent Association Hospital	Maudie Isabel Manning	17	3	4	87	50	0	0	21	2 years H. S.
		Crookston	St. Theresa's Hospital	Deaconess Ovidia Olson	5	2	2	36	36	0	0	21	do

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MISSISSIPPI—contd.											
630	Duluth	St. Luke's Hospital.	30	3	7	100				11	12
631	Fergus Falls	George W. Deit Memorial Hospital.	14	2	3	27					20
632	Grand Rapids	St. Luke's Hospital.	10	2	3	38		Rarely	10	H. S.	21-31
633	Minneapolis	Abbott Hospital.	12	2	4	30	25	No.	10	C. S.	22-35
634	do.	Asbury Methodist Deaconess Hospital.	42	3	14	103	75		9		
635	do.	Maternity Hospital.	12	1	4	250	135	No.	9	8th grade.	21
636	do.	Minneapolis City Hospital.	42	3	12	260					
637	do.	Northwestern Lutheran Hospital.	42	3	4	90					
638	do.	Northwestern Lutheran Deaconess Hospital.	50	3	4	90					
639	do.	St. Barnabas' Hospital.	30	3	10	100					
640	do.	St. Mary's Hospital.	47	3	11	150	110	No.	8-9	1 year H. S.	21
641	do.	Swedish Hospital.	16	3	3	32	48	No.	10	H. S.	20-35
642	do.	University of Minnesota.	5	5	1	25	20	Yes.	10	C. S.	20
643	do.	Northwestern Hospital.	16	3	1	30	25	No.	8	H. S.	18
644	Fruition	St. John's Hospital.	5	2	1	25	27	Yes.	9	8th grade.	21-35
645	Red Wing	St. Luke's Hospital and Deaconess Home.	12	3	4	50					
646	St. Paul	City and County Hospital.	52	3	11	640					
647	do.	Cobb Hospital.	8	3	2	48	14	No.	8	8th grade.	21
648	do.	Luther Hospital.	13	3	4	30	30	No.	10	H. S.	20-30
649	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital.	60	3	*21	450	108	No.	8	H. S.	19-35
650	do.	St. Luke's Hospital.	41	3	3	100	108	No.	10	do.	21-35
651	do.	St. Luke's Hospital.	41	3	3	25	22	Yes.	9	do.	18
652	Sullwater	Warren Hospital.	7	2	5	25	22	Rarely	10	C. S.	21-34
653	Warren	Winona General Hospital.	18	2	9	52	31	No.	8	8th grade.	20-30
654	Winona										
MISSISSIPPI.											
655	Aborn	Aborn Agricultural and Mechanical College.	12	3	2	12					
656	Clifton	King's Daughters' Hospital.	7	2	2	24					
657	Jackson	Jackson Sanatorium.	8	2	2	40	15	Rarely	6	H. S.	21
658	Natchez	Natchez Charity Hospital.	22	3	11	190	120	Yes.	10 1/2	do.	18-35
659	Victoria	Mississippi State Charity Hospital.	20	2 1/2	3	11	140	Yes.	9 1/2	C. S.	18-30
660	Vicksburg	Vicksburg Infirmary.	12	2	5	30					

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City	School	Instructor	3	5	31	16	Yes	9	H. S.	20
MISSOURI.										
Columbia	Parker Memorial Hospital Training School for Nurses of the University of Missouri.	Dora B. Battison, R. N.	11							
do	Levering Hospital.	Maudie Landis.	14	6	35	20	Yes	94	C. S.	20-35
do	St. John's Hospital.	Elizabeth Lyda, O'Brien, R. N.	9	3	30	30	No	19	1 year H. S.	19-32
do	General Hospital.	Rose M. Casey.	15	4	65	33	No	84	do	20-35
do	St. Joseph's Hospital.	Reverend Mother Agnes Gordon.	50	12	110	95	No	9	8th grade.	21-30
do	St. Luke's Hospital.	L. Eleanor Keely.	13	3	25	18	No	9	do	21-30
do	South Side Hospital.	K. McDonald.	16	3	32					
do	University Hospital.	Fanny E. S. Smith.	35	13	52					
do	Wesley Hospital.	Myra Messinger.	28	6	75	60	No	9	C. S.	22-30
St. Joseph	Deaconess Home and Hospital Association.	Ethel Hastings.	33	8	75	51	No	9	H. S.	20
do	St. Joseph's Hospital.	Edward W. Saunders, M. D.	21	3	101			10	C. S.	18-30
do	Bethesda Hospital.	Mary E. Seize Welsh.	22	3	70			8-12	do	19-32
do	Centenary Hospital.	Sister Magdalena Gerhold.	28	5	75					
do	Christian Hospital.	Sister R. Chabolin, R. N.	14	2	50					
do	Deaconess Hospital.	Charles R. Chabolin, R. N.	6	3	85	60	No		H. S.	21-35
do	Jewish Hospital.	W. H. Mayfield, M. D.	40	11	100	80	No	9	C. S.	19
do	Methodist Hospital.	Francis S. Neal.	3	4	75	50	Yes			
do	Mission Baptist Sanitarium.	A. A. Craddock, M. D.	42	9	150					
do	Provident Hospital.	Elizabeth M. Gill.	4	3	16					
do	Rebekah Hospital.	Henry Schwarz, M. D.	25	8	70					
do	St. Anthony's Hospital.	Sister Mary Abyssus.	18	3	100			10	C. S.	17-27
do	St. John's Hospital.	C. C. Morris, M. D.	22	6	80	67	No	10	do	20-35
do	St. Louis Baptist Hospital Association.	M. Annie Gillis, R. N.	18	3	75		Yes	10	8th grade.	20-35
do	St. Louis City Hospital.	Sister Gabriella Lynch.	45	15	500	428	No	10	C. S.	21-33
do	St. Louis (Mullanphy) Training School of St. Louis Hospital Association.	Theodora Manwell.	30	8	150			10	do	21-33
do	St. Luke's Hospital.	Mena S. Tye.	41	13	92	55	No	9-94	1 year H. S.	22-35
do	Washington University.		41	6	200	86-90	No	10	8th grade.	18-30
MONTANA.										
Butte	Murray Hospital.	Deila H. Folger, R. N.	24	8	75	50	No	9	do	20-30
do	St. James Hospital.	Sisters in charge.	3	2	110					
do	Columbus Hospital.	Sister Gaspar.	27	3	8	202	Yes	8	1 year H. S.	18
Great Falls	Montana Deaconess Hospital.	F. Augusta Ariss.	18	3	8	68	Yes	9	H. S.	22
do	St. John's Hospital.	Sister Mary Coletta.	20	6	50					
do	St. Patrick's Hospital.	Sister Aldric.	24	3	160	50	No	10	8th grade.	19-30
do	Missoula.		18							
NEBRASKA.										
Beatrice	Beatrice Sanitarium.	C. P. Fall.	4	2	20	8	Yes	9	H. S.	21
do	Nebraska Sanitarium.	Orville Rockwell, M. D.	22	3	75	50	Rarely	9	1 year H. S.	20
College View	Remont Hospital.	Salvia D. McKinney.	16	2	4	24				
do	Kenney Public Hospital.	Anna M. Trippe, R. N.	2	2	2					
do	Dr. Benjamin F. Basky Sanitarium Company.		20	2	11	54	50	No	10	8th grade.
do	Lincoln.		26	2	11	54	50	No	10	8th grade.

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NEBRASKA—contd.										
501 Lincoln	Nebraska Orthopedic Hospital*	Bessie M. Birby, R. N.	4	2	5	45				
502 do	St. Light Sanatorium*	Miss M. W. Fisher	11	2	4	42				
503 Omaha	Charlton Hospital	Ellen Stewart	36	2	6	80	No	84	H. S.	21-30
504 do	Cresighton Memorial, St. Joseph's Hospital*	Sister M. Hedwig	14	2	5	300				
505 do	Douglas County Hospital*	Mabel Christie	17	3	4	65				
506 do	Inmanuel Hospital*	Deaconess Anna Flint	17	3	4	80	Rarely	9	H. S.	21-35
507 do	Nebraska Methodist Episcopal Hospital and Deaconess Home School for the Training of Nurses.	Victoria Anderson	50	3	4	100				
508 do	Omaha General Hospital	Mary C. Wieck	24	3	6	90	No	10	C. S.	20
509 do	Presbyterian Hospital*	J. E. Graham	22	3	4	50				
510 do	Swedish Mission Hospital	Hilda, Christine Fleetwood, R. N.	16	3	4	45	20	8	C. B.	21
511 do	Wise Memorial Hospital	Ida B. Huette	34	3	12	95	No	8	H. S.	20-35
512 South Omaha	South Omaha Hospital	Lella Halverson	8	2	3	21	Yes	94	8th grade	21
NEW HAMPSHIRE										
513 Claremont	Claremont General Hospital	Nelle A. Steers	11	2	7	25	Yes	94	H. S.	20-35
514 Concord	Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital	Irene Bowers	17	24	21	60	Yes	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
515 do	New Hampshire Memorial Hospital for Women and Children	Rosanna O'Donoghue	10	24	21	25	Yes	9	H. S.	21-33
516 Dover	Wentworth Hospital	Grace P. Haskell, R. N.	14	24	4	40	No	9	do	21-35
517 Exeter	Exeter Cottage Hospital	Henrietta B. Chisholm, R. N.	10	3	5	25	Yes	9	C. B.	20
518 Hanover	Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital	Ida Frances Shepard, R. N.	21	3	6	36	Rarely	10	1 year H. S.	21-35
519 Keosee	Elliot City Hospital*	Ella McGobb	23	24	7	30				
520 Laconia	Laconia Hospital Association	Eva Wood, R. N.	7	4	4	25	No	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
521 Manchester	Elliot Hospital	Melle M. Harding, R. N.	18	3	2	40	No	10	11, 8	21-35
522 do	Sturied Hear Hospital	Edith M. Vague	16	21	6	60	Yes	9	8th grade	21-30
523 Nashua	St. Joseph's Hospital	Sister M. C. Vague	16	21	6	60	Yes	9	do	21-30
524 do	New Hampshire Association	Elizabeth E. Henneman, R. N.	14	24	4	25	Yes	8	H. S.	20
525 Whitefield	Morrison Hospital	M. S. McIntire	16	3	3	26	Yes	104	do	20
526 Woodsville	Woodsville Cottage Hospital	Eliza Wheaton	9	3	1	26	Yes	8	do	20

STATISTICS OF NURSE TRAINING SCHOOLS, 1910-11.

State	School Name	Faculty	Students	Yes	No	Faculty	Students	Yes	No	Faculty	Students	Yes	No	Faculty	Students	
NEW JERSEY	Atlantic City Hospital	Nannette S. Burkhard	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Elizabeth R. N.	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Dorothy M. Ferris	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Frances Allen Worrall	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	C. E. MacNichols	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Mary Reynolds Herrmann	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Eleanor E. Hamilton, R. N.	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Mary J. Stone	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Edith A. Hooper, R. N.	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Margaret J. Herries	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Harriet T. Meiklejohn	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Silva Mc Knight	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Willa M. Wootch	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Hilda F. Mason	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Mary Frances Mason	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Wilhelmine Kobbeler	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Augusta Hobart English, R. N.	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Elizabeth Conroy	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Grace Elizabeth Stamp	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Margaret A. Wallace	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Margaret S. Wilson	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Eva A. Castle	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Anna M. Flanagan	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Beatrice M. Bamber	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
	Atlantic City Hospital	Josephine Hughes, R. N.	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21	
Atlantic City Hospital	Laura M. Weber	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21		
Atlantic City Hospital	Alice A. Gemmill	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21		
Atlantic City Hospital	Loretta C. Hurry	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21		
Atlantic City Hospital	Kate L. B. Tulley	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21		
Atlantic City Hospital	Sister Philip Neri	10	3	7	150	12	9	1	10	21	12	1	10	21		
NEW YORK	Albany Hospital	Susan C. Hearle	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Rose M. Heaven, R. N.	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Sister May Philomena	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Helen M. Garrett, R. N.	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Florence M. Grant	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Margaret Brien	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Myrtis Brien	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Margaret T. Herlihy, R. N.	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	Mrs. Margaret L. Rogers, A. R.	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	Albany Hospital	R. N.	110	3	11	350	10	235	10	110	21-35	10	235	10	110	
	NEW MEXICO	Albuquerque	Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11
		Albuquerque	Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11
		Albuquerque	Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11
		Albuquerque	Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11
		Albuquerque	Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	
Albuquerque		Sister Joseph's Hospital	11	3	6	100	10	100	10	11	19-30	10	100	10	11	

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NEW YORK—contd.											
Brooklyn	Jewish Training School for Nurses of the Bushwick Hospital.	James S. Buchanan, R. N.	12	3	1	32	23	Yes.	9	1 year H.S.	20-30
do.	Cumberland Street Hospital.	Rebecca Taylor, R. N.	23	2 1/2	9	200	150	No.	9	2 years H.S.	21-35
do.	German Hospital.	Ella B. Kurtz, R. N.	23	3	9	146	100	No.	10	1 year H.S.	30
do.	Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn.	Anna M. Sabol.	23	2 1/2	11	250	213	No.	8	do.	19
do.	King's County Hospital.	Isabel Burrows, R. N.	65	2 1/2	25	710	600	No.	8	do.	21-35
do.	Long Island College Hospital.	Mary H. Bodine, R. N.	55	3	14	275	208	No.	8	do.	21-31
do.	Memorial Hospital for Women and Children.	A. S. Kavanaugh, D. D.	9	2 1/2	2	225	175	Rarely.	10	1 year H.S.	21-35
do.	Methodist Episcopal Hospital.	Gertrude M. Gibson, R. N.	90	2 1/2	24	50	45	No.	8 1/2	do.	21-35
do.	New York State School for Training Nurses of the Prospect Heights Hospital and Brooklyn General Hospital.	Helen Lawrie Smith, R. N.	31	3	10	80	56	No.	9	do.	21
do.	St. John's Long Island City Hospital.	Caroline Marqees, R. N.	36	2 1/2	7	225	150	No.	9	do.	20-30
do.	St. Mary's General Hospital.	M. Lavina Copeland, R. N.	53	3	25	270	200	Yes.	10	do.	20-33
do.	Williamburgh Hospital.	Stella Fuchs, R. N.	20	2 1/2	3	65	65	No.	10	do.	21-35
Buffalo	Buffalo General Hospital.	Miss R. Morley, R. N.	87	3	20	365	250	No.	12	do.	21-35
do.	Buffalo Hospital of Sisters of Charity.	Sister Vincent.	60	3	21	250	141	No.	10	do.	20-30
do.	Buffalo German Hospital.	Cornelia L. Steck.	25	3	11	74	54	No.	9	do.	21
do.	Buffalo Homeopathic Hospital.	Anna L. Alfine, R. N.	33	3	3	117	70	No.	6	do.	20-35
do.	Buffalo Woman's Hospital.	Mrs. Harriet D. Stone.	16	3	2	85	61	No.	6	do.	20-30
do.	Children's Hospital.	Mrs. E. Yungblut Nye.	30	3	2	26	26	No.	8, 9	2 years H.S.	20-30
do.	City Hospital.	Agnes R. Gottreich.	3	2 1/2	2	80	60	No.	8, 9	1 year H.S.	20-30
do.	Emergency Hospital of Sisters of Charity and St. Mary's Marienthal Hospital.	Sister Louise Kazy.	21	3	2	80	60	No.	8, 9	1 year H.S.	20-30
do.	Frederick Hospital.	Nellie Davis.	47	3	16	460	425	No.	8	do.	20
do.	Grace Hospital.	Ada Dea.	13	3	1	72	51	No.	10	do.	21-35
do.	Le Roy Hospital.	Kate Beaker.	6	3	1	35	30	Yes.	8	do.	20-35
do.	Lexington Heights Hospital.	Alta E. Phillips.	10	3	3	24	8	No.	9	H.S.	23
do.	Canandaigua Hospital of Physicians and Surgeons.	E. Luella Morrison, R. N.	10	3	5	50	18	Yes.	9	1 year H.S.	21
do.	Frederick Ferris Thompson Hospital.	R. Elizabeth Rimesad, R. N.	17	2 1/2	6	55	34	No.	9	do.	19-30

No.	Location	Name	45	3	254	Yes	9	do	21-25
583	Clifton Springs	Clifton Springs Sanitarium	45	3	254	No	9	do	21-25
584	Conestoga	Conestoga Hospital	8	2	50	No	9	do	16
585	Corning	Thompson Hospital	11	2	27	No	9-10	do	20-34
586	Corning	Corning Hospital	11	2	24	No	9-10	do	21-35
587	Corning	Corning Hospital	11	2	24	No	9-10	do	21-35
588	Dunkirk	Jackson Sanitarium	16	3	172	No	9	do	21-34
589	Dunkirk	Brooks Memorial Hospital	10	3	40	No	9	do	20
590	Elmira	Arndt-Ogden Memorial Hospital	18	2	40	No	9	H.S.	20-35
591	Geneva	Geneva City Hospital	11	2	53	No	9	do	21-35
592	Geneva Falls	Geneva Falls Hospital	17	3	33	No	9	1 year H.S.	21-32
593	Gloversville	Nathan Littauer Hospital	11	3	50	No	9	do	21-25
594	Hudson	Hudson City Hospital	12	2	32	No	9	do	20-35
595	Hudson	Woman's Christian Association Hospital	21	3	63	Yes	9	do	21-35
596	Kingston	City of Kingston Hospital	8	3	30	No	10	C.S.	21-25
597	Little Falls	Little Falls Hospital	9	3	23	No	10	1 year H.S.	21
598	Lockport	Lockport City Hospital	11	3	19	Yes	9	do	18-35
599	Middletown	Thrall Hospital	12	3	28	Yes	9	do	21-35
600	Middletown	Thrall Hospital	12	3	28	Yes	9	do	21-35
601	Minerva	Nassau Hospital	24	3	70	No	11	H.S.	18-35
602	Montour Falls	Bethesda Sanitarium	6	2	33	No	9	1 year H.S.	20-35
603	Mount Vernon	Mount Vernon Hospital	14	3	32	No	9	do	20
604	Newburgh	St. Luke's Hospital	14	2	75	No	10	do	21
605	Newburgh	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals	14	2	113	No	10	do	21
606	New York	Beth Israel Hospital	14	2	122	No	10	do	21-33
607	New York	Flower Hospital	14	2	134	No	9	1 year H.S.	21
608	New York	Flushing Hospital and Dispensary	40	3	140	No	10	do	19-35
609	New York	French Benevolent Society Hospital	24	2	85	No	11	2 years H.S.	21-33
610	New York	German Hospital and Dispensary	23	3	239	No	11	1 year H.S.	21-35
611	New York	Hannemann Hospital	35	3	140	No	9	do	20-30
612	New York	Hannemann Hospital of the Borough of Manhattan	35	3	140	No	9	do	20-30
613	New York	Jamaica Hospital	19	3	65	No	8	do	19-30
614	New York	Laura Franklin Free Hospital for Children	20	2	65	No	8	do	18-38
615	New York	Lebanon Hospital	54	3	192	No	10	do	21-35
616	New York	Lincoln Hospital and Home	54	3	192	No	10	do	21-35
617	New York	Lozier Memorial Training School for Nurses of the New York Medical College and Hospital for Women	48	3	379	No	11	do	21-35
618	New York	New York City Training School for Nurses of the City, Maternity, and Gouverneur Hospitals	90	2	935	No	10	do	21-35
619	New York	New York City Training School for Nurses of the City, Maternity, and Gouverneur Hospitals	90	2	935	No	10	do	21-35
620	New York	Metropolitan Hospital	74	3	345	No	10	do	20-35
621	New York	Morrisania Hospital	25	2	300	No	10	do	20
622	New York	Montefiore Hospital	46	3	430	No	8-9	C.S.	21
623	New York	New York Free Training Hospital	46	2	340	No	9	do	21-33
624	New York	New York Infirmary for Women and Children	27	2	250	No	8	C.S.	22-33
625	New York	Margaret Fahnestock School for the Training of Nurses of the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital	100	3	225	No	10	1 year H.S.	22-33

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										Education.	Age.
1			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
New York—continued.											
415	New York	Frederick Hospital.	113	3	25	233	214	No	8	H. S.	22-35
416	do	Roosevelt Hospital.	63	24	36	254	196	No	84	2 years H. S.	22-33
417	do	St. Luke's Hospital.	125	3	29	310	200	Yes	9	H. S.	20-30
418	do	St. Mary's Hospital of New York City.	31	5	3	170	70	Yes	84	1 year H. S.	19-23
419	do	St. Mary's Free Hospital for Children.	34	24	12	153	90	No	0	do.	19-23
420	do	St. Vincent's Hospital.	62	2	27	352	320	No	10	do.	21-23
421	New York (Borough of Richmond)	Julia A. Sheehan, R. N.	23	3	7	72	60	No	9	do.	19-30
422	New York (Tompkinsville)	M. R. Pratt, M. D.	40	3	18	150	100	No	0	H. S.	21
423	New York	Olga Sandell, R. N.	33	3	9	85	68	No	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
424	do	Maria E. Martyn.	10	24	1	35	20	No	0	do.	19-30
425	do	Woman's Infirmary and Maternity Home.	13	2	10	6	6	No	0	do.	19-30
426	do	Yorkville Hospital.	4	2	10	28	6	No	0	do.	19-30
427	Niagara Falls	Margaret E. McCormack	4	2	6	90	60	No	10	1 year H. S.	19-25
428	Ogdensburg	Irene M. Johnson	30	3	4	65	60	No	10	1 year H. S.	19-25
429	Olean	Sister Mary Florence, R. N.	20	3	4	65	60	No	10	1 year H. S.	19-25
430	Olean	Caroline M. Wilson, R. N.	7	3	2	15	12	No	10	H. S.	20-30
431	Oneida	Alice A. Dougal, R. N.	9	3	2	30	20	No	8	1 year H. S.	20-18
432	Oneida	Anna O'Brien, General Hospital.	9	24	2	30	15	No	10	do.	20-35
433	Oneida	Elizabeth Lounsbury	9	2	3	30	30	No	10	do.	20-30
434	Oneida	Oswego Hospital.	13	3	1	30	33	No	9	do.	20-30
435	Oneida	Peabody Hospital.	10	24	3	50	50	Yes	9	1 year H. S.	19-30
436	Poughkeepsie	Marion D. Lupton, R. N.	24	3	3	65	50	No	7	do.	20
437	Rochester	Charles A. Wheeler, R. N.	11	3	2	45	30	No	10	do.	18
438	Rochester	C. T. Graham, M. E., M. D.	11	3	2	45	30	No	10	do.	18
439	do	Graham Highland Park Sanatorium and Maternity Hospital.	35	3	8	115	85	No	10	do.	19-30
440	do	Hahnemann Hospital of Rochester.	18	3	3	61	46	Yes	10	do.	19-30
441	do	Laura E. Lewis, R. N.	18	3	3	61	46	Yes	10	do.	19-30
442	do	Lee Private Hospital.	11	3	26	140	103	No	84	do.	20-30
443	do	Rochester General Hospital.	41	3	12	144	105	No	84	do.	20
444	do	Rochester Homeopathic Hospital.	24	3	8	200	126	No	10	do.	21
445	do	St. Mary's Hospital.	20	3	8	200	126	Yes	10	do.	21
446	Rome	Arvilla E. Everingham, R. N.	12	3	2	30	20	Yes	8-9	do.	19
447	Saratoga Springs	Catherine Lawrence.	13	3	3	60	22	No	10	do.	19-35

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										Education. ¹	Age.
1	3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
SOUTH DAKOTA											
704	St. John's Hospital.	Sister Madeleine.	23	3	6	72					
705	Grand Forks Deaconess Hospital.	Sister Leocadia.	11	3	4	55					
706	St. Michael's Hospital.	Sister Leocadia.	16	3	1	60					
707	City Hospital.	Maudie H. Sides.	5	2	3	15					
708	Northwood Deaconess Hospital.	Deaconess Mildred Olson.	10	2	5	30	13	Yes.	10	C. S.	18-30
OHIO											
709	City Hospital of Akron.	Marie Anna Lawson.	25	3	5	80	76	No.	9	H. S.	21-35
710	Alliance City Hospital.	Sara B. Franklin.	8	3	2	18					
711	Ashtabula General Hospital.	Agnes Jane Stark, R. N.	13	3	2	38		Rarely.	9	H. S.	20-34
712	Aultman Memorial Hospital.	Alice N. Hemmingway.	14	3	4	60	61	Yes.	12	1 year H. S.	21-30
713	Bethesda Hospital.	Louise Gortler.	24	2, 3	9	85	85	No.	10	C. S.	20-30
714	Case Western Reserve Hospital.	Oliver Trichter.	54	3	14	200	185	No.	8	H. S.	20-30
715	Chapel Hill Hospital.	Oliver Fisher.	72	3	20	500	50	No.	9	do.	21-30
716	Episcopal Hospital for Children.	D. Beckack, Cyril.	10	1, 1	0	95		Yes.	10	C. S.	18-30
717	Good Samaritan Hospital.	Sister Mary Cyril.	20	3	8	125	80	No.	9	H. S.	21
718	Jewish Hospital.	Maria H. Greenwood.	23	3	6	125	80	Yes.	8	H. S.	21
719	Ohio Hospital for Women and Children.	Laura Ball.	33	3	1	19		Yes.	10	8th grade.	20-35
720	Ohio Maternity Hospital Training School of the German Deaconess Hospital.	Sister Albertine.	10	2	2	25					
721	Canfield-White Hospital.	Florence Nightingale Mallieue.	8	2, 1	3	20	10	Rarely.	10	H. S.	22-32
722	Cleveland City Hospital.	Emily M. Gent, R. N.	50	3	13	350	10		10	H. S.	21
723	Cleveland Training School for Nurses of the Haron Road Hospital.	Annie E. Irving.	29	2, 1	5	112		No.	10	H. S.	21
724	German Hospital.	Marian Carina Mason, R. N.	11	3	3	50	35	No.	10	8th grade.	21-40
725	Lakeside Hospital.	Mary Alexandrin Samuel.	90	2	30	271	212	No.	10	H. S.	21-35
726	Madison Hospital.	Elise Mann, R. N.	8	3	3	35	20	No.	10	C. S.	21
727	Marion Hospital.	Mrs. Anna S. Center.	10	1	9	10	10	No.	10	H. S.	25
728	Marion Hospital.	Mrs. Anna S. Center.	10	1	9	10	10	No.	10	H. S.	25
729	St. Clair Hospital.	Martha Robinson.	18	2	5	65	25	No.	10	C. S.	21
730	St. Luke's Hospital.	Frederika K. Gaiser.	40	3	11	90	70	No.	9	1 year H. S.	21-35
731	St. Vincent's Charity Hospital.	Sister M. Marcelline.	48	3	16	140	130	No.	10	2 years H. S.	20-33
732	Grant Hospital.	Rachel Bourke.	76	3	12	150	150	No.	8, 1	H. S.	21-35

No.	Locality	Name of School	61	3	21	250	100	Yes	11	do.	20-30
725	do.	Hawkes Hospital of Mt. Carmel.	8	24	2	20	15	Yes	11	do.	20-30
726	do.	Lawrence Hospital.	8	24	2	20	15	Yes	11	do.	20-30
727	do.	Protestant Hospital Association.	8	24	2	20	15	Yes	11	do.	20-30
728	Dayton	Miami Valley Hospital	44	2	21	25	70	No.	12	C. B.	21-35
729	do.	Protestant Hospital Association.	44	2	21	25	70	No.	12	H. S.	21-35
730	East Liverpool	East Liverpool City Hospital	4	3	18	50	110	No.	12	do.	21-35
731	Franklin	Home and Hospital.	14	3	8	50	50	Yes	10	H. S.	21-35
732	Harrison	Mary Hospital.	16	3	2	40	18	No.	10	C. S.	20-30
733	Kenton	St. Anthony Training School for Nurses of the Antonio Hospital.	6	3	25	25	25	No.	10	C. S.	20-30
734	Lima	Lima Hospital.	19	24	6	68	34	No.	12	C. S.	20-30
735	Louisville	St. Joseph's Hospital.	20	3	3	85	50	Rarely	10	H. S.	19-30
736	Marion	Ohio Sanatorium Company	12	3	2	70	45	Yes	84	do.	20
737	Newark	Newark City Hospital	7	2	3	20	12	No.	8	C. B.	21-32
738	Palmyra	Palmyra Hospital.	10	3	2	25	15	Yes	8	H. S.	19-25
739	Paris	White Hospital.	7	3	2	20	12	No.	8	H. S.	19-25
740	Paris	St. Vincent's Hospital.	9	3	29	29	29	No.	84	H. S.	21-35
741	Shelbyville	Shelbyville City Hospital.	2	10	3	100	55	No.	84	H. S.	21-35
742	do.	City Hospital.	2	10	3	100	55	No.	84	H. S.	21-35
743	Toledo	Lucas County Infirmary Hospital.	7	2	5	75	70	No.	9	C. B.	21
744	do.	Maternity Hospital.	5	2	5	50	32	No.	9	C. B.	21
745	do.	Robinson Hospital.	5	2	5	50	32	No.	9	C. B.	21
746	do.	St. Vincent's Hospital.	60	3	24	175	150	Rarely	10	C. S.	22-35
747	do.	Toledo Hospital.	20	3	24	175	150	No.	9	C. S.	21-30
748	do.	Youngstown Hospital.	35	21	5	150	85	No.	40	H. S.	21
749	Youngstown	Mahoning Valley Hospital	6	3	2	40	40	No.	40	H. S.	21
750	do.	Youngstown Hospital.	6	3	2	40	40	No.	40	H. S.	21
751	Zanesville	Bethesda Hospital.	9	24	16	136	116	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-30
752	Zanesville	Bethesda Hospital.	9	2	1	33	33	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-30
OKLAHOMA.											
753	Gettysburg	Oklahoma Methodist Hospital.	10	3	4	24	15	Yes	9	H. S.	20
754	McAlester	Oil Springs Hospital.	10	3	4	75	35	Yes	9	C. B.	19
755	Marathon	St. Vincent's Hospital.	4	2	12	12	12	Yes	9	C. S.	20
756	Shawnee	Physicians and Surgeons Hospital.	12	2	2	50	15	No.	12	Att. grade.	20
757	Tulsa	Tulsa Hospital.	12	2	2	50	15	No.	12	C. S.	20
758	do.	Tulsa Hospital.	12	2	2	50	15	No.	12	C. S.	20
OREGON.											
759	Portland	Good Samaritan Hospital.	90	24	26	250	250	No.	9	1 year H. S.	20-35
760	do.	St. Vincent's Hospital.	71	3	16	375	375	No.	10	C. S.	20-30
761	do.	Salem Hospital.	12	2	4	50	50	No.	9	H. S.	22
762	The Dalles	The Dalles Hospital.	13	24	4	75	40	Yes	9	C. S.	20-30
PENNSYLVANIA.											
772	Allentown	Allentown Hospital.	31	24	9	100	81	No.	104	H. S.	21-35
773	Aurora	North Pennsylvanian General Hospital.	2	1	1	27	27	Yes	10	C. S.	21
774	Bellevue	Bellevue Hospital.	10	2	2	50	26	Yes	10	H. S.	21
775	Bellevue	Suburban General Hospital.	6	24	2	19	15	No.	10	C. S.	18-30
776	Harrisburg	Joseph Ratti Hospital.	6	2	4	15	15	No.	10	H. S.	18-30
777	Harrisburg	Joseph Ratti Hospital.	6	2	4	15	15	No.	10	H. S.	18-30

Abbreviations used: C. B. - Common school. H. S. - High school.

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Massachusetts—contd.											
77	Bradford General Hospital.	Mrs. May Galley, R. N.	22	3	8	65	48	No.	8-9	C. S.	20-20
78	Bradford Hospital.	Ellis B. Alexander, R. N.	25	3	8	100	68	No.	9	do.	20
79	Bryn Mawr Hospital.	Elizabeth Blaine Schuman.	19	3	3	68	33	No.	9	1 year, H. S.	21-25
80	Butler County General Hospital.	August Palmer.	13	3	6	50	42	Rarely.	8-10	C. S.	18-35
81	Carbondale Emergency Hospital.	Mrs. M. N. Gable.	10	3	1	38	24	No.	12	H. S.	21
82	Chamberlain Hospital.	Mary L. Harper.	26	3	5	125	65	No.	10	do.	21
83	Chamberlain Hospital.	Anna O'Brien.	14	3	3	50	34	Yes.	10	H. S.	19
84	Chamberlain Hospital.	Jessie M. Durstine.	7	3	2	36	20	Yes.	9	1 year, H. S.	19
85	Columbia Hospital.	Lillian F. Wardell, R. N.	12	3	4	90	19	No.	9	do.	19-21
86	Corry Hospital.	Jda R. Falconer.	7	2	1	123	68	Yes.	8-9	H. S.	21-25
87	Don Bois Hospital.	Sister Maria Sowa.	43	3	3	100	61	No.	10	do.	21-35
88	Kasson Hospital.	M. Ella Wickowman.	22	3	4	100	61	No.	10	8th grade.	21-35
89	Hannott Hospital.	Sister M. Anita Farneseau.	22	3	10	100	61	Rarely.	10	H. S.	19-34
90	St. Vincent's Hospital.	J. C. Biddle, M. D.	29	3	9	74	51	No.	12	6th grade.	30-30
91	State Hospital for Injured Persons of the An-	Estelle V. Foot.	15	3	4	100	80	No.	9	do.	20
92	Warwick Regional Hospital.	Clara M. Swank.	23	3	4	103	80	No.	9	H. S.	21-25
93	Westminster Hospital.	Laura J. Allen.	16	2	11	120	23	Yes.	10	8th grade.	19-35
94	Westminster Hospital.	Jessie L. Greene.	32	3	3	125	70	Yes.	10	H. S.	21-35
95	Westminster Hospital.	Mary J. Hays, M. D.	33	3	4	110	60	Yes.	9	do.	21-35
96	Westminster Hospital.	Clara Belle Schmehl, R. N.	20	3	4	110	60	Yes.	9	1 year, H. S.	20-35
97	Westminster Hospital.	M. Agnes Lovell, R. N.	20	3	3	35	18	No.	9	H. S.	15
98	Westminster Hospital.	Elizabeth Hanson.	15	3	1	150	125	No.	9	do.	15
99	Westminster Hospital.	Katherine W. Happersett.	34	3	2	40	39	No.	9	C. S.	18-25
100	Westminster Hospital.	Harriet M. Noble.	10	3	6	40	32	No.	9	do.	20
101	Westminster Hospital.	Lydia A. Phillips.	10	2	1	40	32	No.	9	do.	20
102	Westminster Hospital.	Elizabeth I. Shea.	10	2	1	37	13	No.	9	do.	18-30
103	Westminster Hospital.	Zula Hennelberger.	12	3	3	52	52	No.	9	do.	18-30

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Pennsylvania—cont'd.											
Phoenixville	Phoenixville Hospital.	Agnes C. Shore.	16	2½	7	75	23	No.	10	H. S.	21
Phoenixville	Allegheny General Hospital.	Gertrude Muirhead, R. N.	97	3	26	325	300	No.	9	do.	21
Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh Training School for Nurses of the Homoeopathic Hospital.	Caroline E. Gray, R. N.	62	3	19	150	106	No.	10	8th grade.	21-35
do.	Mary Hospital.	Sister M. Etzelbreida.	94	3	24	610	360	No.	9	1 year H. S.	21
do.	Massanut Hospital.	Sister Margaret.	31	3	9	60	60	No.	9	do.	21-28
do.	Pittsburgh Hospital.	Sister M. Stella.	33	3	10	100	88	No.	10	do.	21-28
do.	Pittsburgh Hospital.	Edith M. Stetson.	36	3	11	100	88	No.	9	do.	21
do.	St. John's Hospital.	Edith Russell, R. N.	60	3	11	535	425	No.	10	2 years H. S.	19
do.	St. John's Hospital.	Veda P. Barrett.	24	3	3	110	70	No.	9	H. S.	20-35
do.	St. Mary's Memorial Hospital.	Caroline E. Sparrow.	17	3	3	80	48	No.	9	C. S.	21-35
do.	South Side Hospital.	Jeanette L. Jones.	32	3	6	200	251	No.	10½	H. S.	21
do.	Western Pennsylvania Hospital.	Jessie J. Turnbull.	78	3	15	260	251	No.	10	2 years H. S.	18-30
Pittston	Pittston Hospital Association.	Marg. M. Cumming.	8	2	3	35	18	Yes.	9	H. S.	21
Pottstown	Pottstown Hospital.	Kath. A. Moyer, R. N.	12	3	4	40	25	Yes.	11	H. S.	21
Pottsville	Pottsville Hospital.	Mrs. E. A. Loomis.	27	3	4	100	40	No.	10	H. S.	21
Pottsville	Adrian Hospital.	Fannie Sanders.	18	3	2	72	72	No.	12	do.	18-30
Pottsville	Homoeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital.	Mrs. L. D. Chamberlain.	18	3	4	75	62	No.	9	do.	21-30
Reading	Reading Hospital.	Huldan Randrup, R. N.	20	3	3	65	77	No.	10	C. S.	18-30
Reading	St. Joseph's Hospital.	Christa Elizabeth Lynde.	15	3	4	135	77	No.	10	C. S.	18-30
Reading	St. George's Hospital.	Mary D. Mitchell.	4	2½	4	40	40	No.	9½	1 year H. S.	21
Reading	St. George's Hospital.	Blanche K. Fleming.	4	2½	4	40	40	No.	9	C. S.	21
Reading	Robert Pecker Hospital.	Mary D. Mitchell.	22	3	4	36	36	Yes.	9	H. S.	21
Reading	Hahemann Hospital of Scranton.	Emma Eschenbach.	23	2	10	90	65	No.	11	do.	21-32
Reading	Moses Taylor Hospital.	Janet Gordon Grant.	22	3	10	75	40	No.	11	do.	21-32
Reading	State Hospital.	Mrs. M. Robertson.	40	3	6	84	61	No.	94	do.	21-35
Reading	Christian H. Buhl Hospital.	Adeline B. Sinsbaugh.	12	3	10	150	120	No.	10	1 year H. S.	20-35
Reading	St. Luke's Hospital.	Marie Schley Brown.	29	3	2	63	65	No.	94	do.	20-35
Reading	Titusville Hospital.	Maude Williams.	4	2	2	25	14	Rarely.	9	1 year H. S.	20
Reading	Uniontown Hospital.	Grace G. Brumbaugh.	18	2½	8	94	90	No.	9	H. S.	20-35
Reading	Warren Emergency Hospital.	Mary A. Hasset.	15	3	4	75	75	Yes.	10	C. S.	20-35
Reading	Washington Hospital.	Elizabeth M. Gaylor.	15	2½	6	60	60	No.	10	do.	19-35

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No.	State	School Name	Institution	Director	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168	169	170	171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190	191	192	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200
257	West Chester	Chester County Hospital		M. E. Worrest	25	3	3	5	100	50	No.	10	H. S.	20																																																																																																																																																																																												
258	Wills-Berre	Wills-Berre City Hospital		Sister Mary Antonia	36	2	15	125	70	70	No.	12	do.	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
259	do	Wills-Berre City Hospital		Caroline Hill, R. N.	37	24	13	158	95	95	Yes	9	do.	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
260	Wilmington	Wilmington Hospital		Helen Madison Ucker	53	3	12	180	85	85	No.	84	C. S.	20																																																																																																																																																																																												
261	Wilmington	Wilmington Hospital		Daisy E. Mason	54	3	13	162	64	64	No.	10	H. S.	20-30																																																																																																																																																																																												
262	York	York Hospital and Dispensary		D. Jeanette Copeland	17	3	5	70	35	35	No.	9	do.	21-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
263	NO INFO.																																																																																																																																																																																																									
264	Penco	St. Luke's Memorial Hospital		Carl Vogel, M. D.	14	3	3	65	35	35	Yes	11	C. S.	22																																																																																																																																																																																												
265	San Juan	Insular School for the Training of Nurses of the Municipal Hospital		Pilar Cabrera	16	2	4	40	40	40	No.	10	8th grade	17-25																																																																																																																																																																																												
266	do	Presbyterian Hospital		M. Louise Besty	13	3	4	45	45	45	No.	10	8th grade	17-25																																																																																																																																																																																												
267	NEW YORK ISLAND																																																																																																																																																																																																									
268	Newport	Newport Hospital		Janet MacLaurin	33	3	10	100	50	50	No.	84	H. S.	21-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
269	Newport	Newport Hospital		William H. Reimer, M. D.	34	2	1	20	20	20	No.	10	C. S.	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
270	Providence	Providence Hospital		Elizabeth F. Wilson, M. D.	14	3	3	35	35	35	No.	10	do.	21																																																																																																																																																																																												
271	do	Rhode Island Hospital		Irene Clark Lord	100	3	45	400	310	310	Yes	12	H. S.	22																																																																																																																																																																																												
272	do	St. Joseph's Hospital		Sister Mary Ovilla	23	3	5	100	63	63	Yes	12	H. S.	22																																																																																																																																																																																												
273	Worcester	Worcester Hospital		Lucy C. Ayres	6	2	3	30	18	18	No.	9	C. S.	21																																																																																																																																																																																												
274	SOUTH CAROLINA																																																																																																																																																																																																									
275	Charleston	Roper Hospital		Rosa A. Isertell	35	2	13	200	150	150	No.	10	H. S.	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
276	do	Hospital and Training School for Nurses		Celestine L. Martin	10	3	4	20	20	20	Yes	10	do.	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
277	do	St. Francis Xavier Infirmary		Sister Mary Bernardine	14	2	2	42	37	37	Yes	8	H. S.	19-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
278	Charleston	Fryer Training School for Nurses of the Magdalen Hospital		Lelia W. Blecker	10	3	2	30	20	20	Yes	8	H. S.	19-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
279	Charleston	Columbia Hospital		Susan Shrive	26	3	9	56	45	45	No.	9	do.	21-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
280	do	Cooper Hospital		A. B. Knowlton, M. D.	17	3	4	26	18	18	Yes	10	C. S.	21																																																																																																																																																																																												
281	do	Wagner Home Hospital		M. A. Evans, M. D.	9	3	3	30	30	30	Yes	9	H. S.	21-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
282	Sumter	Sumner Hospital		Lila M. Davis	14	3	2	35	30	30	Yes	9	H. S.	21-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
283	SOUTH CAROLINA																																																																																																																																																																																																									
284	Aberdeen	St. Luke's Hospital		Sister Mary Dominic	22	3	3	100	100	100	No.	9	do	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
285	do	St. Joseph's Hospital		Sister M. Rose	22	3	7	50	50	50	Yes	9	8th grade	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
286	do	Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital		Sister M. Augusta	20	3	3	52	40	40	Yes	8	do	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
287	Hot Springs	Madison Hospital		Mrs. A. E. Clough	10	2	4	35	15	15	Yes	12	C. S.	18																																																																																																																																																																																												
288	Madison	Madison Hospital		Clara Saveride	15	2	5	35	35	35	Yes	10	do	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
289	Sioux Falls	Sioux Falls Hospital		Winifred Boston	7	2	1	20	20	20	No.	10	do	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
290	Watertown	Watertown Hospital		Sister M. Juliana, R. N.	7	3	4	25	25	25	No.	10	do	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
291	Yankton	Sacred Heart Hospital		Sister M. Juliana, R. N.	7	3	4	25	25	25	No.	10	do	20-35																																																																																																																																																																																												
292	Chattanooga	Berenson Pranger Hospital		Alma M. Weller	20	2	8	100	65	65	No.	10	H. S.	19																																																																																																																																																																																												
293	do	Knoxville General Hospital		Jocia K. Wagner	25	2	3	80	34	34	No.	9	H. S.	20																																																																																																																																																																																												
294	Memphis	Presbyterian Home Hospital		Louise Lord	13	3	13	80	30	30	Yes	12	do	18-30																																																																																																																																																																																												
295	Memphis	Nashville City Hospital		W. M. McCabe, M. D.	13	3	1	110	30	30	Yes	12	do	18-30																																																																																																																																																																																												

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TABLE 3.—Statistics of schools for the training of professional nurses for the school year 1910-11.—Class A—Continued.

Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of nurses.	Students enrolled.	Years in course.	Graduates in 1911.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during training?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Requirements for admission.	
										Education.	Age.
1			4	4	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
TEXAS—Contd.											
Madaville	Walden University Meharry Medical College	G. W. Hubbard	7	3	5	32		Yes	8		20
do	Mercy Hospital	Sister Scholastica	20	3	7	85	70	No		2 years H. S.	
do	St. Thomas' Hospital	Emily Gordon Friend, R. N.	17	2	4	40	30	No	9	H. S.	19
do	Wagon Memorial Hospital	Carmel Saddath	3		2	20					
TEXAS.											
Amarillo	St. Anthony's Sanitarium	Sister Mary Winifred	8	3		100	40	Yes	9	C. S.	18-28
Austin	Austin Sanitarium	Ethleen Royer, R. N.	16	3	2	50	20	Yes	11	H. S.	18
do	Seven Infirmary	Sister Ursula	12	3	3	50		Yes	9	C. S.	18-28
do	St. Paul's Sanitarium	Sister Margaret	30	3	4	130	95	Yes	10	do	21-35
do	Texas Baptist Memorial Sanitarium	Mary Charles Scott, R. N.	45	3	6	150	68	No	10	H. S.	21-36
do	Flood Plan Sanitarium	Sister Elizabeth	28	3	6	150	70	Yes	9	do	21-36
do	St. Joseph's Hospital	Miss M. C. S. S. S. S.	20	3	20	400		Yes	10	do	20-40
do	St. Joseph's Hospital	James Edward Gilcrest, M. D.	33	2	3	30	10	Yes	9	do	21-35
do	John Bealy Hospital	Ethel A. Cisy	32	2	1	150		Yes	9	do	21-35
do	St. Mary's Infirmary	Sister Mary Elizabeth	17	2	6	150	120	No	8	H. S.	19-36
do	Houston Infirmary Sanitarium	Sydney J. Smith, M. D.	12	3	3	100	65	Yes	10	C. S.	19-35
do	St. Joseph's Infirmary	Sister M. Sebastian	25	2	4	200	100	No	11	H. S.	18-36
do	Bayler Hospital	Elizabeth Bayler	10	2	4	50	25	No	9	do	19
do	Physicians and Surgeons' Hospital	Marjorie M. Taylor	18	2	1	50	38	No	8	do	20
do	Santa Rosa Infirmary	Sister M. Robert	24	3	7	250					
do	Saint Vincent's Sanitarium	Sister Vincentia	16	3	4	75	15	No	8	H. S.	22-32
do	Francis Hospital	Beas. A. Campbell, R. N.	8	2	2	14	4	Yes	6	C. S.	19-30
do	Valley View Hospital	Selma E. Lichay	3	2	2						
UTAH.											
Provo	Provo General Hospital	Zina Johnson	4	2	1	20	8	Yes	9	1 year H. S.	18-30
do	Rocky Cross Hospital	Sister M. Hyrlus	24	3	2	150	85	No	12	8th grade	18-35
do	Dr. W. H. Groves' Latter Day Saints Hospital	Charlotte E. Dancy, R. N.	50	3	11	105	80	No	8	do	19
do	St. Mark's Hospital	F. D. Lees	40	3	13	150	100	No	8	H. S.	18-36

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TABLE 3.—Statistics of schools for the training of professional nurses for the school year 1910-11—Class A.—Continued.

Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of nurses.	Students enrolled.	Years in course.	Graduates in 1911.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during year?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Requirements for admission.	
										Education. ¹	Age.
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
WASHINGTON—cont'd.											
385	Seattle	Seattle General Hospital.	55	3	17	110	95	No	9	8th grade	20
386	do	Wayside Emergency Hospital.	8	2	14	50	32	No	8	do	20
387	Spokane	Maria Beard Deaconess Home.	28	3	14	50	55	No	8	do	21
388	do	St. Luke's Hospital.	8	3	4	65	20	No	8	1 year H. S.	20-30
389	do	Spokane General Hospital.	8	3	1	40	20	No	10	H. S.	20
390	South Bend	South Bend General Hospital.	5	3	1	30	8	Yes	10	do	18
391	Tacoma	Fannie C. Parflock Memorial Hospital.	56	2	12	100	80	No	10	H. S.	19
392	do	St. Joseph's Hospital.	28	2	7	80	10	No	10	8th grade	18
393	Walla Walla	St. Mary's Hospital.	15	3	1						
WEST VIRGINIA.											
394	Charleston	Charleston General Hospital.	11	3	4	90	30	Yes	12	C. S.	21
395	Charleston	Kessler Hospital.	15	3	3	70	18	Yes	9	do	18-35
396	do	St. Mary's Hospital.	12	3	3	50	20	Yes	9	C. S.	20
397	Elkins	Davis Memorial Hospital.	24	3	4	55	20	Rarely	9	H. S.	18-25
398	Farmington	Cook Hospital.	8	3	5	84	35	No	10	do	23
399	do	Miners' Hospital.	10	2	5	90	62	No	10	H. S.	21-35
400	Glen Dale	Reynolds Memorial Hospital.	15	2	5	75	25	No	10		21
401	Hanford	Shelburn Arms Hospital.	15	2	3	55	13	No	10	C. S.	18-27
402	Elkton	Hinton Hospital.	27	3	5	75	30	No	10	H. S.	18-20
403	Huntington	Huntington General Hospital.	18	2	1	35	25	No	10		21
404	do	Mount Hope Hospital.	9	3	5	100	13	No	10	C. S.	18-27
405	Keyser	Hoffman Hospital.	9	3	4	25	35	No	8	H. S.	18-20
406	Keyser	St. Joseph's Hospital No. 2.	7	2	5	30	20	No	8	H. S.	18-21
407	Richwood	City Hospital.	10	3	3	50	25	No	9	H. S.	21
408	do	St. Joseph's Hospital.	10	3	3	50	25	No	9	H. S.	21
409	Washington	City Hospital.	24	3	5	60	60				
WISCONSIN.											
410	Peckin	H. P. Strong Emergency Hospital.	6	2	4	17	9	Yes	8	H. S.	20-30
411	Green Bay	Deaconess Sanitarium.	10	3	3	30	30	Yes	10	H. S.	20-28
412	do	St. Mary's Hospital.	14	3	5	35	30	Yes	10	C. S.	22-28

1013	Janesville	Palmer Memorial Mercy Hospital*	11	2	20	28	No.	84	1 year H. S.	20
1014	Kenosha	Kenosha Hospital	15	2	30	30	No.	84	1 year H. S.	20
1015	La Crosse	St. Francis Hospital	23	7	80	80	Rarely.	8	8th grade	20
1016	do.	St. Francis Hospital	10	3	50	50	No.	9	C. S.	21-35
1017	do.	St. Francis Hospital	20	1	60	40	No.	9	C. S.	20-30
1018	Madison	Madison General Hospital	21	2	60	40	No.	12	H. S.	20-30
1019	Milwaukee	Wisconsin Training School for Nurses of the Lakeside Hospital	24	9	36	15	Yes	10	do.	20-35
1020	do.	Milwaukee Hospital	22	3	86	50	No.	10	do.	20-35
1021	do.	Milwaukee Hospital	40	24	125	110	No.	9-10	8th grade	20-30
1022	do.	St. Joseph's Hospital	40	12	200	100	No.	10	do.	22-30
1023	do.	St. Mary's Hospital	3	2	80	80	Rarely	9	do.	20-35
1024	Racine	Trinity Hospital	12	1	38	38	Yes	10	do.	20-30
1025	do.	Trinity Hospital	12	1	38	38	Yes	10	do.	20-30
1026	Wauwatosa	Alice Horlick Memorial Hospital	34	2	250	200	No.	9	C. S.	21
		Milwaukee County Hospital								
WISCONSIN.										
1027	Cheyenne	St. John's Hospital	15	2	75	33	No.	104	H. S.	20-30
1028	Rock Springs	Wyoming General Hospital	13	4	75	50	Yes	84	do.	20
1029	Sheridan	Sheridan General Hospital	12	6	60	30	Yes	10	do.	21

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TABLE 4.—Hospitals and schools offering postgraduate or special courses.

Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of courses.	Students enrolled.	Months in course.	Graduates in 1911.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during training?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Entrance requirements.	
										Education.	Age.
CALIFORNIA.											
1. San Francisco.	San Francisco Maternity Hospital.	E. G. Harrison, M. D.	4	8	4	13	No.	No.	10	11	21-41
2. WASHINGTON.	Florence Crittenton Training School for Nurses.	Margaret L. White.	12	7	9	8					
3. CHICAGO.	Chicago Lying-in Hospital and Dispensary Post-Graduate School.	Mrs. Emma E. Koch.	8	3	15	15	No.	No.	10		
4. BOSTON.	Boston Floating Hospital Postgraduate School.	Sarah A. Egan.	52	1	44	240	167	No.	9		
5. BOSTON.	Infants Hospital Postgraduate School.	Margaret Farquhar.	6	4	14	60	40	No.	9-9		
6. BOSTON.	Free Hospital for Women Postgraduate School.	Hannah Jane Ewin.	15	4	14	60	40	No.	9-9		
7. ST. LOUIS.	St. Louis Children's Hospital.	Ruth Riley.	15	8	104	104	18				
8. ST. LOUIS.	St. Louis Maternity Hospital.	Mrs. O. Boyer.	12	2	80	80					
9. BROOKLYN.	St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies.	Jane Emily O'Daly.	34	6	41	100	56	No.	9-10		
10. NEW YORK CITY.	General Memorial Hospital Postgraduate School.	Helen Knight Smith, B. A., R. N.	25	6	100	100					
11. NEW YORK CITY.	Hospital for Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria Patients.	May E. Kennedy, Principal.	8	2.3	40	40	No.	No.	9		
12. NEW YORK CITY.	New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.	Elizabeth G. Whitman.	43	3	176	130	No.	No.	11		
13. NEW YORK CITY.	New York State Medical School and Hospital Postgraduate School.	Agnes D. Carson, R. N.	32	9	96	96	No.	No.	11		
14. SIOUX FALLS.	Siofax Hospital for Women.	Mary F. Hutchinson.	52	3	135	110	No.	No.	9		
15. NEW YORK CITY.	Society of Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York.	Mary J. Busfield.	35	3	186	157	No.	No.	12		

No.	State	Name of School	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students
16	OHIO.	Mt. Vernon.....	C. Elizabeth Allen.....	4	3	96	63			
PENNSYLVANIA.										
17	Philadelphia.....	Jewish Maternity Association Postgraduate School*	Reese Rubin, M. D.	10	2.3	22	16			
18	do.	Maternity Hospital.....	Mary D. Roche.....	6	3	22	40	No.	9	21
19	do.	Pennsylvania Orthopedic Institute and School of Mechanical Therapy.....	Max J. Walter.....	73	3	51			6-8	C. S.
20	do.	Pisbon Retreat Lying-in Hospital *	Margaret A. Thomas.....	60	2	50				
21	Pittsburgh.....	Elizabeth Street Lying-in Hospital.....	Frances A. Stone.....	7	3.6	39	46	No.	8	
22	do.	Reinman Maternity Hospital.....	Charles Edward Ziegler.....	20	3.6	19	34			
RHODE ISLAND.										
23	Providence.....	Providence Lying-in Hospital.....	Alida Young.....	16	4	50	30	No.	10	

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TABLE 5.—Statistics of schools for the training of professional nurses, for the school year 1910-11—Class B.

[Class B includes schools connected with hospitals for the treatment of nervous and mental diseases, insane, etc.]

Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of nurses.	Students enrolled.	Years in course.	Graduates in 1911.	(Capacity) (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during training?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Requirements for admission.	
										Education.	Age.
1			4		6	7	8	9	10	11	12
ALABAMA.											
1	Truce Hospital.	J. T. Seay, M. D.	31	2	12	1,500	1,510	Rarely.	8-10	C. S.	17
CONNECTICUT.											
2	Middletown.	Anna E. Shepherd.	21	2	8	2,500		No.	104	C. S.	18
3	Norwich.	Thomas F. Erdman, M. D.	16	2	6	850		Yes.	104-114	C. S.	18
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.											
4	Washington.	Josephine M. Stransky, M. D.	47	2	18	2,978	2,887	No.	19	C. S.	18
ILLINOIS.											
5	Ana.	May Kennedy, R. N.	60	3	5	1,500	2,308	No.	12	C. S.	20
6	Duquoin.	Charles Eberlein, M. D.	102	3	13	1,500	1,665	No.	10	C. S.	
7	Jacksonville.	Gerrude E. Craig, R. N.	75	3	4	1,570	1,480	No.	12	C. S.	
8	Kankakee.	Sadie Barnes.	75	3	10	1,400	1,800	No.	10	C. S.	18-21
9	Peoria.	George A. Zeller.	100	3	6	2,100	2,100	No.	8	C. S.	18
IOWA.											
10	Cherokee.	M. N. Voldeng, M. D.	3	3	4	1,500	1,062	No.	13	1 year H. S.	18
11	Clarinda.	Max E. Witte.	19	3	3	75	47	Yes.	10	C. S.	18
12	Glenwood.	George Mogridge, M. D.	8	3	3	75	47	Yes.	10	C. S.	18
13	Independence.	W. P. Crumbaugh, M. D.	94	2, 3	31	1,235	1,171	No.	13	H. S.	20-22
14	Mt. Pleasant.	C. F. Applegate, M. D.	20	2	10	1,200	1,060	No.	-12	C. S.	20

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No.	State	School	Principal	Faculty	Students	Year	Accred.	Grads	Notes
15	KANSAS	Ossawatimie State Hospital.	L. L. Uhlir	2	3	1,300	C. S.	12	18
16		Topeka State Hospital.	T. C. Bidde	2	5	1,380	C. S.	12	
17	KENTUCKY	Western Kentucky Asylum.	H. P. Sights	3	3	1,200	C. S.	12	18-35
18	MAINE	Maine Insane Hospital.	Jennie M. Smith, R. N.	2	6	900	C. S.	9	18-25
19		Bangor Insane Hospital.	Mrs. Mary E. Hickey	2	7	600	C. S.	12	21
20	MASSACHUSETTS	Sheppard and Knott Pratt Hospital.	Cora R. McCaleb	2	10	150	H. S.	10	21
21		Springfield State Hospital.	J. Clement Clark, M. D.	2	5	1,040	C. S.	12	20
22	MASSACHUSETTS	Danvers State Hospital.	Eunice A. Frick	2	7	1,500	C. S.	10	21
23		Medford State Hospital.	Edward French, M. D.	2	8	1,750	C. S.	12	21
24		Moulton State Hospital.	Everett Flood	3	11	900	C. S.	9	21
25		Newbury State Hospital.	Robert G. Cameron, R. N.	3	8	1,000	C. S.	12	18
26		Taunton State Hospital.	Ruth G. Cameron, R. N.	3	8	1,000	C. S.	12	18
27		Tewksbury State Hospital.	Laura E. Woodman, R. N.	3	21	2,400	C. S.	9	21-30
28		Wareley McLean Hospital.	Laura E. Woodman	2	37	225	H. S.	12	20-35
29		Westborough Westborough Hospital.	Lotie Haines Miller	2	26	1,000	C. S.	10	20
30		Worcester Worcester Hospital.	A. M. Quimby, M. D.	2	12	1,400	C. S.	10	20
31		MICHIGAN	Michigan Asylum.	Theresa G. Leach	2	30	1,050	H. S.	8	21-30
32	Newberry State Hospital.		Helen Cairns Sinclair, R. N.	2	24	825	1 year H. S.	9	19
33	Eastern Michigan Asylum.		E. A. Christian, M. D.	2	4	1,435	C. S.	14	20-22
34	MINNESOTA	Fergus Falls State Hospital.	George O. Welch	3	6	1,635	C. S.	10	18-35
35		Rochester State Hospital.	R. M. Phelps	3	18	1,100	C. S.	12	20
36		St. Peter St. Peter State Hospital.	H. A. Tomlinson	3	18	1,075	C. S.	12	18-27
37	NEBRASKA	Lincoln Lincoln State Hospital.	Lillian B. Stiff, R. N.	3	700	C. S.	14	18-35	
38		Norfolk Norfolk State Hospital.	Andrew Johnson, M. D.	2	6	342	C. S.	10-12	21-35
39	NEW HAMPSHIRE	New Hampshire State Hospital.	Eta M. Hagley	3	15	1,114	C. S.	15	21-35

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Location.	Name of school or hospital with which it is connected.	Superintendent of nurses.	Students enrolled.	Years in course.	Graduates in 1911.	Capacity (beds).	Average daily number of patients.	Are students sent into families during training?	Daily number of hours on duty.	Requirements for admission.	
										Education. ¹	Age.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
NEW JERSEY.											
40	Essex County Hospital for the Insane, Cedar Grove.	Guy Payne, M. D.	50	2	12	1,500	1,350	Yes	13		21
41	New Jersey State Hospital, Trenton.	B. D. Evans, M. D.	63	2	12	2,250	2,206	Rarely	16	C. S.	21
42	New Jersey State Insane Hospital, Vineland.	Eivins R. Bailey, R. N.	21	2	11	1,425		No.	10		20-36
43	New Jersey Training School.		3	3		40					
NEW YORK.											
44	Binghamton State Hospital.	Charles G. Wagner, M. D.	23	2	8	2,252	2,303	Rarely	11 ¹	1 year H. S.	20
45	Long Island State Hospital.	Helen Crane, M. D.	28	2	6	1,798	1,741	No.	10	1 year H. S.	21
46	Buffalo State Hospital.	Arthur W. Hurst, M. D.	38	2	19	1,960	1,953	Rarely	11	C. S.	18
47	Central Islip State Hospital.	George A. Smith, M. D.	47	2	14	4,200		No.	10 ¹	H. S.	21-35
48	Gowanda State Homoeopathic Hospital.	Daniel H. Arthur, M. D.	36	2	11	1,100	1,072	Rarely	11		18
49	Kings Park State Hospital.	William Austin Macy, M. D.	24	2	13	3,464	3,226	No.	12	1 year H. S.	18
50	Middlesex State Homoeopathic Hospital.	Maurice C. Ashley, M. D.	36	2	14	2,020	2,000	No.	12	1 year H. S.	19
51	New York City State Homoeopathic Hospital.	Ella B. Kurtz, R. N.	35	2	15	4,690	4,468	No.	12 ¹	8th grade.	19
52	Orleansburg State Hospital.	Josephine A. Callahan.	43	2	7	3,000	2,924	No.	11	C. S.	18
53	Hudson River State Hospital.	Charles W. Purinton, M. D.	27	2	12	1,434	1,400	No.	11		18
54	Peoughkeepsie State Hospital.	Mary Elizabeth Bell, R. N.	48	2	16	1,434	1,400	No.	12 ¹		18
55	Rochester State Hospital.	Bessie B. Tibbitts, R. N.	29	2	24	2,432	2,368	No.	10		18-35
56	Ulrica State Hospital.	R. M. Elliott, M. D.	27	2	11	2,432	2,368	No.	10		18-35
57	Willard State Hospital.		27	2	11	2,432	2,368	No.	10		18-35
OHIO.											
58	Cleveland State Hospital.	Charles H. Clark, M. D.	45	2	13	1,565	1,598	No.	12	C. S.	21
59	Columbus State Hospital.	Oral G. Perkins.	26	2	17	1,730	1,723	No.	13	C. S.	21
60	Mansfield State Hospital.	Mary Weiss.	60	3	16	1,650	1,600	No.	10 ¹	C. S.	21-45

No.	City	Name	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students	Faculty	Students
60	PENNSYLVANIA	Danville	H. B. Meredith, M. D.	21	140	10	C. S.	20	30			
61		Dixmont	Miss B. M. Cornwall	2	1,350	104	C. S.	20	55			
62		Norristown	W. W. Richardson, M. D.	8	1,400	12, 14		20	30			
63		do	Elizabeth C. Spencer, M. D.	9	200	8		20	35			
64		Philadelphia	Eva Rawlings, M. D.	12	1,580	8	C. S.	20	35			
65		Pok...	J. M. Murdock	10	1,400	11	C. S.	20	35			
66		Warren	W. W. Hawke, M. D.	5	1,400	11	C. S.	20	35			
	RHODE ISLAND											
67		Providence	R. Helen Cleland	15	200							
	SOUTH CAROLINA											
68		Columbia	Fanny Irwin	7	1,575							
	VERMONT											
69		Waterbury	Josephine E. Case	5	595							
	VIRGINIA											
70		Staunton	J. S. de Jarnette, M. D.	3	1,182	14	C. S.	19				

* Abbreviations used: C. S. - Common school. H. S. - High school.

* Statistics of 1910.