

were in practice when the present system of nursing was first introduced into our hospitals know that even many medical men were decidedly opposed to it. It would be difficult to meet with an hospital physician at the present time who would recommend a return to the old system of nursing.

The Victorian Order of Nurses is founded on the system of district nursing in England and Scotland, instituted some ten years ago, and which has proved to be an eminently practical and successful method of enabling all members of a community to avail themselves of the services of good nurses when sickness enters their homes.

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