

BY-LAWS FOR NURSES.

The Nurses in the daily discharge of their duties must observe the strictest secrecy, and carefully avoid "gossip," their demeanour should be kind and respectful on all occasions, and when on duty at private houses, they are expected, in addition to taking the complete charge of their patients, to avoid giving unnecessary trouble, to wait upon themselves, and pay the closest attention to the preparation of aliments for the sick as well as to cheerfully assist in many matters not strictly within the limits of their duty,—to faithfully carry out the physician's directions, and in the event of emergencies to report any instance when the execution of his orders have been exceeded or omitted. To evince no bias to any favorite medical practitioner. To attend scrupulously to the special duties to the patient with the gentleness and exactitude taught by their superiors, and never to interfere with or criticise the treatment.

2. The routine taught at the Hospital, must be observed as far as possible in the management of cases when it does not directly clash with the orders of the practitioner in attendance.

3. Obedience to those in authority over them, under all circumstances, will be exacted, and any appeal from that authority must be made to the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society in writing, and will not be entertained unless deserving careful investigation and grave consideration.

4. The rules for the internal management of the Home, and Hospital, must be observed strictly.

5. All presents received must be reported to the Head Nurse. The Manager shall have the power to order them to be returned, if not considered right.

6. The duties of both day and night nurses at the hospital are a little more onerous than at ordinary hospitals, inasmuch as certain household offices are to be performed as well as