

ST. JOHN TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

IN CONNECTION WITH GENERAL PUBLIC HOSPITAL.

The Government of the School to be the same as that of the Hospital; the nurses being in the Hospital service, and to receive six dollars per month first year, and eight dollars second year. This is not to be considered *wages*, their instruction being considered as a full equivalent for their services.

Application for positions as pupils to be made to the Resident Physician of the Hospital on the prescribed forms.

Applicants, after approval by the Resident Physician and the Directors of the School, will be received for one month on trial. During this month they are boarded and lodged at the Hospital, but will receive no compensation in money. They will be under the authority of the Resident Physician and Directors, and subject to the Rules of the Hospital.

Their fitness for the work, and the propriety of retaining or dismissing them at the end of the month of trial, will be determined by the Directors on the recommendation of the Resident Physician; and the same authority may discharge them at any time for misconduct or inefficiency.

The most desirable age for candidates is from twenty to thirty years.

All Nurses before entering Training School must present a Seventh Grade School Certificate, or an equivalent, or else pass an Examination set by the Board of Examiners.

When a pupil shall have completed the full term of two years and passed a satisfactory examination, she will receive a *Diploma*, certifying to her period of training, her proficiency and good character.

Said Diploma will be signed by the President, the Resident Physician, the Matron, and the Examiners to be appointed by the Directors, and countersigned by the Secretary of the Commission, who will keep a record of all such Diplomas in a book for the purpose.