

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Remember the Bazaar.

December 10th, afternoon and evening.

BEGINNING to get busy again in hospital.

LAST months' "wants" contained a request for a piano stool, and we got two.

THERE seems to be a misunderstanding about the nature and uses of the Nurses' Home fund. It is entirely apart from the hospital finances and is used solely for payment on and fitting up the property purchased for the Home.

SEND in your subscription for this fund and help us to cut down our interest bill before the new year begins, or, anyway, help us to pay this quarterly drain on our resources.

NOW that we have succeeded in getting for our nurses instruction in invalid cookery, it would be a useful and necessary adjunct to our facilities if we had a diet kitchen. One could easily be constructed at comparatively small cost on the roof of the main building. Would any of our friends like to provide the means for thus adding to the hospital's efficiency?

IN THE RECORD of August, 1896, appears the following two paragraphs: "The private wards are at the disposal of any reputable physician whether belonging to the hospital staff or not." "It may not be generally understood that the private rooms and operating room are open to physicians of any and all schools. Patients may occupy private rooms and be attended to by their own physician, to suit his and their convenience." This policy of our hospital is the same to-day as it was eight years ago.

THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the Committee of Management was held on October 24th, with a fair attendance. After reading of minutes of previous meeting, progress was re-

ported in the matter of the Callow legacy, and the hope expressed that definite statements would be forthcoming for the next meeting. The various reports were presented and approved. The Lady Superintendent's report showed an increase in the hospital's work and a satisfactory state of affairs in the domestic departments. Mention was made of the failure to obtain instruction in massage for the nurses, for the present at least. Suggestions were offered relating to the establishment of a diet kitchen, but financial reasons prevented any action being taken. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned. Next meeting will be held on Monday, Nov 28th.

THE inauguration of the canvassing for subscriptions has proved the wisdom of the move by bringing our institution to the notice of many people in all walks of life who knew little or nothing of our existence and work. It is to be hoped that we may by this means awaken an interest in homeopathy and our hospital which will enable us to take our proper place among the great charitable institutions of our city, and fulfil the hopes and desires of the founders and all our friends. For a beginning on this line we have done well, and trust that in time we will have a permanent income from this source great enough to permit us to devote our energies and facilities to the alleviation of suffering among the indigent, to our fullest capacity. With this end in view we trust our friends will see that our subscription lists of the future will be as great as those of the past have been small.

HOSPITAL WANTS.

Apples, raw or cooked.
In barrels or jars.
A fire-proof safe.
Furniture for the two new rooms.
Your help for the annual bazaar.
Tea, sugar, flour, eggs, butter, etc.
Soap, starch, soda, chipped soap.
A new mangle, not an experiment.
Kitchen utensils, crockery, china, glass.
A share of your next Saturday's market basket.
Your name on our subscription list.
Your subscription to the RECORD.
Summed up, first, last, and all the rest of the MONEY.