

NURSE REVEL'S MISTAKE

CHAPTER I.

A SUMMONS.

IN a third-class compartment of the Liverpool express, a young woman, in the long cloak and flowing veil of a nurse, was reading a telegram with a puzzled expression.

It was addressed to "Matron, Nurses' Home, Francis Street, Francis Square, London," and the message was as follows :

"Please send experienced nurse at once Edinburgh and South Western Hotel, Dime Street, Liverpool. Case of brain fever."

There was no name given, and the nurse sat considering this omission.

"It will be odd to ask for 'The Person who has got brain fever,' without knowing whether it's man, woman, or child," she thought to herself. "However, I suppose it will be pretty easy to find him—or her, as it's not likely there will be people with brain fever on every floor. It's almost sure to be a man too, so I