

Miss Tilly Croft, trained at the Dunedin Hospital, has been appointed Matron of the Waimarino Hospital, Raetihi.

Miss Mildred Glynes, trained at Wel-A.N.S., who was for some time nursing lington Hospital, and on reserve N.Z. in Durban, has been appointed Sub-Matron at Hawera Hospital.

Sister Myrtle Williams, trained at Christchurch Hospital, is on the staff of the Hawera Hospital, as sister-in-charge of the children's ward.

Staff Nurse Minnie Kine has resigned from the staff of the Hawera Hospital, where she was trained, and is taking a holiday prior to entering for her mid-wifery training.

Miss H. B. Hogwood, who was attached to the Palmerston North Hospital staff as theatre sister, resigned her position in order to complete her Plunket training in Dunedin, which she had to abandon last year through contracting pneumonia. She is one of the successful candidates in the December examination.

Sister Isabella Picken, trained at Gisborne Hospital and at Townley St. Helens Hospital, and who has been on the staff of St. Helens, Wellington, has now gone as Sub-Matron to Invercargill St. Helens.

Nurse W. E. Manning, trained at Napier, has been appointed to the staff of Queen Mary Hospital, Hanmer, to take up her duties after Easter.

An appointment recently made by the Forestry Department is of interest. Nurse Rathbone, a sister on the staff of the Masterton Hospital, has been appointed to act as nurse to the employees of the Department engaged in tree planting and nursery work near Rotorua. Nurse Rathbone is to live at the camp and be responsible for the sanitation of the camp, and generally attend to the health of the men and their families.

Sister Withell has been transferred to the Reserve on account of her approaching marriage.

Sister Jean Erwin has been transferred to the Active List.

Sister Lambie has been sent by the Health Department to New Plymouth and the Taranaki District for special record.

Personals

Miss France left Wellington in the Moeraki, on March 21st, for Melbourne, where she is making her home with old friends. Miss France was trained at Wellington Hospital, and during the war took up nursing again as sister-in-charge of the Home for Chronic Men.

News from Miss Rose Macdonald, Matron of Napier Hospital, is to hand from India, where she is visiting a sister at Lakhique. She is much improved in health by her holiday and much enjoying it. She was to leave Calcutta for Penang on 11th March to stay with another sister in the Malay States. At the end of April she leaves Singapore for Sydney, to be back in New Zealand in June.

Sister Louise Brandon has been spending a holiday in Auckland.

Miss Fanny Wilson, R.R.C., Deputy Matron-in-Chief, has been in Auckland on annual leave.

Sister Ruth Gilmer writes from New South Wales. She had spent Christmas in Sydney, and had a happy time. Sydney was gay and crowded with happy people all on pleasure bent. Sister found Sydney very wonderful and beautiful with its lovely homes coming down to the water's edge. She was staying in the country with her sister, Mrs. Baird, and intended going to Melbourne and back to Sydney. She had been to Katoomba and the Jenolan Caves.

News from Miss Jessie Ewart, from Panama, says she is much enjoying the voyage.

Sister Goldsmith spent a delightful holiday fishing, motoring, bathing and picnicking with friends at Taupo.

Many of the returned Army sisters will be interested to hear the following news of nurses they met at No. 27 General Hospital, Cairo:—

Miss McLean, Q.A.T.M.N.S., has resigned her position as Matron of the