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Editorial.

THE GLASGOW EDUCATION IN NURSING.

WE are indebted to the courtesy of Mrs. STRONG, the Matron of the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow, for a copy of the educational prospectus of that institution, which appears, in another column, of this journal, to-day. For two very excellent reasons, we feel constrained to put aside other important matters which are demanding our consideration, and to call the careful attention of our readers to this document.

It may be remembered that, in September and October, 1891, a revolution occurred amongst the Nurses and Probationers of the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow. They had borne their many trials patiently, until they became at last unbearable, and then they appealed to the public. They stated, and proved, that they were often on duty for sixteen hours a day, and were liable to be—and, indeed, frequently were—also roused out of bed in the night to take extra, or special duty; that their food was meagre in quantity, indifferent in quality, badly served, and worse cooked; that the sanitary arrangements for their comfort were almost incredibly bad; that they had very laborious manual work to perform, which, in other institutions, is carried out by

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