





WHY NOT A LITTLE MORE FREEDOME IN DESIGN

Illustration from First World War nurse, Jessie Akehurst's Service Scrapbook, 1916 (RCN Library & Archive Service).





Illustration from advertisement for Pond's vanishing and cold creams in *The College of Nursing Bulletin*, March 1926 (RCN Library & Archive Service).





Officially appointed by the General Nursing Councils for England, Wales and Scotland to make the State Registered Uniform.

Prices for State Registered Nurses' Uniform:

WaterproofedGabardineGreat Coat ... from £4 12 6 Waterproofed Gabardine Coat and Skirt from £5 5 0 Waterproofed Gabardine Coat Frock (with silk lined Cape)... from £5 10 0 Waterproofed Storm Cap from 10/6 West of England Serge Great Coat ... from £4 10 6 West of England Storm Cap from 9:6 Regulation Jap Silk Shirt from ... £1 1 0 Regulation Jap Silk Ties 3 3 Cotton Morning Dresses in various colours, 28 to 30 inch waist 17.11

Nurses' Outfitting Department Second Floor.



Advertisement for state registered nurses' uniforms in *The College of Nursing Bulletin*, March 1926 (RCN Library & Archive Service).





Photograph of two nurses having tea, about 1910 (RCN Library & Archive Service, BM/18/2).





Postcard image of a nurse in a red cross armband. The card may date from the First World War (RCN Library & Archive Service, BM/18/27).