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STUDENTS OF NURSING FROM 15 COUNTRIES

Students from 15 countries who had successfully completed the courses under the Florence Nightingale International Foundation, in connexion with the College of Nursing, were presented with their certificates last week at Bedford College. Four came from Britain, five from the British Empire—one each from Canada, South Africa, and Australia, and two from India; two from the United States, and one from China, while Europe was represented by students from Poland, Finland, Denmark, Sweden, Latvia, Norway, the Netherlands, and Turkey. The course, which has been running for 20 years, was founded primarily to prepare people for public health work, and varied to suit the needs of those who were to engage in nursing administration in hospitals and centres of nursing. There was added later a section for those whose special interest was in social work connected with hospitals. Last year an alternative course was provided for those concerned with problems of nursing education.