made for approval as a Grade "A" Training-school, if in the opinion of the Board such hospital is not eligible for approval as a Grade "A" Training-school for nurses but satisfactory partial training is available there, and the Board shall from time to time approve the period of training which may be given in each such Grade "B" hospital and shall advise the governing body accordingly.

- (6) No hospital shall be approved by the Board as a Grade " B " Training-school unless—  $\,$ 
  - (a) The Matron is a nurse and midwife or a nurse and maternity nurse registered under the said Act and approved by the Board;
  - (b) There can be given at the hospital such portion of the course of instruction hereinafter referred to as the Board thinks necessary; and
  - (c) The other requirements in regard to the training of nurses hereinafter set out can be complied with so far as the Board thinks necessary.
- (7) If at any time, in respect of a Grade "A" Training-school or a Grade "B" Training-school, either—
  - (a) The Matron, if holding that office in that training-school on the 1st day of July, 1933, is not a nurse registered under the said Act, or if appointed to that office after the 1st day of July, 1933, is not a nurse and midwife or a nurse and maternity nurse registered under the said Act; or

(b) The Board has in its discretion resolved that its approval of the Matron be revoked; or

(c) In the opinion of the Board the course of instruction referred to in these regulations (or, in the case of a Grade "B" Training-school, such portion of the said course of instruction as the Board at any time thinks necessary) is not being given; or

(d) In the opinion of the Board the other requirements in regard to the training of nurses set out in these regulations are not adequately complied with (or, in the case of a Grade "B" Training-school, are not complied with so far as the Board at any time thinks necessary); or

(e) The training of nurses is not conducted in all respects to the satisfaction of the Board;

then, and in any such case, the Board may, after giving to the governing body of such hospital not less than three months' notice of its intention so to do, revoke its approval of such hospital as a training-school for nurses:

Provided that upon the revocation of its approval of a hospital as a Grade "A" Training-school the Board may, if it thinks fit, approve that hospital as a Grade "B" Training-school if such hospital is eligible for such approval under the foregoing provisions.

## 3. Period of Training for Nurses.

- (1) The period of not less than three years' approved training as a nurse required to be undergone by every person seeking to be registered as a nurse under Part II of the said Act shall be one of the periods prescribed by this regulation.
- (2) No person shall be accepted for training as a nurse, or shall be deemed to have commenced a period of training, until such person has—
  - (a) Served in a Grade "A" Training-school or a Grade "B" Training - school a period of probation of at least three months; and
  - (b) At the end of that period been recommended as a person suitable for training by the Matron of the hospital where such period was served to the governing body of the hospital at which such person proposes to be trained as a nurse.
  - (3) The period of training for nurses shall be either—
  - (a) A period of not less than three years in a Grade "A" Training-school; or
  - (b) Such period in a Grade "B" Training-school together with such period in a Grade "A" Training-school as the Board may have determined:

Provided that in no case shall the total period of training required be less than three years or more than five years.