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It gives me very great pleasure to testify to the very high opinion I have formed of Nurse Leavesly, our late matron and nurse at the Bournemouth Cottage Hospital and Dispensary – she has shown all the necessary qualifications of a well skilled nurse, capable in every way, and having her under my observation for nearly three years – I can confidently recommend

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To any Institution or to anyone requiring her services – she is most kind, painstaking and unselfish [del: and] It was with [?] {del: ?] regret I learnt she was not moving with us to the larger Hospital

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