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SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNI* ASSOCIATION

Since its founding in 1895, the Jefferson Nurses' Alumni* Association has been active professionally and socially. It has encouraged and promoted enduring bonds of loyalty and devotion to the School among all members of its family—students, graduates, faculty, and friends. There are well over 3,000 members of the Association at the present time in the

Active, Associate, Life, and Honorary categories.

In addition to funding sick benefits for ill members and student and graduate scholar-ships, the Alumni Association has awarded two prizes to senior students at Commencement exercises (please refer to listing elsewhere in the Appendices), and since 1976-1977, a prize to the junior student with the highest cumulative average. Yearly social events include an Alumni Luncheon and Reunion held each May, a Dinner and Auction Sale held each March, and a Christmas Party each December. An Alumni Bulletin is published each fall with news of alumni activities.

The Association's loyalty and dedication to the institution as well as the School are evidenced by the following contributions:

1952-\$ 5,000.00 to the Hospital Building Fund (Foerderer Pavilion)

1957 – 25,000.00 to the Building Fund for the James Martin Student Nurses' Residence 1968 – 25,000.00 to the Building Fund for Jefferson Alumni Hall and the Scott Library

1973 – 100,000.00 pledged to the Sesquicentennial Campaign. This pledge was completed in 1978

1976 - 1,000.00 to the Peter A. Herbut Memorial Fund

Following is a listing of presidents of the Association from its inception 87 years ago: 1895-1905 - Susan C. Hearle 1938-1939 - Marian McCormack 1905-1907 - Ann E. Laughlin 1940-1941 - Berenice Freudenberger 1908-1909 - Ella B. King and Katherine Patterson 1941-1942 - Dorothea B. Watson 1909-1913 - Maude Clippinger 1943-1947 - Martha E. Riland 1913-1914 - Mary Prime 1948-1950 - Dorothy Ranck 1914-1916 - Anna Conran 1951-1952 - Dorothy Edgar 1916-1918 - Emma Pie 1952-1954 - Anna Kuba 1918-1919 - Edna B. Jackson, Helen Bateman, 1955-1956 - Dorothy Edgar Lvdia Black 1957-1958 - Marion Ramp 1920-1922 - Emma Pie 1959-1961 - Vivian Moyer 1922-1923 - Lydia Black 1962-1963 - Perma E. Davis 1923-1925 - Ella M. Shoemaker 1964-1965 - Mary A. Stauffer 1925-1927 - Marian G. McCormack 1966-1967 - Margaret Cossman 1927-1929 - Elizabeth H. Frowert 1968-1970 - Katherine F. Saunders 1929-1931 - Emma Pie 1971-1972 - Florence Roche 1932-1933 - Marguerite G. Barnett 1972-1978 - Margaret Summers 1933-1934 - Edna Scott 1979-1982 - Perma E. Davis 1934-1937 - Helene Weber

^{*} From 1895 until 1976, when the first male student graduated from the School of Nursing, the Association used the feminine suffix *ae* after "Alumn" in its name. The new co-ed character of the School prompted the change to the more comprehensive "Alumni" form.