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Nurses' Alumnae Association Bulletin

School of Nursing of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital

Volume 6 April, 1949 Number 10
DEAR ALUMNAE MEMBERS EVERYWHERE:

The annual Bulletin affords me an opportunity of sending personal greetings to each and every alumnae member. To the members, the Bulletin serves as an intercommunication system between the nurses and their colleagues, and between the nurses and their Alma Mater.

Jefferson continues to advance in rapid strides. You will be interested to read about some of this progress and growth in the following articles in your Bulletin:

Orthopedics—Dr. Martin
Pediatrics—Dr. Bauer

As you read on there will be interesting articles from the specific hospital departments, i.e., the Nursing School, the Anesthesia Department, the Tuberculosis Unit—Barton Memorial and White Haven. The Private Duty Nurses are actively organized as are the staff nurses. The growth of these organized sections may be measured not only by the increase in number in each group, but also by the active participation of both groups in the professional associations.

The Alumnae Association has had continued activity this past year. The meetings have been well supported. The report of the monthly meetings will tend to give to those of you, unable to attend the meetings, a real sense of participation in the activities of these meetings.

The student body, which totals 217, has been actively engaged this past year. The Basketball team is outstanding. Besides being excellent players, the members of the team are lovely to look at in their black and blue suits which the Alumnae Association purchased.

As you read on in your Bulletin you will be interested in Mr. Rake's description of the changes in the physical set-up of your Alma Mater. Mr. Rake is our Director of Development.

We are all interested in the financial growth of our association. You will note that the Relief Fund and the Scholarship Fund are being increased rapidly by the untiring efforts of all the committees of the Association.

Last, but not least, the Bulletin Committee has tried to reacquaint you with your classmates and colleagues.

I wish to thank the officers, committee members and each and every Alumnae member for their active support during the past year.

The Alumnae is the basic unit of organized nursing in the United States. We need to keep our organization based on a firm foundation to help meet the demands placed upon our profession.

DOROTHY RANCK, President.
FINANCIAL REPORT
December 31, 1948

Dues Received 1948 $ 3,493.50
Relief Fund 1,023.24
Scholarship Fund 303.74
Donation to Relief Fund 115.50
Relief Fund 25,673.00
Scholarship Fund 11,000.00

(Memorial to Clara Melville, '10)
Sick Benefits paid in 1948 434.50
116 new members in 1948

Treasurer's Report
February 18, 1949

Cash on hand $ 2,393.06
General Fund 449.38
Relief Fund 209.62
Scholarship Fund 170.00

$ 3,050.46

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Dinner for Graduating Class—April 26, 1949.
Hotel Warburton, 7 P. M., Ivy Room.
Alumni Meetings—7 to 7:30 P. M., April 15, 1949; 7 to 8:30 P. M., May 20, 1949.
Private Duty Section Meeting—April 15, 1949—7 P. M.; May 20, 1949—7 P. M.
Institutional Staff Meeting—District No. 1, May 12, 1949, Room 1007.
Parcel Post Sale—May 20, 1949, at the Alumnae Meeting in the Nurses' Home.
38th General Hospital Nurses' Reunion—June 25, 1949, 6:30 P. M., at Kugler's.

ATTENTION, CLASS OF 1945!!

There were two graduations during 1945, one in the spring of the year and one in the fall. Please specify your class when you make your luncheon reservations this year, in order that you may sit with your classmates.

CLASS OF 1924—This is your Silver Anniversary.
CLASS OF 1929—This is your Tenth Anniversary.
CLASS OF 1944—This is your Fifth Anniversary.

DEAR ALUMNAE MEMBERS:

Another year has rolled around and we are looking forward with pleasure to seeing many of you on Alumnae Day.

In looking back over the past year it is hard to pick out the things which may be of the most interest to the greatest number of the group. Changes cannot be made too quickly, though we are prone to get impatient when we cannot see immediate progress. We might start with the set-up of the nursing staff, repeating last year’s figures for comparison:

March 1, 1948 and 1949

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It will be noted that again there is a drop in the number of students, but an increase in graduate staff, volunteers and other non-professional personnel.

The aim of the hospital nursing service is to provide for patients the best possible nursing service. This can be done only when there is well prepared personnel, carefully selected, wisely administered and adequately oriented to the situation in which they will be working. The aim of the school of nursing is to train young women to give nursing care on the level demanded of health organizations today whether it be in hospitals or other health service.

To balance these two aims in organizations which always have had and must continue to have as the major aim good health service cannot be of the highest and of necessity the education of the nurse takes second place. When this must be the case there is danger of the student.
given the foundation which makes it possible to function on the level expected of her at the completion of her three-year course of training.

The nursing staff at Jefferson has demonstrated its desire to try to fulfill its dual responsibility: that of good service to the patient and good education for the student nurse. My appreciation to each member of the nursing staff who has helped in this undertaking, as it is only through this cooperation that problems can be met and solved, that progress can be made.

As you will note, three new positions have been added to the faculty set-up: that of assistant science instructor, clinical instructor on the semi-private service, making a clinical instructor in each of the departments to which students are assigned, and that of counselor for the student group.

Thanks to Dr. Keyes and Dr. Olive Morgan we are setting up a comprehensive testing program for applicants to the school, which should help us to a wiser choice and better understanding of the students which we hope will be reflected in both the school and the nursing service. This is in the experimental stage, so that a full report cannot be given before next year.

The nursing school library is now located on the first floor of the nurses' home at 1008 Spruce Street, making it more accessible to the students. The former library space is being converted into three additional offices for the faculty and it is hoped will facilitate their work.

We are experimenting with a new plan for student classwork during the second semester (immediately following the pre-clinical period). These students are on the wards four days each week, in class two full days and are off duty one day. The class is divided into two sections so that the entire group is not off duty at any one time. The Educational Director and the Associate Director work closely together on student assignments to the ward so that the sections are as evenly divided as possible on the various ward services. The plan seems to be working advantageously for the student. We will be better able to report the effect on ward planning after the present semester ends.

The interest and support of the Alumnae Association means much to those of us here at home. We will welcome suggestions and criticisms which you feel will help us in our task of maintaining high standards for Jefferson, and in setting new standards in keeping with the ever-increasing demands on nursing today.

My very best wishes to each of you.

Sincerely yours,

KATHERINE CHILDS, R.N.,
Director, School of Nursing and Nursing Service.

USE YOUR MAIDEN NAME!!!

Whenever you have occasion to write your Alumnae, PLEASE use your first name, maiden name, then your married name plus the year you graduated.

Example: Marie Jones McCarthy, 1912

Mrs. William McCarthy makes it very difficult for us to locate you in our files.

Thank you.

MISS SHAFFER RETIRES

Following is a resume of Miss Anna Shafer's professional life:

Entered training April 1st, 1907. (6 years 8 months—1st period)
Graduated December 20th, 1910. (27 years 4 months—2nd period)
Private duty—1 year, 4 months.
Night Duty—began May 1st, 1912. Number of Graduates, 2411.
Resigned on December 31st, 1918. Number who have married, 1442.
In Dr. Carrington's office 3 years. Number who have married doctors, 264.
Returned to Night Duty January 1st, 1922. Number who have married clergymen, 9.
Retired May 1st, 1949. Number who have died, 138.
Completing 34 years Number address unknown, 91.

Everyone appreciates the valuable contributions Miss Shafer has made to nursing and Jefferson.
Announcing . . .

ALUMNAE DAY
May 7th, 1949
Luncheon - - - at 12.00 in Ball Room
BELLEVUE-STRATFORD HOTEL
BROAD AND WALNUT STREETS
Dance - 9 P. M. 'til 12 M. - Rose Garden
Music by Roger Patterson
and His Orchestra

10th Anniversary for Class of 1939

Return Luncheon Reservations by
April 29th, 1949
to
MISS BETTY PIERSOL
1012 SPRUCE STREET, PHILADELPHIA 7, PA.

Please Help Make This a Success . . . Come and Join Us

REVIEW OF THE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION MEETINGS
MARCH 19, 1948: 54 members present.
Miss Kieper announced that the card party proceeds were $148.53.
Miss Piersol announced that a dinner for the graduating class would be held on April 21, 1948. Also she announced the plans for Alumnae Day.
Several recommendations were accepted:
1. That the Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to give Miss Riland a check for the radio purchased by her for the Alumnae Association.
2. That the expenses of the two delegates be paid to the A. N. A. convention, amount to be taken care of by the Association.
Mr. Moll, from the Massachusetts Bond and Insurance Company, spoke to us concerning the company's different insurance policies for nurses.

APRIL 16, 1948: 77 members present.
New members accepted: Gloria Kovack, Hazel Zimmerman, Helen Koerner, Dorothy Harding, Dorothy Mertz, Marie Bologa, E. Virginia Sturgis, Margaret Scholes, Shielo Sweyer, Frieda Mosser, Irene Narchowich, Louise Swartz, Mitzi Cohen, Faye E. Dieter.
Several recommendations were accepted:
1. That we give $200.00 to the delegates attending the Biennial Convention.
2. That we donate $25.00 to the Salvation Army.
3. That Miss Spruance suggested that we have a parcel post sale at our next Alumnae meeting, which is on May 21, and that we serve ice cream and strawberries. The meeting is to be held at 1012 Spruce Street, nurses' home.
Dr. Forster presented to us a most interesting talk on the new treatment of epilepsy.

MAY 21, 1948: 66 members present.
Reports of the different committees were given:
1. Mrs. Spruance, Chairman of the Scholarship Fund, reported that she received $240.00 as donations for her fund at our Alumnae Day Program.
2. Miss Piersol reported that there were 89 present at the dinner for the graduating class which was held at the Warburton Hotel. Also that there were 366 members present at our Alumnae luncheon and 103 couples attended the dance.
3. Miss Kiepel reported that she has made a profit of $200.00 on her sale of stockings.
Several recommendations were accepted:
A letter from Dr. A. C. Crowe contributing a sum of $25.00 to the Relief Fund
in memory of Miss Virginia Campbell, who was recently killed in an automobile accident, was read.

A letter also was read from Naomi P. Gardner contributing $5.00 for the Relief Fund.

The resignation of Miss Ruth Riggin as Second Vice-President was accepted with regret.

A very interesting program of a Parcel Post Sale was then held and enjoyed by everyone. Following the sale we were served refreshments of ice cream and strawberries.

This meeting was held at 1012 Spruce Street, Nurses' Home.

**SEPTEMBER 17, 1948: 66 members present.**


Reports from the different committees were then given:

1. Mrs. Spruance reported that she made $27.00 on the Parcel Post Sale.
2. Mrs. Sprecher announced that she had 700 orders for the Blue Book from the 2100 blanks that she sent out to Alumnae members.

Several recommendations were accepted:

1. That the Nightingale lamps be purchased for the capping exercises of the September, '48, class and the February, '49 class.
2. That four delegates be sent to the State Nurses' Convention, which is to be held in Pittsburgh in November.
3. That Miss Ruth Spencer be given the $200.00 from the Scholarship Fund.
4. That the sum of $160.00 from Miss Keval's sale of stockings be placed in the Relief Fund.

Mrs. Spruance, Miss Bonnenberger, Miss Ranck, Miss Edgar were selected as delegates to the P. S. N. A. Convention.

The program for the evening were reports given from the Biennial Convention held in Chicago. The reports were very interesting, which were given by Miss Ranck and Miss Bonnenberger.

Following the program refreshments were served.

**OCTOBER 15, 1948: 45 members present:**

New members accepted: Rose Mary Kirshbaumer, Doris Michaels, Lois Bilger, Mary Ann Koval, Jean M. Towne, Dorothy Peterson, Vera Rohman, Patricia Mullen, Martha Kapitula, Mae Kunkle.

Several recommendations were accepted:

1. That we contribute $3.00 to the Cancer Fund.
2. That we send the Reader's Digest to our "shut-in" members.

Several announcements and "Thank You" letters were then read. The program for the evening was a very interesting talk and film, which was presented by Colonel Jansen, of the Army Nurse Corps Reserve.

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**NOVEMBER 19, 1948: 56 members present.**

Committee reports were given as follows:

1. Mrs. Spruance reported that there was $103.00 made from the chances on the painted dish.
2. Miss Keiper reported that Xmas cards were on sale in the Nursing School Office.
3. Miss Speicher announced that the Blue Books were at the press and that they would be sent out very soon. Also that she received orders for 800 books.
4. Miss Bonnenberger announced that there would be a private duty meeting every month.
5. Miss Pierstorff announced that there were 119 couples at the Fall Dance.

The following recommendations were accepted:

1. That we give Miss Kuba $200.00 for school from the Scholarship Fund.
2. That we contribute $25.00 to the Community Chest Fund.
3. That we place the proceeds of $42.00 from the Fall Dance in the Nurses' Relief Fund.
4. That we have a monthly private duty meeting. It is to be held the same night as the regular monthly business meeting.

Reports from the Pennsylvania State Nurses' Convention were given by Misses Ranck, Bonnenberger, Edgar and Mrs. Spruance.

**JANUARY 21, 1949: 85 members present.**


Reports of the Private Duty Section were as follows:

New officers for the year of 1949:

Chairman .......... Mrs. Spruance
Vice-Chairman ....... Mary Rozv Evans
Secretary ........ Miss Jędzierski

New officers of the Alumnae Association for the year of 1949:

President ........ Miss Dorothy Ranck
1st Vice-President .... Mrs. Julia Gaskill
2nd Vice-President .... Miss Evelyn Dute
Recording Secretary .... Miss Margaret Gaffey
Secretary-Treasurer .... Miss Edna Scott

Board of Directors ...
Martha Riland
Adele Lewis
Thelma Fleming

**FEBRUARY 18, 1949: 42 members present.**

New members accepted: Margaret Mary Basler, Sophia Henrietta Gormish, Dorothy Irene Diehl, Catherine L. Brewer, Suzanne Shoemaker, Ellen Jean Maneval, Mary Pavulak Swan, Josephine M. Gockley, Anita Hawthorne, Margaret Murrifier Hamill, Helen Mary Tracht, Joyce Marie Spangler, Beryl Miller Beshore, Phyllis Jean Courtenay, Irene Bocockowski.
The following recommendations were made and accepted:
1. To contribute $100 to the Florence Nightingale International Foundation.
2. To award Mary Pavulak Swan $66 from the General Fund for educational purposes.
3. To give a dinner for the Graduating Class.
The members were then advised that an Easter outfit worth $100 will be chanced off to benefit the Scholarship Fund.

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Evelyn Geovanette, '47—General Duty—Gyne.
Ellen Maneval, '48—General Duty—Gyne.
Emilia Nosveschuck, '46—Head Nurse—Orthopedic Ward.
Virginia Arnold—Head Nurse—Men's Special Surgical Ward.
Lucy Semerjian—General Duty—Men's Special Ward.
Ruth Von Franzke, '48—General Duty—Men's Special Ward.
Helen Pawlow—General Duty—Women's Ward.

Freida Mosser, '46—Head Nurse—Men's Ward.
Marianna Westberg—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.
Alberta Jusaitis, '47—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.
Bertha Destan, '47—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.

Sarah Fritz, '44
Supervisor Surgical Floor
Arleen Miller, '47—General Duty—Urology Ward.
Marguerie Wilson, '45—Head Nurse—Women's Surgical Ward.
Eileen Graber, '47—General Duty—Women's Surgical Ward.
Freida Mosser, '46—Head Nurse—Men's Surgical Ward.
Irene Narocwisch, '46—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.
Marriana Westberg—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.
Alberta Jusaitis, '47—General Duty—Men's Surgical Ward.
Bertha Destan, '47—General Duty—Women's Surgical Ward.

Pauline Shenk
Supervisor of Maternity Dept.
Helen Hymer—Head Nurse—11th Floor.
Dorothy Groisman, '41—Head Nurse—9th Floor.
Bernadine Chesnulovich, '47—Head Nurse—Delivery Room.
Lucy Banks, '43—Head Nurse—Nursery.
Ruth Henney, '46—General Duty—Maternity.
Margaret Basler, '46—General Duty—Maternity.
Margaret Feller, '47—General Duty—Maternity.
Louise Swartz, '47—General Duty—Maternity.
Ann Tomich—General Duty—Maternity.
Elizabeth Feiler, '47—General Duty—Maternity.

Irina Schuetz, '47—General Duty—Maternity.
Patricia Long, '48—General Duty—Maternity.
Anna Mac Painter, '48—General Duty—Maternity.
Aileen Hickey, '48—General Duty—Maternity.
Mary McGuire—General Duty—Maternity.
Gladys McConnell, '47—General Duty—Maternity.
Mary Wargo, '47—General Duty—Maternity.
Philemona Gaignard—General Duty—Maternity.
Edna Knautler—General Duty—Maternity.
Henny Ulveskat—General Duty—Maternity.
Neta Fleming, '49—General Duty—Maternity.

Gladys Hoffman, '40
Head Nurse 4th Annex
Nadine Dopiak, '48—General Duty.
Annie Hansen, '49—General Duty.

Margaret Simmons, '41
Head Nurse 5th Floor
Betty Mezger, '43—Assistant Head Nurse.
Kathryn Haller, '48—General Duty.
Zoe M. Orner—General Duty.
Theresa Bushke, '49—General Duty.

Adele Lewis, '13
Supervisor 6th Floor
Belle Sorensen, '45—Ward 6th Floor.
Laurelle Dutton, '48—General Duty.
Amy Wilson Allen, '44—General Duty.

Janet Edwards, '47
Head Nurse 6th Annex
Lila Scharpit—General Duty.
Margaret Musttler Hamil, '48—General Duty.
Doris Weber—General Duty.

Margaret Blake, '34
Head Nurse 6th Annex
Eugenia Farne Purcell, '47—General Duty.
Mary Nye, '49—General Duty.

Viola Fox, '37
Head Nurse 8th Annex
Merle Albell, '48—Assistant Head Nurse.
Grace Ronco, '47—General Duty.
Patricia Zong, '48—General Duty.
Eleanor Kilby, '49—General Duty.

Josephine Piszicky, '46
Head Nurse 9th Annex
Betty Hambright, '47—General Duty.
Doris Pfifromm, '47—General Duty.
Shirley Senes—General Duty.

Emma Gillespie Frigard, '21
Supervisor Thompson Annex
Helge Zandt Michaels, '45—General Duty.
Mary Muster—General Duty.
Evelyn Winesey, '48—General Duty.

Vera Shontz, '30
Head Nurse—2nd Annex
Katherine McDevitt—General Duty.
Hazel Zimdum, '47—General Duty.
Lois Dietrick, '49—General Duty.

Suzanne Shoemaker, '46
Head Nurse Star Floor
Ruth Groves, '47—General Duty.
Elizabeth Harding, '47—General Duty.
Mary Musser—General Duty.

Alta Kressler, '45
Supervisor and Instructor in Pediatrics
Claire Shottin, '47—General Duty.
Jeffrey Taylor, '47—General Duty.
Rachel Irene Herbert, '48—General Duty.
Jeanne Stamm, '47—General Duty.

Violet Garrett, '40
Supervisor O.R.
Julia Alban—Clinical Instructor in O.B.
Jean Marklone Eveland, '45—Head Nurse.
Barbara Hendershot, '47—General Duty.
Emmabelle Glechett, '47—General Duty.
Patricia Mullen, '48—General Duty.
Lillian Vernho, '48—General Duty.
Mary Albert, '48—General Duty.

Muriel Johnson—General Duty.
Florence Blockus—Assistant Head Nurse.
Anna Granger, '40—General Duty.
Catherine Hanna, '49—General Duty.
Margaret Hackett, '39—General Duty.
Lois Pennypacker, '49—General Duty.

Catherine Neary, '44
Head Nurse Accident Ward
Geraldine Hart, '46—General Duty.
Christine Morrison, '48—General Duty.

Marguerite Barnett, '14
Supervisor Curtis Clinic
Margaret Kahler Baldwin, '28—Urology Clinic.
Ruth Hughes, '38—Assistant Supervisor—Clinic.
In charge Surgical Clinic.
Myrtle Goldberg Frank, '23—Gynecological Clinic.

Edith Teel, '39—Maternity Clinic.
Minnie Rank—Pediatric Clinic.
Erma Coup Painter, '32—Medical Clinic.
Nellie Childem, '35—Special Treatment Clinic.
Florence Hawke, '27—Orthopedic Clinic.
Alma Andrews Johnson, '32—Nose and Throat Clinic.

Anna Shaffer, '15
Night Supervisor Hospital
Catherine Ben, '45—Assistant Supervisor.
Anne McWay, '47—Assistant Supervisor.
Anita Fink, '46—Private Floor Supervisor.

Warren Culp, '48—Private Floor Supervisor.
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STOCKINGS! STOCKINGS! STOCKINGS!
Miss Keval continues to sell nylon—both dress and white. The proceeds from these are turned to the Relief Fund. If you are away from the hospital and interested—Address your correspondence to Miss Isabelle Keval, c/o The Nursing School Office.

POP-UP TOASTER
A two slice pop-up toaster has been donated by Mr. Storm of Philadelphia Electric Company. We are planning to sell chances on this during the summer months, and have the drawing in the nurses' home following the first fall alumnae meeting.

IT'S NOT TOO SOON
Once again the Ways and Means Committee will be selling Christmas cards—keep us in mind—it's for the benefit of the Relief Fund!

ANY WHITE ELEPHANTS?
If you have any white elephant gifts—don't forget—we are planning to have a white elephant auction following the September Alumnae Meeting.
PRIVATE DUTY SECTION

It was my privilege and great pleasure to attend the 44th annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Nurses' Association, held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in November 1948, as one of the delegates from the Private Duty Section of the Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae Association. Miss Mary E. Bonnenberger, then chairman, also attended this convention.

Pennsylvania ranks with the first three states in the Economic Security Program. This is an extremely important step and one the whole country is watching with intense interest. There is great necessity for funds, for this, members are needed. There was much discussion on how the nurses could be made to realize the importance of being members in the P.S.N.A. We have accepted and pledged our support to this program, and I cannot stress too emphatically the importance of each nurse to participate. If they do not care to share the responsibilities of this important program, they should, at least, contribute by paying their dues, thus making it possible for it to function more easily and efficiently. We have a potential membership and fertile field for local membership in District No. 1 of over 8,000. We actually have only 931 members. If all nurses would join the P.S.N.A. for one year, dues could be cut in half, perhaps even more, but until there is sufficient increase in membership, it places the great burden on the few who are carrying not only themselves, but the much larger group of non-members as well. While our regular membership formerly was between six and seven thousand in Pennsylvania. Today it is about 2,000.

At the convention it was voted almost unanimously to send a licence bill to the state legislature which would require state licensing of nurses of several classes as the only way the public could be assured of correct care from the practicing nurses. The bill also is designed to reduce the present shortage of nurses in the state hospitals and institutions and to guarantee better nursing conditions and to require all practical, as well as registered, to be on standard sets of requirements.

The subject of minimum standards was discussed at great length and it was finally decided to keep the standard of minimum of $8 for eight hour duty, since there is no measure that prevents a district from increasing their minimum standards if it can be obtained. It was stated that it was not fair to raise the standard to $10 throughout the state since there were some districts that had just been granted the $8 minimum. It is entirely a local matter and must be decided upon by each district. District No. 1 has a potential membership of over 8,000. We actually have only 931 members.

The Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae has cause to be proud of the outstanding work that some of its members are doing in the State of Pennsylvania. Miss Barbara Schutt, Class of 1939, is Assistant Executive Secretary to Miss Katherine Miller, General Secretary and Managing Editor of "The Pennsylvania Nurse." Miss Martha Riland, Class of 1927, is now one of the directors in District No. 1.

At the convention, Miss Mary E. Brown, R.N., 115 13th Avenue, Juniata County, Altoona, Pennsylvania, was elected to the office of chairman of the private duty section of the state. The private duty section of District No. 1 elected Miss Jane Warren as its chairman, and the Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae elected the following officers for its private duty section for next year:

Henrietta E. Spruance, R.N., Chairman
Mary Rorz Evans, R.N., Vice Chairman
Stella Jedrzielewski, R.N., Secretary

HENRIETTA E. SPRUANCE, Chairman

THE JEFFERSON HOSPITAL PRIVATE DUTY NURSES' REGISTER

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REPORT FOR BARTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

This has been a very busy year for Barton Memorial Hospital, Chest Division of Jefferson Medical College. Many changes and much progress has been made in all the departments in the past year.

As you may recall, the first floor, consisting of sixteen beds, is kept for diagnostic purposes, of which there have been many. The second floor is still entirely for the use of tuberculosis patients, most of them surgery. On the third floor, where our operating rooms are situated, we have moved the pneumothorax and aspirating rooms, leaving the fourth floor entirely for the Anthracasilicotic cases, or as we call it "Miners Hall." These patients are admitted and studied for Pulmonary Functions.

One year ago, the Cardio-respiratory laboratory, set up for the study of Pulmonary Function under the direction of Drs. Motley, Lang and Theodos, had the use of 15 beds; today we are using 30 beds and have, to date, studied approximately 408 patients, plus a few admitted for diagnostic studies. The work has increased so that it is necessary for them to expand their laboratory space, therefore, this necessitated moving the hospital laboratory to the fourth floor.

A treatment room, with three Intermittent Positive Pressure Breathing machines has also been set up in this section. The patient, after a certain amount of studies, receives these treatments twice daily. Since the Cardio Respiration Department has become so active, Dr. Burgess Gordon, who is our medical director, has had numerous inquiries from all over the country for admission to this department.

The surgical department is working a very full schedule, averaging about 40 major operations per month. We are happy to report that Dr. F. J. Albritten, is still doing most of the surgery, with the assistance of 2 surgical residents.

Dr. R. Lukens has joined the Bronchoscoptic division, and with Dr. J. J. O'Keefe has kept the operating room staff busy three days a week.

As our numerous departments have expanded, it was and is necessary to increase the nursing staff. At the present time this staff consists of nine graduate nurses and seven students who rotate from Jefferson for a five weeks course. In September of 1948, we were able to start a 44 hour week for our graduate staff, this working very well.

With all the above increases it was necessary to have two full time Dieticians and we can vouch that they are kept very busy feeding patients and staff.

This covers the activities of Barton for the year 1948. We are promised more big events in the year to come which we will pass on to you next time—1950.

HELEN M. WHITNEY, R.N., Supervisor

PROGRESS OF THE ORTHOPEDIC DEPARTMENT

JAMES R. MARTIN, M.D., Professor of Orthopedics

It was thought that the progress of the Orthopedic Department of the Jefferson Hospital might be of some interest to all of the Graduates of the Nursing School. In the first place, the older graduates will recall the dark small double bedded semi-private rooms on the third floor which was termed the Corridor Section. These rooms were all torn out about nine years ago and the space made into one small Ward which is light and airy in comparison to what previously existed. We now have about nine beds for women and four spaces for cribs or children's beds. These are all for orthopedic cases.

With reference to the Men's Special Ward where we were accustomed to have access to three or four beds, we now have ten to twelve beds. With these additions we have an active service and considerable work is performed with a fairly rapid turnover for our type of work.

Another phase of our work has been the transfer of all the fracture cases from the surgical service to the orthopedic service. This administrative change took place gradually. Some years ago we began to nail fractured femoral necks and then Dr. Shallow allotted all his fracture cases to us and this was followed by Dr. Gibson at a later date. With the addition of the fracture cases, we are now seeking to obtain more beds for our increased activities as they are greatly needed.

During the war years, the Orthopedic Service was greatly handicapped when seven of our staff of ten men volunteered for service in the Army or Navy. As we had but one Interne in the hospital who had in addition three other services, his aid in the Division was negligible and in the Operating Room of the Jefferson, Dr. Deibert was entirely for the use of tuberculosis patients, most of them surgery.

This state of affairs meant that Doctors Davidson, Hand and I were the remaining men on the Staff to perform all the work and teaching. Toward the end of this period, Dr. Davidson became ill and was not able to operate on ward cases for a year or more.

Following the War, Doctors Myers and Sigmund returned and picked up their duties. About this time we secured the services of Dr. Anthony DePalma who had been discharged from the service of the Navy and he was appointed as Instructor. His ability was that pronounced that he was soon placed in Charge of the Wards and since that time has been regularly advanced in rank and is now an Assistant Professor.

The question of a Residential position arose at this time and Dr. Thomas Armstrong was appointed as the first Resident on the Orthopedic Service. He has finished his service and has recently opened an office in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and is practicing Orthopedic Surgery.

There are now three Orthopedic Residents and one Resident affiliated with the Surgical Department. The present senior Resident is Dr. Glen A. Deibert whom you may remember was an Interne in the early thirties. Dr. Deibert practiced in Reading for some years after graduation and then volunteered for service in the Army. After his discharge he desired to pass his Board and decided to take a Residentship in Jefferson. Doctors John Gartland and John B. White are Residents on the Orthopedic Service and fairly recently have been interns. Dr. Rudolph H. Heckscher is a Surgical Resident and at present is taking four months' Orthopedic Service.

The entire department is now more actively engaged in teaching both nurses and students. Dr. Myers has assumed the responsibility for teaching our student nurses their required course in Orthopedic Surgery. There also has been considerable change
made in the curriculum of the senior medical students during their section work in the Department of Orthopedics. At the present time, each section is given a prescribed number of hours of practical fracture training in the Out Patient Department, and they are also given a prescribed number of hours on the ward studying case histories and doing physical examinations on orthopedic patients.

In regard to the Nurses who perform the Orthopedic work in the Hospital and Dispensary, I may list the following:—

**CLINICAL BUILDING:**
- Miss Marguerite Barnett
- Miss Florence Hawke
- **SUPERVISOR—THIRD FLOOR**
  - Miss Doris Jones
- **WOMAN'S ORTHOPEDIC WARD**
  - Miss Emelia Naveschuk
- **MEN'S SPECIAL WARD**
  - Miss Virginia Arnold
  - Miss Ruth Van Franzke
  - Miss Lucy Semerjian
  - Miss Elsie Skvir
- **3 OR.**
  - Mrs. Jean Markione Eveland
  - Miss Venita Quick, Private Suture Nurse

**JUST UNDER THE DATE LINE**

Did you ever run for a train and make it with the door closing instantly back of you? Well, that's how it is with this report on our latest venture for the Clara Melville Scholarship Fund. This gift was included in the $625.50.

The drawing for the winner of the $100.00 Easter Outfit from Dewees, was made in the Nurses' dressing room on April 1st, and the lucky one was Mrs. Mae Donahue, one of the telephone operators at Jefferson.

This idea was born, grew up and was finished in forty-two days—in a whirlwind of excitement—over and above all expenses $625.50 was realized. It is needless to say how pleased we are and how much we thank all who helped to make it such a success.

To add to our delight was a check for $100.00 from Miss Margaret and Miss Elizabeth Melville for the Scholarship Fund in memory of their sister Clara whose birthday was March 26th. We are grateful and thank them sincerely.

Miss Nora Shoemaker, who was our Director of Nurses after Miss Melville's death, gave a check for $100.00 to the Clara Melville Scholarship Fund. This gift was gratefully accepted and appreciated. Our sincere thanks go to her also.

As our Bulletin goes to press, I want to express my gratitude to all who gave so generously of their time, help, and money, for without them we could not have reached such a magnificent goal. Let me add that the two checks for $100.00 were not included in the $625.50.

The Pediatric Service at Jefferson has made great progress in its physical, medical and philosophical outlook in the past twenty-three years. In June of 1926, the Children's Ward contained four cribs for the Department of the Diseases of Children. In addition there were twenty-six beds occupied largely by bronchoscopic cases, some surgical cases and tonsil patients. The last mentioned were so numerous that it was next to impossible to get acutely ill patients or patients for study admitted.

The Solarium was no better. It consisted of three glass enclosed rooms, its outer walls not flush with the walls of the building, covering far less space than the present arrangement. In these rooms there were twenty metal bassinets that were hung on the walls end to end. Plastic surgery cases occupied most of these bassinets with some feeding cases and respiratory infections. The plumbing was of the simplest kind and scanty.

There was one small diet kitchen which is still in use and a "semi private" room between the kitchen and the ward. The isolation was the same as at present except that washstands have been placed in the three rooms used for patients. There were no classrooms or corridors to the isolation. It had to be approached out of doors over a slippery brick walk. A canvas canopy was provided but it was impossible to keep it up during storms. All the wards of the hospital used these rooms for isolation purposes.

Naturally the predominant diseases of children were cross infections and the mortality was high. One can never forget the long low table with small chairs that ran the length of the ward where the children who could sit up were placed elbow to elbow to eat. It was sickening to see the tube cases coughing into each other's plates. The ward and even the Solarium were in quarantine the greater part of the teaching year.

The first change was in the discarding of the table and feeding the children in bed. The next was the equipment of what was then the most modern idea in formula rooms in the so-called "semi private" room. This was barely accomplished when the bronchoscopic, tonsil and orthopedic wards were opened freeing a great many beds.

Then came the problem of the Solarium. The Board of Trustees along with some munificent donors modernized this division. The old glass partitions were removed, the walls set back, nineteen cubicles replaced the twenty bassinets and the Solarium had the new look. In fact, it is a model of its kind. Each cubicle is equipped with an especially designed crib, a table with a drawer and cupboard and a washstand with hot and cold running water. Each child has its own equipment and a twenty-four hour supply of clean linens and accessories are placed in the bedside table daily. Nothing goes from cubicle to cubicle. Gowns and masks are used, hand scrubbing must be practiced before going from cubicle to cubicle and the gown must be changed when entering the unit. Individual rubber gloves are provided for the nurse for each baby when it is fed and another pair when the baby is changed.

With the introduction of aseptic technique cross infection was eliminated, the death rate dropped and bed occupancy increased about thirty-five percent annually. This technique is all important. Slip-ups can mean an epidemic. It is imperative that an intelligent nurse who is a good leader, one need not fear the spread of even such contagious diseases as measles or specific vaginitis.

Now another great change is to be made. A new modern milk room will be located on the seventh floor and equipped to take care of all nurseries and children's services in the hospital. The main ward is in process of being remodeled and cubicles will be set up therein. The present milk room and diet kitchen will be combined and
a modern diet kitchen installed. The utility rooms will be modernized. The isolation will be remodeled and set up with cubicles for children’s surgical cases. It is to be hoped that all of this work will be completed by the autumn of 1949.

When the Curtis Clinic was erected, the old Out Patient Children’s Department was replaced by a modern pediatric unit. Here individual examining, treatment, consultation, isolation and classrooms are provided. The plan has since been duplicated in many universities and it is still a model.

There is no longer a Department for Children’s Diseases. There is in its place, a modern Department of Pediatrics. Since we teach this latter subject which includes prophylaxis, health, hygiene, growth and development as well as the treatment of the sick, we must clothe ourselves in a mantle befitting this role. We still need important help. Better secretarial service, modern social service assistance, a dental prophylaxis service as well as dental treatment and facilities for research are imperative needs.

The Pediatric Department operates the most active Out Patient Department in Jefferson Hospital. Some activity is in order from nine a.m. to five p.m., Monday through Friday, and on Saturday from nine a.m. to one p.m. About ten thousand patients make almost one hundred thousand visits to these clinics annually. There are the Well Baby, the Generally Sick, the Immunization, the Syphilis, the Vaccination, Speech Defect, Heart, Psychiatric, Allergy and the Transfusion Clinics, all well attended. This is due in large part to the faithfulness and promptness of the staff members particularly interested in these various branches of pediatric practice.

The wards and Out Patient Department provide a prodigious amount of clinical teaching material. Very few colleges have within their walls the clinical material to rival this set-up at Jefferson. From the nursing standpoint, these broad fields of pediatric training lie fallow. There is unusual opportunity available for practical pediatric nursing education. Visiting nurse training in the home could be provided with the widening of the public health aspects of pediatrics could put the Jefferson nurse ahead of all of her competitors. The average nurse graduates from Jefferson without knowing of the existence of these potential facilities of her home hospital.

Pediatrics has grown by leaps and bounds in the last twenty-five years. Jefferson is keeping abreast. Its pediatricians are well aware of the basic objectives of providing as far as possible a healthy environment for children, giving them all the advantages that will encourage optimal growth and health and preventing disease so that they will reach adult life with sound bodies and minds. This is the underlying philosophy and it is working out well throughout our nation and with Jefferson in the vanguard.

CONTROLLED RESPIRATION IN ANESTHESIA

JOSEPH W. STAYMAN, JR., M.D.

One of the most important reasons for the tremendous advance in thoracic surgery in recent years is the development of newer anesthetic methods. The major problem has not been to anesthetize the patient, but rather to correct the derangements in physiology that result from open pneumothorax.

Open pneumothorax in man produces marked respiratory and circulatory embarrassment, and is often fatal. Collapse of the lung, shift of the mediastinum, and cardiac impairment were the obstacles that had to be overcome before the thorax could be opened without danger. As a result, positive pressure anesthesia was developed.

Positive pressure anesthesia consists of maintaining enough pressure in a closed anesthetic circuit to prevent collapse of the lung and mediastinum. This is done by intubation, which is usually employed, and the apparatus provides for rebreathing after carbon dioxide has been removed by soda lime. With such an apparatus, a high concentra-
abdominal and chest surgery have been made safer and easier, the patients are subjected to much less anesthesia as most of our chest surgery is done with intravenous sodium pentothal, or ether plus curare.

Our hope is to keep going ahead and administer anesthesia to the best of our knowledge, keeping up with the newest drugs and methods in our specialized field. NELLIE MOSES, Chief Anesthetist

STAFF ANESTHETISTS

Lois Davis, '43
Gwynneth Lewis, '44
Marjorie Leigh, '44
Helen Mennig
Virginia Getchell
Mrs. Lois Eshleman

Robert Steininger
Miriam Barroway
Kathryn Rowlands
Albina Stawicki
Olive Thomas, '45

STUDENT ANESTHETISTS

Mrs. De Vera Mason
Rebecca Miller
Kathleen Keilin

Rose Zelonis
Dolores Herbert
Catherine Phillips

PHYSICAL ADVANCES AT JEFFERSON DURING PAST YEAR

PAUL F. RAKE, Director of Development

With the continuing high occupancy of this hospital and the demand for available beds represented by the constant long waiting list, Jefferson has recently carried out a number of improvements, renovations and additions that are the forerunner of other developments that will be required in the future.

Among the more obvious construction changes have been the improvements in the west wings of the 5th and 6th floors of the General Hospital. By skilful utilization of space, 7 private single-bed rooms on each floor have been altered into four semi-private rooms accommodating 15 beds. There are three 4-bed units and one 3-bed unit. New asphalt tile covers the floors in rooms and halls and new paint, new lighting fixtures, new furniture, drapes and decorations make the rooms attractive and well lighted. On each floor, the one adjoining bathroom in the wing was torn out and converted into two modern bathrooms with new plumbing, tile floors and walls and glass-door shower stall in each.

This modernization of wings on the two floors results in an increase of 16 beds to the main hospital building. A similar reconstruction and renovation of the east wings on the same floors is proposed.

The 24 bed Men's Medical Ward and the smaller Men's Center Ward on the 2nd floor have also been renovated with new asphalt tile, new lighting fixtures and repainting. Another notable improvement is the relocation and expansion of the telephone exchange. The former telephone room, on the first floor adjoining the record room, was vacated and the switch board relocated in a newly constructed addition above the eighth floor. The new quarters include a more spacious switch board room with acoustic ceiling, a lounge and rest rooms for the operators and new PBX panels with a double number of trunk lines and capacity.

Four new operators have been added to further improve the service. Less street noise, less outside interruption from a corridor, better light and ventilation combine to bring greater efficiency in the handling of the record volume of calls.

To serve the dual purpose of making the Nursing School Library more readily available to student nurses and to provide office and conference space for instructors, the library has been moved from the 10th floor of the Curtis Clinic to the Nurses Home.

Two front rooms at 1098 Spruce Street have been converted to house the stacks and book cases. New volumes in the library are available at all hours and at greater convenience to student nurses. Partitions in the room vacated by the library have provided three office and conference rooms for instructors with a waiting room adjoining.

In the Thompson Annex, five rooms on the Star Floor have been redecorated by the Women's Board. New furniture and drapes with new fabric wallpaper add to the room's attractiveness.

Three newly installed autoclave sterilizers, in 30R, 40R and 80R, have made it possible to schedule operations more efficiently by reducing preparatory sterilizing time from 20-25 minutes to 8-10 minutes.

Mr. Robert P. Hooper, president of the Board of Trustees, has announced the institution's purchase of the property at the southeast corner of 11th and Walnut Streets.

The plot, 100 feet on Walnut by 135 feet, south on Eleventh, is now occupied by a parking lot, a small hotel, two tailor shops and a restaurant.

Mr. Hooper has indicated the purchase was made in anticipation of future expansion of Jefferson. In the meantime, the parking lot will be used by doctors and by patient's families and friends. The acquisition of this property now gives Jefferson possession of all fromage on 11th Street between a point just south of Sansom Street and the point 135 feet south of Walnut. In the block north of Walnut, the property extends back to Clifton Street and the present hospital and college buildings. Now located in this area are the modernized buildings moved into during the year by the hospital business offices and the expanded Blood-Transfusion-Plasma Unit of the Charlotte Drake Cardza Foundation of the hospital.

The hospital business offices referred to, located at 125 S. 11th, were occupied last summer. They include the office of the Business Manager, Purchasing Department, Accounts Payable, the Chief Engineer and the Payroll Department. This move makes possible more efficient use of the original location beside the 10th street entrance by the Department of Accounting with its Division of Accounts Receivable.

All of these changes, together with the extensive improvement of facilities at the Barton Division and at White Haven, better fit Jefferson to meet the heavy demands on this great hospital today.

THE WHITE HAVEN DIVISION

1948—Upstate!

A bright orb was sharply appliqued against a day-breaking horizon in the Lehigh Valley. In time, it rose to flood the eastern sky with streamers of brilliant orange and gold—behind which floated the soft blue that soon would hang over all and herald to man that a beautiful day was ahead. This was one sunrise; and morning after morning, one could reflect on the magnificence of the spectacle and remain awed by the fact that each one was more beautiful and more fascinating than the last one.

That 1948 should have had one sunrise more spectacular than another was not noted anywhere. That 1948 designed to cast any important events before us at White Haven was not noted either. The sanatorium's tempo seemed to have levelled off during 1948. The time was spent in completing projects started the year before. The
recreation center underwent insulation, painting and general remodelling for the comfort and recreation of those who attend its shows in the movie hall, or enjoy its games in the recreation section, or for its patrons who frequent the Idle Hour Club Shop.

However, a section of the Recreation Center was enclosed; the walls were shelved; draperies and shades were hung; tables and chairs were invitingly set; and with the kind efforts of the Philadelphia Free Library, our new library was created. It is for the use of patients and personnel. Contemporary novels are introduced monthly and books on various subjects can be found there. It is operated by the patients of the Idle Hour Club who maintain a schedule of hours and keep a record of the books and their disposal.

The urgent need for care of the anthracite miners made it necessary to expand the sixteen bed Mine Workers' Pavilion to a building now able to care for thirty men. After evaluation at Barton, they are sent here for a period of several weeks to receive intermittent positive pressure breathing treatment. While this has not been the answer toward a cure, it has definitely proved a palliative measure.

Experimentally, we were fortunate to have allocated to our division an apparatus which is not unlike an iron lung. A selected patient lies in this machine for a period of eight hours daily—at complete rest. The pressure in the "lung immobilizer" arrests all visible breathing movements so that immobilization takes place as air is forced into the lungs and then again forced out by means of the pressure in the chamber. This apparatus can be helpful in aiding healing, in selected cases, on whom surgery might be contraindicated and for whom bed rest might mean a period of many years.

This past Fall, the annual visit by the Palmerton General Hospital senior class was made once more. They were given a lecture on x-ray recognition and preventive measures by Dr. Rosenberg, after which they were escorted to the various buildings and a general tour of the sanatorium was made.

Various groups visited the hospital from time to time—many of whom were interested in the Miners' project.

The close of '48 brought an unusual air of festivity. The departments were all beautifully decorated with holiday wreaths and colors. Each department had a big Christmas tree which the patients helped trim; and the entrance lobby was decorated with a beautiful silver and red tree. This year also saw the revival of the Nurse Carolers. At dawn, with lighted candles in hand, all of the nurses toured all of the buildings to bring their Christmas song to the patients.

The year closed with mild weather, but young '49 gave us a veritable show of winter beauty when for three days we had a perfect fairyland of ice. Every blade of grass, every bough of tree was festooned in glistening silver which dipped the trees to earth in an icy salute.

So, '48 Upstate passed on—amid all its beauty and peace.

**WHITE HAVEN DIVISION NEWS ITEMS**

Miss Florence Donohue, Class of 1927, is again confined to bed in the sanatorium.

Miss Mary Jensen, class of 1941, continues as a patient at the Summit Hill Park Sanatorium in Pomona, New York.

The body of Ruth M. Gardiner, class of 1934, was reburied at Arlington Cemetery by the United States.

**JEFFERSON NURSES' ALUMNAE BULLETIN**

1012 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa., March 1, 1949

DEAR GRADUATES,

You have asked, "What are the Student activities at 1012 these days?" We are awfully glad to hear you wanted to know what the "goings on" are. Since we are a much happier lot with our new privileges and recreational advantages; it seems the new school spirit has prompted more group activities. We, together with our recreational director, have tried to overcome the age old belief that student activities never pan out.

The center of activities revolves around the Student Council, the purpose being to promote harmonious living in the nurses' home. The first and third Tuesdays of each month this group meets to discuss and solve problems arising at the home. It also determines the punishment of students for infringement of the rules.

Throughout the various hospitals in Philadelphia in 1947, there was an Intra-City Council established. From comparing the ideas and plans of different hospitals, the individual councils can promote better feeling and understanding among the student nurses of the city.

For spiritual and more abundant living, we have two organizations here at the home. The Nurses' Christian Guild and the Newman Club. These groups have contributed many opportunities for recreation in their teas, skating parties, and spiritual discussions.

There's one accomplishment of which we are all very proud. That is the successful conclusion of the weekly singing lessons in the "Pie" during our "Probie days." Miss Edith Morgan, our music director, always did the unbelievable job of weaving a bunch of sparrow voices into a well formed Nightingale Chorus. Our voices took on new lightness as we sang the night our covered caps were placed on our heads.

The Christmas season was a little brighter after the student chorus sang at the annual Christmas program held at the Medical College. Indeed, we are grateful for these opportunities to sing, because a song always helps to make our hearts a little lighter.

In November, a lot of us "shone" as we never "shone" before. Along with our new fluffy hair styles (minus the nets), a heavenly frilly gown and our best beau, we went to the formal dance at the Medical College auditorium. This gala event was sponsored by the Women's Board, our benefactors for many social affairs. We spent a happy evening dancing to the music of the Jeffersonians.

Gee, we almost forgot to tell you about our informal dance in October. True to the spirit of Hallow'en with its antics, pranks, and funny looks, our Student Council had an informal dance in the "Rec Room." The stage was well set and everyone was in costume—pumpkins and a funny little nurse who closely resembled a scarecrow. The pass word to the evening was a pair of blue jeans, an old plaid shirt, together with a bright and happy heart. We're still looking forward to our "St. Patrick's Day" dance, and our formal dance in the spring, given in honor of the graduating class.

Have you seen our yearbook? The one senior activity we all looked forward to every since our earliest days in training—the "Nokokomas." How we worked and rushed to give it our best, and get it in to the publishers to meet the deadline.

Everyone certainly was pleased by the end product—a beautiful and unique book. We are proud of this accomplishment, incidentally we throw our cherts our every time we get a compliment. This history and progress of our training days, always on hand to bring a tear and a smile when we are old and gray.

We had to work and scrape to finance the book but for the most part our "Tea Room" took care of this. "Have a coke," "one hot-dog coming up"—these are familiar sayings heard in Jeff's favorite gathering spot, the Tea Room. This is operated and
managed by the Senior Class for the purpose of raising funds for the yearbook. It is a very successful organization as most of the students seem to get in the "Tea Room habit." A place where we not only go to eat, but to meet the gang, talk over our problems and intimacies, or just to listen to the radio. There is a very friendly atmosphere here, it seems to have a personality of its own. The outbursts of laughter and delicious odors make it a very inviting proposition.

Maybe you haven't heard of the new installments at "1012." Sometime during the year, we became the proud possessors of a washing machine. It is a very popular item with the students and graduates alike. It will wash an immense amount of clothes all for a quarter. What a time and labor saving device to have around after coming off duty, tired and weary.

Not so long ago, a telephone was installed on each floor. How we go for this idea. Now we can make and receive calls without leaving the floor as before.

Last but not least, we must tell you about our Basketball team. We sure look who coached last year's team, returned again this year to place the "Jeff" team on top. The team practices for most of the games on the gym floor out at St. Joseph's Home for Homeless Boys. Miss Ellison Duke sponsored the team and played in all of our practice games. With only one more game to play, the whole student body have their fingers crossed. How wonderful it would be if we could win the championship. Here is our schedule:

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We are just about out of news now, but we hope you have enjoyed our letter.

Very sincerely,

THE STUDENTS

JEFFERSON SONG
Let's lift our voices loud and sing the praises Of dear old Alma Mater Jefferson, With hearts sincere and voices loud that raise, Our joy for the glorious work we've won.

CHORUS
All hail, and sing the praises of dear old Jefferson Thro' years we'll always take our place beside you, And sing when our glorious deeds are done. Let us breathe a prayer that we may ever cherish And honor Jefferson with noble name, That we may do the work that's set before us, And achieve our grand and silent fame.

THE RELIEF FUND

The ultimate goal of Our Relief Fund is to provide two weeks hospitalization for each Alumnae member—whenever she may become ill. During the past year, the Relief Fund paid out $434.50 for sick benefits at Jefferson Hospital.

The principle to date of the Relief Fund is $25,675. This amount yields an interest of $1,023.24 per annum, which as you can readily see, falls far short in providing a general hospitalization fund.

It is the Ways and Means Committee that functions for the benefit of our relief fund. During the past year, $115 was donated. Miss Keval through tireless efort added $470.75 to the Relief Fund from the proceeds of stocking sales. This she is continuing through the coming year. Also, a St. Patrick's day card party last year netted $150.55. In the fall, the sale of X-Mas Cards boosted the fund $162.00.

"THE CLARA MELVILLE SCHOLARSHIP FUND"

It is with genuine pleasure that I give the report of the Clara Melville Scholarship Fund this year, for at last, I can inform you that we have reached a goal we have labored hard to attain. The interest from the money invested was sufficient to permit us to give outright scholarships to three of our graduates who wished some assistance to further their nursing education.

I am sure Miss Melville would be pleased to know that in such a comparatively short time we have accomplished what we had hoped one day would be a reality. For the benefit of those who have in this past year joined our Alumnae Association, and who will receive the Alumnae Bulletin for the first time. I wish to state that it was in 1935, that a former graduate gave Miss Melville, then Directress of Nurses, $25 to start an educational fund. The Alumnae Association accepted the gift and added to it in the general fund, and set it aside for educational purposes. In September 1937, the Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae Association established the Clara Melville Scholarship Fund in memory of Miss Melville who died in March of that year. It was one of her greatest ambitions that such a fund be started. The liberal contributions of Miss Margaret and Miss Elizabeth Melville from time to time have been a wonderful boost to this fund and we owe them a debt of gratitude for their generosity.

Last Alumnae Day, Miss Margaret Melville gave us a beautiful fruit plate that she had painted for us, to chance off for the Scholarship Fund. From it we realized $106; from the sale of cards, stationery, etc., from "Our Little Store" $100.42; from gifts and contributions at our alumnae luncheons $240.00 and from our parcel post sale $27.50. What was the parcel post sale? Some of you may be wondering—well, it was fun while it lasted, but there were not nearly enough parcels. The supply was exhausted much too soon. This year we hope to do better.

Our last Alumnae meeting of the season will be held in the Nurses' Home, 1012 Spruce Street, May 20, 1949. We want that to be a Parcel Post Party—refinements will be served and you are all invited. The help of each one of you is necessary to make it a success. Will you contribute a package whose contents is worth a quarter? Wrap it as for sending by parcel post and mail it to Miss Dorothy Ranck, in care of the nursing school office. In the corner mark them ALUMNAE. That will show that they are not to be opened. At our last Alumnae Meeting they will be put on sale as received, and any of them may be purchased for a quarter. If the parcels are not sold, they will be held at some future time, put on sale. It can be great fun, and at the same time help our Scholarship Fund to grow. You may be as ingenious as you wish with these parcels and they may be sent at any time. Please remember, there can be no sale without your help.

HENRIETTA FITZGERALD SPRUANCE, Chairman—Scholarship Fund
On March 17, 1949, a St. Patrick’s Day Card Party was held in the Nurses’ Home. There were 175 present and the proceeds from contributions, cake chances and admission were $350.00. In the fall following the September Alumni meeting in the Nurses’ Home, we are planning a White Elephant Sale—and Christmas cards will be forthcoming by October.

Remember, this is your FUND. And only through your loyal and steadfast determination and support and a willing spirit to give, can we realize our ultimate goal.

GLADYS KEIFER, ’42, Chairman, Ways and Means Committee

It ain’t the individual
Nor the Army as a whole
But the everlasting teamwork of
Every bloomin’ soul

RADYARD KIPPLING

A BUSY YEAR FOR THE NURSES’ HOME COMMITTEE
OF THE WOMEN’S BOARD

MRS. EDWARD L. BAUER, Chairman

To effectively carry on the work of this Committee, three types of membership have been developed, the Senior Committee, the Junior Committee and the Sustaining Membership. While it is difficult to cover all the phases of our activities, we are always delighted to tell of some of our projects.

SPRING FASHION SHOW AND TEA. Due to the astounding energy of the members of our Committee and to the generous cooperation of the Women’s Board and our many friends, the Spring Party given last May at “Listopada” was another successful venture, netting us the sum of $5,946.36, practically $4,000. With the approval of the Committee this money is being held in escrow by the Trustees until such time as it may be needed for the purposes specified, recreational equipment and special projects. The demands of our very active program have already made it necessary to call upon this fund.

RECEPTION ROOMS IN THE GRADUATE BUILDING. The first activity of the autumn was the redecoration of the Reception Rooms in “1010”. Walls were scraped and freshly papered and all woodwork, including doors, window frames and book shelves, were painted a gleaming white. New floor length window curtains were ordered and all slip covers were thoroughly dry cleaned. All the exquisite mantel clocks that have preserved a dignified silence for at least twenty years were reconditioned and now tick merrily along. Graceful ornaments were chosen for the mantel and book shelves and, most exciting of all, a beautiful rose-cedar broadloom carpet was purchased to replace the lovely blue rugs that, alas, had finally given their all. The colorful oils and gilt edged mirrors were rehung and the portraits of Miss Melville and of Dr. Ross V. Patterson were replaced. A few attractive lamps were added and the atmosphere thus created is again warmly inviting. With this project completed, the Committee made a survey of all the buildings and many excellent suggestions were forthcoming as to what might be added by our Committee for the comfort of our student nurses. The most practical of these will be carried out immediately.

A HOUSE TEA IN NOVEMBER was given in honor of Mrs. James Clement Butt of “Listopada”. While rain and sleet storms raged without, warmth and coziness reigned within. Flowers were everywhere and the appointments of the tea table looked especially beautiful. Guests included student nurses, the Executive Committee of the Women’s Board and the patronesses of the Spring Party.

THE READING LIBRARY. At least seventy-five of the newer publications have been recently placed upon the shelves of the library in the Lounge. Most of these were gifts of members of the Committee while a few were purchased through the Literary Guild. A card honor system is used and the many entries indicate that the library is fulfilling its purpose.

MUSIC. Our Music Committee tries to keep the pianos in the Lounge, the Recreation Room and the “1012” Reception Rooms, in good condition. These pianos do heavy duty and need constant attention. A Gilbert and Sullivan Operetta, Ravel’s “Bolero” and Christmas Carols were added to our library of recorded music.

CULTURAL INTERESTS. The Committee continued its subscriptions to the Theater Guild and the All Star Series and added four season tickets to the Philadelphia Orchestra Youth Concerts. Attendance at the last mentioned is open to young people to the age of twenty-five years. Mr. and Mrs. E. Raymond Snedaker again generously contributed season tickets to the Forum and the popular Summer Robin Hood Dell Concerts. Enthusiastic letters of appreciation from our nurses assure us of their enjoyment of these programs.

GARDEN PLOTS. A fund was set aside for further development of the garden plots between the buildings. These not only brighten the outlook from the inner dormitory windows but during the warmer days, from daffodil time until the frost touches the chrysanthemums, flowers can be cut to decorate the Foyer and the Reception Rooms. These bouquets have the added flavor of the home grown product. We are especially indebted to Miss Katherine Childs, the Director of the School of Nursing, for the many lovely daffodils that so gaily bloom in the “1012” garden plot. Miss Childs’s active interest in this project has been of inestimable help to the Garden Committee.

PARTIES FOR THE PRECLINICAL STUDENTS. The group admitted last September attended the play, “Dulcy,” at the Little Theater at Alden Park. The play was very well done and enthusiastically received. During the intermission ice cream, cakes, candies and nuts were served. Two chartered buses simplified the transportation of the eighty guests. Arrangements are being made to entertain the February group at the performance of “The Winslow Boy” at the Plays and Players on Delancey Street. Preceding the play the group will be the guests at dinner of Mrs. E. Raymond Snedaker at the Art Alliance.

THE HARVEST DANCE. A formal dance in November in the College Assembly Hall was sponsored by the Junior Committee. An excellent orchestra and delicious refreshments added to the general good time. A Spring Dance in April in honor of the graduating class is being planned.

COOPERATIVE SHOP SHOW, BRIDGE AND TEA. This delightful party was also sponsored by the Junior Committee and was held on February second in the College Assembly Hall. Reservations covered one hundred tables and the admission fee was two salable articles each from guest for the Shop. Since the amount of the annual working budget of our Committee depends in great part on the amount and value of its donations of articles to the Shop, this party is very important. The value placed by the Marketing Committee of the Shop upon the articles brought to the February Shop by our generous friends was $600, a splendid amount. Incidentally, Miss Midge MacInnis, one of our student nurses, gracefully modeled three striking costumes on sale at the Shop. Some bric a brac and other attractive pieces were also on display to indicate the variety of articles salable at the Shop. This delightful innovation greatly intrigued our guests.
COMMENCEMENT. Members of the Committee plan to attend the inspiring Baccalaureate Service and the Commencement Exercises. At this time the recipient of the Bessie Dobson Altemus Memorial Prize will be announced.

The Nurses’ Home Committee has enjoyed its very busy year. The enthusiasm and the unselfish interest and devotion of its members point to continued growth and expanding service in the years to come.

THE GRAY LADIES
About seven years ago, there was established at the Jefferson Hospital, a Gray Lady Unit of the American Red Cross. The group numbered 75, which was the largest new group ever to be started at any hospital. It is interesting to note that we have maintained this excellent record and today we are still one of the largest Gray Lady Units in Philadelphia.

Our special Night Group for business and professional women, who come in the Hospital from Six P. M. until Nine P. M. in addition to Saturdays and Sundays, continues to function and Jefferson is the only Civilian hospital that has a Gray Lady Corp at Night.

Many different assignments are covered each day of the week by the Gray Ladies, on the Private and Semi-Private floors, Clinics and Transfusion Unit, as well as answering telephones and taking messages on the Operating Floors.

The Gray Ladies supervise the making of all Surgical Dressings for the Hospital and maintain a Sewing Group to assist in the making of necessary garments and linens for the patients.

The Musical Therapy Group is very well received and continues to add cheer to the Ward patients on Friday afternoons.

At Christmas time, they entered into the Christmas spirit with great enthusiasm, trimming trees, distributing gifts, and in addition donated fifty small gifts to children throughout the hospital.

The Gray Lady Unit has reason to have pride in the accomplishment of this splendid record. It has been difficult to recruit new Gray Ladies, as the War days are over and some of the enthusiasm has dulled. However, thanks to the whole-hearted support and gracious help of the nurses and the Nursing Staff, we have been able to contribute immeasurable help toward the maintenance of essential Hospital services and look forward to the future when we hope to render our best Gray Lady Service.

LILLIAN W. JAMES, Chairman of Gray Ladies

MEMORIES
When asked to prepare a small article for your Bulletin, it was suggested that a slight review of the past might bring to your memory those of yesteryear. The first in my thoughts would be Miss Clara Melville, a devoted friend of nursing and Jefferson, Dr. H. K. Mohler, Dr. Righter, Dean Patterson, Miss Nora Shoemaker, Dr. Hare and Dr. Dacosta. It would be easy to name many more who have left rich inheritances to Jefferson. Jefferson has mounted to greater service to those who come to us for help, upon the loyal support of the good friends of the past.

When you visit us, you will note many changes, larger buildings, more spacious offices, newly decorated Nurses’ Dining Room and Dietary Departments. Also the addition of a four thousand dollar Auto-San dish machine installed recently that facilitates our service tremendously.

HELLIE W. JAMES, Chairman of Gray Ladies

COMMENTS OF THE PAST
The first Baccalaureate Service was held in the Hospital in 1894. Since that time the nurses have continued to be recognized by the Church and the Community. The Bessie Dobson Altemus Memorial Prize was given for the first time in 1920.

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MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Miss Edna Scott, '28, who was O. R. supervisor from 1947-1949 is now taking full-time work at the University of Pennsylvania. Many of Miss Ruth Spencer's, '34, friends will be glad to hear that since her graduation from the University of Pena. in February 1949, she is Assistant Director of Nurses of the Ohio Valley General Hospital—Wheeling, West Virginia.

Miss Margaret Carey, '27, has accepted a position with the veterans at Lebanon, Pa. Miriam Brunner, '39, has been appointed to the faculty at Westover Reserve University.

Ruby Wondra, '47, has recently and looked over our Pediatric Department. She is doing pediatric nursing at the San Diego County Hospital, San Diego, California.

Gloria Wray, '48, is doing School Nursing in McVeytown, Pennsylvania.

Gladys Koontz, '47, and Margaret Cosman, '47, are doing general duty at Presbyterian Hospital, New York.

Barbara Dyer, '47, has recently joined Veterans and is working in Hines, Illinois.

Clara Oakl, '47, and Paula Corretti, '47, are doing general duty—Alamag, Arizona. Miss Martha Walker our head dietian for many years has recently married. Her new address is—

Veronica Welsko, '32, who was injured when four cars of a passenger train were derailed and tumbled into a 300 foot ditch near Seoul, Korea, is now at Valley Forge General Hospital.

Alma Snyder, '35, has resigned from the Army and is at her home for the present before resuming nursing duties.

Dr. Alma K. Kinsley, '35, is back from Honolulu and awaiting orders for a place of duty in the Regular Army.

Lucille Boyles, '47, is on the anesthesia staff of Cooper Hospital, Camden, N. J.

Madge Trambley, '47, is in the A.N.C. and stationed at Fort Houston, Texas.

Dorothy McCoy Talbot, '40, received her B.S. degree in Nursing at Texas State College for Women in 1945. The information has just caught up with us.

Mildred Felter Snider, '24, lives in St. Petersburg, Florida and says, quote "St. Pete is the next place to heaven."

MEDICAL COLLEGE NEWS

In the past half year, Jefferson Medical College and Hospital have figured prominently in articles in three leading national magazines—Time, the Saturday Evening Post and Colliers.

Recent orthopedic work at Jefferson Hospital was featured with pictures in an article "New Bones for Old" which appeared in the January 22nd issue of Colliers. The research work on the shoulder, for which Dr. George A. Bennett, Professor of Anatomy, and Dr. Anthony F. DePalma, Assistant Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, jointly received the first prize Gold Medal Award last year from the American Association of Orthopedic Surgeons, receives much attention in the article.

The importance of research work carried on by Dr. Joseph H. Gibbon, Jr., Professor of Surgery and Director of Surgical Research at Jefferson Medical College was highlighted in the November 6th Saturday Evening Post article "Can We Rebuild Damaged Hearts?" The article describes the elaborate heart-and-lung apparatus which the laboratory, has demonstrated an ability to substitute for the heart and lungs for appreciable periods.

News stories and editorials throughout the nation's newspapers and the October 11th issue of Time carried an extensive illustrated report of the significant advances made in the first year's operation of the United Mine Workers of America Silicosis Research Project at Jefferson—at Barton and White Haven.

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| Edith Beyer Little           | 1925 | Died April 1948
| Kathryn Regent Sidwell       | 1926 | Deceased
| Ella King                     | 1897 | Deceased
| Nellie Cumminskey            | 1898 | Deceased

DEATHS
CONDOLENCES

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to Barbara Young Mullen, '29, on the death of her husband Patrick Mullen who passed away August 1948, and to Velma Elliott Musser, '19 whose husband, Dr. Guy Musser passed away recently.

Our belated sympathy we would send to:
Ester Armitage Ebel, '40—husband killed in action on Okinawa, 1945.
Adalyne Kinkead Starkey, '28—husband deceased, 1946.
Rosalyn Hosterman Boyle, '42—husband killed in action, 1944.

PRIZES

The Adeline Potter Wear Memorial Prize of twenty-five dollars to the member of the Graduating Class who in the opinion of the School of Nursing Faculty has demonstrated outstanding ability in the Nursing Arts Course to:
JEAN MARTHA TOWNER
Honorable mention to Christine Lowe Morrison.

The William Potter Memorial Prize of twenty-five dollars to the members of the Graduating Class who in the opinion of the Nursing School Faculty demonstrated the greatest versatility and cooperation in nursing situations to:
BETTY LUCILLE JOHNS
Honorable mention to Bernadine Marie Malinowski and Fayre Evans Thorne.

The Jefferson Hospital Women’s Board Prize of twenty-five dollars to the member of the Graduating Class who in the opinion of the Nursing School Faculty demonstrated the greatest versatility and cooperation in nursing situations to:
RUTH RILLA BULLOCK
Honorable mention to Betty Lucille Johns.

The Jefferson Nurses’ Alumnae Association Prize of twenty-five dollars to the member of the Graduating Class who attains the highest average during the three year course of study to:
DOROTHY ELLEN PETERSON
Honorable mention to Christine Lowe Morrison.

The Bessie Dobson Altemus Memorial Prize of twenty-five dollars to the student who, throughout her training, has contributed the most to harmonious living in the home:
SALLY ANN PRIM
Honorable mention to Ruth Rilla Bullock.

DISTRICT No. 1 DUES

At the November 1948 meeting of District Association No. 1, PSNA, the members present voted an assessment of $.50 per member for the year 1949. This is necessary because District No. 1 has not met the budget for the past two years. Therefore, your dues for 1949 are allocated as follows:

State Association dues  $8.00
ANA dues 3.00
District No. 1 dues 3.00
Assessment for District No. 1  $.50
Total dues  $14.50

Please make checks or money orders payable to District No. 1, PSNA. If a receipt is desired, please include a stamped, addressed envelope when sending your dues. Your ANA membership card will be mailed you at a later date.

Members who paid dues in 1948 and have not renewed membership by March 15, 1949 will have their names removed from the current year’s list.

We are anxious that you renew your membership and also secure at least one new member.

DOROTHY M. BEATTY,
Acting General Secretary.

DEAR ALUMNAE MEMBERS,

As you probably know by now, the secretariat of the Alumnae Association changed in January of this year. I think we all owe a vote of thanks to Miss Margaret Carey, who gave such faithful service to the Alumnae Association in her six years as Secretary.

If there has been any confusion regarding receipt of receipt cards for payment of alumnae dues of this year please let me know. Alumnae dues are four dollars and are due January 1st. If you have not received a bill the Association probably does not have your correct address.

If there is any service I can do for you please do not hesitate to ask, as I will be very glad to help when and where I can do so.

Sincerely yours,

EDNA SCOTT, '28,
Secretary-Treasurer.
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**JAP PRISON SCHOOL SPURS NURSE TO WIN UNIVERSITY DEGREE**

(Reprinted from San Antonio, Texas Newspaper)

It took a Japanese prison camp to spur Capt. Madeline Ullom, '38, Army nurse now at Brooke General Hospital, into continuing the college education that led to a Bachelor of Science degree from Incarnate Word College last August.

Interned in Santo Tomas after the Japs had captured her on Corregidor, Captain Ullom, like hundreds of other prisoners whiled away many weary hours by attending the prison camp university.

"We tried to lead as normal an existence as possible," she explained, "and since the Jap commander left us pretty much to our own devices for a long time the prisoners organized a school."

Santo Tomas itself was a university, she explained, so that they had classroom, laboratory and even library facilities. As for instructors, some of the best brains in the world, she says, were caught in the Philippines.

After the first year and a half, however, the school went to pieces. "Lack of food made us too tired to study, and our instructors were too tired and sick to teach us," Captain Ullom explained. "All we wanted to do was sleep; we were unable to concentrate." What little energy the captain could muster she spent nursing the ever increasing numbers of sick prisoners.

### TWENTY WAYS TO KILL AN ORGANIZATION

(Reprinted from Canadian Pharmaceutical Journal)

Get some if you are not appointed on a committee, but if you are do not attend committee meetings.

If you're asked by the chairman to give your opinion regarding some important matters, tell him you have nothing to say. After the meeting, tell everyone how things ought to be.

Do nothing more than is absolutely necessary, but when other members roll up their sleeves and willingly, unselfishly, use their ability to help matters along, how that the organization is run by a clique.

Hold back your dues as long as possible, or don't pay at all.

Don't bother about getting new members. Let the secretary do it.

When a dinner is given, tell everybody money is being wasted on "blow-outs" which make a big noise and accomplish nothing.

When no dinners are given, your association is dead, and needs a can tied to it.

Don't ask for a dinner ticket until all are sold. Then swear you've been cheated out of yours.

If asked to sit at the speaker's table, modestly refuse.

If you are not asked, resign from the association.

Don't tell the organization how it can help you, but if it doesn't help you, resign.

If you receive service without joining, don't think of joining.

If the association does not correct abuses in your neighbor's business, how that nothing is done.

If it calls attention to abuses in your own, resign from the association.

Keep your eyes open for something wrong, and when you find it, resign.

At every opportunity threaten to resign and then get your friends to.

When you attend a meeting, vote to do something, and then go home and do the opposite. Agree with everything said at the meeting and disagree with it outside.

When asked for information, don't give it.
THE BULLETIN COMMITTEE

The members of the committee have tried to bring you the news and happenings of the past year accurately. If there are any mistakes, we will gladly accept corrections, also hope there will be no offense taken if anyone has been missed, as we have no means of verifying items that are handed to us.

We wish to thank each and every one who has helped us in making the Nurses’ Alumnae Association Bulletin possible.

ATTENTION, ALUMNAE

Help us put out a better Nurses’ Bulletin! Send us every scrap of news and information you can get concerning former graduates. Constructive criticism or any suggestions you may have to offer are more than welcomed, and will be greatly appreciated. Please send news to your editor.

NEW ADDRESSES

It is very difficult for the Publicity Committee to keep in contact with all the girls. We would appreciate knowing of each change of address—either yours or a friend’s. Thank You.

Cut out and send to BERNICE W. SPEECHER, Nursing School Office, Jefferson Hospital, 10th and Sansom Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

PLEASE CHANGE MY ADDRESS

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If you know of any graduates who do not receive a Bulletin or Annual Luncheon Notice, please notify Publication Committee, or Nursing School Office at Jefferson Hospital.