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ALUMNI CALENDAR — 1980-1981

September 9, 1980
Regular Meeting

October 14, 1980
Regular Meeting

November 11, 1980
Regular Meeting

December, 1980
Christmas Dinner
Time and place to be announced

January 13, 1981
Regular Meeting

February 10, 1981
Regular Meeting

March, 1981
Dinner Meeting
Time and place to be announced

April 14, 1981
Regular Meeting

May 9, 1981
ANNUAL LUNCHEON
Jefferson Alumni Hall

May 12, 1981
Regular Meeting

All regular meetings will be held at Jefferson Hall, 11th & Locust Streets, Philadelphia. Meetings begin at 4:30 P.M. Room number posted in the lobby.
Dear Alumni,

My first two years as your president have passed quickly. Thank you for the confidence you have given me by reelecting me.

By the time you read this you will have had the chance to vote on some of the issues which were brought up on Alumni Day. I sincerely hope you will all give us some good feedback.

1982 and the actual closing of our diploma school of nursing is just around the corner!

Wishing you all the very best,

President

A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

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REPORT OF QUESTIONNAIRE RESPONSES

We are happy to report that as of August 15, 1980, we have received 1585 returns to the questionnaire mailed in July. This represents a response of over one third and is considered an excellent response.

The responses to the five questions in the questionnaire are by a large margin "yes," this indicates that:
1. You do not wish the Baccalaureate Nursing Program to be known as the "School of Nursing" because this title has belonged to the Diploma Program since 1891.
2. The monies accumulated by the Alumni Association over the years are to be retained for the use of our Alumni as set up by our By-Laws.
3. We will continue to have an Alumni Room.
4. We will continue to have our Annual Alumni Day.
5. We will continue to publish an Annual Bulletin.

In addition to the above, the following questions have been presented and we will make every effort to answer them to your satisfaction.

Q. Why does the Allied Health Review have the initials DN after the diploma names?
A. This is done to identify the program since there are nine programs in the College of Allied Health Sciences, i.e., CT — Cytotechnology, MT — Medical Technology, etc.

Q. Will the Diploma Program graduates be able to obtain a degree in conjunction with the new nursing program?
A. For information on this subject please write to the Office of the Registrar, College of Allied Health Sciences, 5200 Locust Street, Philadelphia, PA 19130.

Q. What will happen to the members of our graduating classes?
A. This was elaborated on in the 1979 Bulletin in the articles written by Lewis W. Bluemle, M.D., President, Thomas Jefferson University, and Albert E. Bowman, Director, School of Nursing. After re-reading both articles, one of the chief reasons for the phasing out is that not enough qualified young people are seeking admission to the program. If you have the 1979 Bulletin I would suggest that you re-read both articles.

Q. What are some recommendations for the future employment of the present nursing school instructors?
A. This is difficult to answer; but, no doubt, some will seek employment elsewhere and some will transfer to other positions in the University.

Q. Will we have a merged alumni association and will we still be considered graduates?
A. By virtue of the fact that we graduated from Jefferson, we are members of one Alumni; however, as of now and in the foreseeable future, we, the Diploma graduates, plan to retain our identity as the Alumni Association of the Diploma Nursing Program. You will always be a graduate of the Diploma Program regardless of what other letters you place after your name.

The Diploma Graduates have a rich heritage and I am sure we are all proud of being a part of it. This is certainly evidenced by the continuing loyalty, interest, and support for the Alumni Association, which is made known through communications from you. We hear not only from our younger graduates but also from our golden ages, some are ninety plus years young.

I hope this lengthy message has answered some of your concerns.

God bless you all.

Sincerely yours,

Margaret Summers
Second Vice President

SCHOOL OF NURSING
ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION 1979-1980

It seems like only yesterday that I was informing you of the need to close our School of Nursing by 1982. As mentioned at that time, this was not an easy decision for us to make but, we felt, a timely one. The two major reasons being, first, the recommendations of our professional organization that by 1985 the entry level for the professional nurse would be the baccalaureate degree, and second, the decreasing number of qualified applicants being attracted to our school.

We continue to receive letters from our graduates and others in support of the school and expressing regret at our closing. It has been rewarding to us to receive such documentation of support for our program.

In September, we will not be taking a new class and during June and July, we will be saying farewell and "Thanks for a job well done" to a third of our faculty members, some have been with us many years and have contributed considerably to the development of the school.

These include the following:

- Eva Bayard — 5 years
- Joyce E. Brown — 5 years
- Janice Crane — 5 years
- Perma Davis (1941) — 18 years
- Vida Johnson — 18 years
- Linda Kohlhofer — 4 years
- Margaret Mackenzie (1963) — 15 years
- Marilyn Miller (1955) — 10 years
- Ruth Pugliese — 8 years
- Patricia Zarella (1951) — 22 years

One of our last graduating classes had Commencement on June 4, 1980, in the Ballroom of the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. Seventy-four students received the diploma and pin of our school. Six additional members of this class have time to make up and will become members of the graduating class of June 1981.

I was reluctant to say "yes" to the class idea for a gift but finally gave in. As a result, my portrait was unveiled during Commencement Exercises and later displayed in the Scott Memorial Library. To each member of the class of 1980, I gave you such a hard time about the project, that is but I do appreciate your time, effort, the kind words you expressed and your just being "you". Thanks again!

Students remaining in the school for the next academic year will include sixty seniors and thirty-eight juniors. Even though our last graduating class will be small, it will be somewhat larger than the first graduating class in 1963 — three graduates.

One of our projects during the stepping down process in 1981 will be to convert our graduate records to a more compact and efficient microfilm system compatible with the College of Allied Health Sciences system. This is no small undertaking when you consider that we will have to convert over 5,000 graduate records. In 1982, all records will be transferred to the office of the Registrar, College of Allied Health Sciences.

Number one among extracurricular activities still seems to be basketball, though this year our cheerleaders were not active. Mary Ann Maxwell, ’80, led this year’s team to the league championship. She also was the recipient of the Thomas Jefferson Award for Athletic Achievement.

The class of 1979 should be pleased to know that our students are doing well in CPR using their gift of Resusci-Anne. Thanks for making this experience possible.

Many hours are going into the preparation of our final report for continued accreditation by the National League for Nursing. The visit is scheduled for November 10-12, 1980. When the words don’t come easily and the proofreading gets to be a drag, we do succumb to asking, "Is it worth it?" Remembering our past and presenting commitment to excellence, the immediate answer is "Yes."

On the heels of the NLN visit will be the Middle States visit for accreditation of the university. Everyone seems to be involved in some phase of preparing that report.

You may or may not be aware that SEPTA has moved its general office (400 employees) into our building. This has required shifting of some of our departments; however, we have been assured that the school of nursing is to remain in the same location until it closes.

With the phasing out of the diploma program and the closing of the practical school, by 1982 there will be only baccalaureate programs in the college, Baccalaureate Nursing, Cytotechnology, Dental Hygiene, General Studies and Medical Technology.

Although the prospects for me in the coming year seem a bit gloomy, if the numbers get smaller, the future of nursing is bright — it is yours. By basking in your reflected glory as you impact on our profession, your future brightens considerably.

Doris E. Bowman
Director, School of Nursing

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ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STUDENT AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF THE SCHOOL OF NURSING

The school year 1979-80 showed that Student Affairs Council was once again involved in many activities. Projects included fund-raising events, cultural projects, sporting activities and meetings.

May brought about the Senior party, which was well attended by members of all three classes. Gag gifts were awarded to members of the Senior class, illustrating outstanding characteristics displayed during their three years of dorm and class life. Pizza and soda were also provided, adding to the fun and success of this activity.

Revision of the Constitution of Student Affairs Council and the Student Handbook was the next task that the Council undertook in the spring. Members of the school also participated in the project by designing a new cover for the handbook, although it was a time consuming endeavor, incoming students found the book to be helpful in familiarizing themselves with Jefferson and Philadelphia.

An activity questionnaire was prepared by Student Affairs Council and distributed to the student body to determine activities which would be of greatest interest to them. The Student-Faculty Picnic was one such activity that was enjoyed by both students and faculty. Also, Student Affairs, along with Martin House Council, co-sponsored a Christmas Party. All who attended enjoyed roast turkey, cold cuts and rolls, cakes and cookies. We look forward to enjoying another co-sponsored party next year.

Our largest fund raising activity this year was a "Night on the Town" which included dinner and the movies for two people. Money raised aided us in enjoying a Door Decorating Contest at Christmas which provided students with a chance to have fun during the Christmas season. Until October of 1979, we also continued to sponsor Albert, an American Indian Child, through the Lutheran Services.

The School of Nursing classes also kept busy throughout the year with various activities. In order to help finance the yearbook, seniors engaged in numerous bake sales, along with candy and hoagie sales. Two raffles were also conducted during the academic year. In addition, the class participated in a blood pressure screening program held at the Federal Reserve Bank, providing health care to its employees and the public.

The senior class wishes to express its sincere thanks to the Thomas Jefferson University, College of Allied Health Sciences, School of Nursing (Diploma Program) Alumni Association and The School of Nursing Department of the Women's Board for their generous contributions which helped make the yearbook project a success. Perhaps the most meaningful project undertaken during their three years, will be the presentation of the Class gift; a portrait of Miss Doris E. Bowman, Director of the School of Nursing.

Junior Students worked hard raising funds with some very profitable activities such as a turkey raffle, a Tupperware sale, Easter candy sale, and baked goods sales. They also planned and participated in a beautiful capping ceremony — a historic event, as it was the last such ceremony of the Diploma Program.

The School of Nursing is extremely proud of their first-place basketball team which worked hard but nevertheless had fun during their exciting season. They completed the year with a 14-1 record, only losing their initial game. The highlight for the team was the dinner and flowers they received from the School of Nursing Department of the Women's Board and the Faculty, which they fully appreciated.

The entire school wishes to express its gratitude to the School of Nursing Department of the Women's Board for the entertainment and cultural experiences that were provided for us, including the Freshmen Tea and complimentary tickets to the ballet, orchestra and theatre.

Margie Mullen, Kathleen O'Brien, and Suzanne Bradley represented the Student Body at the Dean's Student Advisory Committee where they attended many meetings and also helped to develop a successful semi-formal dance that was held in February.

In conclusion, the Student Affairs Council wishes the students success and good luck during their remaining years. Thanks to all for contributing to a great academic year.

Sincerely,

Margaret M. Mullen
Chairman
Student Affairs Council
1979-1980

COMMENCEMENT 1980

At Commencement Exercises — 1980, the graduating class presented to Thomas Jefferson University, a portrait of Doris E. Bowman with some of the following comments:

A member of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital School of Nursing, Class of 1942, Doris E. Bowman volunteered her services as a member of the Jefferson Hospital Army Hospital — the 38th General Hospital. After basic training in Bowie, Texas, the unit was shipped to Egypt.

Discharged in 1945, Miss Bowman returned to civilian life as a private duty nurse. Then, she enrolled at the University of Pennsylvania, receiving a Bachelor's degree in Nursing Education. After graduation, she left Philadelphia to teach Medical-Surgical Nursing, and later, Fundamentals of Nursing in a Northern New Jersey School. She returned to Philadelphia to enroll in graduate school at the University of Pennsylvania, earning a master's degree in Education.

With her M.S. in hand, she joined the faculty of her Alma Mater in 1954 as instructor in Pediatric Nursing. She later became Assistant Director of Nursing and when Nursing Service and the School of Nursing became separate departments in 1958, she was appointed to the position of Director of the School of Nursing. The School continued to function under the Hospital until 1969 when it became a unit under the College of Allied Health Sciences.

If you were to survey Miss Bowman's family, friends and colleagues to determine her outstanding characteristics, loyalty would no doubt top the list. Her loyalty to Jefferson is beyond question. She has given of her time, talent and energy to her position.

There is always time in her busy schedule to keep in touch with alumnae and former faculty and staff. Nothing pleases her more than an unannounced visit of an alumni member with a babe in arms or toddler in tow.

She delights in playing with the child — it is obvious to all who witness this that Miss Bowman has never lost her love for children.

Much of her leisure time is devoted to her family — her brother and his wife and their two children. Her recreational program includes quilling, the theatre and more recently riding a bicycle along the Ocean City boardwalk.

"The students all appreciate the quality of their nursing program and therefore in deep appreciation we present to Thomas Jefferson University this portrait of Miss Bowman with the hope that those who see it in years to come will remember her and her dedication, and be reminded of all that Jefferson has contributed to our lives."

The portrait of Miss Bowman will be placed in the Jefferson Medical College Hospital School of Nursing Library, Room 1005, for all to see and know.
BENEFITS FOR MEMBERS OF JEFFERSON NURSES' ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP TYPES
Active — Graduates of the Diploma Program who are currently engaged in nursing, or who wish to remain on an active status. The members are eligible for all benefits if they meet the requirements.
Associate — Graduates who are currently inactive in the nursing field, but who wish to retain membership in the Association. They may not vote nor hold office, but can serve as members of the various committees.
Life — Graduates who have been members of the Alumni Association for forty consecutive years. These members are exempt from the payment of dues, but enjoy all privileges of active membership.
Honorary — Such persons elected to membership in recognition of some distinguished service to the nursing profession or for special merits. Such members are exempt from the payment of dues, and shall not vote, hold office, or receive Relief Fund nor Scholarship Fund benefits.

YEARS SOCIAL EVENTS
Alumni Luncheon held each May.
Dinner and White Elephant Auction sale held each March.
Christmas Party each December.

FINANCING
The Alumni Association is financed by:
1. Dues
Active dues, currently $100.00 per year, payable each January upon notification by the Secretary-Treasurer.
Associate dues, currently $5.00 per year, payable each January upon notification by the Secretary-Treasurer.
2. Annual Giving contributions.

PUBLICATIONS
The Alumni Bulletin is published yearly, in the fall.

ALUMNI FUNDS
Nurses Relief Fund
Sick benefits for Diploma Alumnae who are members of the Association. Individual consideration is given to non-members. Amount has been increased to up to $1000.00 per year for Active Members. Up to $650.00 per year for Associate Members.
Requirements: Refer to By-Laws

Scholarship Fund
Graduate — Two $1000.00 scholarships for each of the spring and fall semesters, granted to active members of the Alumni Association who are working towards a degree in nursing and who meet the requirements.
Requirements: Refer to By-Laws
Student — Given annually to a worthy student to pursue the course in the Diploma Program, no pre-set amount. The amount depends on the need of the student.
General Fund
Used to pay operating expenses, mailings, to send candidates to conventions, etc.

ALUMNI AWARDS
1. The Alumni Association Prize — to the member of the graduating class who attained the highest average during the three-year course. Prize $100.00.
2. Thomas A. Shallow Memorial Prize — to the graduating student who demonstrated the greatest proficiency in Operating Room Nursing. In 1978 changed to the graduating student who has demonstrated the greatest proficiency in Surgical Nursing. Prize $100.00.
3. Student Recognition Award — An award of $200.00 yearly to the junior student for the highest academic rank.

MEMORABILIA
In the Alumni offices we have displayed nurses' pins, pictures, dolls dressed as nurses, scrap books with old clippings, diplomas, graduation programs, and alumni bulletins.
We also have memorabilia at the Nurses Museum located at Pennsylvania Hospital, 8th & Spruce Streets.
Addresses are kept current by requesting address changes from the Post Office on all mail sent out by the Alumni.
Currently we have between 2,500 and 3,000 active addresses.

THE BULLETIN
Many of the Alumni members have expressed a wish that the Bulletin include more news items about our graduates. We'd like to oblige them, but are dependent upon the members for articles about themselves and their activities.

The Bulletin includes news items about the Alumni activities.

RESUME OF MINUTES OF ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETINGS
September 11, 1979
18 members present
1. A letter was read regarding Faculty Club membership at Jefferson Hall. The office of president of the Alumni Association of the School of Nursing does not meet the requirement for membership in the Faculty Club.
2. The following recommendations were made and approved as follows:
   (a) That the President respond to the Nursing Museum regarding Jefferson's donations.
   (b) That an invitation be sent to the Nursing Museum to come to speak to the Alumni Association as a special program.
3. An invitation was made to the White House and travels with the President, or that another is working in the Frontier Nursing Service in Kentucky. There are many others who could help make the Bulletin a more informative and interesting journal. Please share your experiences with the Alumni members.
4. We express our congratulations to all of the new officers and members of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association. We wish them well during their term of office.

Mabel C. Prevost, Chair

RESUMÉ OF MINUTES OF ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETINGS
November 11, 1979
14 members present
1. The Christmas Party was held December 11, 1979 and enjoyed by everyone. There were 30 people present including, of course, Santa.
2. The nominating committee consists of E. Hippenstrell (Chairman), Beverly Rupp and Dee Hughes.
3. The following recommendation was made and approved:
   That we give $150.00 as a Christmas Gift to those nurses who are in a nursing home or incapacitated in some way.
4. A guest speaker from the History of Nursing Museum presented a special program.
December 11, 1979
Christmas Party.
January 8, 1980
14 members present
1. The Christmas Party was held December 11, 1979.
2. That a cheese and punch party be held for the Senior students in the Faculty Club.
3. That the President seek legal counsel for the purpose of reviewing the Alumni Will which has not been done in 5 years.
March 1980
Dinner and Auction Sale
April 8, 1980
16 members present
1. That Miss Prevost Chair the committee to review the Will.
2. That a donation of $150.00 be sent to the History of Nursing Museum.
3. That Mrs. Perma Davis be sent to the ANA Convention in New York this year.

April 8, 1980
16 members present
1. 29 members attended the Dinner and Auction Sale in March. Proceeds from the Auction amounted to $51.00.
2. The following recommendations were made and approved:
   (a) That Miss Prevost Chair the committee to review the Will.
   (b) That a donation of $150.00 be sent to the History of Nursing Museum.
   (c) That Mrs. Perma Davis be sent to the ANA Convention in 1980.

Results of the election:
President — Mrs. Perma Davis
2nd Vice President — Margaret Summers
Board of Directors — Doris Bowman
Janet Hindson
Bevery Rupp

3. A special program on "Over-the-Counter Drug Abuse" was presented by a representative from Philadelphia.
May 13, 1980

13 members present

1. The following recommendations were made and approved:
   (a) That the ballots be destroyed.
   (b) That we give Mary Dickerson '44 full relief benefits.
   (c) That we give Mary Culp financial help.
   (d) That the Officers and Board of Directors conduct all business until September, 1980.

2. $100.00 was added to the Treasury from sale of Alumni articles after the luncheon.

3. 321 people attended the luncheon and everyone reported a very good time. Flowers from the Head Table were given to Mary Dickerson '44 hospitalized at Jefferson.

Respectfully submitted,

Dee Hughes
Recording-Secretary

SCHOLARSHIP REPORT 1979-1980

Ten applications for scholarship assistance were sent; seven were returned and reviewed by the committee. Joan L. Canuso (1976), Linda S. Bingaman (1975) and Suzanne M. Garbus were granted a scholarship for the Fall Semester of 1980 and Janet Walsh (1973) and Grace Spona (1971) were granted a scholarship for the Spring Semester of 1980.

The scholarship award for 1980, granted to the junior student who had demonstrated the highest level of achievement at the end of the second quarter, was granted to Patricia Lindenmuth.

Committee members wish to take this opportunity to encourage graduates enrolled full time in a program leading to a degree in nursing to apply for scholarship assistance, especially if financial problems interfere with the completion of the program.

Doris E. Bowman, '42
Chairman, Scholarship Committee

REPORT OF SICK AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

During the past twelve months, "get well" cards were sent to Alumni members who were patients at Jefferson, and known members who were ill elsewhere. We are happy to do this, if your illness is made known to us.

Margaret M. Cosman '47

SOCIAL REPORT

The Nurses' Alumni Association held its annual Christmas Party and Auction Sale this past year in the Faculty Club of the Jefferson Alumni Hall.

The Annual Luncheon was held May 3, 1980 at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. There were 321 in attendance.

The graduation class of 1980 were guests of the Association. There were 51 members present. Class Vice President, Sister Bernadette Raventhal, was presented with a corsage by President Perma Davis.

The 50th Anniversary class were guests of the Association. There were 14 members present.

The flowers at the head table were Miss Doris Bowman, Director of the Diploma School of Nursing; Miss Elizabeth Sweeney, Director of the School of Practical Nursing; Miss Mabel C. Prevost, former Director, School of Nursing and Nursing Service and Assistant Hospital Director; Dr. Laura Merker, Director of Nursing Service and Associate Director of Thomas Jefferson University Hospital; Mrs. Caroline Masuda, Secretary-Treasurer; Miss Elizabeth Pierrel, first Vice President and Miss Margaret Summers, second Vice President.

Flowers were presented to the following Alumni: Mrs. Anna Craver and Mrs. Verna Roberts, class of 1921; Miss Clara Brunner, class of 1922; Miss Julia Ganster, class of 1924; Mrs. Marian Briggs, class of 1925; Miss Marjorie Working and Mrs. Pauline Still, class of 1926; Miss Lillian Mertz, Mrs. Martha Riland, Mrs. Clara Hardy, Mrs. Pauline Gillen and Mrs. Philomena Doherty, class of 1927; Miss Edna Scott, Miss Margery Burger, class of 1928; Miss Frances Wildoner, Mrs. Grace Eichelberger, class of 1929.

The flowers at the head table were given to Mrs. Mary Dickerson, class of 1944 who was hospitalized on the day of the luncheon.

Following the luncheon, tours were held in the new Clinical Teaching Hospital and the Alumni Room was open for members to visit.

The Alumni Luncheon for 1981 will be the second Saturday in May. The date is May 9, 1981.

Janet Hindeon
Chairperson

NURSING ALUMNI OFFICE

This coming year (1981) will be an interesting one for the Nursing Alumni. The School of Nursing will be ninety years old. When the School began, the first class of five students had a two-year program, graduating in 1893. Shortly after this the course was lengthened to a three-year program which has continued to the present time.

Another exciting date coming up in 1983 will be the fiftieth anniversary of the annual luncheon. Miss Helene Weber, Class of 1922, pioneered the idea during her term as president of the alumni, organizing and starting the tradition of the annual luncheon, which is the alumni's main event of the year.

Elizabeth Ent, class of 1932, has given the Alumni Office a lovely picture of the second luncheon held at the Adelphia Hotel on April 23, 1924. The picture is a document of the times when ladies wore hats and white gloves at social functions — come and see it!

Miss Breekin Boyle, Class of 1918, sent photographs of her classmates and interns taken in the children's ward for the Alumni Scrapbook. This memorabilia can be seen in the Alumni Office, M-2, Jefferson Alumni Hall. Many alumni and other visitors have enjoyed viewing these photographs.

Our number of active addresses is 3050. I appreciate the fact that so many of you responded by sending in changes of names and new addresses. Please keep sending them so you will continue to receive mail from both the Nurses' Alumni Association and Thomas Jefferson University.

If you wish to contact the Alumni Office in person or by telephone, the office is located in Jefferson Hall, 1020 Locust Street, on the Mezzanine level, Room M-2. The telephone number is (215) 928-8981. Miss Riland may be reached there every Tuesday from 10:20 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. She has Jefferson Cap charms available at a cost of $12 in sterling silver (with a $1.50 charge for mailing).

Calls or inquiries made other than on Tuesdays should be directed to the College of Allied Health Sciences Alumni Office, Room M-34, (215) 928-7709.

Martha E. Riland
Secretary
SPECIAL REPORTS

JEFFERSON'S PROFILES IN COURAGE — 1980

Our 1979 Bulletin seems to have been circulated beyond the Alumni membership because our attention was called to a report in the journal "Nursing — 80," April issue. We learned that the author had read our Bulletin and impressed by the courage of Vivian Moyer, made an appointment with her, and following an interview, published the following article.

Much to Teach

"RN Vivian Moyer, of Philadelphia, PA, tutors nursing school graduates who’ve failed the state board examination in medical/surgical nursing. Ms. Moyer, who has multiple sclerosis (MS), can also teach many of us about living life to the fullest.

A graduate of the Jefferson Hospital School of Nursing in 1943, Ms. Moyer served as an army nurse in England during World War II. In 1953, she received a BS in nursing education from the University of Pennsylvania. She taught at Jefferson, then at Philadelphia General Hospital, and, finally, in 1964, at Pennsylvania Hospital School of Nursing, at which time the diagnosis of multiple sclerosis was made.

"Actually, I had noticed a disturbance in my vision back in 1950 while I was doing some practice teaching," she told us. "But I was told it was probably due to my tensions from teaching. The problems passed, and I guess I had a remission for 15 years. Then I began having difficulty walking, and the MS was finally diagnosed.

Now I was faced with learning how to continue going back and forth to classrooms and teaching on the floors. Fortunately, I was offered the position of student health supervisor, I stayed in that job for 8 years. After a time, I had to use a walking stick. But even with the stick, I fell a number of times and suffered broken bones.

"In 1976, I had to begin using a wheelchair. Nobody pointed to it and said, 'Here, you're going to be in this wheelchair the rest of your life.' But I finally understood that this was going to be my life, and I'd better get used to it. I thought of the GIs we'd see on the ward after D-day — paraplegics, quadriplegics, amputees. We'd wonder how they were going to handle the handicap for the rest of their lives. I found out for myself. You have to make adjustments."

Ms. Moyer, who’s able to walk short distances with the help of a walker, began tutoring students in her apartment about 2 years ago. "I started off teaching only registered nurses, but I've begun teaching practical nurses as well.

"Some people say I should charge more than I do, but I'm satisfied. I feel that I'm not only teaching, but also learning — that I'm still growing as a person. Everyone I've tutored has subsequently passed. If this is continuing contribution to nursing, I'm happy and proud."

We're sure we speak for everyone when we say the profession's proud of her.

NOTE: The Bulletin Committee regrets that the author's name did not appear in the publication.

CREDENTIALING IN NURSING

by Anna Kuba, F'45

Thirty-five years ago I had my first experience in credentialing in nursing — I wrote the state board examination for licensure as a registered nurse in Pennsylvania. (Subsequently, I was licensed in Massachusetts and North Carolina by endorsement.) Later, as a faculty member and educational administrator, I became intimately acquainted with the approval process used by state boards of nursing for programs-preparing persons for licensure as nurses and national voluntary accreditation of educational programs. In the latter instance, I served as a member of the accreditation team to schools and colleges of nursing on numerous occasions and as a member of the Accreditation Review Board for the NLN Council on Baccalaureate and Higher Degree Programs as well as being on the receiving end of the process. Approval/accreditation of educational programs is another form of credentialing. More recently, while on the staff of the American Nurses’ Association, I was involved in the certification programs offered by the ANA Division on Nursing Practice and served as the coordinator for the Council of State Boards of Nursing. Certification, too, is a kind of credentialing. As the executive director of a board of nursing (North Carolina), a member of the ANA National Accreditation Board for Continuing Education in Nursing, and a member of the Task Force on Credentialing, my involvement in credentialing continues unabatedly. Therefore, I'm indeed a pleasure to be addressing my fellow alumni on a subject of intimate, intense and far reaching concern to all of us — credentialing.

The action which ultimately set into motion a study of credentialing in nursing was the result of a territorial skirmish. A resolution was adopted by the 1974 ANA House of Delegates to examine the feasibility of ANA accrediting basic and graduate programs in nursing, a function then and now of the National League for Nursing. After a series of conferences involving representatives from nursing education, nursing practice, and experts in credentialing in other fields, a proposal emerged and was subsequently approved by the ANA to broaden the scope of the study to include all aspects of credentialing — accreditation, certification, and licensure — because it was realized that these mechanisms are inextricably tied together in the overarching purpose of providing quality assurance. The study was to include credentialing of all categories of individuals engaged in the occupation of nursing, as well as programs of nursing education and nursing service. The overall aim was to look at credentialing as it exists in nursing and to recommend future directions in credentialing for the profession.

The report, THE STUDY OF CREDENTIALING IN NURSING: A NEW APPROACH, was released at the end of January, 1979. A major finding, as you might suspect, was that the current system of licensure and certification of nurses and accreditation of nursing services and nursing education is uncoordinated, fragmented and duplicative. The recommendations of the Study Committee call for a restructuring of credentialing and the establishment of a national credentialing center.

What quickly becomes apparent in studying credentialing is that there are many more currents to be dealt with. While these currents are not divisible in practice, they may advantageously be separated out in attempting to deal as rationally and objectively as possible in developing solutions and in gaining rational and objective consideration of recommendations. One of these undercurrents is the territorial one of the control of the credentialing system and its various aspects. Again, one may identify separable questions and, thus, possible separable solutions. Who makes the definitions?, who sets the standards?, who conducts the process?, who awards the credential?, who establishes what the credential may be used for? The second undercurrent includes the more personal concerns of the credentialer, whether he be an individual or an institution. What are the credentials?, what standards are required of the credentialer?, what prohibitions and what entitlements accrue to the credentialer?

To a large extent, three of the recommendations of the Study Committee roughly parallel these streams, one concerning with the credentialing process for the individual, another with the credentialing system and its control.

In relation to the credentials, it is recommended that:

1. Licensure, as a mandatory, state governmental credentialing form, used to protect the public by assuring minimum level of professional competence, be required only of those individuals who are accountable for the full scope of practice.

2. Registration be the form of credentialing for assisting personnel, the second category of persons engaged in nursing, antithetical but defined by education as associate degree prepared. Registration, as a national, non-governmental form of credentialing, by which individuals are listed on an official roster, would attest to employers an individual's ability to perform specific functions necessary to the practice of nursing, but which do not constitute the full scope of practice. (Under such a system, the term "registered," while conveying a different meaning from today's usage, would
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preserve the familiar titular identification and public recognition of the majority of nurses and the use of a new title for the professional group eligible for licensure would call attention to the emergence of a new role for nursing.)

4. Accreditation, a non-governmental form of credentialing, be available for all organizations of nursing services as well as nursing education programs and that state boards of nursing not be responsible for the approval or accreditation of schools of nursing.

To move on from the credentials themselves to the means of accomplishing credentialing in a comprehensive, cohesive, coordinated, efficient, and accountable manner, a free-standing nursing credentialing center is recommended. The center would bring together the community of interests in nursing for policy-making and coordination. In such a center, the functions of accreditation of programs of nursing education and nursing services, the certification of nursing specialists, and the registration of the yet unlisted assistant personnel would be conducted, and the coordination of services for state licensing would be provided. The report proposes the characteristics of such a center, its purposes, functions, and structure.

Since nursing has had a sad history of revolving and ostriching, but not implementing, its landmark studies, the Study Committee recommended a plan for follow-up which appears as an addendum to the report. They recommended the establishment of an independent task force to act as a catalyst and focal point for stimulating discussion aimed at broad acceptance of the study recommendations, including implementation of the nursing credentialing center and to develop additional data necessary for definitive decision-making by nursing organizations and credentialing bodies for committing themselves and their resources to such an endeavor.

Change, particularly in the direction of unification, is anxiety-producing. It is never easy. It requires some compromise for the common good. If nursing can carry this through for the benefit of the public as well as the profession, we will have created a model that other professions can emulate. How wonderful for nursing to act first, instead of reacting last.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE REPORT
May 31, 1979 - May 31, 1980

Another year has passed and it has been a busy year. We want to thank each and everyone of you for your generous giving and your continued support to your Alumni Association.

The contributions to the Relief and General Fund brought the total amount to $8,240.00.

All contributions received after May 31, 1980 will be acknowledged in the Alumni Bulletin for 1980.

Following is a list of contributors according to classes:
THE 80's: DECADE FOR DECISION

A.N.A. CONVENTION REPORT

JUNE 8-18, 1980

HOUSTON, TEXAS 52nd BIENNIAL CONVENTION

Doris Bowman and I arrived in Houston International at 6:30 A.M. on Sunday, June 8, and were driven under the Lamar Hotel by Doris' cousin and his wife who live in Houston. It was the hottest day of the year — 99° with the humidity to go with it.

We walked the eight blocks to the Albert Thomas Convention and Exhibit Center in time to register. Our registration pins were admission to everything.

After a quick bite (standing in line was the order of the day since everything was closed for Sunday) at the Hyatt Regency, we went to the Coliseum to hear the keynote address of Kathryn A. Dugan, M.D., FAAN, deputy director, National Institute of Mental Health, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Rockville, MD.

Dr. Dumas is the first woman to hold this position.

Dr. Dumas has a great deal of enthusiasm for nursing in the 80's. The three major challenges, according to Dr. Dumas are:

1. Improving the access and quality of health and mental health care for the underserved.
2. Controlling health and mental health care costs while addressing their contribution is not short-sightedly sacrificed, and
3. Shifting emphasis from a preoccupation with illness to a focus on prevention and wellness.

During the 80's nurses should be educated so they can greet tomorrow's health care with confidence.

The base for nursing practice has been developing in health care with confidence.

Hands-on care giving has not become old fashioned and there will always be an important place in nursing for the care of the whole person.

Tomorrow's nurse must be flexible and must be able to deal with health technology and sickler patients. She or he must be able to find solutions to problems for which no known techniques exist.

She or he must be able to assume leadership and responsibility and not be afraid of the increased accountability for decisions made.

"We are about to come together in the nursing profession and we will meet the challenges of the 1980's with renewed commitment to the trust profession and with one voice — one audible coherent powerful voice."

Starting with early Monday morning, June 9, wherever we went we were bombarded with pins, pens, hats, candy and the literature for the candidates to be elected, but once again only 734 delegates elected the A.N.A. officers.

I don't call that very democratic, but that's the way of the A.N.A.

Rising early and getting in early — 6:30 A.M. — breakfast was the rule of the day. Breakfasts were an event since the biscuits were freshly made and "girls" were part of each platter of eggs, etc.

Doris and I went to the Music Hall to the hearings on resolutions at 6:30 A.M. There was a lot of discussion and very little decision making at that meeting and we stayed for several hours.

In the afternoon I went to the continuing education program "Commitment to Self Care in the 80's" sponsored by the Division on Community Health Nursing Practice. The moderator, Raymond G. Cink, MPH, RN, Vice Chairperson, ExCom, A.N.A. Division on Community Health, St. Paul, Minnesota, presented the speakers (1) Dr. Toni Sullivan, associate professor and director, BSN program, Felician College, Lodi, New Jersey; (2) Jean McKibbin Smith, M.S., R.N., clinical instructor, staff development, Memorial Hospital, Gulfport, Mississippi; and (3) Dr. Carolyn Chambers Clark, director, The Wellness Institute, Sloatsburg, New York.

None of the material was a new concept but an elaboration and in words that have been presented in the past few years in reference to handling stress either through diet or various self-care programs which these three presented.

After we went to the continuing education programs, we looked for the right platter to take the examination. It was filled with nurses taking examinations. The examination was pertinent to the program just presented and we were told the results would be forwarded to us in a few months.

Monday night we went to Brennan's for dinner. The gardens and restaurant are lovely besides having good food. They are a branch of the same in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Tuesday morning while we were eating breakfast we met Dr. Harriet Werley. She was one of the moderators in a round table discussion we attended on "Behavioral Psychology." It was the first I knew that she publishes a magazine "Research in Nursing and Health."

Part of this day was spent in seeing the many worthwhile exhibits. It was surprising to see so many hospitals from all over the United States with booths. Most of the samples from drug companies were too large or cumbersome to bring back with us — such as a plastic yardstick.

Those of you on faculty remember Pat Tucker who taught Orthopedics. We spoke to her several times during the course of the convention. She is now an editor with the magazine "Nursing 80." She hasn't changed a bit except maybe she's more fun to be with.

Tuesday afternoon and another continuing education program was attended — "Impact of Alternative Modes of Care" sponsored by the Commission on Nursing Research with Nora Pender, commission member and professor, School of Nursing, Northern Illinois University. Elie Weyrauch and Lynda Bernard Austin, nurse assessors and members of Alternative Health Services, Department of Medical Assistance, State of Georgia, Atlanta, presented the program.

Because of the rapid growth in the number of elderly, Georgia Medicaid sponsored an alternative home health care research over a three year period. Objectives: (1) prevent unnecessary institutionalization; (2) provide complete community health services at reduced costs, 1800 participants in 17 counties. Three means of accomplishment were: (1) Adult Day Rehabilitation with daily nursing visits, physical therapists, occupational therapists, prosthetics aids and transportation to and from continuing education programs, (2) Alternative learning services as needed — with foster care, board and congregate care. Daily supervision of activities, meals, etc. was provided as needed. (3) Home delivered services. The cost advantage was a high volume of screening with an efficient rate of professionals. Services are less costly than rising institutions and clients (this word substituted for "patients" wherever you went to the convention) receiving this kind of care live longer.

Dr. Loretta Nowakowski, executive director, Institute for Personal Health, and adjunct assistant professor of nursing, Georgetown University, School of Nursing, Washington, D.C., advocates health promotion through self health care. The role of the nurse in this is (1) Administrator, (2) Designer, and (3) Implementer. The nurse must deliver what has been promised. Two responsibilities: (1) Research and (2) Research at a national level. There is a high fear of costly illness of the clients. Nurses had not identified its purpose. Doctors say "health" but mean disease. Clients want someone to listen — not Prach — to them.

"Dr. Joan LeSage, characterperson, geriatric/gerontological nurse at St. Luke's Medical Center, Chicago, Illinois. These clients were divided into William Jones apartments built in 1965 with 144 people in 115 units providing care for the and the John R. Bowe man Health Care for the elderly built in 1977. The clients are transported from the apartment to the Health Care Center for care. Tuesday evening we took a taxi to the Galleria and Sackowitz's. The Galleria is something like our malls but much bigger. There's a hotel in one section of it. We ate in a Chinese Restaurant that evening and thoroughly enjoyed it."

Before starting another interesting day let me tell you a little bit about Houston. One sees NO GRAFFITI anywhere. Each evening the sidewalks are "washed down" with hoses and each day you arise to a bustling CLEAN city with very little public transportation and some problem crossing the river. The wide walk-ways and three-lane roads start to assure the workers in those buildings do not need to go out in the humid hot air for lunch. There are also underground parking areas. As the people arrive from outlying areas (except for hotels there is no living space in the downtown area) the traffic is very busy but this gradually subsides until about 4:30 P.M. when there is a mad exodus to their homes and apartments.

Wednesday "Decade of Diversity: Strategies for Nursing Education in the 80's, a basis for innovation in clinical Learning Experiences" sponsored by the Commission on Nursing Education. The moderator was Dr. Gloria Smith, dean and professor, College of Nursing, University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, "The Rural Community: A Setting for Clinical Learning." Dr. Darlene Mesery, director of continuing education, School of Nursing, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, began very hesitantly to tell of their innovative program to give nurses in their community the help they needed to prepare for their future roles. We in the East have very little understanding of the difficulties some of these schools have providing this.

Characteristics of the area —

Wide distribution of population, 1/3 of population lives in 3 counties.

Transportation facilities are poor.

Nursing care needs as well as needs of students.

Students evaluate their own feelings about working in these areas.

Rural clinical experiences are more expensive.

The students must provide their own transportation and living expenses. Two hours driving time daily is needed.

Portapvic TV unit to take on rural settings. These are shared with other students who do not participate in rural program.

Miss Rosemary Bell, MSN, R.N. "Innovative Approaches to Clinical Learning in the Urban Community." Associate professor, College of Nursing, and chief, Nursing Staff, Wayne State University.

"There is a contrast between the Detroit Institute and Wayne University."

Maries are constantly being sought through United Fund, Medicare, Pharmaceutical Companies.

Students spend 60% time in service, 40% time in teaching.

Education time is reimbursed through United Fund.

Miss Bell quoted Dr. Christian as "Education plus service equals power."

Dr. Elizabeth Grossman, dean and professor, School of Nursing, Indiana University, Indianapolis. "Planning Clin-
ical Learning Experiences to Meet the Needs of Diverse Populations.

"The times change and we change with them.

Relevant curricula to keep abreast of changing needs of society.
1. Chronic and degenerative diseases have replaced infectious diseases.
2. Increased longevity.
3. Accidents are most frequent cause of death in ages 1 through 40.
5. Effect on clinical innovation. Data and commitment of faculty.

Indiana University assisted faculty. Needs, circumstances, goals of school.
Specialist degree with major in primary care. Leaders to practice teaching.
Purpose, function, responsibility. Teach health instead of illness.
Health care needs of Indiana reflect nation wide needs with population over 55.
Chronic illness and aging.
Nursing/clinical teacher. Sift care practices.
"Live out — NOT die out living.
Adapt to health/illness. Existing ambulatory centers utilized.
Referral to diabetes, arthritis, hypertension, heart disease.

Wednesday at noon we picked up the A.N.A. history on our way out of the Albert Thomas Convention and Exhibit Center.
We took a former housemother, Mrs. Bard, to a lunch at Vargas. As we drove up, two peacocks welcomed us and then promptly flew (did you know peacocks could fly? I hadn't known until I saw them!) to the top of the building. Our table was under a glass roof by a live tree and the view beyond was a small waterfall and stream with swans — black and white — ducks and geese calmly swimming by. What a beautiful restful place to eat a delicious lunch.

Wednesday evening we ate in the Hotel Lamar dining room because we were still full from lunch. Mr. Bard's daughter drove us around a section of Houston we hadn't seen before — Rice University on one side and the Medical Center and Zoo on the other side. The Medical Center was so overwhelming and hard to believe.
As dusk was falling, we walked to the Hyatt Regency and enjoyed a view of the city from the "Spindletop. There really wasn't much we missed! I felt like a little girl again seeing so many new and different things!

University of Rochester in 1921 was the first school to adopt Flexnor's model.
1923 — Nursing has not kept step with medicine.
Goldmark Commission on Nursing established because:
1. Public concern about influenza outbreak after World War I.
2. Medicine became more scientific than nursing.
Recommended:
1. American nursing follow lead of medicine's move into the collegiate system.
2. Nursing be developed for community, health nursing to prepare foundation for specialization in either community or hospital.
No action was taken:
1925 — Esther Lucille Brown report similar to Goldmark Commission recommendations — nothing happened.
1930 — Characteristics
1. Sturdy level of commitment.
2. Long and disciplined educational process.
3. Unique body of knowledge and skill.
4. Discriminatory authority and judgment.
5. Active and cohesive professional organization.
6. Acknowledged Social Work and service. These studies were still not acted upon.
Reasons for nursing shortage:
1. Female high school graduates have a lot more choices. At the University of Rochester one in three are female applicants to Law school, engineering and management.
2. ½ million maintain licenses but never practice nursing.
3. In 4 work only part time.
Propositions:
1. As economists define a real manpower shortage, there is no nursing shortage.
2. In the face of the problem of nursing we have a tremendous problem of returning nurses for patient care.
Extraor or economic:
1. Nurses not paid well to direct patient care.
1978 — average salary for staff was $6.00 per hour or $12,000 per year.
2. Grocery clerks' union affords a stock boy $11.87 an hour.
3. Nurses are not recognized and rewarded for work accomplished.

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HARRIET WERLEY HONORED FOR CONTRIBUTION TO NURSING SCIENCE

Harriet Werley, Ph.D., FAAN, is the first recipient of the Award for Distinguished Contribution to Nursing Science given by the American Nurses' Foundation. The award was presented by Ray Showalter, ANP president, at a meeting of the Council of Nurse Researchers at the ANA convention in Houston.

Dr. Werley, who became associate dean at the School of Nursing, University of Missouri/Columbia in January, has been a researcher for 26 years. At the Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, she developed the department of nursing research, recognized as the first center for nursing research in the nation. At Wayne State University in Detroit, she developed the Center for Health Research, the first such program in the nation to be established in a college of nursing.

In accepting the award, she emphasized the importance of basing nursing's curricula on its own research. While the volume of nursing research has increased, many problem areas remain to be investigated, she said. "Nursing must marshal its talent and resources to be more research productive, so that nursing's investigative capabilities and results are more readily recognized by the scientific community."

Dr. Werley is founder and editor of Research in Nursing and Health, a national refereed journal. She is the author of 50 articles published since 1954.

The award was made possible by a grant from the Bristol-Myers Fund. Members of the selection committee were Susan Gortner, Ph.D., FAAN, Barbara Hansen, Ph.D., FAAN, and Ada Jacox, Ph.D. Twenty-seven nurse researchers were nominated.

COLLEGE OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The College of Allied Health Sciences Alumni Special Achievement Award was established in 1977 to recognize the accomplishments of allied health alumni.

The 1980 distinguished alumna was Barbara G. Schutt, Class of 1939. The award is given for her many accomplishments in many fields of nursing and in education.

As assistant, associate and executive director of the Pennsylvania Nurses' Association, a branch of the American Nurses' Association, Miss Schutt concerned herself with nursing services and education and the economic welfare of the members, and the advancement of nursing in the state. During this time, 1946-1958, she served as editor of The Pennsylvania Nurse.

Sandwiched among all of these activities, Barbara earned a Master of Science degree in Education at the University of Pennsylvania in 1949.

From 1958-1971, Miss Schutt was editor of the American Journal of Nursing, the official magazine of the American Nurses' Association with a circulation of 325,000.

Her active career was finalized in 1979 after serving as Director, Division of Nursing, Mohican Community College in Norwich, Connecticut from 1974-79.

After such a busy and productive career in nursing, our best wishes go to Barbara C. Schutt for a happy retirement.

Congratulations, Barbara.

THE CONCHOLOGISTS

Two friends, Blanche Ford '31, and Emma Bahner '31, have for years shared a common hobby, conchology (shell collecting). They spent vacations at Sanibel Island, a place prolific in all varieties of shells. In addition to the collecting of these beautiful objects, they both used their shells to make jewelry, trays, boxes and other items. In addition, the shell motif is used throughout Emma's apartment — pillows, towels, pictures, etc.

Retirement has brought some enriching changes in both their lives. From all reports, their interest in conchology still persists, but both are contributing of themselves and their nursing skills in helping others.

Excerpted from an article in The Islander, a Sanibel newspaper — "It is Blanche's concern for other people that keeps her hustling today. — Today, as a resident of the Periwinkle Trailer Park, she keeps busy baking good­ies for friends and neighbors, carpooling for her church choir, and taking blood pressures. She creates wonderful shell craft art, visits the ill, and mails out 200 birthday cards a year. "Everything I do, I do because I want to, it's my way of contributing."

The pamphlet Purely Personal, April newsletter, reports: "Your reporter was lying in a hip-high broken-leg cast when she first heard Emma Bahner's mellow voice over the phone. "This is your friendly visitor from P.C.O.P. (Philadelphia Center for Older People)." That Emma had formerly been a nurse is just one reason she is our ideal comforter of the housebound. Her warmth and positive attitude add to her total aptness. Lately she has been volunteering in Crafts. Besides all this, there is Emma's alluring hobby of conchology. The minute you enter her apartment (like a warm museum) you feel transported to Florida's Captive or Sanibel Island. Sea shells confront you everywhere. Shells, as mysterious and varied as the myriad human faces in a crowd, but far more beautiful."

Blanche and Emma, in helping others, have enriched their lives and have endeared themselves to others. Keep going, Ladies!
CLASS NEWS

Class of 1909
Mary M. Robinson Godfrey (Robert — deceased), Ligonier, PA 15658. Thank you for The Bulletin and news of my friend at Jefferson, as well as the progress of nursing.

Class of 1915
Minnors Peters Bilger (Frank — deceased), 259 N. Union St., Middletown, PA 17057. Mrs. Bilger has been cared for by the Psychiatric Medical Center for over 2 years now, along with her daughter, Mrs. B. H. Green, who has a serious heart condition. She has been very sick, heart failure, 1979, due to a previous heart attack. She had an electrocardiogram which showed an extra beat. She died in 1986, the result of a brother's sudden death. She is now 86 years of age and very well, though she is not as active as she was. Her memory is very good and she eats well considering all the difficulties. In the meantime, she suffered a fractured hip as the result of improper care and the lack of her chair. All of which goes to prove that good medical and authorized personnel could care less. It is a new and old term since she learned the profession. Best care, A. M. Peters — (no idea)

Class of 1916
Florence J. (Binnie) Browning, 29 E Oak St., Oakland, MD 21550. Not much change in the family. Binnie has been living in Portland, Oregon, since January. The springings are much easier.

Class of 1920
Annie Campbell Trope (Albert L. — deceased), Maple Gardens, Apt. F3, Pottstown, PA 19464. Getting older — hardly able to get around.

Class of 1921
Florence Clendeninn Platt (Norma), 926 Lincoln Ave., Pine Beach, NJ 08741. Mrs. Platt has been ill for several years and at the present time is recovering from a fall which caused a fracture of her right hip.

Elizabeth Garner Miller (John C. Saunders, House, City Line and Lancaster Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19139, Retired)

Class of 1923
Ruth Knoll Thompson, 223 Adams St., Philadelphia, PA 19081. The enclosed check is from my sister, Madeline Knoll Petersen, class of 1923, same address. We are both well and hopefully we are able to take care of ourselves, also able to get to the bank.


Class of 1924


Clara L. Luchinger, Monroeville, OH 43407. 809 James Ave., Apt. B-14, Pittsburgh, PA 15220. I received a call from the social services department of my state, informing me that my husband is very ill in the hospital. I am unable to come to the city, as I am unable to come to the hospital.


Class of 1926
Martha Ray Clark, 4028 Greenwich Pike, Pittsburgh, PA 15231. My daughter, Karen, just returned from Florida — attended Chaser Training Center for Medical Technicians. She is employed in the International Business of Nursing was pleased by her visit, but she will happen sooner or later.

Dorothy E. Hendricks Lawrence (Lawrence E.), 1014 Vista Way, Oakland, CA 19804. Old St. staff director until retirement in 1972.


Class of 1927
Pauline McIlvain Gillen (Dennis R. Gillen, M.D., 500 Park Towne, Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, PA 19130. My husband — 1927 Jefferson Medical College, and I am happy to announce that our grandson, Nancy Gillen, is in the graduating class this June — Episcopal School of Nursing. With two sisters in law and one who has been confined to the nursing home, we will have more graduates from Jefferson.

Class of 1928
Margaret Martin Luschke (Harry C.), 5959 Grand Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60515. In September 1978 my husband and I celebrated our 50th Anniversary with our four children — children's, eight grandchildren, and one great-grandchild (there are two here) — a really joyful occasion. Best wishes.

Leila Yorger, 597 Haji St., Pottsgrove, PA 19464. Treasurer for Pottstown Blind Group and Business Manager.

Helen Robert Murray (John R. A.), 450 Willow Ave., Patton, PA 19089. Am living in same house and fairly well. Wish I could see you all.

Beatrice Noll Smith (A. H.), P.O. Box 101, Pottstown, PA, 19462. Retired.

Margaret E. Barber, 247 S. Juniper St., Philadelphia, PA 19107. Wish you could come to my second birthday celebration on Saturday. The first one got away from me — Retired — nothing new.

Class of 1929
Hazel Recknor Brack (Larson), 320 Over Brown, N. W. Canton, Ohio 44709. We celebrated our 60th Wedding Anniversary, Nov. 29, 1979. We are going by train to M. W. Canada this fall.

Zelma Rowe Mercer (Howard E.), 519 S. 30th St., Camp Hill, PA 17011. Both retired — doing less travelling — enjoying our home and garden.

Lucile Margarette Cleaver (Howard), 1708 Locust Drive, Williamsport, PA 17701. Life is still very much worth living.

Thelma McArthur Wolford (C. F. Wolford, DDS), 828 Church St., Indians, PA 15733. I am a widow living alone here. I have two children — lights and they none at all. I am not employed — living on a fixed amount. Will not be able to be present for our 50th Anniversary Luncheon.

Elizabeth Edel McNeil (Dennis R. Gillen, M.D.), 29 E. Logan Avenue, Atco, NJ 08002.

Margaret S. Shuman (Leland S. Shuman Jr., MD), 3163-n. 8th Avenue North, 9th St., Philadelphia, PA 19143. Nothing new.

Lillian Kopple Nelson (attended Luncheon), 815 W. Willette Street, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

Clara Lewis Lyons (Elvin V. Lyons, MD #1 Seminary Road, Glenmore, VA 19343).

Hazel Oberdorfer (attended Luncheon), 139 N. Second Street, Lewistown, PA 17043.

Margaretta H. Widing (attended Luncheon), 15102 University Ave. South, Lakeville, MN 55044.

Grace Whitcomb (attended Luncheon), 5373 Chadwick Avenue, Port Orange, FL 32191.

Thelma pioneers 

Dorothy Confer Stephens (attended Luncheon), 590 Fisher Road, Waynetown, PA 19807.

Helen Duckworth Tugger (R.I. Bell), Milford, MA 01884.

Ella Engel Kelsh (attended Luncheon), Elberta, R.D. #2 PO 363 Alabama 30530.

Gertrude Geist Evans (attended Luncheon), 1612 Hunters Creek Drive, Germantown, TN 38138.

Edna Hannon Peters (attended Luncheon), 51 Logan Street, Lewistown, PA 17044.

Elizabeth Irwin Studebaker (attended Luncheon), 4739 -55th Street, San Diego, CA 92115.

Myrtle Kuehn Shuman (attended Luncheon), 135 Greenwood Avenue, Jenkintown, PA 19046.

Sera Murray Eshelman (attended Luncheon), 7951 - 8th Avenue North, APT. 207, St. Petersburg, FL 33709.

Isabel Oaks Widing (attended Luncheon), 135 Greenwood Avenue, Jenkintown, PA 19046.

Hazel Oberdorfer (attended Luncheon), 139 N. Second Street, Lewistown, PA 17043.

Pauline Parker Siegle (attended Luncheon), 319 Earlington Road, Havertown, PA 19083.

Frances Rakow Eutemarch (attended Luncheon), Box 36, Montville, NJ 07754.

Elmina Sachs Hanges (attended Luncheon), 529 - 8th Street, North Apt. #2, St. Petersburg, FL 33709.
Class of 1931

Sadie Williams Wells (husband— deceased), 200 E. Dewalt, Sharronok, PA 18722. Retired.


Evelyn Reaser Arnold (Walker), 1201 Bahamas Bend, H-1, Cocoa Beach, FL 32936. We are both healthy, enjoying retirement. Looking forward to coming to Jefferson for our 50th Anniversary Luncheon.

Emma M. Bahner, 3615 Chestnut Place, Ridgewood, NJ 07450. Being with attend the three to nothing new, suffering Beale Class extended trip to a few days, returning via a cruise to Vancouver, B.C. Nothing new in activities, continue church and looking forward to spending the winters in Clearwater, FL.

Sue Williams Wells (Hannah Griffiths Conner), 650 Lyon Drive, DeLand, FL 32720. Retired to DeLand.

Blanche Ford, Box 13, Pelewiss Park, Sanibel Island, FL 33957. Enjoying shelling and shellcraft, baking desserts, singing in the church choir and being with people. Story: I cannot attend the luncheon, but wish wishes to all.

Class of 1932

Audrie Ruth Miller (Benjamin), 6704 Glen Ave, Glen Oaks, MD 20756. For keeping all of us, including inactive senior members, well informed of associate activities as well as Thomas Jefferson University activities. I thank you.

Emma Poynter, Pine Street, Box 229, Milton, R.D. 5, PA 15747. Kind regards to my classmates and friends.

Mildred Germanjeffers (Arthur W.), 306 W. 19th St, Ship Bottom, NJ 08089. Enjoy living on Long Beach Island, and hope if any friends are in the area— they will visit for a visit. The weather is always there. Hope to attend the luncheon May 3rd.

Marion Pertini Caray (James), CR3, Box 1121, Lewistown, DE 19350. Moved to address above address June 1979, and live near our daughter, her husband, and three grandchildren. We enjoy them very much.

Katherine Kich Leach (John E), 80 Madison Place, Ridgewood, NJ 07450. Our son, Chris, will be finishing a course in thoracic surgery at Rochester General Hospital in June. Also he will marry Mosaic Patricia Ann Booth, nurse from Rochester, NY, in June.

Carolyn Olson Kaltensteln, 2754 Emerald St, Philadelphia, PA 19134. Nothing new, suffering inflating blues like every one else. Hope you are all in good health, Jeff and stay that way.

Class of 1933

Mildred Myers Smith (Robert— deceased), 31 Stanford Place, Montclair, NJ 07042. Planning to travel this year. Received a 30 pin from Red Cross for Volunteer Service in Montclair.

Margaret Clayton Schellenberg (S. A. S. Schellenberg M.D.), 1909 Pine Ave, Marlton, NJ 08053. Ed received his Doctoral Merit Award from the Pennsylvania Academy of Medicine during the spring graduation 1989. We live on Lake Louise, Claremont, Florida, during the winter months. Our children and grandchildren visited us there. We live on the edge of orange and grapefruit groves.

Elizabeth Pierant, 2501 Parkway, Apt. 852, Philadelphia, PA 19110. Planning to tour to Europe again to see the Passion Play, Lake Luz, July 14th and will visit four countries. Enjoying my retirement— busy every day going on day trips and visiting new places.

Evelyn Wilson Frader (E. W. dec.), 1900 Park Blvd, Cherry Hill, NJ 08002. Son, James, married Aug., 1979, moved into a new home in Dec. I continue various activities including volunteer work with the A.R.C. Taking an extended trip to Alaska and the Yukon in July, visiting Kitty Smiling Garia for few days, returning via a cruise to Vancouver, B.C.

Julia Tyler McCracken (A. W. dec.), 124 Revere Rd, Marion St, PA 19066. Nothing new in activities, continue church and golf. Discontinued golf, and etc. Evelyn Foster and I am hearing through Alaska 1978, visiting the interior, Arctic Circle, Yukon Territory, Jukudah and the inside passage.

Class of 1935

Mary Coles Moore (Carlton), 45, Bridgeston, NJ 08022. Just enjoying retirement.

Sara Ervinik, 3200 Hickory Drive, Hendersonville, NC 27517. Retired Major U.S. Air Force Corps, also flight Nurse. Traveling around the world— India, Africa, Europe, China, Japan, Thailand, Philippines, Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Tahiti, Bali, Taiwan, Morocco, and Canary Islands.

Class of 1936

Lydia Hekten, P.O. Box 702, N. Cape May, NJ 08204. Am enjoying retirement very much. Spend the winters in Clearwater, FL.


Elizabeth Stephens Miller (John), Box 14, Salisbury, PA 19488. Have had the pleasure and opportunity to be a part of experiencing association with group of Brazilian young persons sponsored by Annapolis MC women in organization known as Esperancas in Living. Also to associate with young children, old people, the poor, in Latin America who cannot attend the luncheon, of Annapolis—a most rewarding experience.

Class of 1937


Mildred Woodhead Hawkesworth (Norman O.), P.O. Box 533, Derby, NH 03038. Happily married and free to enjoy lifeinNewEngland. Family well and busy. Very nice!

Evelyn Reaser Arnold (Walker), 1201 Bahamas Bend, H-1, Cocoa Beach, FL 32936. Retired—moving to all over the U.S. A. — son, B. J., Jr., has Ph.D. in Nuclear Energy.


Class of 1939


Harriet Elfman O'Conor (John), 8110 N. Franklin St., Philadelphia, PA 19126. I had one from little <blank> summer. Everyone is delighted with my progress but me. I miss seeing everyone. Perhaps I can make a meeting.

Mary Schwab Gregg (Lester), 926 Scioto St., Elyria, OH 44035. Retired from School Nurse Teacher.

Class of 1940

Norma Zeiger Smith (Woodworth), 1801 Glen Ridge Rd., Baltimore, MD 21204. Named March of Dimes Nurse of the Year 1976 for her outstanding efforts in raising the quality of nursing care to mothers and infants in Maryland. She is a special nursing supervisor for the Baltimore County Dept. of Health and received this honor during the Maryland Nurses Association convention in Oct. 1976.

Elisa Endicott Mayer (Frederick), 570 Pocantico Hills, Mill Valley, CA 94941. I retired from NJ State Dept. of Health in 1976 and we moved to California. Am presently doing counseling in a middle school in San Francisco. I also conduct a drama class for physically handicapped students there.

Esther Armitage Musselman (Larry— deceased), 132 Bermex Heights Rd., Elizabethtown, PA 19051. Retired from nursing Oct. 1, 1979. My community, co-workers, friends, patients, family, honored me with a testimonial dinner on Mar. 3rd at the Percicon Hilton in Scrubberg for 40 years of nursing. 230 persons were present.
Class of 1943
Robert Murray (Robert B. Reed, M.D.), 310 Westlund Hill Road, Westfield, NJ 07090-2072. I am still practicing obstetrics, gynecology, and surgery. My wife, Agnes (Mabel Kay), 1625 Broadway, New York, NY 10019. We have been married 45 years (June 27, 1943) and have four children: Mark, 40, married Elizabeth (E. Dorothy) Wolf, 7988 Broadway, New York, NY 10034. I am a member of the New York State Medical Society, former president of the State Medical Society of New Jersey, and a member of many other medical societies. I enjoy swimming, tennis, and reading. I have been honored as a lifetime member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society and have received many other awards.

E. Dorothy Groff Streicher (Jen), 1340 Forgedale Rd., Fleetwood, PA 15632. In 1980 I received a Master's Equivalency Certificate from Bloomsburg University. I am currently employed as a Social Worker for the Wilmington Chemical Plant near New Castle, DE. I enjoy spending my leisure time gardening and reading, and I am a member of the Valley Forge Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Class of 1944
Margaret Cooman, 221 Minnehaha Ave., Huntington, VA 20150. Was appointed Charge Nurse of the Department of Nursing Service at Jefferson in Oct. of 1979. I remain employed there and have worked at various hospitals in the University of Michigan, working toward a Master's degree in Clinical Nursing.

Mary Sue Gross (Edward B. Gross, Jr., B.S., M.D.), 6727 S. Westchester Rd., Chicago, IL 60637. I graduated from Rush Medical College in 1944 and have been a general practitioner for many years. I am now the Chairman of the Department of Family Practice at the University of California, Irvine Medical School, and I am also a member of the American Academy of Family Practice.

Joyce Thomas (Joyce Thomas), 3015 W. Bridge St., Paducah, KY 42001. I have been a nurse for 55 years and have worked at many hospitals in the Midwest. I have been honored with the Distinguished Service Award from the American Nurses' Association and the 1990 Mary Edna Philpot Award. I am currently employed at Tristar Baptist Medical Center in Nashville, TN.

Eveline M. Boyce (Eveline M. Boyce), 6107 N. Forked Lake Rd., Forest Park, IL 60130. I graduated from St. Mary's College in 1944 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Forest Park Community Hospital.

Class of 1945
Joyce Rose Southard (Reynolds), 1060 S. Hill Blvd., Nashville, TN 37204. I graduated from Vanderbilt University School of Nursing in 1945 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Vanderbilt University Medical Center and have been honored with several awards, including the Distinguished Service Award from the American Nurses' Association.

Ellen Marie Reade (Reade), 754 Kings Hwy., Southwest, NJ 07090. I graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing in 1945 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the New Jersey Medical School in Newark.

Ruth Smith Jones (Ruth Smith Jones), 105 Maple Ave., Heal, NJ 07030. I graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing in 1945 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Hackensack University Medical Center.

Class of 1946
Barbara Doherty Graham (Barbara Doherty Graham), 942 Willow St., New York, NY 10024. I graduated from New York University in 1946 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the New York University Medical Center and have been honored with several awards, including the Distinguished Service Award from the American Nurses' Association.

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Howard King (Howard King), 107 E. Emmons Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19119. I still work hard at Creative Writing, 1921 Walnut St.

Helen Marie Thomas Reifs (Reifs), 100 miles from the University of Michigan, working toward a Master's degree in Clinical Nursing.

Class of 1948
Georgia Schroeder Maynard (Maynard), 429 Weller St., Bloomington, IN 47404. I graduated from Indiana University School of Nursing in 1948 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Indiana University Health System.

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Ruth Smith Jones (Ruth Smith Jones), 105 Maple Ave., Heal, NJ 07030. I graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing in 1949 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Hackensack University Medical Center.

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Joyce Rose Southard (Reynolds), 1060 S. Hill Blvd., Nashville, TN 37204. I graduated from Vanderbilt University School of Nursing in 1950 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the Vanderbilt University Medical Center.

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Barbara Doherty Graham (Barbara Doherty Graham), 942 Willow St., New York, NY 10024. I graduated from New York University in 1951 and have been a nurse for many years. I am currently employed at the New York University Medical Center.

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Class of 1955
Nancy Thompson Powell (Harri), 156 New Freedom Road, Berlin, NJ 08009. I was married to John Powell, Jr., on July 25, 1979 to Herbert A. Powell and am back at Jefferson teaching pediatrics.

Marian Thor Williams (Arthur R. Williams), 4162 First Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19141. My husband, a surgeon, retired from the University of Chicago Medical Center in 1987. Our daughter, Nancy, is a pediatrician at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.

Dolores Pauser Gerhan (William), 405 Alwater Ave., Boona, PA 19008. I am employed as a nurse at the V.A. Hospital in Philadelphia and my nephew is a resident in radiology at H.U.P. I will join the U.C.L.A. program in July of 1980 as a resident in Nuclear Medicine.
Class of 1957

Gernot Jacob Miller (R. C.), 37 N. 17th St., Allentown, PA 18101. My husband, Gary, who will be 50 this year, is an attorney. Our son, Christopher, begins her senior year as a student nurse at Allentown Hospital. Two younger children in elementary school.

Class of 1958

Muriel Joan LeVan Keller (Anton G.), R.D. I., Box 428-P, Palmyra, PA 17074. My husband is an attorney. My son, John, is now 17 and is due to complete his sophomore year at the University of Pennsylvania. I have had this chance of a lifetime to help our son in his education. I completed the Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing at St. Louis University. My husband and I have been married 18 years to the same man and have three normal healthy children. Work one day a week in nursing and have found it time to do volunteer work at church and school, keeping busy.

Christine Rodolph, 114 Hill Mark House, Hertford, PA 18439. I am currently studying for my independent living. Have a full time position as a Nurse Recruiter at the Methodist Home for Nursing and Rehabilitation. Recruit new residents to fill the beds of the home.

Dot Moll Dym (Sam), 96 Chestnut St., Enfield Falls, VT 05448. My husband, a high school history teacher, will be 50 this year. We have two weeks of our holidays at the inn where we are married. The friends and concern expressed by everyone made a trying time much easier to bear. We were also very much impressed with the new hospital.

Dorothy Stroul (Doc), 311 St. Louis, Freehold, NJ 07728. Working as a Staff Nurse at Rutherford Hospital. We are thinking of returning to B.S. in Nursing. We are planning on converting our apartment in the city to a vacation place to maltificate this fall. Two children: Paul, age 16; Melissa age 12.

Class of 1959

James Joseph Morris Roe (Donna James), R.D. I., Edinboro, PA 16414. I have been a nursing supervisor at Doctor Hospital in Erie, PA, since 1979. My oldest daughter, Janet, is a second year medical technology student at Edinboro State College, where my middle daughter, June will enter in the fall. I am still active in my family's church. We are converting a center City College and will study nursing. Amy will be a junior at the University of Pennsylvania in the fall. My husband, Walter, is still a busy G.P. — in his 25th year of practice.

Bernie Giff Cates (Michael), R.D. I., 94 Margaret Ave., Dalton, PA 18414. My husband, a dental surgeon, is in the practice of medicine. He is still in the same business with his family (Cates Formula, Inc.) and we do many volunteer jobs here in this community. My son, Jon, is a junior at the University of Delaware. My daughter, Julie, has been accepted to the College of Nursing at Temple University, Philadelphia. We have been volunteering many hours of our time at the Center City Hospital.

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Jean Janet Hamp (Frederick), 57 Canterbury Lane, Longmeadow, MA 01106. Positions: registered nurse, medical-surgical; charge nurse; head nurse in the emergency department of a rural New England hospital; and director of nursing services. lun service. Formerly, an associate professor in the nursing department at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale. I am currently in my 14th year of service as medical-surgical nurse at Baptist Hospital of Southern Indiana. I have worked in this role for 6 years. My responsibilities include managing a team of nurses, facilitating patient care, and ensuring the smooth functioning of the emergency department. I have been actively involved in the professional growth and development of my team. I have completed several courses and workshops related to leadership, patient safety, and clinical practice. I have received recognition for my contributions to the department and the hospital. I am a member of the Association ofnursing. In my free time, I enjoy reading, traveling, and spending time with my family. I look forward to continuing my service and growing in my role at Baptist Hospital.

Joan Reed Darden (Klein), 4571 succesfully, I am currently employed as a registered nurse in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at a large teaching hospital. My responsibilities include providing direct care to patients, managing their care plans, and facilitating their discharge. I have been actively involved in several research projects and have published articles on maternal and neonatal outcomes. I am a member of the American College of Nurse-Midwives and the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists. In my free time, I enjoy reading, traveling, and spending time with my family. I look forward to continuing my service and growing in my role as a nurse-midwife.

Karen Barnum Kushto (Bower), 25 Melrose Bnd, Buffalo, NY 14207. Currently employed as a nurse in the critical care unit of a large urban hospital. My responsibilities include managing patients with acute medical and surgical conditions. I have been actively involved in several research projects and have published articles on patient outcomes and hospital-acquired infections. I am a member of the American College of Critical Care Nurses and the Association of perioperative registered nurses. In my free time, I enjoy reading, traveling, and spending time with my family. I look forward to continuing my service and growing in my role as a critical care nurse.
Michael

Since 1982, I have been working part-time as a nurse in the financial gap. I am also in the process of moving to Walkers Bar, CA, where I will be living during the summer. I am currently working at Memorial Hospital in San Francisco.

Beaure, Nancy Schmoyer, RD, 1 Box 41A, Breinigsville, PA 18031. Expecting our first child in June. Currently working in Public Health. Have also taken a leave from the Medical College. My husband is a minister and we are anxiously awaiting a new position or church for him at this time.

Bertram, Denise Capuald, 5329 Craven Ct., Berkeley, CA 94708. Need end of the summer to finish my degree. I am currently working at Kaiser Permanente Medical Center. I am very excited about the new position in the hospital.

Samantha, Bonnie Morris, Hollis Estates, 286 Cavalier Rd., Arcade, CA 20020. Recently married. Bonnie and I plan to have our baby in the fall of 1984. I am anxious to get back to work.

Griswold, Linda, 4140 Varsity St., Phila., PA 19146. I am working at翰valsom in CGU and assisting their BSN program. Will obtain my BSN degree in Fall of 1983.

Blythe, Diana, 3156 S 31st St. Federal Way, WA 98003.

Bowes, Mary Jo Fabrizio, 6550 Alcida St., 1st floor, Phila., PA 19111. Expecting our first child in October.

Boyce, Betty Ann, 2502 Taquer St., Phila., PA 19144.

Byrne, Donna Caprit, 325 Longshore Ave., Phila., PA 19114.

Carlock, Lynna Ann, 3416 Wellington St., Phila., PA 19149.

Carlson, Dass, address unknown (somewhere in Calif. in)

Casper, Marie Whines, 3655 South 72nd St., Phila., PA 19135. Married, one child - daughter Katie - 10 months old. Working in OR at Jefferson Unif. Specialist of Obstetrics. In OR for four years.

Christopher, GloriaDawney, 4 Sharonne St., Socote, MO 64045. Married to John Dowers. One daughter- Jill Marie living in Maine.

Costello, Enid Anderson, Route 1, Box 332, Charleston, W.VA 25301.

Cox, Flossie Zapolski, 1 119 Ledy St., Montgomery, CA 90280. In February, I received my BSN in Health Sciences from Chapman College, Orange, CA. I recently moved to Montgomery where my husband is a resident. I am currently studying for my Masters Degree at the Naval Postgraduate School. I am also working in Operating Room Nursing, now at the Community Hosp. of Montgomery. Sorry to hear you missed out on this year's reunion.

Green, Carol Gassman, 6 Arbor Wood Lane, Sicklerville, NJ 08081.

Harrod, Barb, 74healthy Rd, Bayville, N.J. 08721. Married, to Gary for four years, have a daughter Amanda Marie, born Sept. 23, 1979. She is a lovely little girl. We have a beautiful home and 2 dogs. We have a family in California, where I work as a staff nurse. If you get to the area, please get in touch - we love to see visitors.

Scott, Barry, 6222 Woodside Dr., Phila., PA 19118.

Soren, Sandra Godbold, 7030 Walnut Woods Drive, Modesto, CA 95356. Telephone 2299-326-319. Just celebrated my first anniversary. Married my school sweetheart, Bob, May 5, 1983. We live in Modesto, California with our beautiful little girl. We have a lovely home and 2 dogs. We have a family in Oklahoma, where I work as a staff nurse. If you get to the area, please get in touch - we love to see visitors.

Scott, Jerry, 4396 Plumtree Rd., Elk. City, PA 19054.

Seward, Sherry, P.O. Box 1165, Alaska 99583. Moved to Alaska in 1979 and am working for several hospitals, including the University of Alaska. I am currently working in NO while I get a BA in Nursing. Then I worked a summer at a camp in 1980. I am also working on a travel agency. I am currently living with my fiancé and a little girl. She is a very nice young woman. I have four brothers and two sisters. We are all living in Alaska. We are very happy and enjoy our life. We love you all. It was very nice to hear from you.

Sikes, Swain, 1230 Douglas Drive, Pittsburg, PA 15239.

Smith, Debbie Neils, 1108 Piper Rd., Wilmington, DE 19803.

Smyth, Kimberly, 38227 Drive Court, Elkton, MD 21929.


Smyth, Betty, 1023 Tamarack Court, Ventura, CA 93003. Attending college full time in the nursing program. I am currently working in the NICU (Newborn Intensive Care Unit) since I was born.


Ellis, Pat P.O. Box 63, Walpacken, PA 17777.

Entinger, Joyce, 100 Highland Parkway, Levittown PA 19056.


Fitzgerald, Mary Modeline, 283-E Shawmont Ave., Phila., PA 19128.

Class of 1974

Margaret Offutt Martin (Michelle), 10685 Exeter Drive, San Diego, CA 92124. Recently married Michael B. Martin, M.D., and moved to San Diego where my husband is on the staff in the Radiology Department at the Naval Hospital. We'll be getting out of the Navy this summer to attend school for a degree in Medicine.

Jeanne M. Wagner (Karen), (Thomas), 23335 Edison Ford St., St. Clare Shores, MI 49343. In July, we will be celebrating our 10th year of marriage. Our son, Thomas, is 1 year old.

Also I am involved with Childbirth Information service teaching to teach Lamaze classes. My husband is in the National Student Honor Society at the University of Michigan. I am the President of the School. We will be graduating from the School in the fall. I am very excited about the new position in the hospital.

Dress, Debbie, whereabouts unknown.

Dick, Patsy R., 28 Park Ave., Coldwater, MI 48810.


Dougherty, Carolyn Storer, 3354 Hanover Lane, Hartford, CT 06134. Currently working as a Coordinator for Rehab. Coordinators, Inc. I have been with the company since July 1978. I was born in Penn. State, 20 years old, and a husband, Dick, and live in Hartford, CT. I am enjoying working in this type of field. I am also working in the O.R. at Jefferson Hosp.

Hazen, Barbara, 1382 W. Byrde Rd., Phila., PA 19116.

Ellis, P.O. Box 63, Walpacken, PA 17777.

Entinger, Joyce, 100 Highland Parkway, Levittown PA 19056.


Fitzgerald, Mary Modeline, 283-E Shawmont Ave., Phila., PA 19128.
Trécé, Maria Gliese, (Geräti), 11 George Stown Ave., Wilmington, DE. 19803. Our first child, Lisa Michelle, arrived Oct 26, 1979- weighing 7 lbs. She is truly beautiful, I am taking the year off from work, but hope to eventually return.

Yonce, Pat Yenchick, P.O. Box 68902 Ynchick, GA 30094. I really want to make this year work event. But we're not planning a wait for another year. Since graduation I've been working at Jiffy in Retent. Last August, then in October I married Albert Yenchick who just finished his family residency at Jiffy. We are now living in Largo, GA for 2 years. Art works for a HRM here and I am working in the hospital's ER. We really are happy here and just love this hot weather. It really is quite an experience. I would really like to know what's going on with the rest of our class. Until Jan. 1982 my address is here in GA. Hope you all enjoy yourselves and please remember me for the next one. Love and happiness to everyone. If anyone passes through GA, please look me up. Just want me a note and let me know when you will be through.


Weida, Darci Fuller, 50 Greens Drive, Westchester, PA 19106. Son, David born Nov. 4, 1979.


Class of 1976
Jan O'Brien, C.N.A. 370 White Horse Pike, Somerdale, NJ 08083. I am working part time as a Staff Nurse in the MICU at Jefferson Hospital. I am concentrating my efforts as a full time student to obtain my B.S.N. degree.

Dann Bidelman, Kelly (David), 535 Lombard St., Philadelphia, PA 19147 (Apt. 601). I am currently working on my degree as a full time student at Widener University.

Eleanor Harrell Cunningham (John), P.O. Box 266, Croydon, PA 19020. We added John Jr. to our family in May 1978. We moved into our house in November. 1979 Ryan Patrick arrived. Mo is working at Lower Bucks in the nursery.

Sue Ellen Merritt- Suzanne Paletin, 302 E. 72nd St. Apt. 180, New York, NY 10021. Life in NYC is just wonderful. I am currently working at The Hospital for Joint Diseases-Ophthamology Institute as a nursing time coordinator. I will be on vacation in February 14 (very lucky) Would love to hear from you all.

Class of 1977
Luise Dometria Fias, 6414 cartesian St, Philadelphia, PA 19139. I am at the翰hersham College of the Allied Health Sciences working for my degree (B.S.N.) should be completed in about 1 1/2 years. Received it average in first quarter and am expecting a 4.0 average this quarter. Class President 1976-77.

Susan Burrell Sowats (Boris), 209 Sugarbud Rd. Apt. 3A, Wayne, PA 19087. I am working at Pennsylvania Hospital in the ICU where I have been for 20 years. Boris and I married January 6, 1979. We have a second child in residence in Bryn Mawr Hospital.

Karen Minsky, 22 Park Lane, Easton, PA 18042. I am planning to be married this June and hope to move from even shift to day shift in medical/surgical area.


Karen Louise Richard Emerle (Robert), 50 Hancock Court, North Wales, PA 19454. On Feb. 14th at 5:53 A.M. I gave birth to my first child, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 2 oz. Her name is Krumma Lyn Emerle (Kristy for short).

Dor Lawrence Conley (Larry), 1505 Spouse St., Phila. PA 19107. Larry graduated from Jefferson Medical College this June and will be interning at Bryn Mawr Hospital. I am a M.I. Therapist at Pennsylvania Hospital. Recently published an article on patient teaching people with serious venous hyperpermeability in the Am. J. of I.V. Therapy-'to be printed in July/August issue.

Deborah Nye Flanagan (Richard), 304 221 St. W., Bothell, WA 98011.

Meridith Ellen was born March 29, 1980. Now we have a boy and a girl. We bought a home in Archdale, NC. Rock is working as a G.P. in the Naval Civic. I plan to return to work part time in September.

Ray Mati Fiore (Michael), 203 Willow Way, Somerdale, NJ 08083. After working 21 years in N.J., I have started in the operating room - also at Jefferson. My husband just received a promotion as District Trainer in Ryder Systems, Inc.

Class of 1978
Lisa Kopopenhaver, 3 Waverly Drive, Apt. 4, Newark, DE 19711. I am currently (5/30/80) married in my first year at the University of Delaware - open curriculum program - working tow a rd my B.S.N. on full time basis.

Lorraine McCullough, 42 Pennbrook Drive, Haddonfield, NJ 08033. Amending college full time goal. B.S.N. will part work part time during the summer while attending school.

Joanne Marie Stock Pettrell (Eugene), 412 N. Alfred St. 47. Alexandria, VA 22314. My husband (Dennis) was promoted to Captain (U.S.M.C.) last year and is now stationed at the Pentagon. I am working in the I.M.C. at Alexandria hospital and continuing school - hopefully full time in the fall. All I need now is Public Health toward my B.S.N.

Kenneth Triggle Roll (Ron), 140- 21st St., Aniston, NJ 08202. Currently attending Thomas Jefferson University in Youk's. I am working on a day shift of spinal cord team which is interesting and challenging. I am sending greetings to T.U. instructors toward the class of '78.

Linda Heinold, P.O. Box 64, Middletown, DE 19709. Working full time preparing to begin the summer session of nursing at Gwynedd Mercy College. I am engaged to be married on December 27, 1980 to Brian D. Mushett.

Theresa Flanagan, 3217 Hydraulic Rd. #59, Charlotteville, VA 22901. I am now working the Coronary Care Unit at the University of Virginia Hospital and have just been promoted to a head Nurse - A position I have been working in the ICU during July 1979. Even though I love the South, there is a good possibility I'll be moving back to Delaware this September.

Jan Staacke Vanderweer (Hairy), 1229 F Patrick Circle, Cary, NC 27511. We moved to NC as of August 1979 and I am working as a staff nurse in Peds. I have gained a tremendous amount of experience in this field and have been exposed to the technical procedure in a Peds ICU. I plan to live in NC until at least Aug. 1981 at which time my husband graduates with a masters degree in Police Studies.

Becky Specia Harris (Harri), 1988 Delongs Way, Cherry Hill, N.J. 08003. We have a baby boy - Hanlon Harris (Hanlon) , born 2/28/80. I continue to work part time at West Jersey Eastern Division in Ob-Gyn.

John Michel, 200 Timber Trail Apt. 80, Sel Air, MD 21014. I graduate from Anesthesia School in August. Plans for the future invloce B.S. in Anesthesiology and enjoying the rewards of five long years of school, Warmest regards to all.

Linda Parr, 421 S. Carmel St., Phiia. PA 19147. Primary Nurse at T.U.H.- 3 Central. Am looking into going back to school this year.

Leslie Wilkinson Stickey (Willem), Brintwood Apt. #190, Bensalem, PA 19020. Married Aug. 11, 1979. We are living in an apartment, hoping to buy a home this summer. After changing positions three times, I have finally found a rewarding position at Pennright Hills. Career in Northeast Phila., will work with retarded children and adults. My husband is a manager for International House of Pancakes.

Sherry Michael O'Brien (Thomas), 910 Kingsbridge Dr. Fairfax, VA 22030. Hope all of my classmates are well and happy. My husband has been discharged from the Navy Offiers' Corps for medical reasons. We have left the sunny south to settle in northern Virginia. I am a Certified Childbirth Educator and plan on one week a year. I am working in Ortho at Arlington Hospital and pursuing my B.S.N. part time at George Mason Univ. Toms works for a private consulting firm and is working on his M.B.S. Would love to hear from any of you in our area!
### MARRIAGES

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### IN MEMORIAM

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- Pauline Knapp Shallcross
- Margaret Crowley Sokolowski (W.H.)
- Mary Lamon Roller
- Emma Goucher Nagle
- Amelia Rougeau Jasper

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