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NURSES' ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION BULLETIN

JUNE 1965

Mary Ann Stauffer, President
Alumnae Association of the School of Nursing
of the
Jefferson Medical College Hospital of Philadelphia

PAST—PRESENT—FUTURE

Two years ago our Alumnae Association promised $25,000.00 to the Jefferson Building Fund by August 1968. We set a goal of $5000.00 a year. Last year's drive was a successful one — we went over our goal. This year we have fallen short.

We should keep in mind the importance of this expansion program. It will offer many needed facilities and improvements which will be used by student nurses, hospital staff, medical students, and, of course, our Alumnae Association. We sincerely hope to combine our efforts during the next three years by uniting together as an association determined to meet our total goal in 1968.

My many thanks to all the Officers, Committee Chairmen, Committee members, Board of Directors, and Alumnae Members who have helped me these past two years while serving as your President.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Ann Stauffer, Class of 1954

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HOSPITAL AND SCHOOL OF NURSING

Every time I sit down to prepare a report to you, the year in retrospect seems short because of the many activities which have taken place in only twelve months. This year is no different from those of the past. While it is not possible to relate in detail everything which has happened at Jefferson since we last met, I would like to bring you up-to-date on a few of the most important events.

Because of your active support of Jefferson's Development Program, you will be interested to know that the buildings from Tenth to Eleventh Streets on Locust, have been razed and that excavation for the New Basic Science and Commons Building is in process. If you walk down Eleventh Street toward the old Nurses' Residence, you will see a high wooden fence surrounding the area.

Plans for the New Emergency Room have been completed and it is expected that demolition and new construction will begin late this summer. This important department will be located on the First Floor of the Thompson Building. The "Par" or Amphitheatre on this floor is three stories high. A floor will be installed at the first and at the second floor levels. On the second floor, the Administrative Offices for Nursing Service and the School of Nursing will be relocated, as well as the Volunteer Service Office. A conference-meeting room seating two hundred will occupy the Ground Floor level.

The new Emergency Room will be one of the best in the country, providing examining and treatment rooms for each service, facilities for radiological studies, and bedrooms for patients who must be detained for short periods.

High on the list of priority construction is the renovation and remodeling of the Sixth and Fourth Floors of the Main Building. Present plans provide for the beginning of this work by spring of 1966. The Second and Third Floors of this building have already been completed and remodeled.

We hope that construction of the new fifteen bed Private Pediatric Unit to be located on the Eighth Floor of the Main Building will be underway before too much longer. This unit, while small, will provide an intensive care and an isolation section, and will meet a real need for a special facility for the care of our private and semi-private patients.

One of the most important buildings, we believe, will be erected on the corner of Tenth and Walnut Streets opposite the Curtis Clinic Building on the site of the bank building. This will be an apartment building for graduate nurses, residents, interns, and medical students. It will be named the Orlovitz Building in recognition of a generous contribution from one of Jefferson's former patients, which makes this building possible. The plans for this building are unique, as the majority of the apartments will be on two levels — living room, kitchen, and in the large apartments, a dining room will be on one floor, and the bedrooms will be either up or down a short flight of stairs. Rents will be reasonable, and the building will be completely air conditioned.

We are pleased to report that the number of our staff nurses has been increased over the past year, and that now we have more positions filled than we had authorized at this time last year. In February of 1964, upon the recommendation of the Administration, the Board of Trustees authorized an increase of forty nurse positions. In addition, the Board approved an across-the-board increase of $25.00 per month for all nurses, the payment of a bonus of $300.00 for each new
graduate of the School at the completion of twelve months of continuous service, a substantial additional increase in salary for Supervisors and Head Nurses at the successful completion of a planned supervisory-training program, the establishment of an assistant head nurse position with those appointed also to have a special program of instruction, and finally, the establishment of our own School of Practical Nursing.

At a series of breakfasts, cocktail parties, and dinners at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Mr. Maurice P. Coffee, Jr., Hospital Director, announced these plans to all of the nurses. The social events were a real success, and, we believe, marked the beginning of a new era for Nursing at Jefferson.

The breakfast and two cocktail parties and dinners were held again this year just after Easter. It appears that since they have been so well received by all the staff, they will become an annual event.

In spite of the increase in the number of nurses, we have had difficulty in filling all of the newly authorized positions, particularly on evening and night duty. We hope the increase in the differential salaries for evening and night duty to be effective next month will encourage more nurses to accept these positions. We hope that if any of you can give some time to employment on nursing service, the operating rooms, or if you qualify as instructors in the School of Nursing, you will get in touch with us. Refresher courses will be planned for any of our graduates as necessary.

The School of Practical Nursing, opened in November of 1964, is proving very successful. Twenty-two students were admitted in the first class, and we hope to admit the second of twenty-five students on June 21st. The School of Practical Nursing is located on the Third Floor of the Junto Building which is at the corner of 12th and Walnut Streets. For those of you who may be visiting the Hospital, these students wear a one-piece blue uniform with white collars and cuffs. Visitors to the School are most welcome.

The School of Nursing enrolled one hundred and thirty-two students in 1964 and we plan for a class of one hundred and thirty in 1965. These are the largest classes in recent years. The students have been busy, both in their social as well as in their educational activities. To date, thirty-nine of the seventy-five who will graduate in September have indicated their intention of remaining as staff nurses at Jefferson. Most of these, as well as those who joined the staff in 1964, have reported that the bonus paid at the end of one year's employment was an influential factor in their decision.

I think you will agree that Nursing at Jefferson has moved forward a great deal over the past ten years. We hope and we believe that its recognition and progress will continue in the future. On behalf of the Hospital Administration, we wish to thank all of you for your interest and support which means so much to any institution.

May the coming year bring each of you happiness and success.

Mabel C. Prevost, Assistant Director

May 1, 1965

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

ANNUAL REPORT 1965

The formal year began with a hearty welcome to the incoming Freshman Class and a Big-Sister, Little-Sister party sponsored jointly by the Classes of 1965 and 1966. Amid entertainment and refreshments, students got an informal introduction to student activity.

Miss Barbara Ott, as S.N.A.P. Chairman, was accompanied to the State Convention at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, by Misses Judy Snyder and Schlegel on October 27th through 29th.

A Halloween party was planned through the joint effort of fall three classes. Prizes were given for the best costumes and liberal refreshments provided for an enjoyable celebration.

The Basketball season began officially on November 5th with opponent University of Penna. The team ended the year with a six wins, one tie record. A banquet was held at Tarello's Restaurant on April 7th to thank Coach Ann Rutledge, Advisors Miss Hands and Miss McClean and Cheerleaders.

On November 21st Miss Kessler and Miss Valentine attended a conference of Medical careers sponsored by the Southeastern Pennsylvania Careers in Nursing Committee at Abington High School. In addition to exhibiting the Jefferson student uniform they answered questions for interested Junior and Senior High School students.

In the spirit of the Christmas season students collected money to support three separate projects: (1) As in the previous year, a party was given for the children of St. Agnes Recreation Center. 130 gifts were purchased and wrapped and a tree donated to complete the regular party at the center. (2) A $2000 gift was given to a needy nurse in the area, and (3) A monetary remembrance was given to the four postmen who serve the residence so thoughtfully. The Faculty sponsored a party for students which was highlighted by the entrance of Santa himself. The Freshmen chorus participated in the Tree Lighting ceremony and caroling throughout the hospital. The chorus also performed at the Arch Street Methodist church. A project was initiated to collect used clothing for distribution to needy families or organizations. This idea has proven successful and is being carried on continuously.

The fourth annual Miss Jefferson Contest was sponsored by the Newspaper Club on March 23rd. On the basis of nursing ability, talent, and personality, Miss Margaret Schofield was selected from thirteen contestants to bear the title of Miss Jefferson 1965.

Miss Ruth Kessler represented Jefferson in the S.N.A.P. Area #1 Outstanding Student Nurse competition. A group of Freshman minstrels represented Jefferson at the Area #1 Talent Contest held at Einstein Medical Center on April 13th.

Five months of preparation culminated in the Annual Show "A Musical Mistake," written and produced by students, Miss Dianne Keegan and Miss Judith Snyder directed a fine show which combines talent and student cooperation in a mass effort. The show was held April 29th and 30th; proceeds are divided between the three participating classes and Student Council.
Through the generosity of the Hospital Miss Anita Schlegel was able to attend the National Convention for Student Nurses in San Francisco on April 29th through May 3rd.

During the year the Social Committee was instrumental in formulating groups for art, gymnastics, bowling and the purchase of reduced rates on skating at Penn Center. Its biggest function is the planning of the annual Dinner Dance held this year at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel on June 5th.

In order to publish a Yearbook the Senior class sponsored the sale of Jefferson charms and dolls, collegian supplies, Christmas cards and wrapping, periodic Paperback Book sales and hotdogs. Their biggest production was a Spaghetti Dinner at which 400 people were served. The Junior class sold candy, cake, and milk weekly. The Freshman class held several successful bake sales which begins their treasury. Student Council initiated the sale of chances to stabilize the treasury.

Students remain indebted to the Hospital, to the Women's Board and the Alumnae Association for their support of our functions and their gifts of basketballs, tumbling mats, stereo recordings, flowers, holiday teas and candy.

Several students participated actively in the Women's Board "Old Market Day Fair" on May 1st.

A Student-Faculty picnic similar to last year has been anticipated.

Student Council officers for the year 1964-1965 are:

- President: Tracy Valentine
- Vice-President: Ruth Kessler
- Secretary: Marilyn Paynter
- Treasurer: Jane Murphy
- House President: Margaret Fischer
- Social Chairman: Betty Slamon
- S.N.A.P. Representative: Barbara Ott

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SEND ANY NUMBER — TO:
Jefferson Nurses Alumnae Association
11th & Walnut Streets
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107

Attention: Peggy Summers

The modern building is the result of a heartwarming story we reported to you last year. Many of you may remember, or have heard of, Dr. Francis Torrens Stewart. In 1913 he performed an emergency appendectomy on a poor, 20-year-old boy, Louis B. Orlowitz. The operation was considered routine, but Mr. Orlowitz never forgot the nursing care he received at Jefferson or Dr. Stewart. He formed a lasting attachment to the institution, and last year contributed $500,000 towards a residence hall.
Another building of interest to you, I'm sure, is the Stein Radiation Research Center, now under construction. The Center is scheduled to open this summer at 202 S. Hutchinson Street. The $600,000 building is made possible largely through funds provided by the Eleanor Roosevelt Cancer Foundation, the National Institutes of Health, and generous gifts from Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stein and several of their close friends. It will be the first science building opened in Jefferson's new area for expansion and it represents another important step in our $41,000,000 development program.

The Stein Center will provide space for both research facility expansion and graduate and post-graduate classrooms and laboratories. It will greatly aid the Department of Radiology in broadening their interest in many different aspects of the cancer problem.

Of importance to you as alumnae is news of Jefferson Hall, the Basic Science-Student Commons Building now being constructed on campus. It is going up on the south side of Locust Street, between 10th and 11th Streets—a brand new area in Jefferson's development.

To be built at a cost of approximately $16 million by the General State Authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Jefferson Hall will be ready for the class entering in 1967. The new building will allow us to increase the size of our classes 10%, and will provide the space and equipment to meet the requirements imposed by these larger classes. I'm sure you're well aware of the fact that we and other Medical Schools will have to produce 50% more doctors each year by 1975, to maintain today's doctor-patient ratio.

The Basic Science area will include all pre-clinical courses in one large building, permitting the clinical departments, especially research, to use the vacated College Building for expansion. Planning for the new building incorporates the flexibility needed in anticipation of still further improvements in educational programs and teaching methods.

The Commons will be a social and cultural center—a hall for guest lectures, symposia, receptions, concerts and other extra-curricular phases of medicine. Athletic facilities for physical fitness programs are still another feature of the Commons.

I know how important the College Library was to you while you were students. Going up soon on the south side of Walnut Street, between the forthcoming Orlowitz Residence Hall and the present James R. Martin Student Nurses' Residence, will be the new library, modern in every detail. You may remember the location—the site of the old Stephano building, once a tobacco factory.

Facilities are planned to provide for more than 750 medical students, more than 800 members of the faculty, 300 nursing students, 165 residents, interns and fellows, 50 graduate students, and 20 laboratory and X-ray technician students.

These are only a few of the many lively projects now underway here in Jefferson's $41 million expansion program. Approximately $26 million of this goal is in hand, including more than $6.3 million in private subscriptions which came in through the Jefferson Building Fund Campaign.

When you contemplate the up-to-the-minute programs for expansion, it is often difficult to remember that one hundred and forty years have passed into Jefferson's history. And yet now, more than ever, we can understand the point of view of Jefferson's founder, Dr. George McClellan.

Dr. McClellan was a pioneer and a medical crusader. Insisting that medical students observe operations and symptoms—study people as well as textbooks—he set standards and ideals which are now, more than ever, able to come to fruition.

For the complete Jefferson redevelopment will keep uppermost the fundamentals of our pioneers. The concentration of student and staff housing and recreational facilities near educational, research and clinical areas will result in frequent and convenient access to the entire Medical Center.

The close feeling here goes beyond mere physical proximity. The spirit of working together to achieve our common goals has been a tenet of Jefferson tradition since 1825. From students to physicians to administrative staff, the bright new physical plant will serve to underline the team effort of community service which has always marked our Medical College and Medical Center. As students or staff nurses your part in this team approach has always been one of our greatest assets.

I've tried to bring you up to date on some of the exciting things that have been happening here at Jefferson. Of course, I've only just touched on the subject—there are new plans, new projects, new development every day. I could go on and on. But the most satisfying answer is for you to make a visit to the scene of your hospital training. I think you’re in for a terrific surprise!

John R. Busick, Director of Development

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**PSYCHIATRIC UNIT OF THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL**

The Psychiatric Unit of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital was established in November, 1957. It has been in continuous operation since that time and admits approximately three hundred and fifty patients a year.

The Psychiatric Unit was the result of long-term planning, and it occupies the fourteenth floor of the Thompson Annex. The Unit consists of twelve rooms and four lavatories. Of these rooms, one is used for Occupational Therapy, one as a combination living room and dining room, and two as offices. One room, with two beds and near the nurses' station, is used as a combination emergency room, treatment room, and office.

The twenty active beds are divided as follows: three single rooms, two four-bed rooms, one three-bed room, and three two-bed rooms.

The rooms on the fourteenth floor of the Annex are furnished with the usual hospital furniture except that all wheels have been removed from the beds. Patients are not usually bed patients, and having the beds lower is more comfortable. Slidemount screens on the windows for protection is the only change from the general floors.
Members of the Departments of Psychiatry and Neuro-Psychiatry have the privilege of admitting and treating patients, but all of the staff of the Medical Center refer patients to the Unit. Private, semi-private, and ward patients are all admitted to the same area. Few ward patients are admitted. The majority of the patients are semi-private, and the coverage length of stay is three weeks. Blue Cross allows twenty days of coverage for the care of psychiatric illness.

The purpose of the Psychiatric Unit in the General Hospital is to provide intensive short-term treatment for the emotionally ill. Men, women, and adolescents are admitted to the Unit. All types of cases, except the severely disturbed, are admitted. A large percentage of the patients admitted to the Unit are depressions, reactive or involutional. Other psychotic and neurotic disorders, character disorders, alcoholics and drug addicts are admitted.

The Staff of the Unit is composed of a Director, Nursing Supervisor, five staff nurses, four nurses aides, four attendants, and an occupational therapist, and a secretary-receptionist. Psychiatric Experience helps a great deal when coming to work on an intensive treatment unit, but the interest in working with patients, and a feeling for people, has helped in training personnel for the Unit.

The rapid turnover of patients, the variety of cases, and seeing that emotionally ill patients can get well and return to full normal lives makes working on fourteenth an interesting experience.

Rachel Clark, R.N., Nursing Supervisor

PROGRESS OF THE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

1891—Founding of the School of Nursing (with a two year training course), organized by Chief Nurse, Miss Ella Benson.

1895—Jefferson Nurses’ Alumnae Association was organized by Susan C. Hearle, a graduate of the Training School of The Philadelphia General Hospital. Miss Hearle was an English woman and had received her first training under Florence Nightingale.

1912—Jefferson Nurses’ Alumnae Association Relief Fund was established.

1932—The first Jefferson Nurses’ Alumnae prize was awarded. This prize is awarded to the member of the graduating class who attains the highest average during the three year course.

1933—First Alumnae Day.

1935—First Alumnae Bulletin printed.

1936—The Nurses’ Alumnae Scholarship Loan Fund was established.

1942—The Clara Melville Scholarship Fund was made available to a graduate of the Jefferson Hospital School of Nursing.

1956—The first Thomas A. Shallow Memorial prize (donated by the Nurses’ Alumnae Association) was awarded. This prize is awarded to the member of the graduating class who has demonstrated the greatest proficiency in Operating Room Technique.

THE NIGHTINGALE PLEDGE

I solemnly pledge myself before God and in the presence of this assembly to pass my life in purity and to practice my profession faithfully. I will abstain from whatever is deleterious and mischievous, and will not take or knowingly administer any harmful drug. I will do all in my power to maintain and elevate the standards of my profession, and will hold in confidence all personal matters committed to my keeping, and all family affairs coming to my knowledge in the practice of my profession. With loyalty will I endeavor to aid the physician in his work, and to devote myself to the welfare of those committed to my care.

RESUME OF ALUMNAE MEETINGS

September 8, 1964

26 members present — 5 guests.

It was announced that the graduating class of the School of Nursing was to be guest of the Alumnae Association at a breakfast, Friday, September 11, 1964, at 8:45 a.m. in the Greene Country Room at Stouffer’s, Penn Center Plaza.

No applications were received for the Fall, 1964 Scholarship.
Delegates for the P.N.A. Convention held in Philadelphia, October 26 through October 30, 1964 were:

   President       Mary Ann Stauffer
   General Duty    Louise Baxter
   Nursing Service E. Nancy Scott
   Private Duty    Catherine Prendergast

A recommendation was made and accepted to reserve a hotel room for the use of delegates and others of the alumae attending the convention.

A recommendation was also made and accepted to give the School of Nursing money to send students to the P.N.A. Convention in October, 1964.

OCTOBER 13, 1964

22 members present.

Applications were presented from the 74 members of the 1964 graduating class of the School of Nursing.

A recommendation was made and accepted that the picture of the President of our association appear on the front page of our Bulletin. The association will pay to have the picture taken.

It was recommended and accepted that the In Memoriam Card be printed.

It was recommended and accepted that each delegate to the P.N.A. Convention be given $50 for their convention expenses; and that $50 be given to the School of Nursing to be used for the students attending the S.N.A.P. Convention.

A recommendation was made and accepted that $75 be contributed to the United Fund.

A recommendation was made and accepted to accept "in toto" the 74 applications for membership from the graduating class.

It was recommended and accepted that the By-Laws committee review the By-Laws for any changes necessary before printing.

Mrs. Rachel Clark, Head Nurse of Jefferson's Psychiatric Department, explained the organization of the unit and newer trends in psychiatric nursing.

NOVEMBER 3, 1964

21 members present.

The ballot for the annual election in January was presented by Miss Florence Roche, chairman of the Nominating Committee.

It was recommended and accepted that the Alumnae Association give the Reader's Digest as a Christmas gift to the following:

   Mabel Boller  Mary Mullen
   Emma Knock    Bernice Collins
   Nellie Hill   Florence Hawke
   Emma Frigar

It was recommended and accepted that the Social Committee proceed with plans for a Christmas Party. Recommendation was also made and accepted that the committee look into the possibility of a "social hour" following the monthly meetings — coffee, tea, and cakes to be served.

Excellent PNA Convention reports were given by: Miss Prendergast, Mrs. Scott, Miss Baxter, and Miss Stauffer.

A letter was read from Mr. Coffee stating the Governor's Hospital Study Commission has recommended that hospital courtesy discounts for persons other than hospital employees be discontinued. The Board of Trustees of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital has ruled that discounts in rates for hospitalization will be authorized for hospital employees ONLY as of November 5, 1964. Therefore, members of the Alumnae Association, who are not on the Hospital payroll, as well as members of the clergy, will be billed at the rates established for all hospital patients.

JANUARY 5, 1965

51 members present.

The annual election of officers was held. Results were:

   First Vice-President    Elsie Skvir
   Secretary               Florence Roche
   Board of Directors      Evelyn Curran, Vivian Moyer

After lengthy discussion the By-Laws were revised by a unanimous vote of all present.

It was with regret that the President announced the death of an Honorary Member, Miss Elizabeth Melville.

FEBRUARY 2, 1965

24 members present.

An appeal was made to benefit the Building Fund, the sale of candy and fifty-fifty drawings are now being held at the monthly meetings.

Chemo-therapy was the topic of an informative lecture by Dr. Arthur Weiss. This interesting talk aroused much discussion from the group.

MARCH, 1965

No meeting was held. A successful dinner and auction sale were held at the nurses home on March 17. Much fun was had by all.

APRIL 6, 1965

17 members present.

Recommendation was made and accepted that the money made at the dinner and auction sale in March be given to the Building Fund.

Jane Cox Gay has accepted the chairmanship of the Nominating Committee.

The Alumnae Association gratefully acknowledges a $300.00 donation by Miss Margaret Melville, Honorary Member. ($125.00—Relief Fund; $100.00—Scholarship Fund; $75.00—General Fund).
A lecture and slides were presented to the group by Officer Medella of the Community Division of our City Police Department. Of interest to all were the do's and don't's in self-protection in crimes against women.

MAY 4, 1965

22 members present.

266 members attended the Annual Luncheon. The foodless "bake sale" brought a total of $216.30. A recommendation was made to place this amount in the Building Fund. It was moved and seconded to do so.

A recommendation was made and accepted that the Alumnae give a breakfast again this year for the graduating class, in September.

A recommendation was made by the Scholarship Committee and accepted by the group that the September 1965 Alumnae Scholarship be granted to Miss Corrine Rae Kurzen, Class of 1962.

A recommendation was made and accepted that the President and the Executive Board be given the power to transact any business which may occur between May and September, 1965.

Florence Roche, Recording Secretary

NURSING SERVICE STAFF ASSOCIATION

The past year has been a fairly busy one for the Nursing Service Staff and I feel that progress has been made.

Our Inservice Education Program has been geared toward Safety — safety in the hospital and on the streets. We have had films on hospital safety, and a policeman from the city had a very informative program on self protection for women.

We have sent representatives to the Pennsylvania Nurses' Convention, the Eighth Seminar in Cardiovascular Nursing and the Institute on Nursing's Commitment to Safe Practice.

The Nursing Service Staff presented Mrs. Emma Frigar with a gift upon her retirement from the hospital. We also had a successful Christmas Tea for the Medical Staff, and our Annual Strawberry Festival was a huge success.

Again this year we were the guests of the Board of Trustees and Mr. Maurice P. Coffee, Jr., Hospital Director, for cocktails and dinner or for breakfast at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel the week of April 19. They were much appreciated and enjoyed. We were told of the plans for the further development of the hospital and of increments in salary for those interested in the evening and night shifts and proposed increases for auxiliary personnel on these two shifts. Nurses doing these tours of duty are entitled to every other weekend off duty.

We are still understaffed, but things are improving, and we are looking forward to a better year.

Constance Sierant, President, N.S.S.A.

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SCHOLARSHIP

There were two applications for scholarship assistance for September 1965. The names of the applicants were presented at the May meeting of the Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae Association.

It was recommended that Miss Corrine Rae Kurzen be granted scholarship assistance for the fall semester 1965.

A reminder to Jefferson graduates wishing to apply for scholarship assistance!!! The following rules and regulations must be met in order to qualify for a scholarship:

1. The applicants must be members of the Alumnae Association for no less than one year prior to the time of application, a member of the American Nurses' Association, have at least one year of professional experience, and have been admitted to an accredited program in Nursing.

2. Applicants for the scholarships shall request and submit the application to the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee.

3. The closing dates for applications are April 1st for those desiring scholarships for the fall or winter semester and September 1st for those desiring the scholarships for spring semester. The applications will be considered by the Scholarship Committee in April and September, and the recommendations for their award will be presented at the membership meetings in May and October for approval.

4. All other things being equal, preference will be given to the applicant who has been active in the Association and who has most nearly completed requirements for a degree.

Sara L. Werstler, Chairman, Scholarship Committee

PROGRAM

The Jefferson Medical College Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Association presented the following programs at their monthly meetings last year:

OCTOBER 1964
Discussion of Jefferson Medical College Hospital Kidney Unit and its Functions — Mary O'Neill, R.N.

NOVEMBER 1964
Discussion of Kidney Transplant — H. Cohn, M.D.

FEBRUARY 1965
Discussion of Chemo-therapy — A. Weiss, M.D.

APRIL 1965
Slides and Discussion of Crimes Against Women — Officer Maddela.

Louise Baxter, Chairman

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SICK AND WELFARE

There were 69 alumnae members admitted to Jefferson Medical College Hospital in the past year ending May 15th, 1965. Of these 22 were Maternity patients and 47 were Medical-Surgical patients.

Cards were sent to all known sick alumnae members both in and out of Jefferson Hospital. The President and Chairman of this Committee attempted to visit as many members hospitalized at Jefferson as possible.

Jeanette Plasterer, Chairman

SOCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

The social committee has attempted to plan several functions which would be a “get-together” to renew old as well as make new friendships.

The Graduating Class of 1964 were guests of the Alumnae Association to a breakfast on Friday, September 8, 1964, in the Greene Countrie Room, at Stouffers, Penn Center Plaza. The entire class attended and the affair was enjoyed by all.

A Christmas party and buffet supper was held on Wednesday, December 10, 1964, at the Nurses’ Residence. Jolly Santa Claus, portrayed by our president, Mary Ann Stauffer, appeared on the scene with a gift for each one present. On March 17, 1965, we had a very enjoyable Buffet supper, followed by an “Auction Sale”. The proceeds from the Auction was $90.00. The Social Committee recommended this money be placed in the Building Fund.

The “highlight of the year” was our Annual Alumnae Luncheon, which was held on May 1, 1965, in the Crystal Ballroom of The Benjamin Franklin Hotel. There were 276 reservations, but due to illness, there was a total of 266 who were able to attend. The following door prizes were obtained through Trading Stamps:

1. A crystal bud vase — won by Jennie Kutz, class of 1921.
2. An eight-piece Pyrex refrigerator set, won by Ellen Remensnyder Carlton, class of 1940.
3. A 1 ½ quart two section casserole by Corning Ware, won by Joan Harmer Tribolet, class of 1958.
4. A 1 ½ quart Corning Ware casserole, won by Jenny Alderfer Battin, class of 1954.

Following all of our monthly business meetings, we now serve coffee and tea with cookies.

The Committee wishes to thank all the members for their continued support in helping to make these functions a success.

Betty Piersol, Chairman

PLEASE!

Send your luncheon reservations in a week in advance for your next Annual Alumnae Luncheon for May 7, 1966. Remember to return your card with your check or money order. This is the only way we can reserve a seat for you at your class table.

BULLETIN

In this the June 1965 issue of the NURSES’ ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION BULLETIN we have included news of the Association, articles telling about the Hospital, the School of Nursing and Student activities, a report on the Jefferson Expansion Program and many interesting news items about our Alumnae.

We enjoy receiving articles about “Jeff” graduates and/or their families. In this issue, there are items pertaining to promotions in the Administrative and Educational fields of Nurses and in the Armed Services, and national recognition of three of our graduates as artists.

We have been informed that several names have been added to the growing list of Life Membership of the Alumnae Association as well as many graduates who have earned the privilege of retirement.

Best wishes and congratulations to all. We wish we could say it personally to each of you.

Bulletin Committee —

Evelyn Wilson Frazier
Constance Sierant
Julia Tyler McCracken

MEMBERSHIP

WHY JOIN?

The membership of our alumnae association to date:

Life Members .................... 21
Active Members ................... 671
Associate Members ............. 227
Honorary Members ............... 4

We have over 2000 names and addresses of Jefferson Nursing School graduates on file. It is to those who do not belong to our alumnae association that we direct this article.

Why Join? First: Our association promotes fellowship among the members and provides mutual assistance and comfort in times of illness, discouragement and misfortune.

Why Join? Second: Our association promotes professional and educational advancement of the graduates of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital School of Nursing.

Why Join? Third: Our association promotes the advancement of the interests of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital School of Nursing.

Why Join? Fourth: Relief Fund Benefits (subject to the rules and regulations as outlined in the 1965 Revised By-Laws).

1. Active and Life Members are entitled up to $175.00 annually toward their Jefferson Hospital bills. This sum of money is to be applied after the members hospitalization insurance has been used.
The Private Duty Registry at the present time has 36 members. We welcomed 2 new members this year—Miss Sandra Bunker and Mrs. Dolores Gray.

Requirements to join the registry are:
1. You must be a graduate of Jefferson.
2. Be an active member of the Jefferson Nurses' Alumnae Association.
3. Be a member of the American Nurses Association. The fee for joining the registry is $40.00 per year.

The head of the Jefferson Registry is Miss Ann Flood, who is always happy to welcome new private duty nurses to the registry.

Colleen Elwell, Chairman
The "PIT" or Amphitheatre is to be demolished and new construction started in late summer. The Administrative Offices for Nursing Service and the School of Nursing, as well as the Volunteer Service Office will be relocated on the second floor of this new construction.
Miss Prevost's report to the Alumnae Association was read by the President. A man, Director of the School of Nursing, were unable to be present. They were in San Francisco attending the meeting of the National League of Nursing Council of Member Agencies, Director of the Alumni Association was read by the President.

A copy of this report is on page 3.
The following Anniversary Classes were recognized as the Year was called:

1st — Class of 1964 — 3 members present
5th — Class of 1960 — 3 members present
10th — Class of 1955 — 12 members present
15th — Class of 1950 — 13 members present
20th — Class of 1945 — 18 members present
25th — Class of 1940 — 21 members present
30th — Class of 1935 — 12 members present
35th — Class of 1930 — 19 members present
40th — Class of 1925 — 3 members present
45th — Class of 1920 — 4 members present
50th — Class of 1915 — 2 members present

At the conclusion of the luncheon, all members were invited to attend the Old Market Fair at historic Head House and the Old Second Street Market in the Society Hill Section of Philadelphia. The event was sponsored by the Women’s Board of Jefferson.

**PLAN TO BE PRESENT NEXT YEAR**

### 1964 BUILDING FUND REPORT

The following Classes have contributed $2,034.00 to the Building Fund since January 1965:

- **1912—$8.00**
  - W.H.
  - Mary C. Faulkner

- **1919—$1.00**
  - Sophie B. Levey

- **1924—$5.00**
  - Beatrice O’Hara

- **1925—$6.00**
  - Ida G. Smith

- **1928—$5.00**
  - W.H.

- **1931—$5.00**
  - Anna P. Miller

- **1934—$5.00**
  - Minnie Bartash

- **1934—$5.00**
  - Angela Cozza

### JEFFERSON

- **1911—$60.00**
  - Elizabeth Jones

- **1912—$15.00**
  - Edna B. Noyes

- **1913—$5.00**
  - Elizabeth Heath

- **1916—$5.00**
  - Mary H. Moore

- **1918—$15.00**
  - Blanche K. String

### 1929—$70.00
- Ada C. Crouse
- Edith Cypher
- Frances Hartman
- Berenice S. Ziegler
- Pauline W. Montgomery
- Emma F. Fringer
- Jennie E. Kutz
- Sue Oshongh
- Katherine P. Smock
- Ruth Purinton
- Jennetia Wolfe
- Maurie F. Spencer

### 1928—$45.00
- Lorraine K. Mayers
- Pauline Allen
- Lillian Mertz
- Ann H. Phillips
- Filomena Dolcety

### 1927—$45.00
- Mary C. McKee
- Margaret A. Tandarr
- Mariam B. Howe
- Frances K. Fisher
- Mary K. Evans

### 1934—$145.00
- Evelyn Dusch
- Margaret P. Ranson
- Elinor F. Brosious
- Thelma M. Taylor
- Mary S. Dunlap
- Lydia Yorks

### 1937—$15.00
- Eliza H. Baker
- Helen J. Jewell
- June L. Smith
- Violet S. Orland
- Lura Z. Johnson
- Pauline D. Leager

### 1938—$15.00
- Elsie B. Atias
- Josephine S. McDowell
- Isabel W. Snider
- Mildred K. Oliniski
- Edith B. Ogden
- Marian R. Briggs

### 1939—$15.00
- Virginia Avery
- Teresa Saveney
- Mildred Zook
- Edith H. Krugler
- Edith S. Lone

### 1940—$235.00
- Esther A. Musseman
- Sue B. Dale
- Edith B. Fringle
- Dorothy C. Rosenberg
- Catherine C. Lambert
- Ellena E. Meyer
- Mary E. Fleming
- Margaret F. Reed
- Helen E. Enterline
- Mary E. Rosser
- Edna F. Felten
- Violet G. Hyman
- Janet H. Arnold
- Martha J. Reed
- Hope K. Mool
- Hazel L. Knepper
- Virginia M. Gavilanes
- Virginia M. Mutschler
- Ada N. Knodel
- Doris F. Finglebracht
- Ruth P. Frazier
- Ellen K. Cartlon
- Averene S. Murphy
- Sara V. Catterson
- Thelma W. Taylor
- Nora W. Sprecher
- Norma S. Smith
- Elizabeth P. Fulbi

### 1941—$55.00
- Reba A. Finkle
- Filipina Hubhth
- Kathryn D. Quackenbush
- Perree J. Davis
- Ruth K. Gillette
- Ruth Shaver
- Lucile W. Stradley
- Geraldine W. Waters

### 1942—$60.00
- Dorothy Cloud
- Virginia H. Heckman
- Sally Lascombe
- Myrtle B. Berman
- Angela D. Clark
- Georgianna W. Green
- Irene L. Polner

### 1943—$25.00
- Betty C. Suttles
- Vivian I. Moyer

### 1944—$45.00
- Dorcas B. Revelle
- Vivian F. Gragg
- Thelma Y. Tom
- Mary Lou G. Stewart

### 1945—$50.00
- Mary A. Porrick
- Jennie A. Role
- June B. Mack
- Ida B. Ferber
- Janice K. Jacoby
- Betty M. Brew

### 1946—$15.00
- Gloria P. Kovach
- Ruth F. Nemeth
- Norma F. Shaffer

### 1947—$60.00
- Frances G. Shaub
- Laura B. Toth
- Marian B. Hunter
- Dorothy M. Sturr
- Virginia S. Lawrence
- Elizabeth H. Watkins

### 1948—$28.00
- Mercedes B. Christ
- Betty J. McDonald
- Katheryn H. Eyrie
- Betty P. Konjukie
- Lillian B. Van Hoy
- Rachel T. Herbert

### 1949—$80.00
- Louise D. Stavoy
- Charmaine Kissing
- Ruth L. Wettig
- Kathleen Tremain
- Eleanor P. Robinson
- Shirley S. Bittner
- Barbara P. Green
- Lucille F. Henkelmann

### 1950—$85.00
- Mary M. Brumbaugh
- Barbara F. Ackerman
- Rose G. Muldigan
- Janet Hindson
- Jean H. Lewis
- Jean M. Fujita
- Helen S. Rightor
- Anne Werther
- Wealthy M. Shult

### 1951—$25.00
- Dorothy D. LaSasso
- Marlyn S. Williams
- Barbara E. Bean

### 1952—$45.00
- Margaret F. Keates
- Jean F. Ryan
- Nancy G. Messick
- Eloise Hopenstel
- Ann S. Stout
- Alice D. Chase

### 1954—$45.00
- Sally H. Wagner
- Louise M. Hoch
- Betty R. Sore
- Mary Ann Stauffer
- Margaret I. Reimer

### 1955—$10.00
- Dawn D. John

### 1956—$8.00
- Shirley O. Doerntz
- Florence Rocke
MARRIAGES

Dorothy (Edgar) Burns, 1942
Jeanne T. (Flanagan) Ryan, 1952
Jean Tomlin (War) Dempsey, 1954
Dorothy (Brown) Klauss, 1955
Dorothy (Edwin) Lucas, 1955
Mary Kay (Griffiths) O’Kavanaugh, 1957
Arlene (Boy) Williams, 1959
Nancy (Wood) Cohen, 1959
Marlene (MacFarland) Olivieri, 1959
Phyllis (Parry) Colander, 1960
Elizabeth (Conly) Beardon, 1961
Carolyn (Dooley) Vizzard, 1961
Carol (Aufferman) Ferbee, 1962
Eleanor (Gates) Tulsio, 1962
Sandy (Arrdor) Hanks, 1962
Jessie (Reek) 1962
Elizabeth (Keen) Meyer, 1962
Sandor Jo (McMinn) Laudadio, 1962
Janice (Panick) Billick, 1962
Susan Kay (Eckerd) Leake, 1962
Marjorie (Haines) Harris, 1963
Jean (Allen) McConnell, 1963
Judy (Welsko) Lynn, 1963

MARRIAGES

Maureen (Cassidy) McKeever, 1963
Mary (Woerner) Schaebe, 1964
Nancy (Shearer) Jones, 1964
Ray (Shaffer) Buschek, 1964
Judith (Scheib) Pollard, 1964
Donna (Rockhill) Ruggieri, 1964
Lynn (McMaster) Montgomery, 1964
Dorothy (Kemmerer) Weber, 1964
Nancy (Gray) Woodruff, 1964
Betty (Fesmier) Davis, 1964
Janet (Fesmier) Losch, 1964
Linda (Roth) Seda, 1964
Phyllis (DeJesse) Shrola, 1964
Joy (Stabile) Ambraus, 1964
Allisona (Mitze) . . . . . . . . 1964
Mary Lou (Woerner) Schuel, 1964
Stephanie (Records) Seipel, 1964
Roanne (Axelson) Heise, 1964
Carol (Boyle) Miller, 1964
Marsha (Bregman) Seltzer, 1964
Eileen (Cancelli) DeSipio, 1964
Jane (Cox) Gay, 1964

BIRTHS

Marie (Cannon) Philler, 1944
Baby Girl
Evelyn (Sherick) Sell, 1945
Baby Girl
Irene (Harter) Reams, 1947
Baby Boy
Mary Jane (Wargo) Church, 1947
Baby Boy

DEATHS

Maude (Clipping) Faust, 1904
Margaret (Conrad) Weaver, 1913
Mary Ansley (James) Short, 1915
Lillian (Bowen) Plumb, 1917
Eliza (McCullough) Williams, 1919
Ruth Purinton, 1921
Mary Pierce Welsh, 1922
Mae Orr, 1923
Lillian (Larson) Hudson, 1924
Florence Hawke, 1927

DEATHS

Betty (Rockafellow) Laird, 1959
Baby Girl
Jane (Ryan) Deitrich, 1959
Baby Girl
Rhoda (Snedeker) Little, 1960
Baby Girl
Madeleine (Henly) Glass, 1960
Baby Boy
Marilyn (Miller) O’Brien, 1960
Baby Boy
Beverly (DeTurk) Wentz, 1960
Baby Girl
Carolyn (Dooley) Vizzard, 1961
Baby Boy
Mary Jill (Dansch) Mascena, 1961
Baby Girl
Sharon (Potts) Subhage, 1961
Baby Girl
Christine (Mosier) Favino, 1961
Baby Girl
Stephanie (Arnold) Bogley, 1961
Baby Boy
Barbara (Berry) Jazem, 1962
Baby Boy
Carol (Franco) Green, 1962
Baby Boy
Margaret (Sara) Tany, 1962
Baby Girl
Marian (Welsko) Ambrose, 1962
Baby Girl
Eleanor (Gates) Tuulos, 1962
Baby Girl
Sandra (Cynthia) Bethanie, 1963
Baby Boy
Teresa (Bretschneider) McCloseley, 1963
Baby Girl
Jane (Cox) Gay, 1964
Baby Boy

DEATHS

Evelyn (Snoodler) Smith, 1929
Pearl (Becker) Ankeny, 1929
Kathryn McNeil, 1931 W.H.
A. Justine Schafer, 1933 W.H.
Margaret (Rocke) Myers, 1940
Mary (Shoup) Dove, 1947
Evelyn (Grinn) Smith, 1947
Anna L. Morris, Honorary
Elizabeth Melville, Honorary

The Committee wishes to thank all who have contributed, and if we have omitted the name of any contributor we are truly sorry.

Henrietta F. Spruance, Chairman
Margaret Summers
Betty Pierson
IN MEMORIAM

The Nurses Alumnae Association of the Jefferson Medical College Hospital wishes to inform you that the sum of Ten dollars has been placed in the Nurses Relief Fund in memory of ___________.

Class of _________.

Respectfully Submitted,

President Jefferson Nurses Alumnae Association

CLASS NEWS

WHITE HAVEN GRADUATES: Miss Angela Cozza has retired. The records of all White Haven graduates have been placed in our Alumnae office. Please contact Miss Doris Bowman, Director of the School of Nursing, for information.

HONORARY MEMBERS: Miss Anna L. Morris, Supt. of the White Haven Sanatorium Training School, was made an Honorary member of the Jefferson Nurses Alumnae Association when Jefferson took over the White Haven Sanatorium. Miss Morris died in December 1964 at the age of 83 years.

Miss Elizabeth Melville, Honorary member and sister of a former Directress of Nurses at Jefferson, died in November 1964.

1904—Anna Blanche Lichty Snively Barnard Snively, 916 Louise Ave., Lancaster, Pa. (17601)—In case my name puzzles you — after the death of my second husband, after a few years of marriage, my children (five Snivelys) asked me to use their name — I did — and do so now.

1915—Eliza Heaton, 311 S. 13th St., Phila., Pa. (19107) — Celebrating her 50th Anniversary as a graduate of Jefferson — wishes for more good health so she can continue working.

Mary Ansley James Short, Bethany Beach, Delaware (1930) — departed this life January 20, 1965 at her winter residence in Rehoboth Beach, Del., from a sudden massive coronary. (Sent in by her daughter.)

1917—Elsie I. Dunn, 211 - 3rd Ave. N., Pell City, Ala. (35125) — Retired.

1920—Anna Campbell Trego, 55 High St., Pottstown, Pa. (19464) — Did School Nursing from 1941 to 1958 when I retired.

1921—Verna M. Keller Roberts and daughters, Caroline Roberts King, R.N., and Ruth Roberts James, R.N., were present for the Luncheon, May 1st.


S. Elizabeth Scotton, P.O. Box 36, Hartley, Del. (19935) — I retired June 15, 1964, after being employed by the State of Delaware since June 8, 1938.

1924—Mildred H. Felter Semler, 108 - 13th St., N., St. Petersburg, Fla., writes: “Dear friends: Though not an alumnae member I’m always proud to say I’m a Jefferson R.N. I’m still active as a private duty nurse at Mound Park Hospital in St. Petersburg, Fla. We are fortunate in having many fine M.D.s — to mention one, Dr. Leinbach of Reading, Pa. He has perfected a new technique for hip repair. At present he is treating another orthopedic surgeon from Lansdale, Pa., who is next door to my present patient — a Supreme Court Judge from N.Y. State. Dr. Leinbach journeys abroad nearly every year where he both studies and lectures. He has a “down to earth” personality, also a real fascination for all types of interesting people.” Mrs. Semler enclosed a check for the Building Fund.

1926—Agnes Darovich Tomasula, 240 Center Rd., Poland, Ohio (44514) — Husband, Reverend Michael J. Tomasula, pastor of the John Calvin United Presbyterian Church, Youngstown, Ohio, for 27 years, passed away March 31, 1964.

Pauline McElwee Gilben, 4581 Kings Highway, Brooklyn, N.Y. — Have enjoyed a fairly successful art career. Am a member of several national art associations. Have exhibited in museums and galleries across the U.S.A. and have received a number of
awards; represented in many private collections — the latest being in the permanent collection of the Norfolk Museum of Fine Arts Khouri Collection. Painting name — Polly Gillen.

1928—Mary A. Stanfill Mallek (Mrs. Alton W.), R.D. #2, Sunbury, Pa. (17801) — Mary Ann Stanfill, President of our Alumnae Association, is Mrs. Mallek's niece.

Margaret Martin Lauchle, 5909 Grand Ave, Dover, Ohio, 43015 — My husband is Technical Training Supv. at Miehle Printing Press Co. We have three daughters, two of whom graduated from Wesley Memorial Hospital in Chicago, and a son who teaches school — also have five grandchildren.

1929—Zelda K. Rowe Mencer (Mrs. Howard E.), 910 S. 30th St., Camp Hill, Pa. (17011) — writes that she is inactive.

1930—Dorothy Mae Williams Derk — writes that she has retired temporarily from nursing due to health problem. Her husband 4-8 Precinct Chairman Democratic Committee. She is the proud grandmother of a baby girl.

Emma Ruth Sellers Johnson, 780 Bettlewood Ave., Collinswood, N.J. (08108) — writes that she has been unable to work for the past year due to arthritis in hip and knee joints. “Breaks my heart as it is very hard to give up nursing after all of these years, also to give up our flower nursery and large pre-revolutionary home — just a little too much to care for.”

Virginia Miller Bruner, P.O. Box 487, Alamo, Texas (78516) — At present is Assistant Director of Nurses, McAllen Municipal Hospital, McAllen, Texas. She writes — “Sorry I can’t come to the luncheon this year as I greatly enjoyed my short visit last year, and would like to repeat it.”

1931—Mildred English Hively, 2371 Hillside Ave., Williamsport, Pa. (17705) — I have been elected a member of the Executive Board of Lycoming College Alumni Association and will be the next Regent for the Lycoming Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution; am a Director of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Williamsport Shrine Club.

Marie Hosage DeStefano, 740 Wood Ave., Colonia, N.J. (07007) — Widow in 1939 — now retired — volunteer for Red Cross Blood Donor program.

Elizabeth Youngblood Gaul, 2148 Cherry St., Philadelphia, Pa. (19103) — Son (Jay) married, has a 4 year old son and twin girls — age 9 months. Daughter (Lois) is a Junior at Wilson College. I am a widow and now live in a “Town House” on Cherry Street.


1933—Mildred Myers Smith, 31 Stanford Place, Montclair, N.J. (07042) — Nursing Instructor for Montclair Red Cross, Chairman of Nursing Services and member of the Red Cross Board. Just elected to a 3 year term on the Church Council of the First Lutheran Church, Montclair.

1935—Mary Rotz Evans, 2350 Faulk Woods Rd., Wilmington, Del. (19803) — Husband, William J. Evans, died Nov. 16, 1962. I am at present the School Nurse at the Memorial Hospital in Wilmington.

Priscilla Vanderslice Margerum, 200 Canterbury Dr., Ramsey, N.J. — After 23 years in Indiana we have been transferred “back east”. Jack is Manager of Manufacturing at General Electric Co. in Paterson, N.J.

Gertrude Jones Saunders, 10160 Page Rd., Streetsboro, Ohio (44241) — Two children: Sandra — married — no children — College graduate — State employee; Dean — still a college student — attended 5 years so far — hopes to become a dentist.

1936—Edna Miriam Spangler McAvoy, 1425 Pine St., Norristown, Pa. (19401) — Our son, Bill, is an honor student at Penn State University — may be a veterinarian.

Lydia K. Yerkes, 2107 Winton, Havertown, Pa. (19083) — Writes that she was promoted — Coordinator of Nursing Services for the School District of The Township of Upper Darby.

1937—Ruth Butler Sowers (Mrs. John W.), R.D. 1, Fayetteville, Pa. (17222) — Am married to a G.P. (Jefferson graduate — Class of ’35). Have a boy age 16 and a girl age 15. Both (fortunately) inherit their father's brains. She is an introvert — we do have variety. She is quite a bowler — represented this tri-county area in the Junior All Star Tournament (State) — in 1962 — she lost.

Mildred Woodhead Hawkesworth, P.O. Box 272, Peterborough, N.H. (03458) — (1) Son, Denis, freshman at the University of New Hampshire and a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. (2) Myself — Instructor at Crotched Mountain Rehabilitation Center in charge of undergraduate and graduate nurse education. We take affiliations from various schools in N.H., Maine and from UNH and other college programs.

EDITOR'S NOTE: We have learned that Mrs. Hawkesworth's biography has been included in the Dictionary of International Biography published in England. Her biography has also appeared in the first and subsequent editions of “Who's Who of American Women.” She is also interested in art and has exhibited oil and watercolor paintings at Plymouth Meeting Friends School Library, Norristown Library, Norristown Art League and is a member of the Rockport Art Association, Rockport, Mass.

1938—Edith Owen McCutcheon, 70 Collins Rd., Trenton, N.J. (08690) — No special recognition but I'm most proud that all of my family that I have left — my daughter — is in training in “Little Jefferson”, Germantown Hospital, Philadelphia.

Madeline M. Ullom, 2620 S. Paseo Madera, Green Valley, Ariz. (85614) — Member International Platform Association — three paintings exhibited Santa Cruz Art Festival.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Miss Ullom is listed in “Who's Who of American Women” and “Selected American Scientists.”

1939—Leonore Goude McPherson (Mrs. Sidney), 95 Van Buren Ave., West Hartford, Conn.

AFTER 25 YEARS

1940—Esther Armitage (Musselman) — Berwick Heights Road, E. Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania — “Still living and working in my beloved Poconos. Larry and I started our second youth last summer when we went on our first camping trip to Yellowstone — loaded down our Corvair with sleeping bags, tent, etc. and took off — had a wonderful time! Our daughter, Peggy Ebel, graduated from Penn State this past March. For the past 10 years I have worked as an office nurse after 15 years at the local hospital, most of that time as night supervisor. I started courses at the local college a year ago — should get my degree by our 50th Anniversary.

Mary Sue Banks (Dale) — 865 Orange Blossom Drive, Eau Galle, Florida (32935) — Sue works in a doctor’s office in Florida. She loves Florida. She has two daughters, Carolyn and Linda, and has one grandchild.
Rebecca Browning (O'Harra) — Do not have Becky’s address but wrote to her c/o her husband, c/o the New York Herald Tribune. Letter was not returned to me so it must have been delivered.

Goldie Byers (Pringle) — 825 Belt Blvd., Richmond, Va. — Housewife — 2 children — a daughter and a son. “Those of you who remember my husband, Herbert, from his affiliation at Jefferson may be interested in knowing that he is Surgical Supervisor at The McGuire Veterans’ Hospital here in Richmond. He has 20 years with the Veterans Administration. Our daughter, Charlotte, graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Westhampton College last year and teaches high school English. She will be married in June. Gilbert, our 17 year old son, graduates from high school this year and will attend the University of Virginia in Charlottesville in the Fall to study electrical engineering.”

Dorothy Chambers (Rounsaville) — 237 Manhattan, Oak Ridge, Tenn. Dorothy has 3 sons and 2 daughters.

Dorothy Cohick (Rosenberg) — 44 Hawthorne Lane, Willingboro, N.J. — Husband — Stanley (N. J. Dept. of Health). Elementary School Library Co-coordinator — 2 sons — Archie and Jeff. “Although I am not in the nursing profession anymore, I look forward to seeing my old friends in May. Since our last reunion, my family has lived in Illinois for two years and we have been living in New Jersey for the past two years. We have acquired a second son. Jeffrey came to us from Naples, Italy, in his sixth year. We plan to camp through Europe beginning in June this Summer. We intend to go as far South as Naples. Jeff wants to show us his city. It will be interesting to see how much he has remembered and how much he has forgotten. I hope to see many of you in May!”

Catherine Craiton (Lambert) — 260 Normal St., East Stroudsburg, Pa. — Supervisor of Central Supply—General Hospital of Monroe County, N. J. — No children. “Hello to You All!”

Doris Dieterle — 1303 York Ave., New York 21, N.Y.

Florence Eisenbrown — 401 Ashmead St., Cheltenham, Pa.

Mary A. Eisenhart (Fleming) — Box 651, Route 1, Arnold, Md. Mary has one daughter and several dogs at last correspondence.

Judy Elliott (Kesseharing) — MR #50-5033 College Corner Rd., Oxford, Ohio 45056. Judy answered the letter and sends an address but did not send answer to questionnaire — but this is her correct address.

Ellora Endicott (Moyer), 27 Brockton Road, Trenton 19, N.J. — “Dear Class Members: At present, I’m on leave from my position with the New Jersey State Department of Health. I’m attending the School of Nursing (Graduate Program) University of Pennsylvania. I have to miss the luncheon because on that day I’ll be doing research for my project. Sacrifices, always sacrifices!” “Love to all — Endy.”

Virginia Falkinburg (Ritter) — N. Main St., Barrengot, N.J.

Eva Fedock (Swantuk) — 2172 21st St., Astoria, Long Island.

Margaret Fisher (Reed) — 312 Delaware Ave., Absecon, N.J.

Mary E. Flyte (Rosser) — 137-47 B 66th Drive, Flushing, N.Y. 11367.

Margaret Foote (Miller) — unknown.

Edna Fortner (Felomen) — 675 East Pike, Indiana, Pa. 15701. “Hi to All! Have been wanting to get to our luncheon meeting for several years now and am disappointed each year. Felt sure this year I would be able to make it, however, I can’t see the possibility just now. If at the last moment I find I can, I’ll be there — if not in person, surely in spirit. Would love to see the ‘new’ Jeff, too. My best to you all and God Bless You.” “Kewpo”

Alice Freed (Moore) — 6300 Overland Road, Boise, Idaho. Alice is married to a minister and they have 5 children.

Violet Garret (Hyman) — 2501 Mansfield Ave., Drexel Hill, Pa. 19026. Housewife — one daughter.

Helen Gipe (Laughry) — 15 First St., Melrose, Mass. — Housewife — 3 boys.

Ila Mae Griffin (Varga) — unknown.


Thelma Himmelright — Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Helen Hoffman (Firmen) — Box 252C-RFD #8, Varsity Ave., Princeton, N.J. — Martha (”Polly”) Irwin (Reed) — 381 Wolcott Rd., Wethersfield, Conn. — Housewife — 7 sons and 1 daughter. “My oldest son, Jack, is with the Special Forces Group of the Army at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The youngest, and only daughter, Abigail, is in kindergarten. Second son is in college and the other four boys at home. I keep quite busy!”

Stella Jedrziewski (Wawrnyovic) — Turnpike Exit, Clearfield RD #1, Pa.

Helen Job (Enterline) — 8 Church St., Matawon, N.J. 07747. Library Assistant. 2 sons ages 16 and 19. “Best wishes and love to you all.” “Joby”

Marion Jones (Tracy) — 21 Cleveland Road, Needham, Mass.

Hope Kramier (Wood) — P.O. Box 216, Perkasie, Pa. — Housewife — 5 children — 1 grandchild.

Marion Kustay (Sobieszek) — Cherryville, Pa.

Hazel Landis (Knepper) — Route 1, Berlin, Pa. — Homemaker — 4 sons — 1 daughter. “It doesn’t seem possible that 25 years have gone by since we were together at Jeff! For me they have been busy happy years, even though I’ve never done anything outstanding in particular. In April, ‘Hiram’ and I will celebrate our 25th Anniversary. We have the grand parents of 4 sons and 1 daughter. Our oldest son got married to a R.N. from Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia. He will graduate from Carnegie Tech. in June with a degree in Electrical Engineering and expects to go to graduate school. Our second son is at Juniata College and wants to study medicine. Our daughter is 16 and a junior in high school. Our two youngest boys are 11 and 12 years old. I hope anyone coming to Somerset County will come to see me.”

Janet Lynch (Plant) — 4160 Holly Drive, San Jose, California.

Janet McDonald (Coles) — Madame Moores Lane, Box 1144, New Bern, N.C. — Dorothy McComb (Talbot) — 3414 45th St., Metairie, La. 1960 report — Dotty married Ray Talbot, a man she met riding the bus to Philadelphia on her way to enter training at Jeff. They have 2 daughters and one son. In 1957 Dotty received her Master’s Degree at Teachers College, Columbia. In 1960 she was an instructor at Louisiana State University, New Orleans, teaching public health nursing to both student and graduate nurses.

Virginia McCrack (Avitabile) — 476 Baychester Ave., Bronx, N.Y. 10466. Part-time Head Medical Nurse, Cross County Hospital, Yonkers. One son — a senior at Bronx High School of Science — plans on college in the Fall. My husband sings at Asti’s in Manhattan.”


Mary Martin (McCoy) — Route 2, Littlestown, Pa.

Robert Means (Cronk) — unknown.

Alberta Metc, 143 E. Main St., Everett, Pa.
Ruth Nettles (Painter) — 313 W. Cedarville Road, Pottstown, Pa. One daughter.
Shop Address: 1012 Lincoln Ave., Prospect Park, Pa.
Marion Novak (Manfredi) — Apt. 301, 400 E. Randolph, Chicago, Ill.
Virginia Ott (Rowan) — 220 Buttonwood St., Norristown, Pa.
Doris Packer (Engelbrecht) — 8 Richfield Road, West Chester, Pa. 19380.
“Greetings to all classmates: In 1940, 25 years hence seemed so far into the future and now it is upon us. I have done nothing outstanding, but have had happy happy years. After 23 years in Philadelphia, we shook the dirt from our feet and have re-sided in West Chester for the past 2 years. The Lord has richly blessed me, and I would ask His blessings on each of you.”
Ruth Paden (Frazer) — 36800 Barnerdale Court, Avon, Ohio 44011. Housewife and night supervisor, Elyria Memorial Hospital, Elyria, Ohio. Has 2 children — a son who is a junior in college and a daughter, a junior in high school.
Elizabeth Packer (Puhse) — 1610 Montgomery Road, Willow Run, Wilmington, Del.
Margaret Racek (Meyers) — 7020 Supp. Group, APO 12, N.Y., N.Y.
Ellen Remensnyder (Carlton) — 3711 Bayshore Blvd., Tampa, Florida 33611.
Housewife — 3 boys. “This will serve as an invitation to visit our family whenever you are in Tampa, Florida. It would be so good to see everyone again and renew and relive old times. We have been living here since 1947 when we left service. My husband went into private practice with his uncle who passed away three years afterwards. Since that time we have taken in two partners and the firm of Carlton, Connor and Blank do general, thoracic and cardiovascular surgery. At this writing, I am planning to attend the luncheon and hope to see everyone then.”
Ruth Ritter (Holbrook) — 398 W. Penn Ave., West Reading, Pa.
Dorothy Schanley (Summerville) — 1333 Cotton Road, Gladwyne, Pa.
Alma Shafer (Shofstall) — 6701 W. 56th St., Mission, Kansas. 1960 — Alma has 2 sons and 2 daughters, her husband is ENT specialist. She keeps busy being mother, housewife and helping out in her husband’s office several times a week.
Marie Sherin (Maurano) — 18 Chairsmount Ave., Quincy, Mass.
Anna Stranko (Rossi) — 136 Moffet St., Plains, Pa.
Averene Summerfield (Murphy) — 530 Madison Ave., York, Pa. 17404. School Nurse — 2 children — 1 grandchild.
Frances Sutton (Weiss) — 1508 National Ave., New Bern, N.C. “Franky” has a son and a daughter.
Sara Van-Tilburg (Cattamore) — Present address — 3435 Upside Court, Falls Church, Va. 22042. Permanent Address — R.D. #1, Box 796, Hamburg, Pa. 19526.
Housewife and mother. Four children. George, Je., 19; Nancy, 18; Betty, 15; Richard, 11.
Thelma Weaver (Taylor) — 421 Park Rd., Mays Landing, N.J. “After twenty-five years, I am still very happy with the same husband in the same house, in the same small town. We added two daughters — Cathy now at Bucknell University and Linda at Oak Crest. I returned to college to complete my program and am now employed as school nurse in Mays Landing Schools. I am enjoying it all very much.”
Sara Werstler (Conn) — 701 N. 45th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19104. Sara is Administrative Assistant — School of Nursing at Jefferson.
Bernice Wigglesworth (Sprecher) — 1314 Oak Hill Ave., Hagerstown, Md.
Housewife — 4 children, David (13), James (11), Martha Ann (9), Peter (6). Married to Daniel Sprecher, M.D.
Elsie Skvir, 1009 Pine St., Phila., Pa. 19107 — New teaching position as of September 1, 1965 in the Hospital Schools Science Program at the University of Pennsylvania.

Ruth Lange Wettig, 5800 S.W. 50th Terrace, Miami, Fla. 33155 — Medical Assistant in Doctor's office for past seven years.

1950—Nancy Stevens, 2 Simpson Road, Somerset, N.J. 08873 — Awarded Karr Undergraduate Scholarship by Smith, Kline and French Labs. in 1964; currently enrolled as full time student at Rutgers U.; plan to continue education to Doctoral degree in Virology.

Helen L. Sheriff Richtor, 204 Central Ave., Oil City, Pa. 16302 — Have four children under 6 — began spring housecleaning — 3 rooms done — 12 more to go — plus 36 more windows, plus storm windows, 4 storm doors, 4 porches, cellar and yard!!! If I report I'm in a "rut" — tis why.

Barbara Fisher Ackerman, Apple Brook Farm, Linfield, Pa. 19468 — Husband — dentist in general practice. Children — Meredith Ann, 10 years; Eugene Balliet, 8 years; Barbara Ann, 6 years. Recently bought an old farm (40 acres) — house dates 1700 — having a great time redecorating it and collecting antique furniture — American primitives and Queen Anne and Chippendale pieces.

Mary Louise Moore, Brumbaugh, 7337 Central Ave., Lemon Grove, Calif. 92045 — Husband (Simon C., Jr., Jefferson '50), Chief of Staff at Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, Calif. I'm finishing 2 year term as Councillor for San Diego Medical Auxiliary, on the state board, plus 2 P.T.A.s, Church Circle leader and raising my 5 daughters.

Grace Edna Schersching Atkinson, Greensboro, N.C. 27401 — I am now involved in Candy Striper Organization at local hospital. Began 5 years ago and a great thing here for teenagers interested in medical future — willing to do volunteer work.


Marion Hofman Narbuth, 277 Washington Ave., Williamstown, N.J. — My husband, Capt. Benjamin Narbuth, a nurse-anesthetist in the ANC, will be graduating from the U. of Md. in June (B.A. in general studies). In January he will be reporting to a new assignment in Germany.

Norma Jones Murray, 600 Summit, Fostoria, Ohio 44830 — Married James A. Murray, M.D. (Jefferson Class of '55) — have four children — 1 girl, Lindsay, 9 years; and three boys — Jimmy, 7 years; Scott, 5 years; Stuart, 8 months. Playing the role of mother, harried housewife and nurse — and when time permits, I reflect on the "good old days" at Jefferson.


Nancy Groh Messick, 729 Stanwick Rd., Moorstown, N.J. 08057 — My husband, Dr. R. Richard Messick, has his office in Moorestown. He does OB-Gyn. We have three children: Debbie, 8; Lisa, 6; and Dicky, 3. That's about it from here.

1953—Gertrude Lange Amend, 721 Fillwood Rd., Phila., Pa. 19115 — My husband, Hans Amend, AIA, has recently been accepted by the American Institute of Architects as a corporate member of the association. Mr. Amend is presently building a home in Devon, Pa.

1954—Doris Henry Innes, 254 Jordan St. (NPC), Venice, Fla. 33595 — My husband, (Robert Innes) died June 20th, 1964. Mrs. Elva I. Henry (mother of Doris) wrote that he was buried at Beverly National Cemetery, Burlington, N.J. with military honors. Doris is living at the above address with her three children: Dana, 10 years; Donna, 8 years; Debbie, 6 years.

Loralee Carter Davis, 1273 Mulberry Ave., Atwater, California — Has two boys and one girl.

Mary Lee Kuntz Stoudt, 3 Niva Court, McLean, Va. — Has two boys and one girl.

1954—Helen Marie Petuko Besecker, Quarters 5, U.S.N. Hospital, Annapolis, Md. — My husband, Lt. Comdr. J. A. Besecker, has resigned as Chief of Pediatrics, U.S.N. Hospital and will be entering private practice of Pediatrics in Lancaster, Pa. as of July or August 1965.

1955—Adrienne Marasco Rodgers, 227 N. Lansdowne Ave., Lansdowne, Pa. — Husband, Joseph F. Rodgers, M.D. "Director of the Division Home Care" (Medicine). Children: Pamela, 6 1/2; Donna, 4 1/2; James, 10 months.


Marlene Ambrose Mika, 118 S. White St., Shenandoah, Pa. 17976 — Four children: John Joseph Mika, 6 years; Edward Ambrose Mika, 5 years; Jayne Mary Mika, 4 years; Jessica Mary Mika, 1 1/2 years.


1957—Betty Jane Hassencplug Graham, 234 Oakwood Circle, Danville, Va. 24541 — We are presently living in Danville, Va., where my husband is taking a residency in Urology. We have a daughter, Lisa, and a son, Jeffery. We are all enjoying the relaxed pace of Southern living.

Georgann Jacobs Miller, 516 Centre Ave., Newtown, Pa. 18940 — As of May, I will take over duties as newly elected President of Newtown Junior New Century Club.


Darlene Sylvia Stoudt Bleie, Tammany Street, Orwellburg, Pa. 17951 — Husband and I are opening a television and radio sales and service. We will be selling RCA merchandise. Also have a lovely baby boy.


Betty R. Rockafellow Laird, R.D. #2, Englishtown, N.J. 07726 — A third daughter was born on Feb. 14, 1965. She was a RH baby and had one exchange transfusion but is doing fine now. She weighed 5 lbs. 9 oz. at birth.
Nancy Ann Wood Cohen, 48 N. Fordham, Topeka, Kansas — Worked as Staff Evening Nurse at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center from 1960 to 1963. Married in 1963 to a pediatrician and we are now finishing our time in Air Force. We will return to NYC this summer — job — 2 year fellowship in pediatric gastroenterology. I will work again at Presbyterian.

Judith Wright Bloes, 304 Washington Ave., Jermyn, Pa. 18433 — I was recently made Secretary of Jermyn Branch of Visiting Nurse Association Board of Lackawanna County. Have three children: Wally, 5 years; Lisa, 3 years; Amy, 11 months. Husband still engaged in general practice.

Gloria S. Corzen, 2423 Middle Ave., Norfolk, Va. 23504 — Have received a Master's degree from the University of Pennsylvania in December 1964 and am now teaching Pediatric Nursing in an A.D. Program.

Joanne Longellow Peterson, Frist Rd., Colora, Md. 21917 — My husband, Maj. (Ret.) Soren A. Peterson, and I announce the adoption of our daughter, Lori Jo, on June 24, 1964. This is our first child.


Madeline Henly Glass, Hardenburgh Rd., Pine Bush, N.Y. 12566 — My husband has earned his Master's degree in Elementary Education and we have a third son, Benjamin Chad, born Jan. 21, 1965.


Margaret Zarella, 175 Marlborough Rd., Upper Darby, Pa. 19082 — Been made Assistant Head Nurse Pav-Jefferson.

Stephanie Arnold Boogly — wishes to thank her classmates for the green plant that was sent when her husband died, also the Alumnae Association.


Patricia Ann Thomas Goetz, Box 4, Greencastle, Pa. — Am still a staff nurse.

Phyllis Sutthill Johnson, 206 E. 21st St., Odessa, Texas 79760 — My husband, William, has gained a promotion and transfer to Odessa, Texas — he is now a senior technologist with Shell Oil Co. I have gained a reciprocity in the State of Texas as an R.N. and am a Supervisor in a local nursing home.

1963 — Sharon Beicker Sites, 203 S. Braddock Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15221 — Am working as a staff nurse in the Operating Room at Columbia Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Margaret Anne Turner, 543 N. Main St. Ext., Meadville, Pa. 16335 — I am no longer doing General Duty at Meadville City Hospital, but I am now “Private Scrub Nurse” for one of Meadville’s busiest general surgeons.

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