New Equipment Purchased Over Summer Months

A number of pieces of equipment have been purchased over the summer months. The purchase of this new equipment aids in keeping Jewish Hospital one of the finest in the city.

In brief, here is a description of some of this equipment:

The new Koleket ceiling-mounted x-ray tube crane has been installed and is now in use for our preliminary calibrations. This new general diagnostic unit is based upon the fact that the x-ray tube is ceiling-mounted and travels along tracks which are mounted on the room ceiling. This clears the table. This principle provides for photo timing both when a certain density of the film is reached, and when a certain uniformity in exposure which is now electron-dense is desired.

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Nursing School News

To the casual observer, a School of Nursing may appear to be a rather "different" sort of place, almost removed from the normal way of life. However, if the student nurses are seen hurrying from place to place, attired in a student uniform, it is some-thing that when they live, they are "different" from other girls their age in that they have selected difficult, serious study and work in preference to an office job or a campus sorority. In reality, the School of Nursing is not so different at all. It is very similar to any educ-ational institution which under-takes the task of preparing professional people. The stu-dents who have selected Nurs-ing are just as interested in varied activities as any college freshman. The Nursing student differs only in that, in addition to those interests, she desires to render a service to other people which will frequently place their interest before that of herself. Perhaps an ac-count of the activities within the School of Nursing will best show what goes on in the School besides classroom theory and clinical experience in the Hospital.

Because our School is non-sectarian, the students attend-ing, are representative of many faiths. Extra-curricular activi-ties include participation in re-gional clubs. There are six clubs, currently active, in the School. Membership in a club of her religious faith is en-couraged, but not required by the School. As an example of one of the clubs, during "Meetings are held every Monday at 8:00 a.m., in the Student Lounge. A cordial invitation is extended to every-student, regardless of religious preference, to come and participate in the program and social hour.

Another phase of student ac-tivity, (and a popular form of relaxation) is found in sports such as basketball and volley-ball. Members of the basket-ball team may be found prac-ticing in the gym several nights each week, under the direction of Coach W. Paul. Mr. Paul is a member of the faculty of St. Louis University for two years. With the opening day of the season scheduled for November 11th, in our gym, hopes are high for a victory over Lutheran Hospital School of Nurs-ing. The newly elected Ath-letic Advisory Committee, com-posed of Kay Delahunt, Chair-man, and Alice Bartol and Jane Johnson, committee members, look to the student body for loyal support of our team in their first League game.

The social life of a student nurse is not unlike that of any college coed. Dates, dances and teas are far from for-gotten. Monthly teas are a "must" in student life and the Senior tea, held on October 12th, re-ceived enthusiastic response. The latest in skirts to scrub gowns was duvet cover and tea cookies.

Under the sponsorship of the Jewish Hospital Women's Auxiliary, a party was planned for this year, promise to be the best yet. "Halloween in the Masked Square Dance opens the evening." (Or the 1st of October Friends' Sponsored) Invitations attached to a mask were distributed in the form of various fragments of the school "Tabernacle" and "Simhat Torah" (Feast of rejoicing of the Torah) have been held. Planned program in the groups will include Bible interpretation and discussion, book and lectures, talks, and songs and dances, joint meetings with other religious groups, philan-thropy, and discussions on Jewish customs and traditions. The activities of Jewish and non-Jewish organ-i-sations.

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CORPS de BALLET, members of the Women's Auxiliary, who performed ex-
cellently in interpreting the musical drama "Through These Doors" pre-
vented by the Auxiliary recently to an overflow crowd of 700 persons at Hotel
Kings-Way. (See partial view of crowd below). Additional information on Page One.

Donations To Jack Tritt Fund Honor Mrs. Entronken

Attend Conference Three St. Louisans, Berta L. Kaul, Richard K. Weil, and Dr. David Littauer attended a conference for postulants and exec-
utive of Jewish Federation and Jewish hospitals held in 15 Philadelphia on September 35 and 26. The theme of the conference was, "The Jewish Hos-
pital—Today and Tomorrow," included discussions on problems of current hospital plan-
ning and financing, integration of the patient into the community, and medical and
educational research.

Nurse Scholarship Miss Kay Hasseldiek, daugh-
ter of Mrs. Velma Hasseldiek, who served on the St. Louis Board of Nurses, has just
received a scholarship to the Jewish Hospital School of Nursing for this fall.

Kirkwood Lady Lions Yom Kippur Helpers

Here's a real story of broth-
enailed in action. Because of the crowded holidays, October 7, the Jewish Hospi-
tal found itself short of volunteer workers to take care of 300 patients.

Volunteer chairman, Mrs. Phoe-
be Maguire, immediately called the "Kirkwood Lady Lion Club, LTD" to
aid the hospital. Mrs. I. J. Fiance is president of the Kirkwood Lady Lion Club,
Mrs. Israel Heifetz, co-chairman, and Mrs. Hy Waltuch, co-chairman, have been
able to help the hospital. Mrs. William Levy and Mrs. Harold Baer.

Hospitality Committee, headed by Mrs. Helen Curran, chairman, and Mrs. Jean Carlin, co-chairwoman, met with Mandes
Eleno, president; Mrs. M. D. Greenberg, Frank Kraus, Bertha Meyer, Hal Swenson, Harry Rosenbaum, Ben Seifert, Mrs. Leo Seifert, and Mrs. Stanley Seifert.

Share-The-Fun committee is selling raffle tickets for the moth-
...-the-Jewish-Hospital for 28 years, her goal a member-a-day.

Mrs. Joseph Schwartz, has just been appointed as the new head of the volunteer department. She had some help with her
and dependent on others for

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department. You can light up a pair of young eyes with a plastic shield and visor for board
...sitting in their car seats. Mrs. Charles Fendell, co-chairman, and Mrs. Charles

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New Member No. 365 Joins The Auxiliary

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New Chairman Of The Day Named

Mrs. Saul Rosen, Herman Turner Schenberg, John Shoenberg, Saul Rosen, David N. Grosberg, who has just been appointed as the new hospitality chairman.

6. Gallery Advisory Committee Named

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ANNUAL Rosh Hashonas services are a tradition at Jewish Sanatorium, Fee Fee Road, Robertson, Mo. The Sanatorium's own women's auxiliary annnually sponsors the services which are attended mostly in wheelchairs. In above photo, Harry Shaffer blows Shofar, Jack Alton holds Torah and Frederick Polusky reads service. (Staff photos)

Dr. David Chiles announced the birth of his third daughter recently. Mrs. Elmer D. Butler entered the Dental Department on this floor on this floor is scheduled for completion in the near future. The new Simmons patient room areas. A special patient room for the child is available. A Foregger gas anesthesia machine, medical ventilator for the infant.

Two members of the Jewish Hospital staff participated in this meeting. Mrs. Anna Ruth Burstein, chairman, and Dr. Dorothy D. Josel, assistant director, participated in a panel discussion vital to all members. Their topic was: “Why, Department Heads (see Faro).” The institute is sponsored by the American Hospital Association, and is an extension of an open program in all of its departments.

With colder weather, the Sanatorium has weekly movies, games and parties. A picnic attracted almost all of the patients. There were also two persons who were completely confined to the hospital, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Milton.

New Equipment
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well as constant temperature for the infant.

A new syringe washer in the Central Supply Station has proved a more effective and rapid way of preparing syringes for use. The time honored custom of laboriously matching barrels and plungers has been eliminated. There are over 800 syringes used by physicians and nurses each hour which can be processed in a matter of a few hours instead of being an all-day operation. Recently delivered to the hospital is an Allison-Haines protocultural examining table. A Foregger gas anesthesia machine, especially suitable for performing ear, nose and throat operations on children, is on order.

Five rooms on the sixth floor have been completely re-modeled and equipped with new aluminum patient room furniture, as part of an overall rehabilitation program for all patient room areas. A special feature of the furnishings is the bed, which can be motorized spring. This enables the patient to adjust his position at will without having to call upon nurses, who are busy with other tasks. Another room on this floor is scheduled for completion in the near future.

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A CARD PARTY held recently by the Jewish Hospi
tal School of Nursing Alumnae Association was a highly successful affair, raising over $900 for the Scholarship Fund. Students, faculty members and alumnae were present. The top photo are members of the Association preparing for the affair with the home-made cakes which were served. From left: Mrs. Dorothy Korey, Miss Edna E. Peterson, Director, Nursing Services; Mrs. Norma Jean Schreiber, Alumnae representative; Mrs. Harry Levy, association president; and Mrs. Fern Stewart. In the bottom photo, Mrs. Levy and Mrs. Korey examine the hundreds of gifts donated for the affair and given away as attendance prizes. (Staff Photo)
What's New At Jewish Hospital?

Two New Units Opened In Division Of Laboratories

Two new laboratory units have recently been opened in the Division of Laboratories, one in the Department of Bacteriology, and the second in the Department of Pathology. These units will carry out both routine and research functions.

The first of these is a laboratory for the study of anaerobic bacteria. Such organisms grow and divide in an atmosphere from which all oxygen must be removed. They are able to cause a number of diseases, but their presence cannot be detected unless they are cultured under special conditions which this laboratory is equipped to produce. Work in this unit will be carried out by James Sonnenwirth, Associate Bacteriologist of the Jewish Hospital.

Many of the bacteria which he will study are not susceptible to the common forms of antibiotic therapy, and Mr. Sonnenwirth plans to study the effects of various agents on their growth. Photograph No. 1 (left) shows Mr. Sonnenwirth establishing proper atmospheric conditions in jars containing cultures of the bacteria, while Photograph No. 2 illustrates a special inoculating hood which prevents air contamination during the process of adding organisms on culture media.

The second unit represents one of the most recent innovations in the field of Pathology known as Histochemistry. In this type of work chemical reactions which occur in cells are visualized. Preparation of the tissue for examination must be carried out in instruments which operate at low temperatures (—40 degrees C.) in order to prevent chemical substances from deteriorating.

The final preparation represents an ultra-thin section which can be examined under the conventional microscope. A chemical reaction has been carried to an end point, the final product of which can be identified by a reaction resulting in the production of a colored substance. Photo No. 3 (right) shows Miss Marqua Weathers, technician in the Histochemistry Laboratory, preparing a section for microscopic examination after it has been processed through the instrument at her back. (Staff Photos by Gus Pirros).

Neuro-Psychiatry New Appointment

The Department of Neuro-Psychiatry announces the appointment of Marvin Gewirtz as a psychology trainee for one year, to work under the supervision of Dr. Blanche Sweet, Clinical Psychologist. Mr. Gewirtz received his M.A. degree at the College of the City of New York and is presently completing his Ph. D. at Washington University. He is 31 and 10. A picnic supper was served at the hospital's spacious grounds in Webster Groves.

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NEW EQUIPMENT at Miriam Hospital to aid in rehabilitation work there includes ultrasound device (right) used to create body heat through vibrations. There are one million physical vibrations per second. Displaying the machine with Dr. John W. Deyton, Miriam Director, is physical therapist Bob Hickock (left) a member of the Miriam Staff. Photo left shows hot air saturated with water vapor being circulated and re-circulated over patient's treatment area which is enclosed practically air tight. Machine's trade name is "Thermo Mist". (Staff Photos by Robert W. Flach).

"See What's New" In Other Departments...