BARNES HOSPITAL UNDERTAKES NEW CONSTRUCTION WORK

Work has begun on excavation in the well off the northwest corner of Barnes Hospital lobby for construction of a building similar to the recently completed one on the opposite side of the lobby. The latter construction now houses the Personnel Office and the expanded Metabolism Division.

Present plans include a new chapel on the first floor, expansion of Chest Service on the second floor, and a recovery room for surgical patients on the third floor.

MR. WILLIAM H. DANFORTH, SR. is furnishing the new chapel which is to be called the DANFORTH CHAPEL. The recovery room is to be used as a place where patients are taken after their operations to recover from the effects of the anesthetic. This will enable the nursing personnel to keep closer watch over the patients during this stage of their recovery, and will reduce the post-operative nursing care on the floors.

Additional excavation is taking place in the area north of 1418 isolation unit. On this site a new building is to be constructed which will be utilized as a storeroom for alcohol, oils, ether, and any other materials bought in drum lots. This is being done as a safety precaution in case of fire or explosion.

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BARNES REPRESENTED IN FIRE-FIGHTING CONTEST

DILLON TRULOVE, Head Orderly, and ROY BUTLER, Maintenance, represented Barnes Hospital for the 2nd consecutive year in the local fire brigade contest held on October 12 at Hadley Vocational School under the supervision of Fire Chief Walter Kammann. The contest consisted of demonstrating in the shortest space of time the correct procedures for extinguishing a variety of prepared fires with different types (Continued Page 2, Column 1)
welfare service for every dollar
what personal interest in help-
which this year is $4,785,000
duction is to be smaller than one
or three installments (no ded-
visors, and everyone is urged to
make as generous a contribution
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sents have not been received
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of fire-fighting equipment. The
scores have not been received
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sentatives made a very good
showing against such large com-
panies as Shell Oil, Ralston
Purina, the Star-Times, Board
of Education, and the Statler
Hotel, and they are hoping to
come out on top again this year.
On October 10, Mr. Trulove and
HARRY E. PANKHORST, Assoc. Di-
rector of the W. U. Clinics, at-
tended the meeting at the York
Hotel of the local chapter of the
American Society of Safety
Engineers. Mr. Pankhorst with
the assistance of Mr. Trulove
discussed and illustrated the fire
plan of Barnes Hospital.

KNOW YOUR STAFF

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tice, and his par-
time for him to attend college,
he entered Illinois Normal Uni-
versity at Normal, Illinois, with
the intention of becoming a teach-
er. During his college career,
however, he took a year off to
work for the Pure Oil Company in
Olney, starting as a pipe-line
layer and progressing to the
position of "roughneck", a per-
son who assists in drilling and
bringing in oil wells.

He graduated in 1940 and taught
high school for several years,
first in Springfield, Illinois,
and then in Salem, Ohio. In ad-
tion to his teaching duties,
he coached basketball and foot-
ball, and seeing Mr. Lehwald, it
is easy to imagine him in the
role of coach, since he has the
appearance and physique of a
football player himself!

In 1943, he entered the Navy as
an apprentice seaman and served
the U.S. Nav, ferrying soldiers
overseas. The time-

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November 1946 when he entered
the Wo Uo School of Hospital
Administration. This was a 2-
year course consisting of 9
months academic work and 1
year internship which Mr.
Lehwald took at St. Luke's
Hospital in St. Louis. At the
completion of his course in
1948, he began his career here
as Assistant Director of Barnes
at night. "I learned to have a
healthy respect for people who
work the night shift", he
laughed as he recalled many a
sleepless hour. In August of
this year he became Assistant
Evening Administrator, and
many Barnes employees who had
always thought of Mr. Lehwald
as a mythical character who
helped guide the machinery of
the hospital in the wee small
hours, are now becoming ac-
quainted with him.

His greatest interest outside
of his work is his family which
numbers five: Mary, his wife,
whom he married in 1941, and
the children, Bonnie, Linda,
Howard, Jr., and Rebecca, whose
ages range from 6 months to 8
months. He likes to play golf
and is actively interested in the
Administration Softball and
Basketball teams. He is also a
nominee in the American College
of Hospital Administrators. He
insists that his life has been
quite average, and when the
interview was over, his parting
words were, "If you can make
a story out of that information,
you're a better man than I am!"

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BARNES REPRESENTED IN FIRE-
FIGHTING CONTEST

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know your staff (Continued)

somel Director at Aultman
Hospital in Canton, Ohio, a
position which he held until

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EM PLOYEE CELEBRATES TWENTIETH
YEAR AT BARNES

We would like to give special recog-
nition this month to MRS.
MARGARET LEE, cleaning maid, who
is celebrating her twentieth
year as an employee in the
W. U. Clinics. Mary came to
work here on March 16, 1929,
and with the exception of a few
months in 1947, has worked stead-
ily ever since.

Born September 1, 1902, in Glas-
cow, Missouri, Mary was one of
14 children. One of her out-
standing childhood memories was
that of playing basketball while
attending Glassow High School.
In 1916 she decided to strike
out alone, and at the very ten-
der age of fourteen, she arrived
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Sarah Buck  Elizabeth Page
Ann Campbell  Marian Sizelove
Grace Ruy  Cornelia Knowles
Jane Smith  Judy Kelley
Martha Trallis  Angie Laury
Beatrice Stewart  Alice Marshall
Melissa Woodward

FRIEDA VOSS, Record Room, has left the hospital to accept a position as secretary to Dr. Robert Amschutz, former resident in Surgery, who has recently opened an office in Alton, Illinois. As a parting gift of appreciation, her co-workers in the Record Room presented her with a lovely pearl necklace and earring set. A good time was had by all who attended the "get-acquainted" barbecue given by the Pharmacy on October 1 at a clubhouse on the Meramec River. -- ERNESTINE WALKER, delivery girl in the Pharmacy, and EMMETT WARMSLEY, orderly in Central Supply, were married on October 16. UNIASTINE SANDERS, attendant on 2405, and MARCELL WARMSLEY, orderly on 1200 post-op, were attendants in the reportedly beautiful wedding. We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to DORIS SPANGLE, secretary in Maternity Nursing Office, in the loss of her father, and to JANE ESSON, Purchasing, in the loss of her husband. HENRY WILLIAMS, McMillan Admitting, became the father of SUSAN DARLENE, 8 lb., 11 oz., on October 6. LOIS LONG, Nursing Supervisor in McMillan, was married on October 16 to DR. CHAS. C. JACOBS, Asst. Resident on Otolaryngology. The church wedding and reception were held in Decatur, Illinois. Mrs. Jacobs' home is LETTIE GREEN-BLATT and ELAINE FREISTEIN, both of Barnes Credit Office, have enrolled at Washington University. (Quote) "An education is a wonderful thing!" Along the same line is the news that DONNIE EPP, Head Nurse on 700 Maternity, has now completed her dreammaking course. They are all expecting great things from Mrs. Epp in the way of wearing apparel. Among those people who have made recent trips on hospital business are DR. FRANK BRADLEY and MARIAN SIZELOVE, Educational Director in the Dietary Dept. Dr. Bradley attended a meeting of the Ohio Hospital Association where he spoke on "The Hospital Administrator's Concept of Nursing Care." Miss Sizelove attended a meeting of the American Dietetic Association in Denver, Colorado. JULIA SMITH, JAMES ANDERS, and ULTNER MACK, all of the Laboratory, enjoyed vacations during the month of October. -- PAULINE McDOWELL, Mail Office, will also take an October vacation. She is to spend all her time in Florida, so we shall be looking for one of those famous Florida tans.

FLORENCE MUELLER, Director of the Pharmacy, was delighted on her birthday, October 6, when the employees of the Drug Store and Pharmacy presented her with a season ticket to the St. Louis Symphony. -- PAULINE SMILOVICH, Credit Office, is keeping the mailman busy delivering gifts from her fiancé in Japan. If the price goes up on foreign goods, we'll know that Pauline has all the international trade tied up! DR. F. W. WAHL, Chaplain, has been away from the hospital several months because of illness. We all join in wishing for Dr. Wahl's early recovery. -- DR. SAMUEL TRUFANT and DR. DALLAS ANTHONY have recently become fathers. -- The American Board of Ophthalmology met here this past week, and 70 ophthalmologists took the examinations for acceptance by the Board. Among those present were several nationally known ophthalmologists (in case some of you are wondering about that tongue-twister, an ophthalmologist is an eye specialist). -- DOROTHY KILLION and ESTHER KILLION are two new additions to the Barnes family. Dorothy is a clerk in the Clinica Record Room, while Esther is a member of the Barnes Record Room staff. Good luck must run in the family because both sisters are most attractive! -- Another new addition to the staff is FRANCES BERRY, secretary in Personnel.

FRANCES is replacing EILEEN HEPFERNAN who resigned to take a position as secretary to the Research Director at the Star-Times.

Yuki Yuki:

And then there was the nurse who was so conceited that when she took a patient's pulse she subtracted ten beats for her personality.