UNITED FUND DRIVE LAUNCHED AT JH

WHERE IS IT? All around the town — but for us, it's at the Jewish Hospital.
WHEN IS IT? From Monday, September 22 to Thursday, October 16.
WHY IS IT? To do the most for the most people . . . 122 agencies of the United Fund share your gift.
WHO IS IT? It's you; it's your neighbor; it's the countless number of people you will never know who are helped by your United Fund gift.

CAMPAIGN CO-CHAIRMEN APPOINTED

Dr. David Littauer, Executive Director of the Hospital, has announced the appointment of Miss Adeline Boggi, Assistant Personnel Director, and Miss Shirley Stoving, Assistant to the Director of Resources and Development, as Co-Chairmen of the 1958 JH employees' United Fund drive.

Working closely with Miss Boggi and Miss Stoving will be an Executive Committee appointed to supervise solicitation and collection of gifts in the various departments of the Hospital. The committee's members are: Mrs. Thelma Trippett, Assistant Housekeeper; Mrs. Florence Johnson, Administrative Assistant, Division of Laboratories; Mrs. Eileen Sommers, Supervisor, Nursing Service; Mr. George V. Horne, Pharmacist; and Mr. James O. Hepner, Resident in Hospital Administration.

Hospital's Goal Set

Based on last year's large response, we are setting our sights this year on 100% employee participation and an overall goal of $3,300. The Committee urges everyone to participate in the Fair Share Giving Plan, contributing one hour's pay per month for a twelve-month period.

For the fiscal year 1957-58, JH received $234,216 in United Fund support. This appropriation was one of the ten largest granted by the UF last year.

ST. LOUIS GOAL SET FOR $8,598,000

Samuel D. Conant, United Fund President, has announced that the 1958-59 goal of the United Fund of Greater St. Louis is $8,598,000, for support of 122 health, welfare, and character-building agencies serving St. Louis, St. Louis County, and St. Charles County.

"The attainment of such a goal will depend heavily on community-wide acceptance of the Fair Share standard of giving," said Felix N. Williams, General Chairman, commenting on the amount of the goal. The Fair Share standard is the contributions scale that suggests a gift of one hour's pay per month for hourly wage earners and a proportionately greater pledge for persons with higher incomes and relatively greater giving ability.

"TO HELP THE MOST . . . GIVE YOUR MOST TO YOUR UNITED FUND." This is the slogan for the 1958 drive. The word "most" is emphasized for many reasons. But to put it simply, it represents the whole United Fund idea — to do the most for the most people.

You do help the most when you give to United Fund. More than 400,000 persons in the St. Louis area were helped last year by your gift. Money goes where it is needed most because experts, civic-minded leaders, allocate funds to agencies according to their needs.

Most people prefer to give the United Fund way because they recognize the advantages of the United Fund goal — to eliminate the multiplicity of campaigns and to support all health, welfare, and character-building appeals with one single annual drive.

YOU gain the most when YOU give the most!
GALA PATIENTS’ PARTY HELD; CAPACITY ATTENDANCE

Shown entertaining at the Patients’ Party on September 29 are Davey “Nose” Bold (center), Frank Harris (right), Dottye Bennett, and members of the “Good Morning St. Louis” orchestra.

The first in the Fall season of patients’ parties was held Monday evening, September 29 in the Steinberg Auditorium before an overflow audience.

A star-studded roster of St. Louis personalities, including singer Dottye Bennett, Frank Harris and the “Good Morning St. Louis” (KMOX-TV) Orchestra, and comedian Davey “Nose” Bold, made the event a spectacular success.

These monthly variety parties are sponsored by the Women’s Auxiliary, whose Recreation Chairman is Mrs. Fred R. Sale. Members of her committee include Mrs. Paul Kranzberg, Mrs. Irving Lending, Mrs. Lester Munchweiler, and Mrs. Edward Block.

Mrs. Sale stated that the coming year promises to be even more entertaining than the past, which brought to JH singer James Symington, the puppets of “The Gullivers,” and a host of well-known St. Louis performers.

In addition to the monthly parties, the Recreation Committee operates a hospital-wide program for patients, including everything from bingo games to feature-length movies. Volunteers provide escort service for patients who are able to attend and who have received their physician’s permission. Volunteers also serve as hostesses at the refreshment table during the parties.

HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES HELD

Special religious services for Rosh Hashomah and Yom Kippur for patients and personnel of the Hospital were held in the Chapel during the High Holy Days.

The ceremonies were conducted by Dr. William Klein, a member of B’nai El Congregation and Regional Supervisor in St. Louis for the Veterans Administration.

DIRECTOR OF CHILD PSYCHIATRY ARRIVES

Dr. E. James Anthony, Director of the newly-established Department of Child Psychiatry, reported for duty on September 1, and is now in process of organizing and activating the 17-bed in-patient service to be opened late this fall on Division 3-North. The unit will be known as the “Ellen Steinberg Department of Child Psychiatry,” in honor of Miss Ellen Steinberg, who donated funds for the establishment of the Division.

Working with Dr. Anthony as Associates in the department will be Dr. Quentin Rae Grant and Dr. Naomi I. Rae Grant, a husband-wife team of child psychiatrists from London, England. The Grants are expected to arrive in mid-October to assume their duties here.

Dr. Anthony, a native of London, England, has had special training in psychoanalysis and group analytic-psychotherapy with adults and children. He previously was in charge of the Child Research Unit at the Institute of Psychiatry in London, and was affiliated with Maudsley and Bethlem Royal Hospitals and the London School of Economics. He is the author of numerous articles on psychiatry.

In addition to his appointment here, Dr. Anthony also holds the Blanche Ittleson Chair of Child Psychiatry at Washington University School of Medicine.

The Ellen Steinberg Department of Child Psychiatry will serve seriously disturbed children requiring psychiatric treatment and care, on both an in-patient and out-patient basis. The emphasis will be on treatment rather than research and training only.

The Department is to be seen as one link in a chain of community resources for the disturbed child, requiring functional working relationships on the professional (psychiatric) level with child guidance centers and children’s homes and agencies.

JH SCIENTISTS RECEIVE GRANTS

More than $133,000 in research grants has been received in recent weeks by investigators of the Research Institute at JH.

Of this amount, $126,000 came from the Public Health Service’s National Institutes of Health. Nearly $54,000 was awarded to Dr. Herman T. Blumenthal, Director of the Institute of Experimental Pathology. The money will be used to support investigations in the causes and effects of vascular complications associated with diabetes, and for the extension of studies on the degenerative and regenerative changes in the elastic fibers of arteries.

Over $45,000 in NIH support was granted to Dr. Robert Goldstein, Research Audiologist, for his investigations in the development of new techniques for electrophysiologic tests of hearing.

Dr. Stanley Lang, Research Physiologist, was awarded $27,615 by the NIH for his research project studying the peripheral utilization of thyroid hormones during acute and chronic stress.

Drs. Norman Drey and Barrett Taussig were the recipients of a $5,000 research grant from the Pfizer Pharmaceutical Company to support their clinical investigations on the histological and biochemical changes in the liver following the use of oral agents in the therapy of adult diabetes.

St. Louisans Contribute

In addition to the NIH award, a special interim grant of $1,200 was made to Dr. Blumenthal by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edison to further his Section’s studies on transplantation of animal tissues and organs. Another grant of $1,000 has been received from Mrs. Clara K. London for the Louis M. Monheimer Memorial Fund. The money will be used to further research work on pancreatitis being conducted by Dr. Blumenthal and Dr. J. C. Probstein.

Administered as a separate entity within the Jewish Hospital, the Research Institute is functionally and organizationally unique in the St. Louis area. Under its direction over fifty major research projects are currently being conducted on basic, clinical, and administrative levels. Funds for their support come from the government, industry, philanthropic foundations, and private contributors.

In Memoriam

ALVIN D. GOLDMAN

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46 RECEIVE DIPLOMAS AT NURSING GRADUATION

The fifty-fourth commencement exercises of JH's School of Nursing were held on Wednesday, August 20, at Temple Israel.

The commencement address was delivered by Dr. I. Jerome Flance, President of the Medical Staff and Director of the Hospital's Home Care Program. Mr. David A. Gee, Associate Director, made the welcoming address. Miss Edna E. Peterson, Director of the School of Nursing, presented the graduates to Mr. Edward F. Schweich, Vice-President of the Hospital, who conferred the diplomas. Rabbi Robert P. Jacobs, Director of B'nai B'rith Foundation at Washington University, gave the invocation.

Scholarships and honor awards were conferred by Mrs. Harry L. Franc, Jr., Chairman of the School's Committee on Nursing Service. Miss Mary Jane Caldwell of Dix, Illinois, was awarded the $500.00 Women's Auxiliary Scholarship, and Miss Maureen Gerlach of Sparta, Illinois, received the Hattie Waldheim Scholarship. Miss Sylvia Henley of St. Louis received honorable mention.

Undergraduate Awards
Miss Sheila Lisak, Junior student ranking highest in her work in theory and patient care, received the Gold Key award. Honorable mention was given Misses Joan Milligan, Sandra Neslein, and Linda Swofford.

The Silver Key, awarded to the Freshman student ranking highest in her work, was presented to Miss Judy Butler. Those receiving honorable mention for this award were Misses Judy Lightner, Dolores Ruebke, and Judith Spiess.

FLANCE URGES NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR STUDY OF NURSING SHORTAGE

"Nurses and nursing organizations should support the movement for a national commission to make a long-range study of the nursing shortage," said Dr. I. Jerome Flance, President of the Jewish Hospital Medical Staff and commencement speaker to the 54th graduating class of the Hospital's School of Nursing on August 20.

"Nurses should speak up and make their voices heard in nursing and nursing education affairs," remarked Dr. Flance. He went on to state that the nursing shortage problem is one which concerns the physician, nursing education, hospital administrators, and the nurses themselves as well as the general public. "Nurses must develop a broad understanding of all the factors which bear on hospital and other community health and welfare policies."

Dr. Flance cited as causes contributing to the hospital nursing shortage: (1) the "tremendous increase in hospital beds;" (2) the new openings available in industry, the Armed Forces, and universities; (3) the shift to a 40-hour week, adding "a minimum of 20% to the number of nurses needed;" (4) the growing complexity of nursing itself; (5) changes in medical practice which have multiplied nursing procedures; and (6) the rapidly increasing percentage of nurses who marry and retire from nursing for family reasons: "Of the graduates of the JH School of Nursing ten years ago, not one nurse is engaged full-time in her profession."

In addition to the nursing shortage, Dr. Flance mentioned such other problems as the increasing cost of providing nursing care and nursing education and the 3-year, hospital oriented diploma school versus the university or college school.

In conclusion, Dr. Flance remarked, "If I have disturbed you with problems this evening, I am glad. I think you are mature enough to deserve them. A final word: If marry you must — and I have to admit that I hope you will — the least you can do to repay your profession is to raise enough daughters to fill the gap!"

NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

Ninety students, one of the largest enrollments in the history of JH's School of Nursing, began their studies on September 2. This figure brings the total student enrollment to 210.

Scholarships were awarded to eighteen of these students who were deemed deserving of them.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP RECEIVED

For the first time, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Jewish War Veterans Heritage Post 644 presented two full scholarships. Mrs. Merleme Baker, President of the Post, made the presentation in a brief ceremony. The recipients were Miss Florene Simon, 6425 North Drive, University City, and Miss Karen Mason of Oran, Missouri. Miss Edna E. Peterson, Director of the School of Nursing and Nursing Service, was present at the ceremony.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Jewish Hospital gave three scholarships to deserving students, and the St. Louis Jewish Scholarship Foundation donated nine. At the present time, twenty-one students enrolled in the School are receiving help from the Foundation.

The following scholarships have been made possible through funds received from interested individuals: Floret Scholarship, Weil Scholarship, Stix Friedman Scholarship, and the William and Mary Lewin Scholarship.

All of these scholarships provide full three-year training courses for the recipients.

Persons interested in donating funds for scholarships should contact Miss Peterson, Extension 216.

October 1958

Mrs. Harry L. Franc, Jr. presents the $500.00 Women's Auxiliary Scholarship to Miss Mary Jane Caldwell.
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Contributions received are used for research, appliances for clinic patients, minor, emergency, and other worthy undertakings sponsored by the Jewish Hospital Medical Center Auxiliary.

The following are contributions received during period May 15, 1958 to September 1, 1958.

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Among recent gifts and bequests received by the Hospital were the following:

The Emder Memorial Post Fund donated three nebulizers in memory of Mr. John Marcus.

A bequest of $981,96 was received from the estate of Mrs. Minnie Markman. This money will be used to further work in medical care administration research.

The Harry Koplar Brace Fund has received the sum of $500,000 from the estate of Samuel Orenstein.

Another bequest of $1,000 was received from the Minna and Carlyle B. Wolf Trust, for the Hospital’s Special Fund.

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Davey “Nose” Bold greets a member of the audience at the Patients’ Party which was held on September 29. It was estimated that over 200 patients and their guests enjoyed the festivities.
“A Glimpse at Surgery in the Soviet Union” was the provocative title of a talk presented by Dr. Carl J. Heifetz, Senior Surgeon at JH, on Saturday, September 20 in the Steinberg Auditorium. Although the lecture was concerned chiefly with surgery, members of all medical specialties and other interested persons were in attendance.

Following a visit to Europe, concentrated mainly in the Scandinavian Peninsula, Dr. and Mrs. Heifetz were met in Helsinki, Finland, on July 16 by Mr. Ethan A. H. Shepley, Chancellor of Washington University, Mrs. Shepley, and their children, Lewis and Sophie; Dr. Leigh Gerdine, Director of the Department of Music, Washington University; and James Symington, son of Senator Stuart Symington and a local attorney currently with the United States Embassy in London, England.

The members of the group were interested in seeing for themselves conditions behind the Iron Curtain. Each concentrated on his own particular field of interest.

The trip was arranged by Intourist, a Russian agency through which all travel plans must be made. Intourist provided transportation, hotel accommodations, food, guides, interpreters, and taxi service. The tour included visits to Leningrad, Kiev, and Moscow, and lasted two weeks.

Dr. Heifetz visited many hospitals, including the surgical hospital of the Second Leningrad Medical Institute and the second surgical unit of the Medical Military Academy Institute in Leningrad, and the Spaskowkorski and Sklifasovski Institutes, surgical units within their respective medical institutions, located in Moscow.

“Communities of hospitals are grouped together and called ‘medical institutes,’” reported Dr. Heifetz. “Within these institutes are groups of hospitals devoted to the various medical specialties.”

Most of the hospitals which Dr. Heifetz toured were large and fairly old, with drab exteriors and undistinguished interiors, not comparable with the modern structures in America, nor the JH in particular. One exception was the Sklifasovski Institute in Moscow, whose administration building is housed in a lovely church built in 1806. However, it was noted that repair work of one kind or another was under way in many of the hospitals seen.

One observation of particular interest was the abundance of hospital personnel both professional and non-professional. The nursing profession experiences no difficulty in obtaining recruits. Dr. Heifetz noticed in one children’s hospital in Leningrad the presence of almost one attendant for each patient. When he remarked about this, he learned that nearly all of the attendants were the children’s mothers, who care for their offspring while they are hospitalized – “A practice which certainly seems to have some merit,” said Dr. Heifetz.

“The comforts and refinements of hospital care to which Americans are accustomed are lacking in the Soviet Union,” he continued. “No private rooms were seen; very ill patients are kept in two- or three-bed rooms, while others are accommodated in wards of 6 to 12 beds each. A 20-bed ward was found in one children’s hospital.”

As far as physical facilities are concerned, Dr. Heifetz reported that laboratories are adequate. X-ray equipment is antiquated but seems to produce acceptable films. The one medical library visited contained many books and journals. American and British journals were photostated in their entirety.

Operating room facilities are well-lighted, clean and spacious, although anesthesia machines in use are similar to those available in this country about 20 years ago. There are post-operative recovery rooms where the patient remains for several days after serious surgery.

Dr. Heifetz had the opportunity of observing operative work performed by some of the best surgeons in the Soviet Union. Their work was adept and fast. Teamwork and discipline were especially noteworthy.

Russia has a completely socialized system of medicine. The government supplies medical services to the entire population, including out-patient services, hospital services, and rest home and convalescent facilities. Medical schools are incorporated into hospital centers rather than with universities.

There are about the same number of hospital beds provided per capita as are available in this country.

The Soviet Union has about 75 medical schools, which produce around 30,000 doctors per year. The course is 6 years in length, and a few schools have increased this to 7 years. Students receive a salary from the State during their period of training, to provide food, clothing and shelter. Brilliant students are rewarded with larger stipends. The upper 10% of each class is “persuaded” to enter medical research, and about 5% go into public health. There is no compulsory military service for the physician except during war, since the military forces operate their own medical schools.

There is no internship program such as we have in the U. S. The student is assigned to practice somewhere in the Soviet Union for a period of 3-5 years. If a replacement is not available, he may be “stock” in this location indefinitely. Students’ wishes are considered secondary to existing needs.

Only physicians of the highest rank have the privilege of private practice. Their services are hired by important party, military and professional personnel. One out of every 5 is a Communist party member. They are strategically placed in positions of responsibility and authority in the health services, and serve the regime by keeping non-party physicians in line and reporting on their activities.

The average Russian doctor has a lower standard of living than a U. S. physician, earning approximately as much as a school teacher or skilled worker. He is an employee of the State, subject to its standards, control, and discipline.

In conclusion, Dr. Heifetz stated, “I wish more Americans could have the opportunity to visit the Soviet Union, because no amount of reading will begin to indicate what goes on as much as seeing it first-hand, provided of course, they come with an open mind. The opportunity of making this visit with such companionable and stimulating company was a rare and fascinating experience.”
ADULT PSYCHIATRY UNIT OPENED

October 17 has been selected as the date for the fall meeting of the Jewish Hospital Medical Center Auxiliary, it has been announced by Mrs. Joseph F. Ruwitch, President.

The event, a breakfast-luncheon to be held in the Khorassan Room of Hotel Chase, will feature a two-fold attraction — a stimulating business meeting and panel presentation, followed by a glamorous fashion show, “From Wards to Wardrobes, 1958,” produced and presented by Famous-Barr Company.

Rabbi Bertram Klausner, President of the St. Louis Rabbinical Association, will give the invocation. Mrs. Ruwitch will extend greetings and conduct the business meeting.

Hospital Leaders at Meeting

“Rx for Success,” an informal discussion on the importance of the Auxiliary to JH, will be presented by Dr. David Littauer, Executive Director of the Hospital; Mr. Stanley M. Richman, Chairman, Public Relations Committee, Board of Directors; Miss Edna E. Peterson, R.N., Director, School of Nursing and Nursing Service; Dr. M. Norman Orgel, representing the Medical Association, will give the invocation. Mrs. Ruwitch will extend greetings and conduct the business meeting.

A special feature of the fashion show will be the appearance of a group of student nurses, both as models and in a singing chorus.

Mrs. Walter Hamburg is Program Chairman. Members of her committee include Mrs. Edward Block, Mrs. Harold Dubinsky, Mrs. Richard Ferer, Mrs. Eugene Glick, Mrs. Sam Golman, Mrs. David Komm, Mrs. Alan Budd Lewin, Mrs. Roderick Lewin, and Mrs. Earl Rosen, Jr.

MEDICAL STAFF DOINGS . . .

Members of the Medical Staff recently donated a new television set to the Hospital, for use in the House Staff Lounge.

Dr. Paul Lowenstein, Senior Surgeon, has been elected President of the American College of Angiology.

Dr. Ben H. Senturia, Director of the Department of Otolaryngology, has been elected to membership on the Corporate Board of Blue Cross.

Dr. Stanley Lang, Research Physiologist in the Division of Surgery, was accepted as a member of the American Physiological Society at ceremonies held in London, Ontario, Canada, September 2-5.

Dr. Herman T. Blumenthal, Director of the Institute of Experimental Pathology, recently explained his concepts on the genesis of arteriosclerosis on the TV program, “Eye on St. Louis,” KMOX-TV.

A paper entitled, “Chlorpropamide in the Management of the Adult Diabetic Patient,” co-authored by Drs. Norman Drey, Barrett Taussig, and Jim Waterfield, was presented by Dr. Drey at a recent conference on diabetes sponsored by the New York Academy of Sciences and Chas. Pfizer & Co., Inc.

Dr. Albert B. Eisenstein, Director of the Division of Medicine, will address the annual meeting of the Missouri Dietetic Association to be held in St. Louis in November. He will review the cholesterol and atherosclerosis problem.

Dr. Arthur E. Strauss, Consulting Physician and Cardiologist, attended meetings of the Third International Congress of Cardiology in Brussels, and the International College of Chest Physicians in Tokyo, as part of an around-the-world vacation.

Dr. Robert Goldstein, Audiologist, served as guest lecturer in the course on Assessment and Teaching of Aphasics Children, sponsored by Central Institute for the Deaf. His subject was, “Techniques for Early Assessment of Auditory Disorders.”

HEMATOLOGIST APPOINTED

Dr. David Littauer, Executive Director of the Hospital, has announced the appointment of Dr. Herbert A. Perkins as Hematologist and Director of the Blood Bank.

Dr. Perkins, who reported for duty on September 15, is a graduate of Harvard University and Tufts College Medical School. He comes to JH from Stanford University School of Medicine in San Francisco, where he served as Assistant Clinical Instructor of Medicine.

Dr. Perkins is married and has five children (all girls!).

His appointment as Hematologist will include responsibility for all clinical hematological problems on service cases and consultation with attending physicians at their discretion on private cases, as well as direction of the Department of Hematology. He will also activate and direct the Blood Bank.

Dr. Perkins will report administratively to Dr. Jack Hasson, Director of the Division of Laboratories.
DIVISIONAL PATTER

Dr. Hyman R. Santurio, Director of the Department of Radiology, poses with graduates Mary Paim, Betty Brown, and Barbara Boyce.

Division of Radiology . . .

Congratulations to Mary Paim, Betty Brown, and Barbara Boyce, who have recently completed the two-year course in radiologic technology. They are now eligible to take the registry examinations in November to become Registered Technicians.

Division of Rehabilitation . . .

Three new members have joined the staff of the Division of Rehabilitation. They are Miss Alice Chadwick, an occupational therapist and graduate of the University of Minnesota; Miss Anne Scholz, a physical therapist and graduate of Washington University; and Mrs. Fern Stewart, who is the head supervisor of 1 South.

The Division will once again provide Clinical Teaching Units for senior students in the Physical Therapy Department of Washington University.

Personnel . . .

We are pleased to welcome Miss Adeline Boggi, who has joined us in the capacity of Personnel Assistant. Addie has a B.S. in economics from the College of Mount St. Vincent in New York City. She has also studied at Fordham University and St. Louis University.

We regret losing Miss Julie McDougall who joined the secretarial staff in the executive offices as secretary to Jim Hepner, resident in Hospital Administration and Albert Wessen, Ph.D., Medical Sociologist. Our loss is their gain!

Audiology . . .

Seen giving out cigars in honor of his son's birth was Robert Goldstein, Ph.D., Audiologist. The Goldsteins have named the baby Robert Goldstein, Ph.D.

Administration . . .

Dr. David Littauer, Executive Director, served as Chairman of the Institutional Conference on Hospital-Nursing Home Relations at the Annual Meeting of the American Hospital Association in Chicago, Illinois, on August 21.

He has been appointed Chairman of the Committee on Chronic Illness, Council on Professional Practice, of the American Hospital Association. He has also been asked to be a representative on the following A.H.A. committees: Liaison Committee with the American Nursing Home Association; Advisory Board of American Registry of Physical Therapists; and Joint Committee with American Therapy Association.

Dr. Littauer has also been selected as Chairman of a special committee of the Health and Welfare Council of St. Louis to recommend areas of implementation of the recent American Public Health Association survey of hospital facilities and services in St. Louis.

Tax deduction #4 was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Wozniak on September 5. The newest member of the Wozniak family was named Linda Ann.

A new development in the life of the Director of Resources and Development was born on September 26. Mr. and Mrs. John Fordon have named the baby Karen Lea.

Medical Records . . .

Miss Marjorie Boulton, Medical Record Librarian, will participate in the course in Hospital Administration of Washington University this fall.

Dietary . . .

Mr. Boris Axelrod, Director of Food Service, served as Chairman of the Culinary Arts Show, sponsored by the Chefs de Cuisine Association of St. Louis and held at the Hotel Sheraton-Jefferson. The proceeds from this event were donated to the City of Hope Medical Center. Mr. Axelrod appeared on "Eye on St. Louis" to describe the show and display some of the creations featured at the exhibit.

Division of Laboratories . . .

Welcome to the "new faces" seen around the labs: Anita Dill, Secretary; Margarita Morris, Lab Technician; Betty Axelrod, Medical Record Librarian, and Harold Briggs, Clinical Pathology; Mary Schelly, Bacteriology; Mary Tubbs and Odessa Hill, Hematology; Harlan Shake, Senior Night Technician; and Alfred Oehmen, Animal Caretaker.

New students in the School of Medical Technology are: Susan Lawrence, Bonita White, Henrietta Thornton, and Miriam Toro; and new students in Cytology and Histology are Mary Egli and Agnes Mays.

Best wishes to Janet Backus, lab secretary, who became Mrs. Edward Herman on June 14.


Institute of Experimental Pathology

Best of luck to Gertrude H. Blumenthal, Research Biologist, who resigned to take a new position as Assistant Professor in the Department of Biochemistry and the Cancer Research Institute of the University of California School of Medicine in San Francisco.

Recent visitors to the Institute to discuss research were: Dr. J. B. Johnson, Professor of Medicine, Howard University School of Medicine, Washington, D.C.; Dr. A. I. Moulton of the Food and Drug Administration, Washington, D.C.; Dr. A. J. Goldforb of the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine, New York City; and Dr. P. J. Thung of the Institute of Cancer, The Netherlands.

Nurses' Alumnae . . .

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Nurses' Alumnae. There are many events being planned to celebrate the occasion. Included in these plans are a Refresher Course to be headed by Mrs. Grace Lieberstein, and a two-day tour of the new facilities of JH. The editors of "216" join with all of the Alumnae's friends in wishing them a "Happy Anniversary" and many years of continued success.

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