Barnes, W.U. Sign 30-Year Pact Creates Closer Partnership

Continuation of the historic partnership between Washington University and Barnes Hospital was assured Dec. 2 when the governing bodies of the two institutions approved a new 30-year contract.

Edgar M. Queeny, chairman of the Barnes Trustees, and James S. McDonnell, chairman of the university’s Board of Directors, announced the signing of the contract and issued a joint statement saying: “Now an outstanding university that includes a fine medical school can move forward together with a group of famous hospitals, without being handicapped by an obsolete contract that had fostered disharmony.”

“The new contract creates a closer and more effective partnership. It’s been made in a spirit of goodwill and mutual appreciation of each other’s problems. It gives promise of assuring that St. Louis, long noted for its reputation in medicine, will be one of the great medical care and research capitals of the World.”

Under the new contract, the Barnes Trustees will continue to operate not only Barnes Hospital, the Rand Johnson Building and the new Queeny Tower—which they own—but also the patient-care areas of Maternity, McMillan, Renard and Wohl hospitals and the Washington University-Wohl Clinics—all of which are owned by the university. The Washington University Medical School will continue to provide the entire professional staff of all of these hospitals and clinics.

A basic change from the old system is financial provisions of the new contract. Barnes will consolidate the accounts for all of the units which it operates. If, in any year, there is an operating deficit, Washington University will contribute to Barnes an amount equal to one-half of the deficit. If there is an operating surplus after full funding of depreciation, Barnes will pay one-half of it to the university as reimbursement for the services provided by the Washington University Medical School to Barnes.

The contract also makes provision for maintenance of a reasonable level of working capital, to which both Barnes and the university will contribute equally.

The university has agreed to proceed with the design and construction of a new Maternity Hospital, and with the renovation and air-conditioning of McMillan Hospital as soon as enough cash gifts and pledges are received.

(Two and one-half million dollars has already been raised for this project, in cash and pledges.)

Simultaneous with the signing of the contract, Barnes agreed to reopen the third floor of the Clinics Building, which it had closed last February as an economy measure.

(The floor was reopened Dec. 7.)

The new contract provides for a six-member joint committee to review questions arising from the interpretation of the contract from time to time, and are not settled by the administrators of the Medical School and Barnes. Any disagreements concerning the accounts, if not settled by the independent auditors of the two institutions, will be arbitrated by a certified public accountant selected by them.

Washington University Chancellor Thomas H. Eliot, commenting on the new contract, said that “its great significance lies in two facts. First, it makes clear that the university’s hospitals and Barnes, together, constitute a single operating unit and that all of us are responsible for its effectiveness and achievements—the university, the medical school and the Barnes Trustees and administrators. Second, it lets us all get on towards the challenging goal of a great medical center that is not just superior but superlative.”

In negotiating the new agreement, the university was represented by Dr. Carl V. Moore, (Continued on Page 4)
**A GIFT OF APPRECIATED STOCK TO BARNES HOSPITAL**

A gift of stock is a gift from "capital" rather than "income" and as such does not reduce, but increases, spendable income in the year of the gift by reducing income taxes.

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**BEQUESTS & GIFTS COMMITTEE FOR BARNES HOSPITAL**

**Electron Microscopy Study Furtheled By New Hartford Grant**

A grant of $167,280 to Barnes Hospital for the further investigation of electron microscopy as surgical pathology has been given by the John A. Hartford Foundation, Inc. of New York City.

Announcement of the grant, the second of its kind in three years, was made jointly today by Mr. Ralph W. Burger, president of the Hartford Foundation and Mr. Edgar M. Queeny, chairman of the Board of Trustees of Barnes Hospital.

In 1961, the Foundation made an initial grant of $60,480 for the application of electron microscopy techniques as an aid to diagnosis and study of routine surgical specimens. The Barnes Trustees, in accepting the grant, voiced their appreciation and gratitude for the continuing interest the Hartford Foundation has displayed in research problems occurring in hospitals and that this and previous grants have enabled the medical center to better train young physicians in the scientific approach to clinical problems which need solution.

Dr. Lauren V. Ackerman, surgeon-pathologist of Barnes, will direct the program. He said the electron microscope permits a much more precise diagnosis than can be made with an ordinary light microscope.

Use of the electron microscope during the past three years has shown much promise in its application to medicine, Dr. Ackerman said. Studies have been conducted in ultrastructure and surgical pathology, tumors of the salivary gland, virus hepatitis, virus disease, Kaposi's sarcoma, painful skin tumor, the nature and origin of certain sweat gland tumors, the discovery of a new granule-containing cell of the thyroid gland, and in other areas, he said.

Electron microscopic study of salivary gland tumors, Dr. Ackerman said, has broadened medical concepts of the causes of tumors and holds promise of revolutionizing medical understanding of this diagnostically complex area.
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Claggett

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Mrs. Rosalyn Bassman

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Edison
The two closing months of the calendar year have so very much to offer to all who are concerned with the treasured values of life. Treasured values are around us every day, of course, but somehow these months bring us to an awareness that we are likely to miss in the regular environment in which we live. We can afford to pause along the way and try to catch the true spirit of thankfulness and giving.

In a recent issue of a national magazine there was an effort to portray the development and meaning of a day we call Thanksgiving. There were some interesting facts that we might not have known, or had forgotten for the time. It was wonderful to read that the articles were given on the subject, for certainly there were many who were enlightened.

There was one thing that surely many felt after every line had been read, and that was that the true meaning of gratitude must be felt in a very real way by the one who has it. Our tradition is rich and beautiful, and it produces an American spirit that is contagious.

History alone can not make us feel good about being thankful. The giving of gifts is the sort of thing that can get warped out of true meanings, but who would be so bold as to say that the spirit of it should be killed because of this?

For so many of us, giving at this time of the year goes far beyond the bounds of close relatives and true friends. It includes people who live in lands we shall never visit, who face needs that we can never fully understand.

This makes us feel good about giving.

TRUSTEE

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Municipal Theatre Association and the Boy Scouts.

An avid hunter, Persons shares Edgar Queeny's enthusiasm for Africa, where he went on safari in 1962 and is returning in 1965. He is an enthusiastic football, baseball and basketball fan.


Persons, his wife Helen and their daughter Barbara live in St. Louis.

CONTRACT

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vice chancellor for medical affairs; Dr. Charles M. Blair, vice chancellor for finance, and Special Counsel William R. Bascom. Barnes' negotiators were Mr. Queeny, chairman of the Board of Trustees; Robert W. Otto, vice chairman, and Hospital Counsel John L. Davidson, Jr.

Disclosure of the new contract was made in a statement read by Dr. William D. Perry at the annual banquet of the Barnes and Allied Hospitals Society and the St. Louis Children's Hospital Society at the University Club Dec. 2. Dr. Perry is president of the Barnes and Allied Hospitals Society.

Principal speaker at the banquet, attended by 175 members of the medical staffs of the medical center, was Mrs. Beatrice Adams, past president and life member of the Women's Advertising Club of St. Louis. Originator of the Women's Advertising Club's Gridiron Dinner, Mrs. Adams has written and directed many of the shows.

SEVEN JOIN BARNES STAFF

Five assistant surgeons have joined the Barnes attending staff, along with an assistant anesthesiologist and an assistant pediatrician.

The new attending staff includes Mrs. D. Owen Coons, G. Fred Kelly, V. Gordon Benson, F. Eugene Tubbs and John L. Moore—all assistant surgeons. Dr. William A. Sims Jr. is the assistant anesthesiologist and Dr. Natalie Aronson joined as a consultant (assistant pediatrician) at McMillan and Maternity.

Welcome to the Barnes staff. We hope your stay will be rewarding.

Make A Date

Are you "busy people" and do you know other "busy people"?

Make "busy people's" lives easier and yours, too, with a most attractive daily reminder calendar. This gift is strictly for "her" and will fit in a purse—so handy.

The price is nice, too, just $1.00.

The appointment calendar is for sale in volunteer office and the Nearly New shop. They make marvelous gifts!

Merry Christmas!

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MERLE AUkamp, recreation director for Barnes, has been appointed to the 1965 Conference Committee of the Missouri Parks and Recreation Association.

Barry L. Seward, recreation leader in the Barnes Recreation Department, has been named chairman of the Hospital Section, Missouri Park and Recreation Association, and as a member of the Executive Committee, Hospital Recreation Section of the American Recreation Society.

MRS. GERINGER HERE 25 YEARS

Mrs. Madge Geringer leads the list of seven employees observing job anniversaries in November.

Mrs. Geringer, a supervisor in Accounts Payable, joined the Barnes staff in 1933 and has spent 25 years of service to the hospital and the community.

Marking 15 years with the hospital is Mrs. Carrie Williams, senior nurse assistant in Nursing.

Reaching the 10 year milestone are Mrs. Delores J. Travis, senior nurse assistant, Nursing; Mrs. Dora Branch, service aide, Nursing; Mrs. Dorothy Darnell, staff nurse, Nursing; Mrs. Ida J. Morris, senior nurse assistant, Nursing and Mrs. Florence M. Poole, a maid in Housekeeping.

Congratulations on your many years of faithful service.