Yalem Research Building Dedication Set for May 26

Chancellor Thomas H. Eliot of Washington University will deliver the main address at the dedication of the Yalem Research Building on Sunday, May 26, from 4 to 6 p.m.

The building was made possible by the gift of $1 million from Charles H. Yalem, other gifts from throughout the community and a grant from the National Institutes of Health.

The dedication ceremonies will be held in the Mark C. Steinberg Memorial Amphitheater on the ground floor of the new building. David A. Gee, executive director, will be master of ceremonies.

Dr. Stanford Wesler, physician-in-chief, and Dr. Arthur E. Baue, surgeon-in-chief, will discuss research activities in their respective fields which will be carried out in the new building. Edward B. Greensfelder, president, will formally dedicate the building with the unveiling of a portrait of Mr. Yalem. City and state officials are expected to be special guests at the dedication ceremonies.

Guests will later tour the $2,600,000 facility and division chiefs will be stationed in the laboratories to explain and demonstrate equipment. Floors 1-4 will be devoted to medical research; surgical research will be conducted on floors 5-8. The ninth floor will house experimental animals.

The first in a series of special events sponsored by the Associates of the Jewish Hospital of St. Louis was held Sunday, April 21, from 3 to 5 p.m., in the Mark C. Steinberg Memorial Amphitheater located in the new Yalem Research Building.

Donald P. Gallop, secretary, was moderator of the meeting. Julian L. Meyer, president, delivered greetings to the group. Platform guests included Edward B. Greensfelder, president of the Hospital, and David A. Gee, executive director.

Abraham J. Garland, treasurer, outlined aims and purposes of the Associates.

The afternoon's program featured as speakers three members of the Medical Staff: Dr. Melvin M. Schwartz who spoke on "Therapeutic Abortion and Its Legalization"; Dr. Gene W. Spector, who addressed the group on "Coronary Angiography" and Dr. Alex H. Kaplan whose topic was "Psychadelic Drugs."

Dr. Schwartz spoke of his participation in the drafting of a bill on therapeutic abortion which was proposed in the state legislature last year. Dr. Schwartz said that it is hopeful that a similar bill will soon become law. In pointing out the inadequacies of the present law, Dr. Schwartz said that the law states that abortion is legal only when required to save the life of the mother or that of the unborn child. He commented that abortion can never be performed without terminating the development of the fetus.

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The program concluded with tours of the Hospital and refreshments. At the time of this first meeting, 197 people were enrolled as charter members of the Associates. Charter members are: Mr. and Mrs. Julian L. Meyer, Dr. and Mrs. N. Robert Wegusen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lester P. Ackerman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Baer, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bastin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Buell, Mr. Aaron Caradoc, Mr. and Mrs. Zola Carg, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan A. Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. France, Jr., Mr. Dowdby Gatz, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gale, Mr. and Mrs. David A. Gee, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fuller Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald K. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Greenfelder, Mr. and Mrs. Levis, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. L. Harsh, Jr., Mrs. Mabel Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin A. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Levis, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Lieberman, Mr. and Mrs. Irving J. Loely.

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Topical Preview Program Conducted by Associates

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The Student Association of the Jewish Hospital School of Nursing has elected officers for the 1968-69 school year. They are: Miss Susan Lodge, president; Miss Mary Endres, vice-presi- dent; Miss Beth Landolt, corre- sponding secretary; Miss Wendy Friedman, recording secretary; Miss Judy Jones, treasurer; and Miss Carol Singleton, parliamen- tarian. The faculty advisor is Miss Abigail McGrew.

Mrs. Nita Browning, director of Public Relations, won first place for a news story that appeared in the St. Louis Globe- Democrat in the category for daily newspapers of 20,000 or more circulation in the 1968 Mis- souri Press Women writing contest.

Lynn L. Martin, editor of the "216," won first and second prizes in the wedding category in direct color prints at the 1968 Missouri Professional Photographers As- sociation Convention held in Jefferson City.

Mrs. Mordecai B. Brown, di- rector of Auxiliary Services, was elected recording secretary of the newly formed Missouri Associa- tion of Directors of Volunteer Services.

Miss Jean Palliam has joined the Hospital as a staff physical therapist. She is a graduate of Washington University.

Robert H. Hickok, coordinator of Long Term Care, attended the mid-year Board of Directors meeting of the American Physi- cal Therapy Association in New York City. He spoke at the Northwestern Regional Home Care Training Center in Seattle, Washington, on "Patient Evalua- tion as it Relates to the Home." Edward M. Cocal has been named assistant credit manager. He graduated from St. Louis Uni- versity in 1964 with a degree in marketing. He is married to the former Georgia Karabin and they are the parents of a son, Keith, age 3.

Mrs. Deborah Johnson, Miss Barbara Kaufman, Mrs. Betty Harris, Miss Susan McCaryck, Miss Patricia Hudson, and Miss Joyce Duane have completed an In-Service Training Program in Medical Record Library Science. Sister Mary Alexander, stud- ent at St. Louis University in Medical Records, received her management practice at Jewish Hospital as a requirement for her master's degree. She com- pleted her training here May 17.

More than 200 persons at- tended the Service Awards Tea held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the Steinberg Memorial Ampli- theater of the Yalem Research Building, Friday, May 10.

Phillip Bassin, associate direc- tor, was master of ceremonies for the program. Edward B. Greens- felder, president of the Hospital and David A. Gee, executive di- rector, congratulated the more than 100 awardees and gave each of them a gift.

There were four retirees who received certificates for their years of service. They include: Mrs. Carrie Mae Allen, Miss Marguerite S. Humes, Mrs. Edon T. Songer and Mrs. Gladys M. Seigman.

Orchids graced the shoulders of the ladies receiving awards; there were boutonnieres for the men. The 5, 10, 15, 20, and 40-year winners were seated in the front rows of the new amphitheater.

Gifts were chosen by Mrs. Bella Feldman; food was pro- vided by the Dietary Department under the direction of Boris Axel- rod . . . both award winners this year, and members of the Service Awards Tea Committee.

FIVE YEAR AWARDS

Mrs. Sylvia Austin, Mrs. Martha Huff, Mrs. Ann Runta, Miss Shirley T. Arnette, Miss Shirley DeChoe, Mrs. Ruth Hart- mann, Mrs. Marie Lewis, Miss Christine E. Keily, Mrs. Norma Robinson, Mrs. Rose Ann Teran.

Mrs. Laura Cannon, Mrs. Rachel Goodwin, Mrs. Louise Davis, Mr. Horace Jenkins, Mrs. Willie Townsend, Mrs. Lenona Armstrong, Mrs. Sara M. John- son, Mrs. Geraldine Zimmerman, Mr. Dewitt Cash, Mr. Clarence Pemberton.

Mrs. Tina Ura, Mrs. Virgina L. Gilmore, Mrs. Bernice Hunley, Miss Dorothy Bates, Mrs. Alma Boyor, Mrs. Rosie Ann Clark, Miss Jewell M. Cole, Mr. James Edwards, Mrs. Georgia O. Isaac, Miss Myra S. Schneider.

Miss Veola Taylor, Mrs. Jessie B. Thomas, Mrs. Sylvia M. Miller, Mrs. Patricia A. Morrow, Mrs. Jeannette Thompson, Miss Sus- anne Weiss, Mr. Robert Schuess- ler, Mr. Dennis M. Balluff, Mrs. Barbara J. Conrad, Mr. Jerry J. Gashour.

Mrs. Catherine Gregory, Mrs. Nancy M. Horner, Mrs. Thelma J. Marks, Mrs. Barbara L. Pickett, Mrs. Mary Lee Thomas, Mrs. Shirley Porter, Miss Ira Jones, Mrs. Magnolia Jones, Mrs. Willa J. Newell.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Shonekane, Mrs. Anna G. Davis, Mrs. Mar- line Shapiro, Miss Esie M. Bays, Mr. Allen A. Douglas, Mr. Elmo Luehmann, and Mrs. Virginia J. Malone.

TEN YEAR AWARDS

Mr. Boris Axelrod, Mr. Samuel Butler, Mr. Roosevelt Davis, Mrs. Mary H. Gilyon, Miss Mollie J. Jordan, Miss Grace Moore, Miss Berenice S. Rogers, Mrs. Elizabeth Cornell, Mrs. Carol Levine, Mr. Attila Dugorati.

Miss Ethel Kelley, Mr. Edward T. Redler, Mr. Matthew B. Trevel, Mr. Gertrude A. West, Mrs. Rubie L. Hutson, Mrs. Thelma Thomas, Miss Brandy Watson, Mrs. Eleanor L. Oplegely, Mrs. Genora Blank, Mrs. Frances Sovern.

Miss Helen L. Vinyard, Mrs. Bonita A. White, Mrs. Mary B. Bryant, Mr. Edward Robinson, Mr. Harold J. Cochran, Mrs. Ma- tilda S. Goldberg, Mr. Kenneth N. Purcell, Mrs. Revilah Thompson, Mrs. Melba Gierse.

FIFTEEN YEAR AWARDS

Mrs. Barbara McReynold, Mrs. Juanita Irving, Mrs. Edith Leavell, Mrs. Inez Lyons, Mrs. Johnnie M. Johnson, Mrs. Sue H. Browne, Miss Grace A. Campbell, Miss Helen S. Davis, Mrs. Bella Feldman, Mrs. Emma Rhoden, Mrs. Marcella Sykes.

TWENTY YEAR AWARDS

Mrs. Edna Love and Mrs. Rosie L. Straub.

FORTY YEAR AWARD

Mr. Heppe Robinson.

ASSOCIATES—Continued

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Zinke, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard H. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Lester R. Adelson, Mr. and Mrs. Zalie Lev, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry A. Breslin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tober, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bierman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley J. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Perinoff, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Ann Goldsberry, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Schiller, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Lowen- haupt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Soffer, Dr. and Mr. Samuel D. Soule, and Mr. Joseph Rosett.

Mr. and Mrs. Elia G. Singel, Mr. and Mrs. Morton D. May, Dr. and Mrs. Hyman R. Segal, Mr. and Mrs. Irving R. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vogel.
Medical Staff

Paul S. Lowenstein, M.D., recently attended the Southern Medical Association meeting in Miami Beach, Florida.

James R. Brown, M.D., received an honorary award medal and was made an honorary member of the American Association of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons at their meeting in Toronto, Canada. He presented a paper "Seven Nerve and Third Nerve Syndromes" co-authored with M. P. Fryer, M.D., and G. Zografakis, M.D.

Conrad Sommer, M.D., addressed the Missouri State Library Institute at Webster College on "Psychology and the Religious Views of Man."

Arthur R. Bormick, M.D., participated in a round table discussion "Prenatal Rupture of Membranes" at the meeting of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists held in Washington, D.C.

William E. Stehbens, M.D., has been appointed to the rank of Professor of Pathology at Washington University School of Medicine.

Carl J. Heifetz, M.D., presented a paper on "Acute Cholecystitis" in a panel discussion on "Development in Biliary Tract Surgery" at the ninth annual clinical congress of the American Society of Abdominal Surgeons in Chicago.

Arthur E. Baez, M.D., presented a paper entitled, "Circulatory Support by Mechanical Cardiac Massage in Potential Organ Perfusion and Preservation" at the Harvard Medical School in Boston, Mass., during the fall meeting of the American Heart Association.

Herman T. Blumenthal, M.D. and J. G. Probstle, M.D., have recently had a chapter published in a new book on surgery aged. The chapter is "The Pathogenesis of Diseases of Senescence." Dr. Probstle attended a meeting of the Central Surgical Society in Cleveland, Ohio, recently.

Alex C. Sonnenwirth, Ph.D., and R. Kallus, B.S., co-authored a paper, "Epididymis Meningitis: First Report of Meningitis caused by E. tarada" which appeared in the January, 1968, issue of the American Journal of Clinical Pathology. Dr. Sonnenwirth was recently host to Dr. Zabransky, associate microbiologist, Mayo Clinic, who visited the Jewish Hospital microbiology laboratory to acquaint himself with methods used here in bacteriologic research.

Daniel Binno, M.D., was given the Distinguished Alumnus Award from City Hospital Alumni recently.

Gustav Schmidt, D.D.S., has been named chairman of the Dental Division for the University of California at Los Angeles.

Thomas Schill, M.D., D.D.S., delivered an address, "Dentifrice Technology, Research, and Associated Fields" at a seminar at the University of California at Los Angeles.

William Shiebler, M.D., attended the convention of the International Society of Lymphology in Miami, Florida, recently.

Jerome S. Grossby, D.D.S., has been promoted to the rank of Associate Professor of Oral Surgery at the Washington University School of Dentistry effective July 1, 1968.

Robert Weinhaus, M.D., attended the American Psychosomatic Society meeting in Boston, Massachusetts recently.


Theodore Morris, M.D., participated in one week of seminars on Pastoral Counseling with clergywomen and divinity students at St. Louis University.

Arnold J. Block, M.D., attended a meeting of the American Psychiatric Association's committee on psychiatry in medical practice in New Orleans. Dr. Block has been appointed to the Committee on Continuing Education of the Bi-State Regional Medical Program.


Theodore Merrins, M.D., spoke to the Mortar Club on "Moans, Groans and Hormones" recently. He spoke to the St. Thomas Aquinas High School science group on "Female Diseases."

Ben G. Mannin, M.D., attended a program on "Extra-Cardiac Vascular Disease" at the University of Missouri Medical Center in Columbia. He attended a seminar at the University of California School of Medicine on "Controversial Areas in Surgery" in Palm Springs, California.

Marvin Roscan, M.D., attended the conventions of the American Federation of Clinical Research and the American Society of Clinical Investigation as President of Oral Surgery at the University of New Jersey College of Dentistry, and New York Hospital.

Robert Stuart Cohen, M.D., has been appointed to the Hospital staff as Assistant Obstetrician and Gynecologist in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Marc D. Newmeyer, M.D., has been appointed to the Hospital staff as Assistant Ophthalmologist in the Department of Ophthalmology.

Raymond Andre Ronderos, M.D., has been appointed to the Hospital staff as Assistant Anesthesiologist in the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine.

B. Y. Alvis, M.D., has been elected to the 50 Year Club in American Medicine at the Missouri State Medical Association meeting in Kansas City, Missouri. He presented a paper, "History of Ophthalmology in St. Louis" to the residents in Ophthalmology at McMillan Hospital recently.

Morton A. Binder, M.D., an associate attending physician in the Department of Medicine at Jewish Hospital, has a rather important side-interest... research. This research involves the experimental preparation of gall stones in mice. He has a small cage and several cages in an animal laboratory where his mice are fed a daily diet high in fats and cholesterol with a cholic acid supplement.

The special diet used in Dr. Binder's investigative efforts was developed by Dr. Harold Hartroft, former Professor of Pathology at Washington University School of Medicine, to produce arteriosclerosis (hardening of the arteries) in rats. Since rats do not have gall bladders, effects of this diet on this organ could not have been recognized by Dr. Hartroft. Subsequent to Dr. Hartroft's research, Dr. Fred Caldwell and Dr. Jay Tepperman, of the University of Syracuse Medical School, used mice instead of rats in similar experiments. Since mice do have gall bladders, effects of this diet on this organ could have been discovered by Dr. Hartroft.

Dr. Binder's research is a continuation of the Syracuse University efforts. "Now don't mislead anyone," he told the "216" reporter, "This research is only a spare-time project. It's pursued. If we can unravel the complex physical-chemical relationships, this information might be applied to the prevention or dissolution of gall stones." Dr. Binder attended Yale for his pre-medical studies, and received his M.D. degree from the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

He serves on the staffs of Jewish, Barnes, St. Luke's and City Hospitals, and is active in local civic and professional groups.

He is president of the Internist Club; has served on the bulletin committee of the St. Louis Medical Society, and is on the Private Service Committee in the Department of Medicine at both Jewish and Barnes Hospitals. He is vice-president of the Greater St. Louis PTA, and also assists with that school's Scout Troop 21.

Dr. Binder is a co-chairman of the Physicians Cabinet of the Jewish Federation and has helped in both the United Fund and Jewish Federation drives.

He and his wife, the former Edith Freund of St. Louis, have four children: Ellen, age 12; John, 11; Debra, 9; and Arthur, 5.

Mrs. Binder was recently elected to the Clayton School Board.

MORTON A. BINDER, M.D., stops by the animal laboratory to check on the progress of his latest group of mice.

Morton A. Binder, M.D., is program coordinator.

Our Voluntary Staff

Morton A. Binder, M.D.; Spare Time Researcher

Physical Diagnosis Program

For Dentists Held Here

A program on "Physical Diagnosis for Dental Patients" was held at Jewish Hospital recently. It was sponsored by the Washington University School of Dentistry as a Program of Continuing Education.

Jerome S. Grossby, D.D.S., assistant professor of oral surgery at Washington University directed the course. Hamilton R. Young, D.D.S., was the course coordinator and associate professor of oral surgery. Items on the agenda included welcome by David A. Gee, executive director of the Hospital, and Calvin H. Weiss, D.D.S., director of the Department of Dentistry at the Hospital. Lectures included "Responsibilities of the Dentist", "Laboratory Procedures", "Physical Diagnosis versus Physical Evaluation", "Delegation of Authorities and Medical Consultation", "Special Consideration Relative to Local and General Anesthesia", "Preventing the Emergency", and "Managing the Emergency."

Others who participated were: Donald J. Dickler, M.D., attending anesthesiologist, Jewish Hospital; and Sheldon H. Harris, D.D.S., chief of the dental clinic, who is program coordinator.

Dental Training Grant Renewed

A training program for dental assistants in hospital dentistry and operating room procedures has been renewed at Jewish Hospital for one year.

The contract is supported by the Public Health Service, Bureau of Health Manpower, Dental Division.

The course is under the direction of Calvin H. Weiss, D.D.S., director of the Department of Pathology, and William Platt, M.D., director of the Department of Pathology, Missouri Baptist Hospital, assistant professor, Washington University School of Medicine.

MICE GALL STONES are shown beside a standard straight pin as a size comparison. These gall stones were caused by diets high in fat and cholesterol along with a cholic acid supplement.
Shoenberg Nurses Residence Sparkles After Auxiliary Redecoration

Only a few finishing touches remain before completion of an extensive redecorating project at the Moses Shoenberg Memorial Nurses Residence. The project was sponsored by the Jewish Hospital Auxiliary.

"We wanted a completely new look" said Mrs. Frank P. Wolff, chairman of the Auxiliary committee in charge of the redecorating. "We felt that the living quarters for our student nurses should remind them of a fine home rather than an institution."

The lobby, when completed, will have an impressive chandelier and plush carpeting.

The rich reds and clear whites of the living room area on the south end of the building radiate an aura of elegance and charm. The attractive furnishings are arranged about a large fireplace and a grand piano.

To the left of the lobby, small lounges are furnished with comfortable chairs and sofas covered in a striking fabric of black and white houndstooth check and arranged on an emerald carpet.

The student library has been improved in both design and function by Famous-Barr's contract division which was awarded the project contract in competition with four other firms.

The library's color motif is absinthe green and azure blue. Carpeting and drapes are not only beautiful, but also functional in that they suppress noise effectively.

Storage capacity in the library has been greatly increased by the use of hinged shelving units. Back issues of periodicals are stored behind the panel displaying the current publication.

An electronic listening table has been installed so that students may listen to taped lectures of class discussions, as well as additional taped material beyond that covered in the class.

Other improvements include private study carrels and washable vinyl wall panels.

The Auxiliary's redecorating efforts also extended to the student recreation room in the basement. A subdued orange theme runs through the carpeting and furnishings. Beige drapes line the entire south wall of the room. Pure white coffee tables and jet black card tables provide pleasing accents.

A modernistic stereo center donated by Morton J. May provides musical entertainment, while a pool table allows the girls to brush up on their game. The pool table was a gift of Louis Sachs. A small piano and a television set complete the furnishings of the room.

On the student floors, the lounge and kitchen areas were brightened with the Auxiliary touch.

Members of the Auxiliary's redecorating committee have worked on the project for more than a year. They include: Mrs. Frank P. Wolff, chairman; Mrs. Harry L. Franc, Jr., vice-chairman; Mrs. M. Erwin Bry, Jr., Mrs. Tobias Lewin, Mrs. Bernard Mellitz, Mrs. Morton L. Meyer, Mrs. Walter G. Stern, Mrs. Earl Susman and Mrs. Saul Dubinsky. Ex-officio members include: Mrs. Charles Fendell, Miss Margaret Lob, R.N. and Mrs. Sander B. Zwick. Mrs. Ben H. Senturia of the Auxiliary Nursing Committee, is assisting Mrs. Wolff with accessories for the rooms.
"What-A-Way-To-Go" was a most appropriate theme for the fashion show staged at the annual Spring Meeting of the Auxiliary on April 24, at the Chase Club. The phrase could also be aptly applied to Auxiliary activities for the entire year.

Members and guests were welcomed by Mrs. Stanley M. Cohen, president. Mrs. Joseph F. Ruwitch gave the invocation. A by-law addition was presented by Mrs. Earl Susman. Edward B. Greensfelder, president of the Hospital, spoke briefly.

The slate of new officers was presented by Mrs. Hubert Moog, nominating committee chairman. Mrs. Edwin Shifrin installed the following new officers: Mrs. M. Erwin Bry, Jr., vice president; Mrs. Ralph Lowenbaum, III, vice president, volunteer services; Mrs. Eugene Schweig, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Irwin Jaret, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Harry Rosenberg, recording secretary; and Mrs. Arthur Birnman, assistant recording secretary.

Three new directors were also installed. They are Mrs. Joseph Berger, Mrs. Gunter Schmidt, and Mrs. Samuel Stern.

Prior to the fashion show eight Auxiliary members paraded on the runway carrying signs which announced the amounts of money raised during the year by specific Auxiliary projects. The last sign listed a total of 59,702 hours of volunteer service given to the Hospital by Auxiliary members.

Fashions appropriate for a variety of happenings on the St. Louis scene were shown by Saks Fifth Avenue. Diane White, KSDK-TV "Weather Girl" was commentator. Auxiliary members who modeled included: Mrs. Harry S. Ackerman, Mrs. M. Erwin Bry, Jr.; Mrs. Kenneth Green, Mrs. Jean Hamberg, Mrs. Jerry Kaiser, Mrs. Allen Lasky, Mrs. Harold G. Lieberman, Mrs. Carl Lys, Mrs. Gerald Miller, Mrs. Jesse S. Myer, III; Mrs. Kenneth Pohlsky, Mrs. Harry S. Rosenberg, Mrs. Sid Salomon, III; Mrs. David Smith, Mrs. Charles J. Steiner, Mrs. Henry Stern, Jr.; and Mrs. Frank P. Wolf.

The Misses Lynn Dreyer, Christy Ferer, Vicki Gelber, Bonnie Levin, Vicki Stone, and Robyn Sher modeled teen-age fashions. Mrs. Donald Quicksilver was program chairman for the meeting.
Robert C. Ahlvin, M.D., is Appointed Pathology Chief

Robert C. Ahlvin, M.D., has been appointed Pathologist-in-Chief at Jewish Hospital.

Robert C. Ahlvin, M.D., was born in Stevens Point, Wisconsin, and attended Iowa State College in Ames, Iowa, where he received a B.S. degree in 1930. He graduated from the Washington University School of Medicine in 1934.

He was previously associated with Jewish Hospital as Associate Pathologist from 1958 to 1962, and as Assistant Director of the Pathology Department from 1962 to 1964. From 1964 to 1967 he was pathologist in the Department of Pathology at the Kansas City veterans Administration Hospital.

In 1967, Dr. Ahlvin was named pathologist in the Department of Pathology at the Washington University School of Medicine from 1957 to 1964, and has been an assistant professor in that department since 1964.

Dr. Ahlvin was certified in pathologic anatomy on November 14, 1939, and is a member of nine professional societies, including the College of American Pathologists, the International Academy of Pathologists and the New York Academy of Sciences.

He is married to the former Sara Jane Hawkins. They have four children: Mark, David, Paul, and Elizabeth.

Nita Browning is New Director of Public Relations

The appointment of Mrs. Nita S. Browning, 522 S. Clay Avenue, Kirkwood, Missouri, as director of Public Relations has been announced by Mrs. Barbara Janes, director of Community Relations at Jewish Hospital.

Mrs. Browning was formerly Public Relations Director for the St. Louis County Library.

She is a graduate of the College of Journalism at the University of Missouri. She is a member of the St. Louis professional chapter of Theta Sigma Phi, national society for women in journalism and communications; Missouri Press Women and the National Federation of Press Women.

Mrs. Browning is the wife of Robert W. Browning; and they are the parents of three children: Robert, age 15; Jeanne, age 12; Nancy, age 9; and John, age 7.

Scharffs' Donate Echoencephalograph

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scharff, Jr. have donated $5,000 to the Jewish Hospital to purchase a sophisticated diagnostic instrument—an echoencephalograph.

The life-saving device which utilizes ultrasound waves will be used to help detect brain damage caused by tumors, hematomas, and other lesions, simply and quickly without pain or discomfort for the patient.

The Division of Neurosurgery and Department of Radiology will conduct the program.

The equipment may also be used by the departments of Ophthalmology, Otolaryngology, Otolaryngology, and Medicine to detect abnormalities. Use of the device in conjunction with the diagnostic equipment gives more accurate diagnostic information as to the necessity and scope of surgery.

We regret that the Dorothy P. Jasper Memorial Cancer Fund was inadvertently omitted from the list of funds listed in the 1967 Jewish Hospital Annual Report.