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Gifts, Grants, and Bequests Total \$12,380,700.36 from July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1953

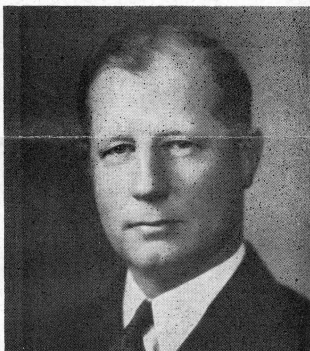
Three bequests of over one million dollars bring our total bequests to \$5,056,267.56. Leading in gifts from commercial houses is the American Tobacco Company with \$232,360 in the total of \$250,305.00. Drug houses have made a total contribution of \$27,886.97. Associations and foundations over the years have made grants and gifts amounting to \$811,661.91. Federal funds from all divisions of the national government, including army and navy grants, PWA grants for buildings, et cetera, total \$4,322,055.99. The Peter N. and Julia R. Pastore Fund has had gifts to the amount of \$10,392.33. Miscellaneous gifts and grants for the period total \$1,810,189.22. It might be of interest to record for our readers the list of those who have had faith enough in the institution to make bequests in their wills. These are:

Charles S. Anderson	\$ 1,000.00
Lottie Chapman Antrim	10,000.00
George W. Bagby	100.00
Annie D. Bowman	300.00
*Dr. C. B. Bowyer	5,000.00
Isaac A. Davenport	1,000,000.00
Landon R. Funsten	5,000.00
William Palmer Gray	100.00
Rosa B. Hexter	3,658.29
*Julien H. Hill	10,000.00
*Eppa Hunton, Jr.	10,000.00
Fitch Ingalls	2,006.96
Harriet Johnson	234.00
Raphael Levy	27,347.65
Lumsden Estate	9,000.00
*L. Z. Morris	10,000.00
Wortley F. Rudd	7,143.78
Thomas B. Scott	1,000.00
Carrie M. Smith	8,769.06
E. D. Taylor	987.51
Sallie Tompkins	505.65
Adolph D. Williams	2,150,000.00
Mrs. Adolph D. Williams	400,000.00
Martha Allen Wise	144,114.66
Bettie Davis Wood	1,250,000.00
*Members of Board of Visitors	

Topping the miscellaneous gifts and grants are the gifts of Mr. Bernard M. Baruch in the amount of \$380,000, which include his gift for the Baruch Center of Physical Medicine and for the restoration of the historic Egyptian Building.

Gifts, grants, and bequests have averaged \$442,167.87 annually for the twenty-eight year period.

A brochure on bequests by will is now at the printer and should be available by October 1. A copy may be secured from the president's office.



Robert T. Barton, Jr., chairman of our Board of Visitors, has been elected to the Board of Governors of the American Bar Association.

Mr. Barton is a member of the committee on assembly delegates, and is a former chairman of the executive committee of the National Conference of the Commission on Uniform State Laws.

He served in World War I as a captain in the field artillery, and as a colonel in the air force during World War II.

Mr. Barton was appointed to our Board of Visitors December 3, 1928, and has been one of its most useful and enterprising members over the years. His father before him was a member of the Board of Trustees of U. C. M. and chairman of its Executive Committee.

Mrs. Dorothy Smart Injured

Our chief payroll clerk, Mrs. Dorothy Smart, was injured in an automobile wreck the latter part of August. Her many friends will be glad to know she is recovering rapidly.

J. Karlton Owen Given Year's Leave

Mr. J. Karlton Owen, assistant director of the Hospital Division, left September 15 for the University of Iowa to complete work for his Ph.D. degree in hospital administration.

Mr. Owen received the degree of master of science in hospital administration from the Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center last June.

During Mr. Owen's absence his work will be divided among the other administrators in the Hospital Division, with Mr. W. H. Gustafson assuming all work in connection with budgets.

Gumerlock Appointed July 1

Stanley F. Gumerlock, Jr., a graduate of our school of hospital administration in June, has been appointed administrative assistant in the Hospital Division. He will have charge of Memorial Hospital, much of which has been renovated during the past year for the care of convalescent and long-stay burn cases. The Baruch Center of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation being housed in the same building, will facilitate treatments for convalescents.

Hear Ye! Reporters!

Did the hot weather make you forget news notes for THE MEDICOVAN? Only a few reporters sent in news this month. Taking the extreme heat into consideration one cannot blame them . . . but . . .

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Deadline for News
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Let's Make News Next Time!

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Welcome to New Housestaff

Our housestaff for 1953-54 numbers 136, an increase of 15 over the last fiscal year. We welcome these newcomers to our family and express the hope they will be very happy in their training period in our Hospital Division. The newcomers are:

Dr. Charles W. Anderson
Dr. Samuel W. Atkins, Jr.,
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IN MEMORIAM

Dr. James H. Smith

Professor of Clinical Medicine
1882 - 1953

Dr. Archer Willis Hurd

Director of Educational Research and Service (Retired)
1883 - 1953

Miss Janis Viser Heads New Training Program

Miss Janis M. Viser has been appointed director of a new training and counseling program for the College and Hospital Divisions.

Miss Viser is a graduate of Furman University with a master's degree in personnel management from the University of North Carolina. She has previously acted as personnel manager for Sears, Roebuck and Company stores in Florida and South Carolina. During the war she served as a Lieutenant (j.g.) in the Waves.

In speaking of the new appointment and program Mr. John E. Norfleet, personnel director, says: "MCV can consider itself most fortunate in securing Miss Viser to carry out a training program for college and hospital employees, and to institute a counseling program for students in the MVC and St. Philip schools of nursing.

Miss Viser came to us during the summer and has her program well under way. She can be reached at extension 204; her office is located in the College Social Center.

We extend a hearty welcome to the new training supervisor, wishing her every success in this much needed program, and urge all department heads to give her every cooperation in the task ahead.

Miss Wilson Appointed at St. Philip

Miss Mamie Wilson was appointed director of the St. Philip nursing service on July 1, and we extend to her a very hearty welcome. It is good to have her back with us.

Miss Wilson was graduated from our St. Philip school of nursing. She holds a master's degree from Columbia University which she received in June of this year.

Name It!

The new economy exhibit stationed in the main lobby of the Hospital Division needs a name. If you have a good idea send it on to Mr. James Dougherty, assistant credit manager.

Housekeeping Department

J. E. BAKER, Reporter

Lydia Cook, maid, was a delegate to the United Order of Tents in Newport News during July.

Mr. J. E. Baker, housekeeping supervisor, attended a building service conference in Petersburg, August 13 and 14.

Members of the housekeeping staff enjoyed a picnic at Jones Lake on July 23.

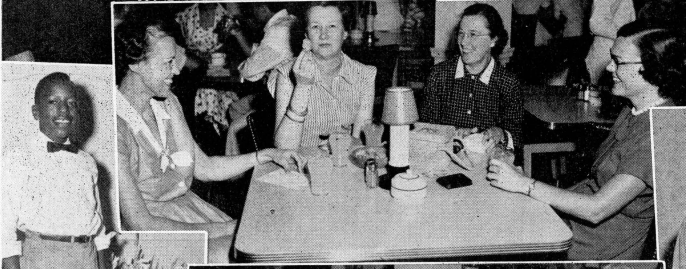
The Day A Dream Came True-July 10, 1953

Mr. Pope
Mrs. Brinkley
Mr. Brinkley
Mr. Rogers



Dean Smith
General Tompkins
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Mr. Bakeman

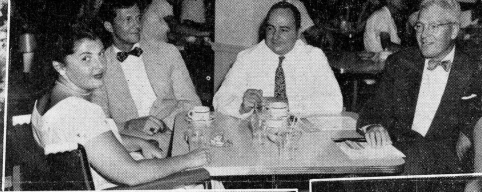
Center
Miss Miller
Mrs. Billings
Miss Parker
Miss Monroe



The Mascot!
Hubert of
Buildings
and Grounds



Second Center
Mrs. Foster
Mr. Curtis
Dr. Arango
Mr. Cardwell



Mr. Harris Hart
State Personnel
The "back" is
Mr. Jonah Larrick

Bottom
Miss Cashon
Miss Watson
Miss Irvin



Bottom
Miss MacLean
Mr. Barton
Mr. Beverley
Dr. Sanger

Open House from three to seven o'clock on July 10 brought forth all the happy, smiling faces shown in the above camera shots. Over a thousand attended the festivities. The food was excellent, the service quick and smooth, the crowd was all smiles, the Brinkleys, our managers of the Campus Room, as charming and as gracious as any host and hostess in their own home. Truly it was a delightful occasion.

Since the new Campus Room was opened the crowds have been very large. With the opening of the school year, it is hoped that the new facility will not be too crowded to serve students, faculty, and others in record time.

Any mention of the new Campus Room would be incomplete without expressing our appreciation to the Steering Committee who guided the project to completion and smoothed out all wrinkles. So our hearty thanks to Mr. George W. Bakeman, *Chairman*, Major General William F. Tompkins, Mr. Charles P. Cardwell, Jr., Mr. Donald L. Rogers, Mr. Jonah L. Larrick, and the Campus Room manager, Mr. Herbert Brinkley.

Another Important Need Met

It is gratifying that another very real need has been met by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fadool of Memorial Inn. For some time they have been increasingly aware that our Saint Philip group and visitors to Saint Philip and Dooley Hospitals badly needed a place to have a meal, a drink, a place to sit down for a chat. Mr. and Mrs. Fadool have always been very gracious and helpful to the Saint Philip group.

Soon after the Campus Room opened and it appeared that the need for eating places for the faculty, students, and other employees could be well met, the Fadools approached President Sanger about holding the Memorial Inn for the Negro clientele only. The College administration was delighted that this could be done. When the new TB Hospital addition to St. Philip is opened that will bring larger crowds to this area, both visitors and patients.

We extend to the Memorial Inn our genuine appreciation for its consideration of our Negro employees and visitors.



BRUIN'S CORNER

The opening of another school year—hundreds of new faces—much work to be done—many plans to be made. Perhaps you say, "Well, another school year—so what? Same old thing year in, year out, little inspiration." Sorry, can't agree with you for in the past three months I have been by turn in tears, out of tears, yet happy. Why??? BECAUSE PEOPLE ARE SO GOOD AT MCV.

Many of you know that an appeal went out for donations to the Robert Waller Memorial Fund, which was set up to help our people when faced with unusual expense for private nurses. From that appeal over \$1,500 was given by faculty and staff of MCV and funds continue to come in. Gifts ranged from one dollar to a hundred dollars, and letters came in, "I wanted to help but did not know how." "I am sending a second check." "How can we help further?"

All too often we are so concerned with our own little sphere of life, its trials and tribulations, that we forget others are having hardships and heartaches by the side of which our little griefs are minute.

Over some twenty-two years Old Bruin has watched MCV grow to what she is today; she has known the triumphs and heartaches of many of our people; she has known and loved many long since gone, but never in all the years has she felt so proud of MCV people. While there are still men and women who will help a fellow human being and give generously in his time of need . . . then there's not much wrong with the world that cannot be righted in time.

To try and find words to express appreciation for the generous response to the plea for help is impossible—in the face of such generosity one is without words.

—T.V.H.

Her husband being slightly indisposed, a young and inexperienced wife attempted to take his temperature, and in a state of great excitement, scribbled a note to the doctor.

"Dear Doctor—Please come at once. My husband's temperature is 136."

The doctor replied: "Dear madam—The case is beyond my skill. Send for the fire engine."—*The Vepcovan*.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

FRANCES WILKINS, *Reporter*

There is an air of expectancy and much bustling getting settled with our new classes. We do hope they will be bubbling with energy and ready to love their "new home."

We welcome to our faculty Mrs. Frances Russell, nursing arts instructor, who comes from Newbern, Tennessee. She was graduated from Vanderbilt school of nursing, served with the Army nurse corps, and has had extensive experience throughout the country traveling with her husband who is in the Navy.

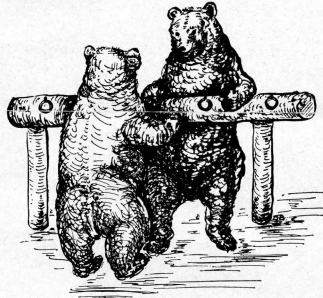
Mrs. Mary Sue Hudson, one of our recent graduates, will begin working in nursing arts in September.

We are sorry to lose Mrs. Lou Hinson. Her husband has returned from overseas and they plan to make their future home in California.

Two of our faculty members, Mrs. Doris Hines, public health coordinator, and Mrs. Pauline Carter, obstetric and pediatric supervisor, attended Columbia University during the summer on leave of absence. We are glad to welcome them back.

Miss Rose McFarlane is back on duty at Saint Philip following an illness. It is good to have her back with us.

THE HITCHING POST



Miss Eleanor Leach, surgical instructor, and Mr. Winston Gouldin, a student in our school of medicine, were married on July 18, in Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Miss Marian Hough, secretary in the president's office, and Mr. Lawrence Cowling, a student in the school of medicine, were married at the Ginter Park Baptist Church on August 29.

LITTLE EXEMPTIONS



During the summer months several little tax exemptions came to members of our faculty and staff. Among proud fathers are: Dr. William R. Gill, Dr. Harold Nemuth, Mr. Richard Crooks, Dr. Seymour J. Kreshover, Mr. Stanley Gumerlock, Dr. M. Josiah Hoover, and Dr. H. G. Mishalany (twins!).

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

RUSSELL FISKE, *Reporter*

Mrs. Jane Elliott and Mrs. Earlene Henson, resigned, have been replaced by Mrs. Jean Farlow and Mrs. Betty Hicks.

His many friends will want to wish every success and happiness to Mr. John Timberlake, who was graduated from our school of pharmacy and employed in the hospital pharmacy, in his new field—the ministry. John enters the Union Theological Seminary this month.

We Welcome to the Family . . .

Peggy Jo Ellis, laboratory technician.

Nancy Louise Gouger, bacteriologist.

Martha Harvey, maid.

Mrs. Marjorie P. Stephenson, laboratory technician.

Jo Glenn, chemical technician.

Mary Herbert, laboratory technician.

Mrs. James H. Wilev, clerk-stenographer.

Creola Meinhard, clerk.

Curtis Lee Thorpe, laboratory aide.

Patricia Louise Hollar, clerk-typist.

Sally Jones, practical nurse.

A. D. Williams Memorial Clinic

ANNE R. HOMES, *Reporter*

Another hot summer in the clinics is almost over! Many of us beat the heat one Sunday afternoon while swimming and picnicking at Lake Chester. Then again, we were invited to fish, crab, swim and enjoy the hospitality of one of our clerks, Mrs. Joles, down on the Chesapeake Bay.

We are sorry to lose from our staff Martha Travis, Martha Smith, and Terry Faulkner.

New additions to be welcomed are: Mrs. Aline Miles, Mrs. Katherine Nieder, and Mrs. Creola Meinhard.

Mrs. Thelma Bowers is the proud grandmother of a baby girl.

SHARING SORROW

—Our deepest sympathy is extended to Dr. Levi-Hulley in the loss of his mother and to Mrs. Louise Mundy whose mother died very suddenly the last of August.

IN APPRECIATION

Knowing that it would be impossible to thank all of those who stood by so faithfully during the long illness of Thanning Andersen, Mrs. Andersen has asked that through *THE MEDICOVAN* her word of heartfelt thanks go to each of you who helped them so much. Thanning is now at McGuire VA Hospital for convalescent care and physical therapy.

He will need much encouragement on his up-hill road ahead and it is hoped his friends will drop by often to see him.

The lightning bug is brilliant, but he has not any mind; he stumbles through existence with his tail-light on behind.

—E. F. Ware.