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IS OPEN DAILY except Saturday,
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sion of clinic patients.

Registration Hours:

Morning Clinics—8:30-10:00 a.m.

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hopes that the work and needs of the Hospital may appeal to those who are contemplating charitable contributions. May we suggest that you consider in your will the HOSPITAL FOR JOINT DISEASES?

Your memory or the memory of persons you love or regard highly can be fittingly perpetuated and at the same time you can help sick men, women and children who are in poor circumstances and in need of free medical service.

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MILESTONES

- SEPTEMBER 4, 1904—The late Dr. Henry W. Frauenthal established a clinic at Lexington Avenue and Fiftieth Street, for the study and treatment of orthopaedic conditions. This clinic marked the beginning of the hospital idea.
- OCTOBER 11, 1905—The Hospital was incorporated and chartered by the State Department of Charities, now the Department of Social Welfare, as The Jewish Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases.
- NOVEMBER 4, 1906—The Hospital was opened. Its first home was on the present site in one remodeled brownstone house, 1917 Madison Avenue. Capacity—7 beds and dispensary facilities.
- NOVEMBER 19, 1906—First organization meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary.
- APRIL 7, 1907—Name changed by Board of Directors to Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases. Approved by an order of Supreme Court of State of New York on October 30, 1908.
- MARCH 1, 1908—Began to share in the funds of the United Hospital Fund, then known as the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association.
- JANUARY 1, 1910—Three brownstone houses on Madison Avenue internally connected and externally joined by open porches constituted the Hospital of 56 beds and Dispensary.
- NOVEMBER 4, 1913—The cornerstone was laid for an Out-Patient building at 41 East 123rd Street.
- NOVEMBER 3, 1914—The six-story Out-Patient building was dedicated and occupied. The removal of the dispensary facilities to new quarters immediately permitted the bed capacity to increase to 105 beds.
- JANUARY 1, 1917—Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies was organized, and the Hospital was admitted to membership.
- NOVEMBER 14, 1920—Name changed to Hospital For Joint Diseases. Filed and recorded on November 23, 1920.
- JANUARY 1, 1922—Demolition of all old buildings on Madison Avenue front, making way for the new main Hospital building.
- MAY 6, 1923—Cornerstone was laid of the present main Hospital and Nurses' Residence buildings.
- OCTOBER 5, 1924—New Hospital building dedicated and two days later patients admitted.
- NOVEMBER 1, 1924—Establishment of Social Service Department.
- JANUARY 1, 1925—The Hospital set aside 43 beds for special semi-private service to patients of moderate means.
- DECEMBER 1, 1925—Mr. Alfred M. Heinsheimer established the Natalie and Louis Heinsheimer Memorial by donating to the Hospital his magnificent estate at Far Rockaway, and by creating a trust fund for its maintenance. The buildings were converted for hospital use and on May 16, 1926, they were dedicated. On June 25, 1926, the Country Home was opened for patients and was occupied for 27 years until July 31, 1953, when it was closed.
- MARCH 11, 1927—Dr. Henry W. Frauenthal, the Founder of the Hospital, died. His monument is the Hospital he founded.
- JULY 1, 1927—The Henry W. Frauenthal Travel Scholarship was founded for special studies in the leading clinics and laboratories of this country and Europe.
- OCTOBER 7, 1930—The Walter M. Brickner Memorial Lecture was founded for the purpose of deepening interest in the sciences of medicine and surgery.
- The Sir Robert Jones Lecture was established—its object being the diffusing of knowledge in orthopaedic surgery.
- JUNE 6, 1938—The cornerstone was laid for the new Out-Patient building—45 to 55 East 123rd Street, extending through to East 124th Street.
- FEBRUARY 7, 1939—The new Out-Patient building was opened for the reception of patients.
- NOVEMBER 23, 1939—The new Out-Patient building was officially dedicated as the Leo L. Doblin Memorial in grateful recognition of Mr. Doblin's generosity and devotion to the Hospital.
- OCTOBER 9, 1941—The Social Service Board and the Ladies Auxiliary Board were merged into one Women's Division.

FEBRUARY 7, 1942—The Melanie Faith Polachek Cournand Memorial (Professional Service Building) was dedicated in loving memory of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Polachek. The modernization and equipment of the old Out-Patient building were made possible by a generous gift from Mr. John Polachek and by contributions from Trustees and friends of the Hospital.

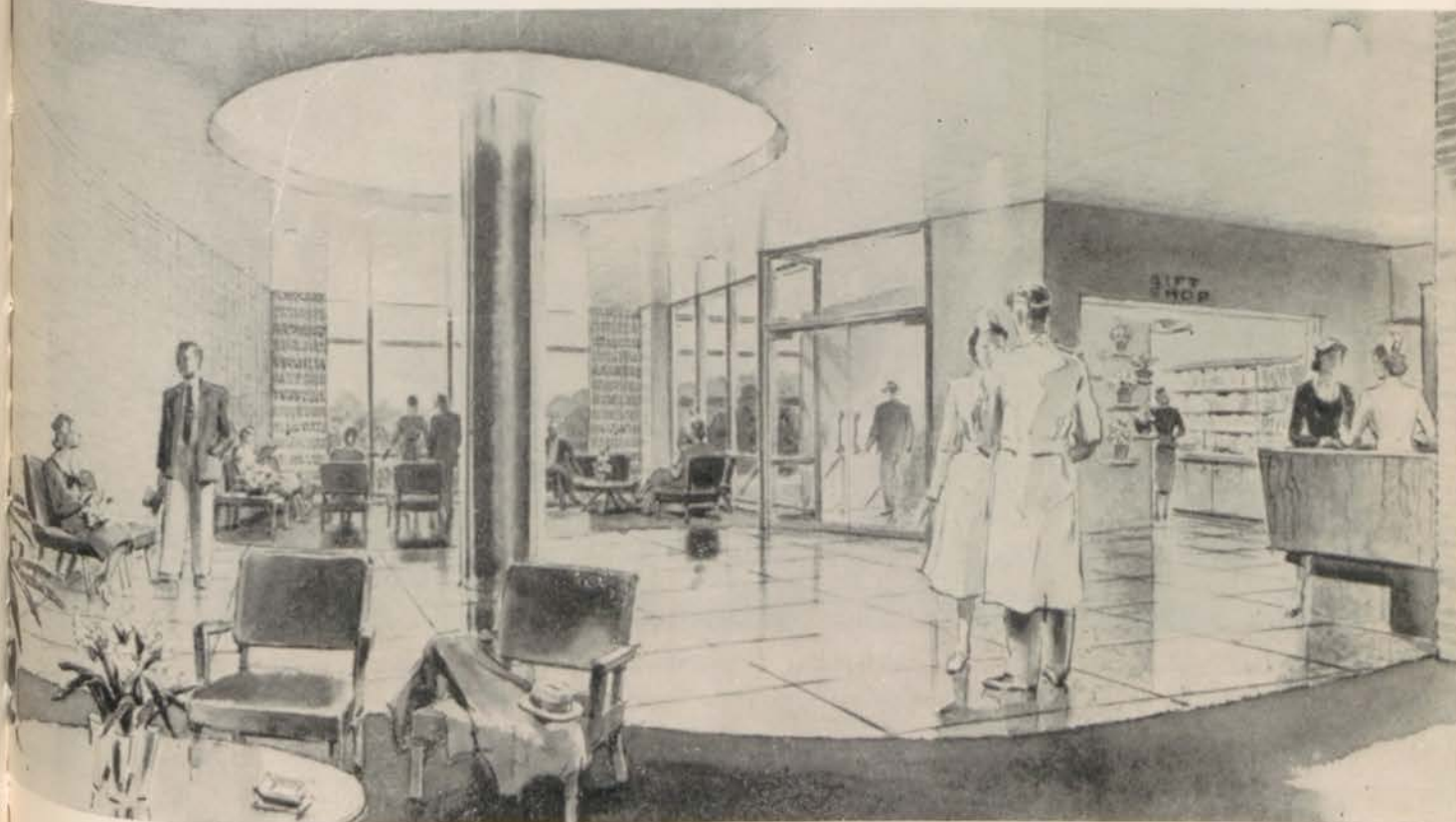
OCTOBER 15, 1945—The School of Practical Nursing was officially established, providing a one-year course of training as practical nurses, and the first class was admitted.

APRIL 16, 1950—The cornerstone was laid for the Lila Motley Radiation Therapy Department Annex, a two-story and basement building on East 123rd Street.

DECEMBER 3, 1950—The new Annex, made possible by a generous gift from the Lila Motley League, Inc., and by contributions from Trustees and friends of the Hospital was dedicated. It contains the Lila Motley Radiation Therapy Department with its 2 million volt x-ray therapy machine and houses the educational facilities of the School of Practical Nursing and the William Blau Lecture Hall.

TODAY the Hospital consists of the main eight-story building occupying an entire block front on Madison Avenue from East 123rd Street to East 124th Street, opposite Mt. Morris Park, in addition to the Nurses Residence Building, the Professional Service Building, the Out-Patient Building and the Radiation Therapy Department Annex.

BUILDING PROGRAM—The Hospital is presently in the midst of a building construction program designed to modernize, improve and increase its physical facilities. Four new floors are being added to the Out-Patient Building to house the new air-conditioned Operating Rooms and Recovery Unit, Central Supply, Laboratories, Medical Library and House Staff Quarters. In the Main Building, the top three floors are being reconstructed to provide for a new Children's Floor, a floor for Semi-Private patients and a floor for Private Room patients. A new lobby is being built on the first floor, the kitchens are being modernized and a new Pay Cafeteria and Snack Bar are being constructed. On the corner of Madison Avenue and East 119th Street, our new School of Practical Nursing is being built, made possible by a munificent gift from the Helene Fuld Health Foundation.



NEWLY-PLANNED MAIN HOSPITAL LOBBY



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Trustees OF THE HOSPITAL SINCE ITS FOUNDATION

Arnheim, Samuel W.	1913-16	Harris, Charles H.	1908-18	Oppenheimer, Leo H.	1932-42
Arnstein, Alexander M.	1940-50	Haskel, Merwin R.	1942-54	Oppenheimer, Philip W.	1952
Arnstein, Samuel	1913-42	Haupt, Ira	1930-31	Ottinger, Albert	1930-35
Bach, Frederick F.	1936-47	Heinsheimer, Alfred M.	1925-29	Plaut, Herman	1906-13
Bachmann, Norbert H.	1933-51	Herzog, Paul M.	1906-26	Plaut, Mrs. Herman	1936
Bass, Jacob	1922-38	Heyman, Thomas M.	1954	*Polachek, John	1938-52
Baum, Lemuel	1906-07	Imerman, Arthur	1953	Prince, Adolph	1910-14
Belais, David	1908-14	Isaacs, Irving H.	1922-42	Probst, J. Anthony	1953
Berlinger, Frederick F.	1948-52	Jackson, E. A.	1918-23	Raiss, John	{1939-45 (1949-53)
Bernheimer, George	1914-15	Jacobi, Harold	1934-38	Ratner, Victor M.	1950-52
Bernstein, Arnold J.	1946	Jacobi, Sanford	1934-38	Reinach, Anthony M.	1949
Bernstein, David	{1913-16 (1929-45)	Jacobson, Benjamin	1930-31	Riglander, Jacob W.	1906-13
Blau, Judge William	1923-41	Kahn, Albert L.	1909-12	Rosenbaum, Herman	1908-12
Blun, Louis	1906-07	Kamber, Robert	1908-12	Rosenthal, Harold L.	1955
Brauer, Martin	1920-21	Katz, Ernest	1943	Rosenthal, Harris L.	1919-37
Brown, Frederick	1923	Katzenstein, Martin L.	1943	Rosenthal, I. A.	1908-13
Brown, Mrs. Frederick	1936	Kaufman, Alfonse G.	1908-12	Rosner, Oscar S.	1935
Burnham, I. W., II	1954	Kaufmann, Frederick W.	1925-29	Rossin, Edgar L.	1931-48
Buschoff, Emil	1919-24	Kaufmann, Henry	1938-55	Rossin, Mrs. Edgar L.	1948
Cohen, Lawrence B.	1930-41	Kaye, Charles	1911-29	Rothschild, Louis F.	1906
Cohen, William W.	1932-40	Kelly, Richard B.	1913-19	Rothschild, Maurice	1906-16
Cohn, Henry A.	1950-52	Kempner, Alan H.	1932	Saxe, Martin	1910-15
Colin, Ralph F.	1943-52	Keppler, Tobias A.	1912-17	Schlesinger, George	1906-08
Cowan, Judge John F.	1916-19	Klein, Joseph J.	1924-41	Schloss, Frederick H.	1930-46
Dazian, Henry	1935-37	Koehler, Mrs. Edwin H.	1940	Schutz, William A.	1928-51
Demuth, Robert L.	1950-51	Koshland, Joseph	1919-40	Schwartz, Max M.	1908-15
Doblin, Leo L.	1914-27	Kraus, George J.	1908-11	Seidman, J. S.	1952
Eckstein, Alfred	1916-18	Langner, Herbert B.	1947	Simon, Franklin	1913-34
Ehrenberg, Sidney P.	1915-22	Lazrus, Oscar M.	1942-52	Spellman, Howard H.	1939-41
Englander, Max	1919	Levison, Benno	1919-30	Spiegelberg, William I.	1946-52
Erdman, Albert	1906-09	Levy, Gustave L.	1949	Stachelberg, Charles G.	1950-52
Erstein, Moise L.	1920-21	Levy, Samuel H.	1915-27	Stein, Alfred W.	1927-31
Feiber, Samuel L.	1913-33	Lewis, Salim L.	1949-50	Steindler, Edward	1908-11
Feldenheimer, Louis	1908-10	Lindner, Walter	1914-20	Stern B. Albert	1941-47
Fleischer, Nathan	1919-20	Loeb, Louis M.	1938-52	Stern, Edward A.	1906-08
Frank, Samuel	1934-37	Loeb, Willard E.	1930	Stone, Adolph F.	1929-31
Fraenthal, H.W., M.D.	1906-27	Loew, David L.	1930-37	Straus, Charles B.	1941-54
Fraenthal, H. C.	1941	Long, Harry	1906-13	Straus, Lewis	1908-36
Friedman, Leopold	1935	Lowenthal, Bernard	1913-15	Tyler, George C.	1911-14
Gattle, Emanuel M.	1906-17	Lustberg, Morris	1930-55	Ullman, William	1950
Ginsberg, Jacob	1926-29	Lyons, Hon. John J.	1921-22	Ullman, Mrs. William	1953
Goldman, J. J.	1922-23	Mack, Fred C.	1909-11	Veit, Gustave	1930-47
Goldsmith, Lawrence, L.	1936-48	Malsin, Raphael	1947	Vorhaus, Louis J.	1914-54
Goldstone, Sydney	1949	March, Sydney H.	1919-21	Weill, Emanuel	1921-46
Grausman, Mrs. Roland I.	{1949-53 (1954)	Marks, Leo J.	1920-23	Weill, Isaac	1920-39
Green, Louis A.	1949-53	Mayer, Charles	1943-47	Weill, Louis J.	1913-14
Greenberg, Judge Henry C.	1953	Mayer, Judge Julius M.	1912-21	Willheim, William	1932-41
Greenfeld, Isador S.	1952	Mehlman, Samuel A.	1955	Wilner, Ellis H.	1934-45
Greenfield, Gordon K.	1952-54	Meyer, Joseph E.	1906-30	Wilner, Max	1934-45
Hahn, Simon	1913-14	Meyer, Oscar J.	1906-09	Wishnick, Robert I.	1950
		Newman, J. Kiefer, Jr.	1953	Wolfson, Erwin S.	1955
		Oppenheimer, Harry C.	1930-50	Zucker, Samuel	1915-16
		Oppenheimer, Leo	1930-32		

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§Resigned June 1, 1954
*Resigned Sept. 5, 1954
†Resigned Jan. 15, 1955

§§Resigned Feb. 28, 1955
**Resigned Feb. 28, 1955
‡Resigned Feb. 28, 1955

‡‡Resigned Jan. 31, 1955
††Resigned Feb. 14, 1955

Report of the President

for the Year 1954

Unfortunately the indisposition of Raphael Malsin, the President of the Hospital, makes it impossible for him to attend this meeting, and we all know that his deep interest in the Hospital doubtless causes unhappiness for him in his inability to be here. I am delivering this Report on his behalf, with the assurance to you that it is his and not mine. We all look forward to his speedy recovery and prompt return to duty at his own desk and at our Hospital.

—OSCAR S. ROSNER,
Vice-President

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IT IS A PRIVILEGE ONCE AGAIN to report to you on the work and progress of the Hospital for the year just ended. The printed Annual Report as usual will record all of the activities in detail. I will confine my remarks, therefore, to a few selected highlights of a very busy and active year.

The Hospital occupancy for the year was 91%; again, according to the United Hospital Fund, the highest percentage of occupancy of any hospital in the Greater New York area. A total of 5,696 patients spent an average of 16.3 days at the Hospital and received 93,056 days' care. In the Out-patient Department, 16,765 patients were treated, and Out-Patient visits for the year totalled 104,681. Examinations in the Laboratories totalled 80,953, and 60,723 plates were taken in the X-ray Department.

We were happy to add to our Board and to welcome to this, their first Annual Meeting, Messrs. Thomas M. Heyman, Samuel A. Mehlman, Harold L. Rosenthal, and Erwin S. Wolfson, and to have Mrs. Roland I. Grausman return to our midst as a Trustee. However, we suffered grievous losses in the deaths of five of our old, beloved colleagues, William A. Schutz, Louis J. Vorhaus, Morris Lustberg, Henry Kaufmann, and John Polachek, whose genuine interest in our Hospital was manifest throughout their long association with our institution.

I am also sorry to report that Miss Kathryn S. Goodman, Director of Nurses and of the School of Nursing, moved out of the city and resigned on March 1, 1955. She, too, regretted leaving us. She was in great measure responsible for the growth

and achievements of our School of Practical Nursing. Miss Goodman has been replaced by Miss Justine Hannan, who comes to us highly recommended and is thoroughly experienced in the management of both Nursing Services and Schools of Nursing. As Chairman of the Nursing Committee, Mrs. Phyllis Koehler has devoted a great deal of time and effort to the work of the School and Nursing Service, for which we are most grateful.

There have been two further changes in the Administrative Staff, viz., Mr. Simon Schapiro replaced Mr. Edward Brodsky, Comptroller, who resigned in June 1954, and Mr. Fred Wetmore, who replaced Mrs. Ruth Burris as Housekeeper of the Hospital last month. We welcome them to our Hospital family.

After many years of planning, the building construction was actually begun in September 1954, and rapid progress has already been made in various sections of the Hospital property. Four new floors have already been added to the Out-Patient Building. These floors are expected to be completed and ready for occupancy in August 1955, after which time the patients, the Operating Rooms and the Laboratory services presently on the 6th, 7th and 8th floors of the Main Hospital Building will be moved temporarily to these new floors. This will then permit the reconstruction of the vacated top three floors of the Main Hospital Building. In the meantime, a new side entrance on the first floor, accounting offices, social service and admitting offices are being constructed. The lobby is being completely altered and extensive changes are being made in the kitchen and dining room and basement areas. With all this going on, the new Nurses School Building is being erected at Madison Avenue and 119th Street. It is planned to be ready for the first class in September. Thereafter, the Lila Motley Memorial will be remodeled, giving the Radiation Therapy Department an additional floor of laboratories and a new street floor entrance to that building. According to present plans, the entire job is expected to be completed by June of 1956. Much appreciation and thanks are due to Mr. Sydney Goldstone and the Building Committee for their untiring efforts in the planning and completion of the building program in so efficient a manner. While this has created many temporary difficult interior changes in hospital departmental functions, I am pleased to report that patient services have not been disrupted and no income has been lost so far because of the construction. A great deal of credit and our thanks must go to our able and genial Executive Director, Abraham Rosenberg, whose devotion to the Hospital has made it possible for all

patients to be cared for without the loss of a single bed or the loss to anyone of a single meal, even though at times our meals were practically being prepared in the halls. Thanks again, Abe.

You will soon hear the report of our Treasurer and Chairman of the Finance Committee, Mr. Willard E. Loeb, who has been a tower of strength at our Hospital for the past quarter of a century. Mr. Oscar S. Rosner, Vice-President and Chairman of the Executive Committee, has given most generously of his time and efforts to the work of the Hospital, as have Messrs. Alan H. Kempner, Martin L. Katzenstein and Leopold Friedman, our other Vice-Presidents, Gustave L. Levy, Secretary, and Herman Frauenthal, Assistant Treasurer. I am very mindful of the burdens which the officers of the Hospital have borne. Indeed, they took a great load off my shoulders throughout the year.

I am also personally most grateful to the chairmen and members of all the committees. As you know, the fourteen committees bear the laboring oar of the Board throughout the year. We owe a debt of thanks to all these committee members for their time and service on behalf of the Hospital.

Mrs. William Ullman, Chairman of the Women's Division, will shortly present her report outlining the accomplishments of her busy Division, which does such a splendid job for the Hospital.

You will also hear from Dr. Joseph Buchman, Chairman of the Medical Advisory Board, who will report on the activities of the Medical Staff. During the past year we made three important staff promotions. Drs. Charles Sutro and Michael Burman were appointed Attendings in Orthopaedic Surgery and Dr. Sidney Rubinfeld was promoted to Attending in Radiation Therapy. Dr. Jacob Kream was appointed in July to succeed Dr. Aaron Bodansky who, on retirement in December 1954 after 27 years of service in the Chemistry Laboratory, was appointed Consultant Biochemist to the Hospital. On behalf of every member of the Board of Trustees, I say to Dr. Buchman that we are most appreciative and deeply grateful to the Medical Advisory Board and to the entire Medical Staff for their devotion and conscientious work in the clinics and wards of the Hospital. In this connection, I also wish to express the thanks of the Board of Trustees to Dr. Joseph Milgram, Director of Orthopaedics, for his able direction of the Department of Orthopaedics, and to Drs. Jaffe, Selin, Blair, Kream, Pomeranz and Friedman, for their accomplishments in the Laboratory Divisions which they head.

We want again to thank Jewish Hospital of

Brooklyn and Beth Israel Hospital for their cooperation in our Intern Program and the Bronx Hospital for our affiliated Student Nurse Program. Thanks are also due to Columbia University for affiliation in our Postgraduate Teaching Programs, both in Orthopaedics and in Hospital Administration, and to Harlem and Morrisania Hospitals in New York and to Central Dispensary and Emergency Hospital, Washington, D.C., for their Exchange Orthopaedic Resident Programs with our Hospital.

As in the past years, the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies has been the major financial contributor towards our large annual deficit. For this help we are sincerely and profoundly most indebted. It behooves all of us to support Federation to the utmost. Our thanks, too, to the Greater New York Fund and the United Hospital Fund for their annual allotments towards the maintenance of our Hospital. We are also most appreciative of the deep and sincere interest and the annual financial support of the wonderful women of the Lila Motley League. As you know, the Lila Motley Memorial is being remodeled so as to give the Radiation Therapy Department an additional floor for laboratory research purposes, the cost of which is being met by the League. We are proud to include amongst the Hospital's friends, the Helene Fuld Health Foundation, the League for Cancer Research, Mrs. L. F. Rothschild, Mrs. Charles Kaye, Loew's Employees' Welfare Fund, Dr. Harry Gold-Cardiology Fund, who year after year show by their substantial contributions the regard they have for our Institution. To the City and State of New York, the National Foundation For Infantile Paralysis, to the Associated Hospital Service, to the American Cancer Society, to the Hofheimer Foundation, to the Dazian Foundation, to the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation and to all the friends of the Hospital whose contributions will all be published in detail in our Annual Report, the Board extends its sincere thanks.

I am most happy to call attention to the fact that on April 29th, our beloved Honorary President, Mr. Frederick Brown, will reach his 85th birthday. I know I speak for every member of the Board when I say that it has been a proud privilege to have had him as President of the Hospital and as a member of the Board for 32 years. We hope he will be spared to us for many years to come. I am sure you will agree that Mr. Brown has given most generously of himself to our Hospital throughout all the years. I present, with keen delight, the following Resolutions, a copy of which

I suggest be forwarded to our dear friend, Mr. Frederick Brown:

RESOLVED, that we are all most happy to join with the members of the dear family and the host of friends of our beloved Frederick Brown in the celebration of the 85th year of his birth on the 29th day of April next, and we share the hope that Mrs. Brown and he will be spared to the community of which we are a part and which they have served in all the facets of the community's functions, so that Mr. and Mrs. Brown will together for many years to come, in continued good health, render that service which has contributed to their health and happiness; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Brown shall continue actively to be interested and participate in the administration of the affairs of the Hospital For Joint Diseases as they have for over a generation; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be delivered to Mr. Frederick Brown in person on the 29th day of April, 1955, under the hand and seal of the Institution.

In June 1954, our Executive Director, Mr. Abraham Rosenberg, completed 25 years of devoted and effective service to the Hospital. In December the Medical Staff tendered a dinner to him commemorating this event. The dinner, which was attended not only by the entire Hospital "family" but also by the Executive Directors of all the Federation hospitals, as well as by representatives of Federation, was a memorable evening and will long be remembered by those who were present.

For all of us on the Board, I want to express

our appreciation for a job well done to Dr. Samuel J. Gelman, the Assistant Director, to Miss Janice Seligman, Director of Out-Patient Department, Miss Sadie Shapiro, Director of Social Service, Miss Phyllis Blaine, Chief Dietitian, Mr. George Finch, Chief Engineer, Mr. Max Huttner, Chief Pharmacist, Mr. Simon Schapiro, Comptroller, Miss Frances Zahler, Record Librarian, Miss Amelia Mater, Medical Librarian, Mr. Ali Jenan, Supervisor of Laundry, Miss Elizabeth Moeller, Supervisor of Occupational Therapy, Mrs. Marie Truglio, Admitting Officer, Mrs. Rika Hopkins, Secretary to the Executive Director, and all of the other Department Heads of the Hospital, to the Administrative Staff and to all the 600 employees for their service and devotion to the ideals of our Institution.

In conclusion, may I say that I firmly believe that in addition to the real, tangible progress which our Hospital has made during the past year, there has also been a less tangible but nevertheless genuine and real improvement in the morale of the Hospital, as well as a marked increased spirit of cooperation and a much greater personal interest by the individual members of our medical and lay staffs in the work and growth of the Institution. I am sure we all agree that this tends for better care of patients, for better scientific work, for producing better doctors and nurses, and for enhancing the position of our Hospital in the community. We shall continue to be dedicated to the ideals of better care of the sick, for improved hospital facilities and for an ever-scientifically progressive medical staff.

Respectfully submitted,
RAPHAEL B. MALSIN
President

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Report of the Chairman of the Medical Advisory Board for the Year 1954

I HAVE THE HONOR, ladies and gentlemen, to submit this, the 48th Annual Report on the state of the Hospital For Joint Diseases as viewed by the Chairman of its Medical Advisory Board and to delineate certain trends which should be given thoughtful consideration.

Nineteen-hundred-and-fifty-four has been a most decisive year for the Hospital in that all doubts of its future existence as a distinct entity have been irrevocably set aside for some time to come. The constant uncertainties and the repeated discussions for and against amalgamation or affiliation with various institutions have been finally laid aside by the decision of our President, Mr. Raphael Malsin, with the support of the Board of Trustees when they finally authorized and embarked on the building program to enlarge and modernize our Hospital. This will be amply rewarded by greater service to the community and to orthopaedic surgery in general. With the casting away of these uncertainties, the professional and lay staffs will be able, as indeed they already have started, to devote themselves to the pure and simple business of the betterment of "the sick, the lame and the halt," without the distractions inherent in the years prior to the commencement of the present reconstruction program.

As a measure of this increased vigor and vitality permit me to turn first to the work of the various committees of the Medical Advisory Board. They have all given unstinted thought, time and effort towards the perfection of the various Hospital functions. I shall not burden you with the details of all of these labors.

I must, however, say a few words with reference to those committees which during the past year have carried on with exceptionally heavy burdens.

The House Staff Committee, under the guidance of Dr. Albert M. Betcher, has done a magnificent job. It is well known that there is a grossly inadequate number of medical graduates as compared with the present needs; the Doctors' Draft Law, which requires of all graduating doctors, two years of service in the armed forces; the drain by various governmental agencies which allow very substan-

tially greater stipends as compared to those given by the voluntary hospitals; and for the lack of a better term, the "hoarding" of interns by university hospitals and their close affiliates, under the guise of training programs. Nevertheless, we have done well—better than many—and have been able to get an adequate number of well-schooled interns. The Committee has had no difficulty with supplying our needs for residents in the medical and surgical specialties. The demand for our orthopaedic residencies has been greater than our needs. These few sentences barely describe the extent of this Committee's labors in the handling of these various problems.

The recently established Tissue Committee has been organized and conducted by Dr. Emanuel Kaplan. The function of this Committee has been that of a "watch dog" over the surgical activities of all members of the staff. Its duties are onerous, but most important. These functions have been carried out with tact and firmness to the credit of the Hospital.

Much thought and energy has been expended by Dr. H. Evans Leiter and his Committee on Nursing and Dietetics. I need hardly enlarge on the shortage of nursing services in the entire country. Notwithstanding, we, at the Hospital For Joint Diseases are better off than many other institutions because of our School of Practical Nursing. Nevertheless, we are cognizant that there is much room for improvement. To meet this problem and to simplify it, Dr. Leiter's committee, in conjunction with our recently resigned Director of Nursing and School of Practical Nursing, Miss Kathryn S. Goodman, and her staff, have undertaken to prepare a Nursing Manual to aid in the fulfillment and to standardize the requirements of all of our services—a most difficult and trying undertaking. We feel certain that this committee will be aided in its efforts by our newly-appointed Director of Nursing, Miss Justine Hannan, who, we feel assured, will instill additional experience, enthusiasm, and drive, to aid in this very worthwhile project which should greatly improve our services to the sick. This project, together with the proposed employment of additional supervising and charge nurses, should do much to overcome our difficulties.

I take pleasure in informing you of the completion of a most important undertaking which was started during the past year. I refer to the revision, enlargement and modernization of our Formulary by Dr. Harry Gold and his Pharmacy Committee. It is a compendious work with provisions for modifications and additions as the occasion may

demand. The Formulary is now in the printers' hands and will soon be ready for Hospital use.

The Operating Room Committee has always been most important for its deliberations with reference to what may be called the hub of the Hospital. This committee was appropriately chaired during the past year by our Director of Surgery, Dr. Percy Klingenstein, because of its additional burdens and importance in the aiding with the plans of our new Operating Room and choice of new equipment. Our great expectations will, I am confident, be more than fulfilled.

The work of a hospital is judged by its records. It is no wonder that the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation places so much emphasis on hospital records which are of such great importance from the scientific, legal and sociological aspects. One need hardly belabor the fact that the compilation of records is at times a bit of drudgery which many an individual would readily forego. The activities of the Library and Records Committee, under the chairmanship of Dr. Ben Berg, did much to improve and standardize our records in conformity with the rigid requirements of the Commission on Hospital Accreditation.

I shall not burden you at this point with any further details of the work of the other standing and special committees of the Medical Advisory Board, not that their work was of less importance, but because I shall have the opportunity to refer to them in conjunction with other matters referred to in this Annual Report. I wish, however, to express now my heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the work of each and every member participating in this important work which has been rendered liberally, thoughtfully, and most effectively.

Another manifestation of the revitalization of the Hospital morale was the great turnout of the Professional and Lay Staffs of the Hospital together with many members of the Board of Trustees and the many friends of our Executive Director, Mr. Abraham Rosenberg, on the occasion of the dinner tendered to Mr. Rosenberg in appreciation of twenty-five years of loyal and devoted service to the Hospital in various administrative capacities. Those of you who were present at the celebration will long remember the dignity, the beauty and the pervading spirit of friendship in honoring one who has done much for our Hospital. This celebration has been effective in cementing the unity of the Hospital in its appointed task. It is our hope that there may be many happy returns of similar occasions.

The reconstruction work going on at the present time has, of necessity, discommoded some of our

Out-Patient Services. As a result, some of the smaller clinics have had to eliminate some of their sessions in order to provide room for other clinics which have had to be moved on account of construction necessities. This concentration of work may prove in the end to be conducive to better service to the needy and at the same time result in economies within the management of the Out-Patient Department. The Out-Patient Committee, under the leadership of Dr. James W. Smith, deserves much credit in effecting these changes without any appreciable interference or diminution of services rendered heretofore. In this connection, I must call attention to the sincere devotion and untiring efforts of Miss Janice Seligman, the Director of the Out-Patient Department, in making the Clinic Services uninterruptedly effective.

The Physical Medicine Department has been disturbed more than any other unit in our Hospital because of the reconstruction processes. The Department was, however, well able to meet these exigencies of diminished accommodations by virtue of a thorough review of its roster of patients and the elimination of those who have reached the maximum of medical benefit from the physio-therapeutic measures. Each of these patients was thoroughly re-evaluated by responsible members of the Department of Physical Medicine and Orthopaedic Surgery before the necessary action was taken. The effect of this "house cleaning," if you will, will be wholesome and conducive to better service in a direction where it will be most effective. To that end, physio-therapeutic modalities may henceforth be administered to service cases only after consultation with and on prescription by the Department of Physical Medicine.

I trust that you will recall that about two years ago I had the privilege of reporting to you on the reorganization and reactivation of the Rehabilitation Unit at our Hospital. During the past year, Dr. Barnard Kleiger assumed the Chairmanship of the Unit, the activities of which were coordinated by Miss Sadie Shapiro, the Director of the Social Service Department. The Rehabilitation Unit now meets regularly at a stipulated time and place and the tempo of its services has been gradually increased. It is gratifying to note that Dr. J. H. Gerber, the Chief Medical Officer of the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington, D.C., visited our Hospital and subsequently wrote a letter approving our rehabilitation work wholeheartedly as "the prototype of things to come." Similarly Mr. Karl Kaffenberger, Chief of Vocational Rehabilitation of the State of New York Department of

Education, not only approved the Unit's approach to the problems but did much to aid it in its work. The Unit is worthy of an increase in space facilities and personnel to the end that its much-to-be-sought services be increased. The establishment of an amputee and a gait training program will greatly enhance the effectiveness of the Rehabilitation Unit.

It is with regret that I must inform you that the Panel Care Program which provides for home visits by physicians, usually orthopaedic surgeons insofar as we are concerned, to patients who are discharged from the Hospital and are unable to return to the Out-Patient Department for observation and care, has languished because the provisions for fees to the visiting surgeons are very inadequate. This is a worthwhile project and is a means of effecting considerable economies by lessening the hospitalization periods in appropriate cases. Since most of these patients are on the Welfare roster, these disbursements are controlled by the Welfare Department. The insistence that only fully accredited surgeons, that is diplomates, may make these calls, and the inadequacy of the fees allowed, makes it almost impossible to obtain sufficient coverage of these cases—an example of "penny wise and pound foolish" policy.

The loss of our Brace Shop is an unfortunate deterrent, both to the prestige of our Hospital as well as to its services from the point of view of quality, standards, as well as promptness in the fulfillment of its task. This will affect the Out-Patient as well as the In-Patient Service cases. It is the considered opinion of those who have given thought to this matter that like many other units in a voluntary hospital, subsidies are essential to make the Brace Department effective.

The tempo of the educational activities of our Hospital has steadily increased during the past year. We have become a center to which many from near and far have come to learn what others have come to teach. I cannot refrain from mentioning a few of these "feasts of the mind," though all of them are listed in this yearbook. Our staff members prepared and presented a full day's program for the benefit of the British Commonwealth Fellows sent to visit selected institutions in the United States and Canada under the auspices of the English Speaking Orthopaedic Associations. Professor Walter Mercer of Edinburgh, Scotland, delivered the annual Sir Robert Jones Lecture established at our Hospital. Dr. Francis D. Moore, the Mosley Professor of Surgery at the Harvard University Medical School, delivered our annual Walter M. Brickner Lecture. Dr. Alfred Glucksman, of the Strangeways Research Laboratory, Cambridge,

England, delivered a special lecture on "Radiation Therapy" at our Hospital.

The Alumni Conference lasted three days and attracted many men, who had trained here, from all parts of the United States, Mexico and Canada, and its program consisted of presentations by members of our Alumni, members of our Visiting Staff, and outstanding luminaries from other institutions such as Dr. John S. Caffey, Professor of Clinical Pediatrics, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University; Dr. William T. Green, Clinical Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Harvard University Medical School; Dr. Samuel Z. Levine, Professor of Pediatrics, Cornell University Medical School; Dr. H. Relton McCarroll, Assistant Professor of Clinical Orthopaedic Surgery at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. George J. Garceau, Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery at the Indiana University School of Medicine; and Professor S. R. Detwiler, Director of the Department of Anatomy of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University.

Several of the basic science lectures given under the auspices of the New York Academy of Medicine, were given at our Hospital by Dr. Maurice Bruger, Associate Professor of Medicine; Dr. Elliot Oppenheim, Associate Clinical Professor of Medicine, were given at our Hospital by Dr. Maurice W. Robertazzy, Professor of Clinical Anesthesiology, all of New York University Post Graduate Medical School.

Our orthopaedic, medical, surgical, and other specialty monthly conferences have been well attended, not only by our own staff members and House Staff but by visitors not directly affiliated with our Hospital. Some of these meetings overflowed the capacity of Blau Hall.

In addition to the above, Dr. Henry L. Jaffe gave a course on Bone Pathology; Dr. Maurice M. Pomeranz gave a course on Radiology under the auspices of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University; Dr. Albert M. Betcher participated in the giving of a course on Anesthesiology; and Dr. Milton Friedman gave a course on Radiology under the auspices of New York University College of Medicine. All of these courses were given at our Hospital to many doctors, residents and interns not affiliated with our Hospital.

Our scientific activities extended beyond the walls of our Hospital and included lectures and demonstrations by many of our active and consulting staffs, as well as by some of our residents at various medical society meetings in this and other countries. There are really too many of them to list at this time. Many members of our visiting staff were

honored by election to membership in various organizations and to posts of honor in this and other countries. Dr. Leo Mayer was especially honored by the Board of Editors of the Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery in recognition of twenty-five years of service, and Dr. Samuel Kleinberg was graciously received and honored during his travels in Sweden, England and France. Listed in the year-book you will find a very extensive list of many projects under investigation by many members of our attending staff, residents and fellows. The results of these investigations are shown in the tabulation of publication in various journals and books.

The Bulletin of the Hospital For Joint Diseases has, during the past year under the vigorous and stimulating editorial guidance of Dr. Samuel Kleinberg, made appreciable gains in circulation and importance. Its standing as a responsible orthopaedic journal is now well established. Plans are presently being completed for a special issue of the Bulletin to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the Hospital's existence in 1956.

In addition to the previously listed lectures and conferences, there were other periodically scheduled lectures and conferences forming a part of the training program for the interns and residents of the various medical and surgical specialties. More specialized lectures and conferences were given by members of our Visiting Staff and invited guests as part of the formal training program for the orthopaedic residents. The basic science course for orthopaedic residents, required by the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery, and given by Columbia University to our residents, as well as to those of other orthopaedic training centers, has been conducted by our own Dr. Emanuel Kaplan, who has recently been promoted to the post of Associate Professor in the Department of Anatomy of the University. Great credit is due him for his untiring efforts on behalf of the residents. His plan for the year 1955 includes for the first time a series of lectures for those partaking of the basic science course at our Hospital as part of the University program.

The Departments of Medicine and Surgery, under the guidance of their respective Directors, Dr. Morris Dinnerstein and Dr. Percy Klingenstein, have maintained and increased the effectiveness of their services to the sick and training programs for their interns and residents. The various subspecialties have prospered and are all but ready to expand when greater facilities become available.

An evaluation of the training programs for residents reveals that those given at our Hospital compare very favorably with those given elsewhere. Our training of orthopaedic residents has been rated

by responsible authorities as foremost in the country—an accolade to be greatly appreciated.

The unification and integration of the various orthopaedic services has progressed under the stimulus of our full-time Director of Orthopaedic Surgery, Dr. Joseph E. Milgram. The previously existing subspecialty clinics have been continued; other clinics have been fully organized during the past year and at least one additional clinic will be established as soon as the special training of its leader, now in progress, is completed. The Joint Indications Conferences and the Joint Follow Up Conferences have continued apace.

The work of the Children's Orthopaedic Clinic, under the supervision of Dr. Emanuel Kaplan, has been greatly increased. This is in part due to the stimulus given by a program of referrals by the Bureau of Education of the Physically Handicapped Children, the Bureau of Health Education of the Board of Education and the Department of Health. This program was formalized at a meeting at our Hospital with teachers and specialists of Elementary Schools and nurses and specialists of the Department of Health. On another occasion a similar meeting was held with the teachers and specialists of the High Schools. This established relationships between the Elementary Schools, the High Schools, and the Department of Health and our Hospital, will do much in enabling our Hospital to render service to the needy pre-school, elementary and high school children and is largely due to the energy and drive of our Director of Social Service, Miss Sadie Shapiro.

The special, though not fully formalized clinic for the treatment of pyogenic infection of bones and joints and tuberculosis of bones and joints, has continued with its activities as heretofore. It is about to enter into a new phase of investigation which it is hoped will lead to further advances in the therapy of these lesions. This clinic has been liberally supported by several pharmaceutical companies with free supplies of antibiotic and antituberculous drugs.

A special Hand Clinic, under the guidance of Dr. Emanuel Kaplan, was established during the past year. Its growth and effectiveness are now beyond doubt.

A special Foot Clinic was established under the leadership of Dr. Paul Lapidus and the overall supervision of his attending orthopaedic surgeon. The Podiatry Services are now under the supervision of this Clinic. Increased growth and effectiveness are already evident. The most recently established subclinic under the overall supervision of the Children's Orthopaedic Clinic, is that on polio-

myelitis, headed by Dr. Wallace Green. It is hoped that in the very near future a special clinic on scoliosis will be established under the charge of Dr. Jacob J. Graham, who is at the present time studying in various institutions in this and other cities in order to prepare himself for this project.

In addition to the above special undertakings the Orthopaedic Services have maintained and increased their various services to the crippled, and researches and investigations, as indicated elsewhere in the Year Book. The Rheumatology Service, the Peripheral Vascular Service, the Urological Service, the Gynecological Service, the X-ray and Radiation Therapy Services; the Pathological, Bacteriological, and Biochemical Services; the Dental Department and all the other Services are rendering ever more effective and devoted service to the end that our Hospital will continue to deserve the support of the community.

Your Chairman is grieved to report the loss to the Medical Staff by death of Dr. Jacob Sobel, Consultant in Pediatrics; Dr. Joseph H. Abraham, Consultant in Otolaryngology; Dr. Martin Cohen, Consultant in Ophthalmology; Dr. Herbert E. Stein, formerly Associate Surgeon and lately on the Courtesy Staff; Dr. Leo Roth, formerly Adjunct Orthopaedic Surgeon and lately on the Courtesy Staff; Dr. John Bauer, Clinical Assistant in Rheumatology.

On the more cheerful side of the ledger, it is recorded that Drs. Michael S. Burman and Charles J. Sutro were promoted to the rank of Attending Orthopaedic Surgeon; Dr. Hans J. Behrend was promoted to the rank of Attending in Physical Medicine and Dr. Sidney Rubinfeld was promoted to the rank of Attending in Radiation Therapy. Dr. Aaron Bodansky retired as Biochemist to the Hospital and was thereupon appointed Consultant Biochemist in appreciation of his many years of outstanding and devoted service to the Hospital. Dr. Jacob Kream was appointed to head the Biochemistry Division of the Laboratory.

Though the total manpower of the professional staff has not undergone any appreciable change, there has nevertheless been a change which, in the opinion of your Chairman, has been evident for the past few years and is now gaining impetus and is indicative of the changing scene in our community. The narrowing field of private medical practice incidental to insurance plans and union health groups which do not permit of free choice of physician; the migration of the middle or the so-called white collar class to the suburbs; and the intrusion of governmental agencies and some voluntary hospitals into the private practice of medi-

cine and surgery has made it difficult for the beginning practitioner to establish himself within the confines of the city. Because of the same reasons many of them already in practice, have found it difficult to maintain themselves in private practice. Both of these groups of practitioners have, therefore, been compelled to devote more and more of their efforts to the practice of medicine and surgery in the suburbs or to sell varying proportions of their time to the above mentioned insurance plans, health centers and government agencies, with the result that they have less and less time to devote to the free services of the voluntary hospital. We now note the anomalous situation where the Attending of a service at the height of a busy professional career has more time to devote to the voluntary and city hospitals than the novice or those who have more recently entered into private practice. Positions long sought for and worked for now go begging for applicants. It would seem that the day has come for the serious consideration of honoraria for those physicians and surgeons devoting their time to free service in order to enable them to continue with the care of the indigent and near indigent and with the research which to date has done so much for the healing of the sick, mending of the maimed and the rehabilitation of the disabled.

I cannot close without extending an expression of deep gratitude on the part of the Visiting Staff, the entire Hospital personnel and its patients, as well as my personal deep gratitude, to Mr. Raphael Malsin, the President of the Hospital, and the Board of Trustees for their loyalty and devotion in the expansion and support of the Hospital to the end that its services, its training programs and its research may be continued to the betterment of the ailing.

We are all deeply appreciative of our Executive Director, Mr. Abraham Rosenberg, for his unending efforts and understanding in the management and solution of the endless problems incidental to the functions of the Hospital. We are also grateful to Dr. Samuel J. Gelman, the Assistant Director, Miss Janice Seligman, Director of the Out-Patient Department, Miss Sadie Shapiro, Director of Social Service, and all nursing, professional and lay personnel for their share in the united efforts to improve the services of the Hospital. Many, many thanks go also to the entire medical staff and the Medical Advisory Board for their labors on behalf of the Hospital and the successes attained during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH BUCHMAN, M.D., *Chairman,*
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SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

In addition to our scheduled scientific programs and clinic meetings, the following scientific programs were held:

A special program lasting a full day was held for the British Commonwealth Fellows sent by the British and American Orthopaedic Associations to visit selected orthopaedic institutions in the United States. This is the start of an interchange of Travelling Fellows in Orthopaedic Surgery between the orthopaedic surgeons of the American continent and the British Commonwealth.

PROFESSOR WALTER MERCER of Edinburgh, Scotland, delivered the *Sir Robert Jones* lecture at the Hospital. Dr. Mercer, who is Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery at the University of Edinburgh and Director of Orthopaedic Services of the South Eastern Regional Hospital Board of Scotland, spoke on "The Surgery of Rheumatoid Arthritis." The *Sir Robert Jones* Lecture was established at the Hospital in 1930 by Mr. Frederick Brown.

DR. FRANCIS D. MOORE, Mosely Professor of Surgery, Harvard University Medical School, delivered the *Walter M. Brickner* lecture on "Recent Studies on the Endocrinology of Normal Surgical Convalescence."

An exceptionally well attended and scientifically fruitful program of the Alumni Association was held in November. On the morning of November 3rd, Mr. A. Rosenberg, Executive Director, and Dr. Abel Kenin, President of the Alumni, opened the scientific session which was followed by presentations by members of the Alumni and Staff.

The afternoon session was opened by Dr. Joseph E. Milgram and consisted of a Panel Discussion on "Some Skeletal Diseases of Childhood." Dr. John F. Caffey, Professor of Clinical Pediatrics, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University; Dr. William T. Green, Orthopaedic Surgeon-In-Chief, The Children's Hospital, Boston; Dr. Samuel Z. Levine, Professor of Pediatrics, Cornell Medical Center; with Dr. Henry L. Jaffe as moderator.

On November 4th, Dr. H. Relton McCarroll, Assistant Professor Clinical Orthopaedic Surgery at Washington University, St. Louis was moderator for the day with presentations by members of the Alumni on Congenital Anomalies.

On November 5th, Dr. George J. Garceau, Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery of Indiana University, was moderator for the day, with presentations by members of the Alumni and Staff on "Traumatic Lesions in the Newborn and Childhood," and on "Foot Deformities." Professor S. R. Detwiler, Director, Department of Anatomy, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, spoke in the afternoon on the "Role of the Spinal Cord in the Induction and Structuring of the Vertebral Column."

On Friday evening, November 5th, the Annual Dinner-Dance was held at the Hotel Pierre. The honorary guests were Dr. George J. Garceau and Professor and Mrs. S. R. Detwiler.

The following basic science lectures arranged by the Committee on Medical Education of the New York Academy of Medicine, were given at the Hospital: *Disturbances in Water Metabolism in Surgical Patients* by DR. MAURICE BRUEGER, Associate Professor of Medicine; *Liver Function Tests and Differential Diagnosis of Jaundice* by DR. ELLIOT OPPENHEIM, Associate Clinical Professor of Medicine; and *Physiology and Pharmacology of Some Anesthetic Agents* by DR. R. W. ROBERTAZZI, Professor of Clinical Anesthesiology, all of New York University Post-Graduate Medical School.

A series of medical and surgical ancillary lectures were inaugurated to provide a broader base of instruction for our future orthopaedic specialist. Provision has been made for making a permanent record of this instructional material in form of a volume of compiled lectures by mimeographing.

The weekly Orthopaedic Indications Conferences initiated by Dr. Joseph E. Milgram upon assuming the post of Director of Orthopaedics continued, as well as the weekly Fracture and Followup Conferences.

The weekly clinicopathologic conferences for the orthopaedic residents by Dr. Henry L. Jaffe and for the general house staff by Dr. Golden Selin continued during the year 1954.

Residents from the orthopaedic and gynecological staffs were represented on the Resident Program of the New York Academy of Medicine.

Dr. Henry L. Jaffe continued his course on Bone Pathology.

Dr. Maurice M. Pomeranz continued his course, in affiliation with Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, on the radiographic interpretation of bone and joint diseases.

Dr. A. M. Betcher, with Directors from other hospitals in anesthesiology, reorganized their weekly didactic lectures so that they meet at one institution.

Dr. Milton Friedman, in affiliation with New York University Medical College, conducted a course in radiobiology.

Dr. Alfred Glucksman of the Strangeways Research Laboratory, Cambridge, England, gave a lecture on "Serial Histological and Cytological Studies in Irradiation of Carcinoma of the Cervix," at the Hospital.

FELLOWSHIPS:

Through the generosity of the *Hofheimer Foundation*, a Fellowship of combined research and clinical orthopaedics was made available for the outstanding orthopaedic resident each year upon completion of his three-year orthopaedic residency.

A *Research Fund Fellowship* in orthopaedics for a graduate member of the attending staff has been created. It was awarded for the year commencing October 1954 to Dr. Melvin H. Jahss, former orthopaedic resident and Brown Fellow.

The *Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Brown Fellowship* for an outstanding orthopaedic graduate of this Hospital was awarded to Dr. Peter Kenmore for the year 1955.

An *Exchange Fellowship* with Professor Oscar Scaglietti, Director of Orthopaedics Institute of Tuscany in Florence, Italy, brought Dr. Bruno Callanderello to our staff for six months.

An *Exchange Fellowship* with the *United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare*, Washington, D.C., awarded to Vatsy Parisian, was extended for another year.

Dr. Pedro Mellanotti, of Turi, Italy, spent one year as Pathology Resident with Dr. Henry L. Jaffe.

American Cancer Society Fellowship for six months was awarded to Dr. Askar Askari.

The *National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis* sponsored a course at Boston's Children's Hospital which Dr. J. Zeldin and Dr. R. S. Wedeen, residents in orthopaedics, attended. Should their services be needed in a poliomyelitis epidemic, they would be ready for this special service.

SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS ELSEWHERE THAN AT OUR HOSPITAL

DR. HANS J. BEHREND delivered lectures on Ultrasonic Therapy before 4th International Congress on Ultrasonics, Amsterdam, Holland, and the Medical Society, Zurich, Switzerland. Dr. Behrend is Chairman of the Eastern Section, American Congress of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.

DR. ALBERT M. BETCHER presented a paper on "Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy: Criteria for Diagnosis and Treatment" at the meeting of the American Society of Anesthesiologists in Cincinnati. Dr. Betcher was invited to be an associate examiner for the oral examinations of the American Board of Anesthesiology. In December he took over the office of the President of the New York State Society of Anesthesiologists.

DR. JOHN E. BLAIR presented a paper on "Bacteriophage Typing of Staphylococci" at a round table discussion, held at the annual meeting of the Society of American Bacteriologists, Pittsburgh.

Dr. Blair also was guest of honor at a Conference and was consultant on Bacteriophage Typing of Staphylococci at the University of Illinois Medical School in March 1954.

DR. JOSEPH BUCHMAN's study of the replacement of bones and joints with vitallium was written up in the *Coronet Magazine* and previously in the *Saturday Evening Post*.

DR. LEONARD E. FIELD presented a lecture on "Advances in Diagnosis and Treatment of Bacterial Endocarditis," at the American College of Physicians postgraduate course.

DR. MILTON FRIEDMAN delivered the three Harry Flax Memorial Lectures, under the auspices of the Great Cincinnati Radiological Society. These lectures concerned supervoltage radiation therapy.

On October 27, 1954, before the Detroit Institute of Cancer Research, Dr. Friedman delivered an address on "Radiation Therapy of Testicular Neoplasms." He also presented a paper at the Cincinnati Academy of Medicine on "Supervoltage X-ray and Cobalt Bomb in the Treatment of Cancer."

DR. THEODORE T. FOX was elected senior member of the American Federation of Clinical Research.

DR. PAUL GROSS lectured on "Nummular Eczema" at the meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology in Chicago, and on "Bullous Dermatoses" at the meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology.

Dr. Gross was promoted to Clinical Professor in Dermatology, Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons.

DR. E. LAWRENCE HECHT presented two papers at the Southern Cytology Conference on "The Endometrial Aspiration Smear" and "The Practical Application of the Basic Methods and Training of Personnel in Cytology." Before the New York Obstetrical Society, Dr. Hecht presented a paper on "The Endometrial Aspiration Smears, Research Status and Clinical Value." Dr. Hecht also lectured before the Monmouth Memorial Hospital, Long Branch, N. J., the Bronx Obstetrical and Gynecological Society, Hunterdon Medical Group, Flemington, N. J., and the Forest Hills General Hospital. Dr. Hecht is Secretary to the Obstetrical and Gynecological Section of the New York Academy of Medicine.

DR. SOL R. HIRSCHMAN gave a radio speech on varicose veins over WNYC for the New York County Medical Society.

DR. HENRY L. JAFFE presented a lecture on "Fibrous Cortical Defects and Their Sequelae" before the Societies of Radiology and Orthopaedics of the City of Baltimore. On November 6th he participated in the scientific program of the American Society of Oral Surgeons meeting in Hollywood, Florida. On the morning of that day he was a member of a three-man panel which discussed tumorous lesions of the jaw bones. In the afternoon he gave a lecture on lesions of the jaw bones which have their counterpart elsewhere in the skeleton.

On November 10th and 11th, Dr. Jaffe participated in the Continuation Course in Radiology for Specialists, held in Minneapolis, under the auspices of the University of Minnesota. On the morning of the 10th he gave a lecture on "The Correlation of the Pathology and X-ray Diagnosis of Bone Lesions." On the afternoon of that day he lectured on "The Pathology of the Cartilaginous Bone Tumors." On the morning of November 11th he spoke on "The Pathology of Osteoid-Osteoma and Ossifying Fibroma of Bone." Late in the afternoon of both these days he took part in a scheduled round table discussion (question and answer period) and case conference.

DR. EMANUEL B. KAPLAN was elected Secretary of the Orthopaedic Section of the New York State Medical Society. He was advanced to Associate Professorship of Clinical Anatomy at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

DR. EMANUEL B. KAPLAN delivered a paper at the Wenner-Gien Foundation for Anthropological Research in Galveston, Texas, on the "Comparative Anatomy of the Foot—Men, Gorillas and Chimpanzees." He also presented two papers at the Orthopaedic Section Meeting of the New York Academy of Medicine on "The Lateral Approach to the Knee Joint" and on "Variations of the Muscles and Veins of the Neck in Treatment of Torticollis." At the Hackensack General Hospital in New Jersey, he presented a paper on the "Surgical Anatomy of the Hip Joint."

Members of the Hospital's medical staff participating at the Annual Meeting of the New York State Medical Society were: DR. EDGAR BACHRACH who discussed a paper on "Clinical Evaluation of Usefulness of Nisentil in Acute and Chronic Pain." A similar study had been conducted at the Hospital by Drs. A. M. Betcher, E. Bachrach and A. Godholm. DR. BARNARD KLEIGER presented a paper on the "Diagnosis and Treatment of Traumatic Lateral Ankle Instability." DR. SYDNEY RUBENFELD presented a paper on "Present Trends in Treatment of Breast Cancer with Combined Surgery and X-ray."

DR. LAWRENCE I. KAPLAN gave a series of 14 lectures in a course in Clinical Neurology, delivered at the Boulevard Hospital, Queens. He delivered a series of four lectures dealing with current neurological research at the Atlantic City Hospital in New Jersey. This series was given while acting as Visiting Chief Pro-tem at the Atlantic City Hospital during that week. Dr. Kaplan presented a paper on "Myasthenia Gravis" to the Postgraduate Orthopaedic Group at Bellevue Hospital.

Approximately seven lectures were delivered at the Practicing Law Institute and at the Law-Science Institute, dealing with the neurological and psychiatric conditions associated with trauma.

DR. SAMUEL KLEINBERG demonstrated the "Whitman Astragalectomy" operation at the Karolinski Institute, Stockholm, while visiting Professor Sten Friberg. Dr. Kleinberg was also the guest of Sir Reginald Watson-Jones and H. Osmond Clarke of London, Professor J. Trueta of Oxford and Robert Judet of Paris.

Dr. Kleinberg delivered a lecture at the Veterans Administration in New York on the "Diagnosis and Early Recognition of Scoliosis in Children."

DR. LOUIS KLEINFELD lectured on "Hearing Problems" before the Lexington School for the Deaf on two occasions. He also presented a paper on "Problems of Deaf" at Hunter College.

DR. LEO MAYER lectured before the Orthopaedic Division of the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University at a Staff meeting held December 7th on the "History of Orthopaedic Surgery." He also lectured before the Washington, D. C., Orthopaedic Society on "Surgery of the Upper Extremity," and on the same subject at the Veterans Administration in New York City, and the Lehigh County Medical Society at Allentown, Pa.

Dr. Mayer was presented with a beautiful traveling clock and scroll by the Board of Editors of the *Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery* in recognition of 25 years of service. He was elected honorary member of the German Orthopaedic Society.

Dr. Mayer was invited by the Israeli government to spend several weeks with them in a consultative capacity.

DR. HENRY MILCH presented a paper before the American Congress of Physical Medicine held in Washington, D. C., on "Treatment of Coxarthrosis."

DR. JOSEPH E. MILGRAM was guest of honor at the Passaic County Medical Society. He delivered a lecture on "Foot Deformities in Children." Dr. Milgram also participated in a Panel in an All-Day Conference held at the New York Medical College, Flower Fifth Avenue Hospital; lectured on "Congenital Dislocation of the Hip" before the Pennsylvania State Medical Association at Scranton. He gave an Instructional Course on Ruptured Tendons at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and was on the Panel of Experts.

Dr. Milgram was elected member of the Committee on Audio-Visual Education for the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons.

DR. MAURICE M. POMERANZ was elected Honorary Member of the Connecticut Valley Radiology Society and was presented with a Gold Medal for contributions to bone radiography. He was also elected Honorary Member of the Kings County Radiology Society. Dr. Pomeranz was appointed Consultant to the Advisory Committee for Malpractice Insurance for the New York County Medical Society.

DR. GEORGE H. ROMBERG gave a paper on Fertility at the meeting of the American Society for Study of Sterility, held in San Francisco.

DR. GOLDEN SELIN delivered a series of three lectures before the Cornell Medical College students on "Bone Pathology."

DR. OTTO STEINBROCKER presented a paper on "Cardiovascular Features of the Arthritides and Related Conditions" before the New York Cardiological Society. He also presented papers on "Recent Advances in Arthritis and Allied Diseases" and "Management of Musculoskeletal Pain with Cortisone and Allied Compounds" at the New York State Academy of General Practice, Syracuse, and at the meeting of the American Society of Anesthesiologists, Cincinnati, respectively.

DR. JEROME WEISS presented a paper with DR. HANS BEHREND on "Combination Therapy in Ultrasonics" before the American Institute of Ultrasonics in Medicine, held in Washington, D. C.

RESEARCH

AARONSON, M.: Influence of Ultrasonic Therapy on Peridental Tissues.

BEHREND, H. J.: Ultrasonic Therapy. Reflex Therapy.

BETCHER, A. M., BACHRACH, E. H., GODHOLM, A. N.: Evaluation of Nisentil for Postoperative Sedation. Accepted for publication in *Journal of Surgery*. Research completed.

BETCHER, A. M., TANG, Z.: Evaluation of Pyribenzamine: Its Effectiveness as a Local Anesthetic Agent. Project completed and manuscript accepted for publication in *Journal of Anesthesiology*.

BLAIR, J. E.: Continuing Studies on the Bacteriophage Typing of Staphylococci and its Applications. Research is supported by a Research Grant from the National Institutes of Health.

BUCHMAN, J.: The Use of Mechanical Joints. The Repair of Pseudoarthrosis with Metallic Bone Substitutes.

The Treatment of Pyogenic Bone and Joint Infections.

The Treatment of Tuberculosis of Bones and Joints with Anti-Tubercular and Antibiotic Drugs and Surgical Intervention.

CASTEN, D. F., BARDENSTEIN, M.: Cardiac Arrest in Children. Project completed and manuscript in press.

CASTEN, D. F.: Venous Pressure Studies in Post-phlebotic and Varicose Ulcer. Cardiac Arrest. Thoracolumbar Sympathectomy for Peripheral Vascular Disease.

FOX, T. T.: The Influence of Tobacco on the Ballistocardiogram.

FRIEDMAN, M.: Continued development of new techniques of the supervoltage radiation therapy of cancer.

Establishment of a joint research project with the gynecological service on *Histologic Effects of Irradiation on Carcinoma of the Cervix as Determined by Cytological Studies* (Dr. Askari is working on this project under a research grant). The contour meter which was designed two years ago by Dr. Friedman for the purpose of obtaining accurate contours of the patient in connection with rotation therapy, is now being manufactured and distributed widely. It has been found to be the most useful apparatus for this purpose.

The minute, highly charged, radioactive cobalt pellet, designed by Dr. Friedman, has attracted considerable attention and is now being copied and used elsewhere.

Establishment of a project to study the role of endocrine glands in controlling cancer, and the modification of that role by irradiation.

A new technique for the supervoltage irradiation of cancer of the breast.

HABER, W. B.: Effects of loss of limb on sensory organization and phantom limb phenomena.

Effects of loss of limb on sensory functions, at the American Psychological Association, 62nd Annual Meeting in New York City.

HECHT, H. L.: The Relation of Benign Squamous Metaplasia of the Cervix to Early Carcinoma.

The Utilization of the Cytologic Method in Determining Post-Radiation Changes in Gynecologic Cancer.

The Cytologic Method as an Aid in Infertility Problems; Cyclic Studies to Determine Ovulation Time.

A Method of Eliminating Dried Blood from Smears.

The Rehydration of Dried Smears for Cytologic Study.

Cytologic Study of Post-Cauterized and Post-Coagulated Cervices; Significance in Early Cancer Detection.

An Evaluation of the Vaginal Approach to Gynecologic Survey.

A Report of Staining Techniques in Exfoliative Cytology.

JAHSS, M. H.: Complete survey of fractures of carpal navicular treated in the Hospital since 1925. This will include a review of all cases, both

operative and non-operative as well as pathological and anatomical studies.

Continuation of the work on epiphysiolsis and congenital coxa vara.

Review on birth injuries of the upper femoral epiphysis with clinical follow-up.

KAPLAN, E. B.: Study of the knee joint. This is divided into three parts:

1. Comparative anatomy.
2. Surgical approach to the lateral aspect of the knee.
3. Significance of the discoid meniscus. Ilio-tibial band—Morphology and Function. Study of Etiology of Hallux Valgus.

KREAM, J.: The study of serum phosphatides in normal and pathological states.

Purine and Pyrimidine metabolism of bone forming elements.

Study of abnormal proteins excreted in multiple myeloma.

MILGRAM, J. E.: Revascularization of capital epiphysis in congenital dislocation of hip in infancy. Presented at the Alumni Conference.

Traction reduction in congenital dislocation of hips in infancy, presented at the Alumni Conference.

Atraumatic pin fixation in slipped femoral epiphysis.

Cancellous bone graft for nonunion of carpal scaphoid, presented at the Clinical Society.

Avulsions of calf and thigh muscles, presented at the American Academy.

The above research projects were completed and presented in 1954:

The following research is in progress:

Osteochondritic epiphysis in Perthes' Disease—metabolic aspects.

Mechanism of tendon rupture.

Telescoping operation for congenital pseudoarthroses.

Bone resorption on implantation.

Aspiration biopsies.

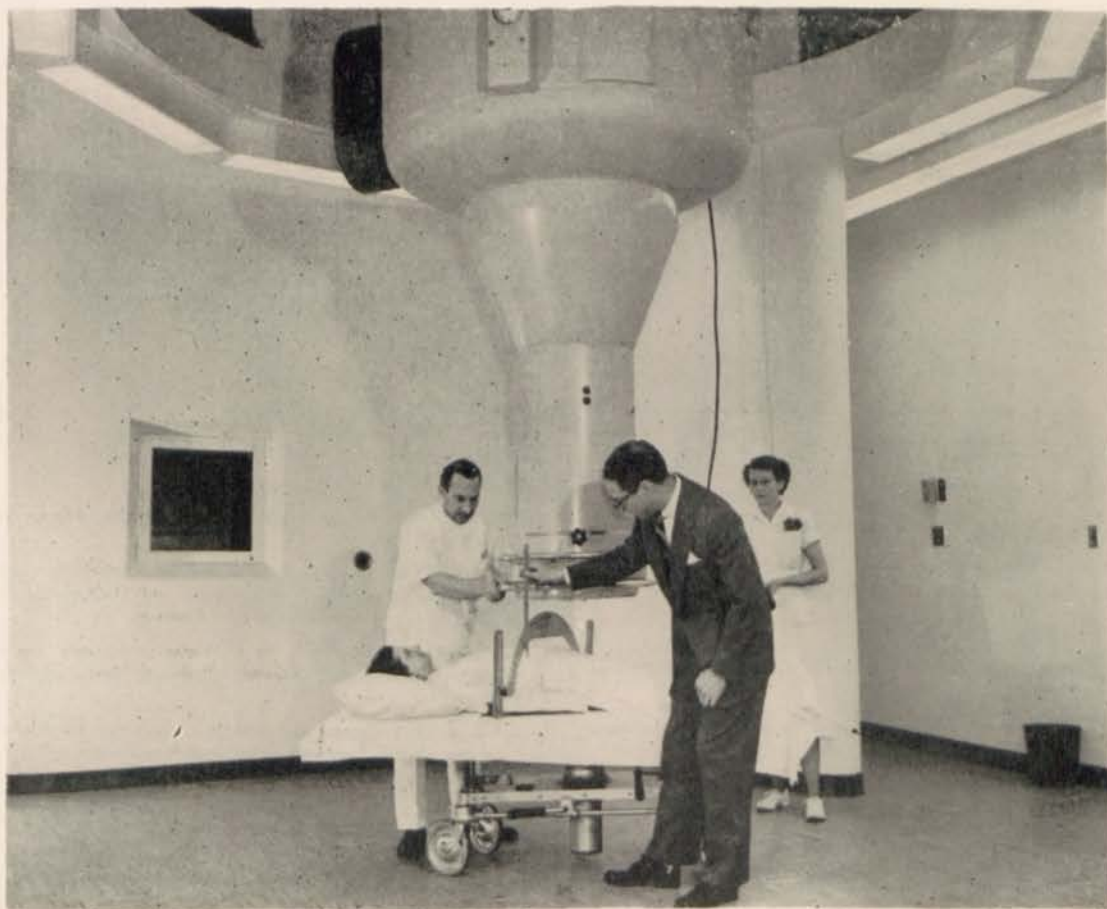
NATHAN, A. S.: Prevention of decalcification of dental enamel under orthodontic bands—still in progress.

Use of hyaluronidase in novocain solution for local anesthesia—still in progress.

- POMERANZ, M. M.: Newer Methods of Radiographic Bone Measurements.
Bone Changes in the Blood Dyscrasias.
Myelography Studies.
- ROTHENDLER, H. H.: The use of cation exchange resins in the treatment of congestive heart failure, a modified and safer schedule.

EXHIBITS

- BETCHER, A. M., BACHRACH, E. and GODHOLM, A. N.: Postgraduate Assembly in Anesthesiology, Dec. 1954. On *The Technique for Continuous Paravertebral Sympathetic Nerve Block.*
- FIELD, L. E.: Second World Congress of Cardiology, Washington, D. C., Sept. 1954. On *The Two-Step Exercise Electrocardiogram.*
- FIXEL, K. E. and STEIN, H. C.: American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting, Chicago, Jan. 1954. On *Evolution and Present Concept of Modern Shoe Designs.*
- MUFSON, I.: Annual Meeting of New York State Medical Society. On *Treatment of Peripheral Arterial Disease by Arterial Infusion.*
- PORTIS, R. (Alumnus): American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting, Chicago, Jan. 1954. On *Thoracic Spine Fractures During Electro-Convulsive Therapy.*
- STEINBROCKER, O.: Clinical Session, American Medical Association, St. Louis, Jan. 1954. On *The Shoulder-Hand Syndrome.*
- SUTRO, C. J.: Annual Meeting of New York State Medical Society.
Low back disorders due to lesions of the dorsal vertebrae.
- SUTRO, C. J.: Studies of bone growth in experimentally produced paralysis.
The pathology of Hallux valgus.
- SUTRO, C. J. and KENMORE, P.: The growth of the skeleton in Erb's palsy.
- UHRY, E. JR., (Alumnus): American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting in Chicago, Jan. 1954. On *Gadgets — Including a Channel Strip for Easy Opening of Plaster-of-Paris Casts.*
- WEISS, J.: American Congress of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Sept. 1954. On *Progress of American Spas and Health Resorts.*



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Services	Consultants	Directors	Attending	Associates	Adjuncts	Assistant Adjuncts	Clinical Assistants O.P.D.	Fellows	Residents	Interns	TOTAL
Orthopaedic Surgery.....	4a	1a	5a	15	30	6	—	5	20c§	—	86
General Surgery.....	2a	1a	2a	5	2	5	1	—	4*	2d*	24
Proctology.....	1a	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	d	5
Urology.....	1a	—	1a	—	6	1	—	—	—	d	9
Gynecology.....	—	—	1a	4	5	11	—	—	1	1e	23
Ophthalmology.....	1	—	1a	1	1	1	2	—	—	d	7
Otolaryngology.....	2a	—	1a	2	2	—	—	—	—	d	7
Plastic Surgery.....	1a	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	d	3
Neurological Surgery.....	—	—	1a	1	—	—	—	—	—	d	2
Thoracic Surgery.....	—	—	1a	1	—	—	—	—	—	d	2
General Medicine.....	2a	1a	2a	12	14	2	4	—	3*	2*	42
Allergy.....	—	—	1a	—	1	—	—	—	—	g	2f
Rheumatology.....	—	—	1a	3	1	4	6	—	—	g	15p
Cardiology.....	—	—	1a	4	1	3	2	—	—	g	11h
Chest Diseases.....	—	—	1a	1	1	—	—	—	—	g	3
Peripheral Vascular Diseases.....	—	—	1a	1	1	1	1	—	j	g	5i
Neurology.....	1a	—	1a	3	—	—	—	—	—	g	5
Psychiatry.....	—	—	—	2	2L	—	—	—	—	g	4
Pediatrics.....	1	—	1a	2	1	1	1	—	—	l	8
Dermatology and Syphilology.....	2a	—	1a	2	3	—	1	—	—	g	9
Physical Medicine.....	1a	—	2a	—	4	—	—	—	j	—	7
Anesthesiology.....	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	3	l	7
Radiology.....	—	1a	2d	1	4	2	1	—	2j	l	14m
Department of Laboratories											
Pathology.....	—	1a	—	1	—	—	—	—	1j	—	3
Chemistry.....	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Bacteriology.....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Hematology.....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Blood Transfusion.....	1a	—	—	2n	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Cancer Prevention and Detection Center.....	—	b	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1k
Dentistry.....	1a } 1 }	—	1	5	8	4	18	—	—	—	38
TOTAL.....	23	5	32	71	90	43	38	5	34	8	349

*One man from each Service is on assignment to the Emergency Room.

§Two Residents are on leave for military service.

a. Member of Medical Advisory Board.

b. Attending in Otolaryngology is Director of Cancer Prevention and Detection Center.

c. Includes two Residents assigned to other hospitals for experience in Traumatic Surgery.

d. One Intern for Ophthalmology, Otolaryngology, Urology, Proctology, Neurological Surgery, Plastic Surgery and Thoracic Surgery.

e. Includes the Intern assigned to Gynecology and Obstetrics.

f. In addition, one staff member from another Service is assigned to Allergy.

g. The Interns on Medicine cover this specialty.

h. In addition, five staff members from another Service are assigned to Cardiology.

i. In addition, three staff members from other Services and staff members from the Anesthesiology and Orthopaedic Services are assigned to Peripheral Vascular Diseases.

j. In addition, Residents in Orthopaedic Surgery are assigned to Physical Medicine, Radiology, Pathology and Peripheral Vascular Diseases.

k. In addition, sixteen staff members from other Services are assigned to the Cancer Prevention and Detection Center.

l. Includes one Psychologist.

m. In addition, there is one Physicist on the Radiation Therapy Service.

n. Associate in Medicine is in charge of the Blood Bank.

p. In addition, one man from another Service is assigned to Rheumatology.

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A. YOUNG, M.D.	July 1, 1952	June 30, 1955
M. K. GHALEB, M.D.	July 3, 1952	July 2, 1955
I. MAUER, M.D.	July 1, 1953	June 30, 1955
P. I. KENMORE, M.D.	{ Oct. 1, 1949	Aug. 10, 1951
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§Radiation Therapy

†Fellow

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Comparative Statistics 1954

CENSUS OF PATIENTS

	1954	1953
BED CAPACITY	280	280
Patients in Hospital at beginning of year	198	194
Patients admitted to Hospital during year	5,498	5,373
Patients treated during year.....	5,696	5,567
Patients discharged during year.....	5,472	5,369
Patients in Hospital at end of year.....	224	198
Maximum number of patients in any one day	295	297
Average number of patients per day.....	255	256
Patient Days—Total	93,056	93,591
Private Patients	6,964	8,146
Semi-Private Patients	14,550	14,039
Semi-Private Ward Patients.....	29,233	29,055
Ward Patients	42,309	42,351
Average hospital days per patients.....	16	17
Average hospital days per private and semi-private patients	14	14
Average hospital days per ward patient	21	24
Total number of individual patients treated in the Hospital and Out-Patient Department during the year.....	22,461	22,011
Total number of in-patients treated since the foundation of the Hospital	165,209	159,711

RELIGION OF PATIENTS

	Main Hospital Discharges		O.P.D. New Patients	
	Number	%	Number	%
Jewish	2,279	41.7	1,455	19.3
Catholic	1,883	34.4	3,123	41.5
Protestant	823	15.0	2,627	34.9
Greek Orthodox	23	.4	35	.5
Miscellaneous	464	8.5	284	3.8
TOTAL	5,472	100.0	7,524	100.0

NATIVITY OF PATIENTS

	Main Hospital Discharges	Out-Patient Department New Patients
United States	3,298	4,824
Puerto Rico	486	1,321
Russia	395	207
Poland	249	201
Austria	164	110
Italy	163	118
Germany	130	87
Hungary	79	53
Ireland	61	59
British West Indies.....	57	170
Roumania	49	54
Great Britain	44	28
Scandinavian Countries	25	—
Czechoslovakia	28	27
Canada	21	11
France	21	10
South America	19	7
Cuba	15	17
Israel	14	—
Turkey	10	9
Virgin Islands	9	40
Greece	7	19
Finland	—	24
Miscellaneous	128	128
TOTAL	5,472	7,524

OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT

Total Number of Clinic Days.....	253
Total Number of Individual Patients Treated During Year	16,765
First Visits	7,524
Subsequent Visits	97,157
Total Visits (including Interdepartment Visits).....	104,681
Average Visits (including Interdepartment Visits) per day	414
Total Number of Visits since—	
Foundation of the Hospital.....	6,449,895
First Visits	591,610
Subsequent Visits	5,858,285

DEPARTMENT OF LABORATORIES

	Hospital	O.P.D.	Total
Pathology—Autopsies	33	—	33
Surgical Specimens	2,358	66	2,424
Clinical Pathology Examinations	27,594	9,914	37,508
Bacteriology—Examinations	8,162	1,896	10,058
Chemistry—Examinations	24,028	6,902	30,930
TOTAL	62,175	18,778	80,953

BLOOD BANK STATISTICS

Blood Transfusions	1,217
Plasma Transfusions	45
	<u>1,262</u>
Analysis of Transfusions	Number Percent
Private Patients	156 12
Semi-Private Patients	549 43.5
Ward Patients	557 44.5
	<u>1,262 100</u>

DEPARTMENT OF RADIOLOGY

Diagnostic Division

Hospital—Private Patients	537
Hospital—Semi-Private Patients	1,110
Hospital—Semi-Private Ward Patients	2,256
Hospital—Ward Patients	3,259
Hospital Fluoroscopy	632
Out-Patient X-Ray and Fluoroscopy	13,146
TOTAL PATIENTS X-RAYED	20,940
Total number of plates, prints and lantern slides made	60,723

Radiation Therapy Department

	Number of Patients	Number of Treatments
Supervoltage Therapy	575	5,341
Deep Therapy	175	688
Superficial Therapy	86	194
	<u>836</u>	<u>6,223</u>

Analysis of Treatments

Number of Therapy Treatments	6,223
Consultations	14
Radium Cases	8
Isotope Patients	116
Out-Patient Department	33
Follow-Up	585
Biopsies	3
TOTAL	6,982

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL MEDICINE

Type of Treatment	Hospital	O.P.D.	Total
Electro Therapy	4,922	23,784	28,706
Hydro Therapy	4,189	5,437	9,626
Massage	1,684	1,917	3,601
Corrective Exercises	4,322	5,777	10,099
TOTAL	15,117	36,915	52,032

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY DEPARTMENT

	Number of Patients	Number of Treatments
At Bedside	241	2,589
In Shop	113	781
Out-Patients	59	662
Pediatric Wards	—	1,380
TOTAL	413	5,412

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES

Emergency Room Treatments	26,566
Surgical Operations Performed	3,814
Anesthesias Administered	3,047
Nerve Blocks Performed	632
Pharmaceuticals Compounded	135,300
Total Number of Meals Served	620,375

CANCER PREVENTION AND DETECTION CENTER STATISTICS

	Male	Female	Total
Number of New Patients Examined	57	125	182
Number of Patients Who Returned for Periodic Check-up	56	160	216
TOTAL NUMBER OF PATIENTS EXAMINED			398

Total Number of Laboratory and X-Ray Examinations

Number of X-Ray Films	433
Number of Laboratory Examinations	1,977
Number of Biopsies	5
NUMBER OF CLINIC SESSIONS	30

SOCIAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Interviews by Caseworkers	In Hospital	Outside Hospital
Patients and Patient Groups	18,014	22
Physicians	6,173	3
Social Agencies	5,339	7
Other	3,733	3
TOTAL	33,259	35
Total Casework Interviews and Conferences	33,294	
Total Case-Aide Interviews	5,605	
TOTAL	38,899	

OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT— STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

for the year 1954

General Departments	New Visits	Revisits	Total Visits	Total Free Visits	Receipts from Visits to Departments
Orthopaedic Surgery.....	4,438	16,894	21,332	7,378	\$22,186.02
General Surgery.....	760	2,390	3,150	1,629	2,356.90
Thoracic Surgery.....	—	1	1	1	
Urology.....	29	711	740	434	429.25
Proctology.....	15	539	554	330	275.50
Gynecology.....	123	2,037	2,160	1,347	1,145.65
Ophthalmology.....	60	2,101	2,161	1,624	612.75
Otolaryngology.....	181	1,436	1,617	1,213	598.50
Voice and Speech.....	7	120	127	33	125.50
Plastic Surgery.....	3	121	124	77	60.50
Neurological Surgery.....	10	68	78	44	52.75
Dentistry.....	203	3,593	3,796	1,877	5,855.00
General Medicine.....	492	11,366	11,858	8,044	4,678.65
Rheumatology.....	15	3,852	3,867	1,915	3,018.70
Allergy.....	3	2,152	2,155	1,634	634.80
Cardiology.....	20	5,000	5,020	4,507	566.25
Chest Diseases.....	1	500	501	426	83.00
Gastroenterology.....	—	154	154	109	55.51
Peripheral Vascular Diseases.....	88	3,221	3,309	1,191	2,768.30
Neurology.....	3	735	738	459	372.25
Psychiatry.....	3	465	468	319	170.25
Pediatrics.....	906	2,384	3,290	2,179	1,712.00
Dermatology.....	134	1,731	1,865	1,166	1,008.00
Syphilology.....	1	351	352	198	173.50
Physical Medicine.....	—	32,653	32,653	10,976	25,981.46
X-Ray Therapy.....	29	1,931	1,960	637	4,101.25
Occupational Therapy.....	—	651	651	512	140.00
GRAND TOTAL.....	7,524	97,157	104,681	50,259	\$79,162.24

Special Fee Departments	Total Number	Total Number Free	Receipts from Special Fees
Prescriptions.....	54,789	12,212	\$33,106.09
Laboratory.....	9,705	5,305	4,491.80
X-Ray.....	10,520	5,291	27,007.16
Basal Metabolism.....	145	98	81.25
Electro-Cardiography.....	697	455	408.25
Electro-Encephalography.....	59	46	109.00
Anesthesia.....	94	43	183.00
Miscellaneous.....	158	59	2,411.98
Lost Cards.....	175	3	43.00
Litigation.....	126	—	2,591.38
Plaster Casts.....	256	100	338.80
GRAND TOTAL.....	76,724	23,612	\$70,771.71

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dedicated to the memory of

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1950

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dedicated in loving memory

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by his devoted wife Tillie
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in appreciation of his devoted services
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In loving memory of my father
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Report of the Chairman of the Women's Division

for the Year 1954

BEFORE PROCEEDING with the Annual Report of the activities of the Women's Division, I would like to restate its purpose, which is the supplementation of the professional care in the Hospital, by rendering such services that will ease the patient's stay, and furthering good public relations, both intra and extramurally.

The Treasurer, Mrs. Milton Steiner, reports \$3,641.17 in the Special Projects Fund. This Fund is raised by voluntary contributions from interested friends, satisfied patients, members of the Women's Division and Volunteers throughout the year and finances many of our activities.

Mrs. Seymour Klein led this year's Federation Drive for our Women's Division. Nineteen workers secured 134 gifts amounting to \$15,504.50; an increase of \$1,553.00 over last year. Mrs. Klein would like to organize a team of doctor's wives for next year's campaign. Thanks to Mrs. Klein for a fine effort this year!

Mrs. Milton Steiner, assisted by Mrs. Harold Kurzman, gives us the following figures on the 1954-1955 United Hospital Fund drive:—

319 gifts totalling \$17,450.66 was raised by the Women's Division team of which \$248.34 was realized from Box Week which Mrs. Harry Zucker captained and \$75.00 was additionally donated by Mrs. Steiner from United Hospital Fund prize money.

The Volunteer Aides Committee was chaired this year by Mrs. Leonard Herzig, under the Directorship of Mrs. Jane Hardwicke. A new sub-committee, the Volunteer Aides Advisory Committee, was formed comprising the chairmen of all committees using in-service volunteers.

Besides staffing the committees whose reports follow, the Volunteer Aides Committee also maintains volunteers in the:—Admission Office, Central Supplies, Clinics, Information Desk, Linen Room, Nursing Department, and the Pharmacy. An average of 70 volunteers monthly served 12,921 hours, an increase of 327 hours per month over the past year. The total active list of volunteers is 115.

The Women's Division gave a tea in March, 1954 to welcome Mrs. Jane Hardwicke and were

hostesses at a luncheon before the annual meeting in May, where outstanding volunteers were recognized by certificates of merit. The United Hospital Fund gave awards to twenty-five Hospital For Joint Diseases volunteers for hours of service at their annual meeting.

Last October 13th, the season opened with a Volunteer Departmental meeting at which talks were given by Mr. Abraham Rosenberg, Executive Director of the Hospital, Dr. Joseph Buchman, Dr. Joseph E. Milgram, and Dr. Hans Behrend, as well as by Miss Kathryn S. Goodman and Miss Mary Russak. Mrs. Irwin Schwartz of Federation briefly summarized this organization's activities.

Deepest appreciation is expressed to Federation Volunteer Placement Bureau, The United Hospital Fund, The Central Volunteer Bureau of New York and to Mrs. Gaines' Home Nursing Class, and to the efforts of our own members who have been most cooperative in securing volunteers.

From an article which appeared in the *Long Island Press*, our present Hospital Mothers program came into being last June. These ladies feed, care, play with and love our children who are patients in our Children's Ward, and needless to say we would welcome many more volunteers so that we can enlarge this new benefit.



PATIENTS' LIBRARY

Mrs. Karl Leubsdorf, Chairman of the Library Committee which is staffed entirely by volunteers, reports that due to the Building Program, limitations of time and space somewhat curtailed her Committee's activities. Five most loyal volunteers contributed 697 hours of service, distributing 3,149 books and 5,166 magazines to the entire Hospital. Mrs. Leubsdorf wishes to thank her new Co-chairman, Mrs. Leon Dinell, and her able assistants for their unflinching efforts.

The Occupational Therapy Volunteer Group is under the leadership of Mrs. Seymour Klein, Chairman, and Mrs. Milton Steiner, Advisory Chairman. The eight volunteers are closely supervised by Miss

Elizabeth Moeller, Occupational Therapist. Again, due to the Building Program, the number of Professional Therapists was reduced, but the plan is for the Department to enlarge again in the Spring of 1955. Mrs. Klein was in charge of the United Hospital Fund Christmas Sale store on Fifth Avenue, and was largely responsible for the shop's success. Mrs. Klein wishes to thank her industrious and faithful co-workers.

Mrs. Leonard Herzig reports for Volunteer Case Aides that four Aides gave 961 hours of service during 1954, performing 1,120 direct services for the patients who attended the clinics. The Social Service Department has set up a pattern of service so that our Case Workers may provide a quality of service in areas of their training and experience. This is essential to the department's program lest the trained Case Workers are called upon to be concerned with procedures and routines in services which do not require special case work skills.

CLOTHES CUPBOARD functioned under Mrs. Samuel Mehlman who reports a credit balance of \$481.15 at Goodwill Industries. We thank our many friends for the continual flow of donations which enables us to care for needy patients as recommended by the Social Service case workers.

Mrs. Roland Grausman again chaired the Social Service Committee.

Spurred on by the Social Service Department, the highlights of the Hospital's year was the meeting held in April, 1954 with teachers and specialists of the elementary and grammar schools who teach and counsel children with disabilities. At their own request, the High School teachers and specialists met at the Hospital in November. Following these meetings, a Planning Committee was organized with representatives of the main office of the Board of Education; Department of Health, School Health Services; Bureau of Handicapped Children, and Child Health Services and the Hospital. This Committee began a cooperative program which has for its objective a coordinated and more formalized program between the Hospital For Joint Diseases and the Division of Physically Handicapped of the Department of Health. These agencies have long employed the medical and social services of the Hospital in the interest of the school and pre-school child. However, this cooperative program hopes to strengthen and extend services to the disabled child and his family, recognizing that the education and adjustment of the child is influenced by his well being. To date many children have been referred by the schools and Child Health Services.

The Rehabilitation Committee meets every Thursday morning under the leadership of Dr. Barnard Kleiger, orthopaedic surgeon, Dr. Jules Koch, and Dr. Eugene Klein, internists, as well as social workers responsible for the patients evaluated by this committee and the Occupational Therapist. Vocational counsellors assigned by the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation have been in attendance regularly at these sessions. The attendance of other medical consultants from the various medical services is dependent upon needs of the patients presented to and evaluated by the monthly session of the Rehabilitation Committee. By the end of the year, 125 patients had been referred; a number of these were teenagers. The Rehabilitation Committee is planning to incorporate a special project to study and promote the Rehabilitation capacities of the patients suffering from Rheumatism and Arthritis. This project will be conducted in cooperation with the Rheumatism and Arthritis Foundation.

A program in Home Care has been conducted by the Hospital for the last few years on a modified scale. It is hoped that in the next year the program will be extended.

The Social Service Department has continued to function in its area of experience:—

- a. As part of a comprehensive medical care program through its case work service.
- b. As coordinator in the programs of rehabilitation and children, etc.
- c. Has suggested programs and projects which the Hospital has incorporated in its overall activity.

At the end of the year plans were developed for:—

- a. Group work counselling with parents of disabled children.
- b. A seminar or workshop about disabled children with teachers, school nurses, school counsellors and members of the various professional groups in the Hospital.
- c. A coordinated program on the children's ward which will include the services of medical and non-medical departments.

Due to the Building Program the Audio Visual Program has been temporarily discontinued because of inadequate facilities.

Activities in the community in which the Social Service Department has also participated are:—

- Federation of Jewish Philanthropies
- Health and Welfare
- Board of Education

Department of Health
American Association of Medical Social Workers,
North Atlantic District
Blythedale Rehabilitation Center for Children
Visiting Nurse Service
East Harlem Council for Community Planning
Federation of the Handicapped, Inc.
Institute for the Crippled and Disabled

Far more important than the profits from the "Rolling Store" is the good will that it has engendered amongst patients and staff. The service is appreciated to such an extent that at Christmas time many patients not only did their holiday shopping from the cart but also bought toys from it as gifts to the children on the pediatric ward. Mrs. Leopold Stern once again most ably and enthusiastically chaired this fine group who "roll" three times weekly throughout the Hospital. Mrs. Stern expresses thanks to her splendid assistants. The cart netted \$579.02 which represents a sale of 6,027 items priced at a dollar or less.



RECREATIONAL THERAPY

Mrs. William Biel, Chairman of the Recreation Committee once again submits an enthusiastic account of the year's activities. Through the generosity of Mrs. Leonard Herzig, a second-hand Mason

and Hamlin piano was purchased and the reports are better than ever! Mrs. Elizabeth Styres, who replaced Mrs. Jane Hardwicke as Director of Volunteers in March 1955 continues to direct the evening program where 35 volunteers gave 1,164 hours. These figures do not include the hours given by a group of fine women who came to us from an organization called "Wives of New York's Finest." These ladies not only give of their time but have made a substantial contribution towards Bingo prizes and birthday celebrations. The Evening Recreation includes games, feature length movies on the wards besides publishing a ward newspaper under the title "Joint Affairs." Mrs. Biel wishes to thank the many individuals and organizations who have so generously contributed merchandise, money and talent towards making Recreation at Hospital For Joint Diseases so outstandingly successful.

We feel that we have made progress in the past year although instituting only one new service. Hospital Mothers, as we have consolidated those services already in being. However, as the Building Program is no longer a dream but a reality we believe that there are many new places for the Women's Division to fill and to this end we are planning a Hostess Service on the Private Floors, a Gift Shop and other activities.

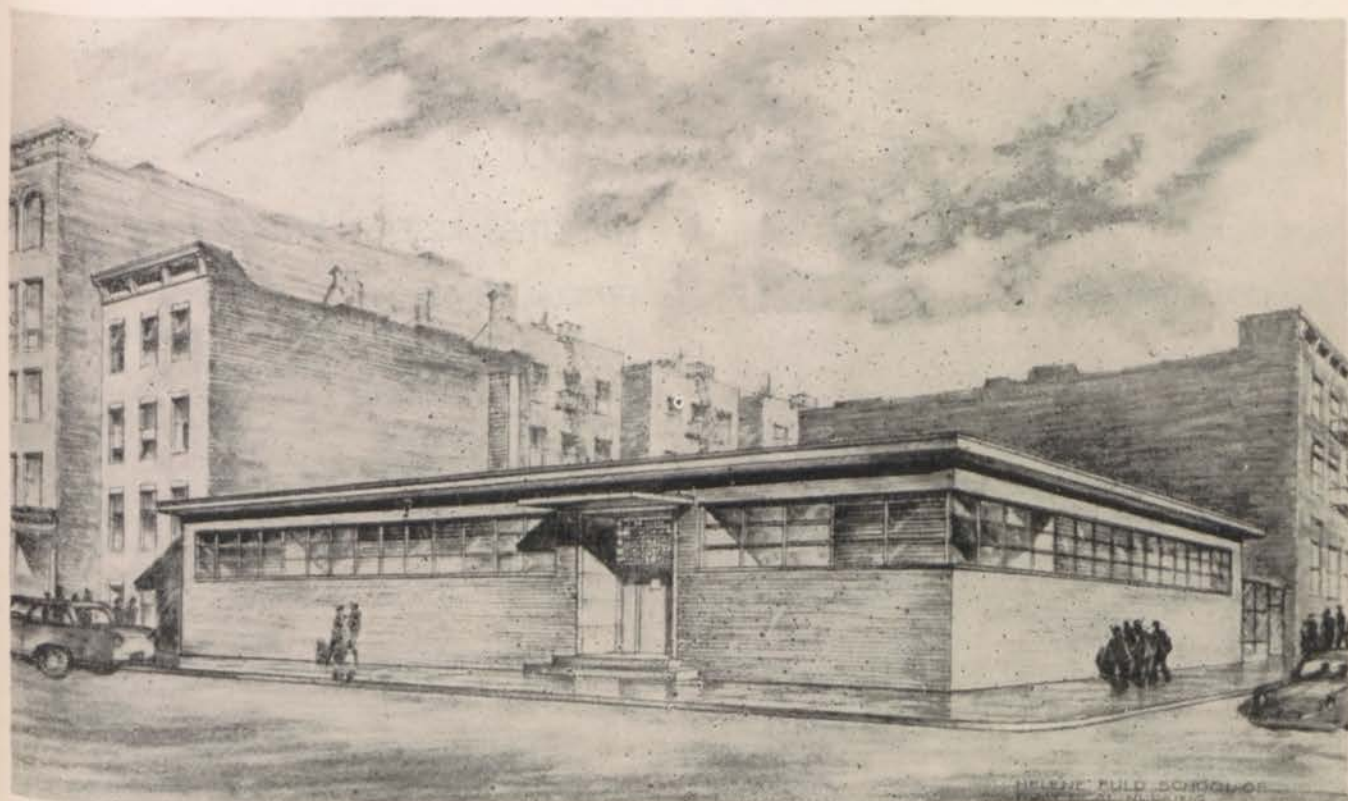
Once again, on behalf of the entire Women's Division, I express thanks and appreciation to Mr. Raphael Malsin, President of the Hospital, the Board of Trustees, Mr. Abraham Rosenberg, Executive Director, Dr. Samuel J. Gelman, Assistant Director and the entire professional staff. I have received the greatest cooperation and finest guidance for the work to which we are all dedicated.

Respectfully submitted,

SUZANNE I. ULLMAN

Chairman, Women's Division

SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING



NEWLY-PLANNED HELENE FULD SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING



CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION



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Treasurer's Report

Main Hospital

Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1954

ASSETS

GENERAL FUND

Cash	\$ 111,915.87
Due from City and State of New York (Estimated)	83,648.27
Accounts Receivable—Net after Reserve for Doubtful Accounts	172,992.79
Investments in Omnibus Account (Book Value)	629,381.41
Inventory of Supplies (Book Value)	107,622.72
Miscellaneous	15,336.17
TOTAL	1,120,897.23

FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES

Cash	21,863.18
Investments in Omnibus Account (Book Value)	505,038.90
Due from Other Funds	28,904.48
TOTAL	555,806.56

BUILDING FUND

Cash	121,952.12
Investments in Omnibus Account (Book Value)	22,915.66
Investments—Building Fund	1,035,531.25
Due from Other Funds	92,082.90
New Construction—Advances	425,362.93
Interest Purchased on Bonds	3,138.29
Miscellaneous	4,601.65
TOTAL	1,705,584.80

PLANT FUND

Land, Building and Equipment	3,589,840.87
GRAND TOTAL	\$6,972,129.46

LIABILITIES, RESERVE AND CAPITAL

GENERAL FUND

Accounts Payable	\$ 58,744.63
Payroll Taxes Withheld	18,326.14
Due to Women's Division	8,944.18
Due to Other Funds	69,495.41
Sundry Liabilities	25,246.87
Total Liabilities	180,757.23
Miscellaneous Funds	70,097.45
Reserve Fund	870,042.55
TOTAL	1,120,897.23

FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES

Due to Building Fund	52,346.35
Reserve for Designated Purposes	503,460.21
TOTAL	555,806.56

BUILDING FUND

Accounts Payable	89,638.21
Building Fund Capital	1,615,946.59
TOTAL	1,705,584.80

PLANT FUND

Capital	3,589,840.87
GRAND TOTAL	\$6,972,129.46

ACCOUNTANTS' CERTIFICATE:

We have audited monthly the books of account and supporting records of the Hospital For Joint Diseases for the twelve months ended December 31, 1954. In connection therewith we have reviewed the system of internal control and the accounting procedures and, without making a detailed audit of the transactions, have examined or tested accounting records of the institution and other supporting evidence, by methods and to the extent we deemed appropriate. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which we considered necessary.

In our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and related Statement of Income and Expense present fairly the position of the Hospital For Joint Diseases at December 31, 1954, and the results of operation for the twelve months, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding period.

FREDERICK S. TODMAN & COMPANY
Certified Public Accountants (N.Y.)

ANALYSIS OF SPECIAL FUNDS for the year ending December 31, 1954

MAIN HOSPITAL

1. Endowment Funds:			
a) Endowment Fund	\$ 95,010.58		
b) Rosenbaum-Kleinert Fund	3,487.13		
c) Richard Sidenberg Fund	2,303.66	\$100,801.37	
2. Research and Education Funds:			
a) H. W. Frauenthal Laboratory Endowment Fund	274,196.35		
b) Laboratory Research Fund	3,815.47		
c) Dr. Walter M. Brickner Fund	5,554.80		
d) Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Brown Fund	6,029.30		
e) Hattie Jacobson Fund	8,512.55		
f) Cerebral Palsy Fund	5,801.27		
g) Frederick Hausman Fund	83,195.06		
h) Robert Trubeck Arthritis Fund	3,159.16		
i) Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation	2,354.06		
j) Geigy and Co., Inc., Arthritis Research	739.33		
k) Surgery Research Fund	2,775.00		
l) Cardiology Research Fund	6,496.44		
m) National Health Institute	5,797.86		
n) Warner Hudnut— Arthritis	220.00		
o) Nathan Hofheimer Foundation	6,000.00	414,646.65	
3. Building Funds:			
a) Building Fund	1,493,193.53		
b) Helene Fuld Building Fund	100,000.00		
c) Louis F. Rothschild Building Fund	20,258.06		
d) Medical Library Fund	2,495.00	1,615,946.59	
4. Reserve and Maintenance Funds:			
a) Reserve Fund	870,042.55		
b) Charles Kaye Blood Transfusion Fund	35,897.16		
c) Lila Motley Radiation Therapy Fund	15,200.00		
d) Cancer Research Fund	9,320.79		
e) School of Practical Nursing	303.08		
f) Trustees' Fund	275.51		
g) Surgical Fund—Special	437.50	931,476.59	
TOTAL		\$3,062,871.20	
DEDUCT—Fund in Deficit:			
Orthopaedic Research Fund		3,324.40	
TOTAL—All Funds		\$3,059,546.80	

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL FUNDS MAIN HOSPITAL

BALANCE—January 1, 1954	\$2,514,694.79
ADD—	
Donations	\$266,115.38
Legacies	90,643.88
Income from Investments	57,381.42
Profit on Sale of Investments	64,324.87
Transfer of Country Home Surplus	19,842.22
Transfer of Women's Division Reserve Fund	4,816.52
Federation "Ear-marked" Funds	233,476.86
	736,601.15
TOTAL	3,251,295.94
DEDUCT—	
Maintenance Deficit for the Year	140,532.47
Expenses—All Other Funds	44,993.72
Adjustment of Prior Years' Income	6,222.95
	191,749.14
BALANCE—December 31, 1954	\$3,059,546.80

SUMMARY OF INCOME & EXPENDITURES

Main Hospital, Out-Patient Department, School of Practical Nursing and Women's Division for the year 1954

Hospital, O.P.D. and School	Direct Income	All Expenditures	Gross Deficits
	\$1,913,712.67	\$2,450,133.35	\$536,420.68

INCOME TOWARD DEFICIT

Federation of Jewish Philanthropies	\$277,408.68
Greater New York Fund	59,016.00
United Hospital Fund Hospital	33,407.00
Women's Division	20,108.00
	53,515.00

OTHER SOURCES:

Miscellaneous Receipts (Women's Division)	5,948.53
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TOTAL INCOME TOWARD DEFICIT 395,888.21

NET DEFICIT 140,532.47

MAIN HOSPITAL—INCOME AND EXPENDITURES for the year ending December 31, 1954

INCOME

	1954			1953
	Main Hospital	O.P.D.	TOTAL	TOTAL
ROOMS AND WARDS				
Private Rooms.....	\$ 102,596.78		\$ 102,596.78	\$ 128,247.37
Semi-Private Rooms.....	71,227.41		71,227.41	67,218.13
Associated Hospital Service.....	493,857.01		493,857.01	431,678.52
Semi-Private Wards.....	149,106.66		149,106.66	138,845.20
Compensation.....	170,230.34	\$ 3,196.43	173,426.77	180,989.51
Ward.....	75,069.01		75,069.01	71,327.85
City of New York.....	314,674.94		314,674.94	288,883.84
New York State Aid.....	50,433.07		50,433.07	69,148.16
	<u>1,427,195.22</u>	<u>3,196.43</u>	<u>1,430,391.65</u>	<u>1,376,338.58</u>
DEPARTMENTAL				
Operating Room and Anesthesia.....	35,521.90	183.00	35,704.90	31,975.75
Laboratory.....	46,646.70	4,533.80	51,180.50	44,384.21
X-Ray.....	46,850.09	27,007.16	73,857.25	65,159.48
Radiation Therapy.....	52,436.19	4,737.25	57,173.44	47,874.17
Pharmacy and Medical Supplies.....	37,393.48	35,528.58	72,922.06	70,887.07
Physical Medicine.....	11,123.34	25,619.46	36,742.80	41,346.74
Electro-Cardiograph and Basal Metabolism.....	1,549.63	489.50	2,039.13	1,688.25
Blood Bank.....	15,996.42		15,996.42	11,940.53
O.P.D. Admission Fees.....		47,831.19	47,831.19	42,046.65
Cancer Prevention and Detection Center.....	7,103.50		7,103.50	8,888.24
Miscellaneous.....	25,435.99	1,927.07	27,363.06	27,761.72
	<u>280,057.24</u>	<u>147,857.01</u>	<u>427,914.25</u>	<u>393,952.81</u>
GENERAL INCOME				
Special Nurses Fees.....	5,596.50		5,596.50	13,222.09
Nurses Registration Fees.....	685.00		685.00	610.00
School of Practical Nursing.....	5,887.00		5,887.00	1,721.00
Lila Motley League.....	12,000.00		12,000.00	12,000.00
League for Cancer Research.....	4,500.00		4,500.00	3,000.00
Dining Room Receipts.....	26,738.27		26,738.27	13,813.96
	<u>55,406.77</u>		<u>55,406.77</u>	<u>44,367.05</u>
TOTAL INCOME FROM DIRECT SERVICE	<u>\$1,762,659.23</u>	<u>\$151,053.44</u>	<u>\$1,913,712.67</u>	<u>\$1,814,658.44</u>

EXPENDITURES

Administrative Department.....	219,068.57	76,936.94	296,005.51	284,211.16
Professional Care of Patients.....	662,678.28	42,898.22	705,576.50	625,378.33
Anesthesia Department.....	5,031.84		5,031.84	5,505.24
Laboratory.....	106,998.85	26,853.81	133,852.66	119,524.41
Blood Bank.....	19,117.85		19,117.85	18,788.39
X-Ray Department.....	33,420.23	36,529.93	69,950.16	64,386.67
Radiation Therapy.....	30,878.55	6,921.11	37,799.66	33,813.99
Pharmacy Department.....	48,556.10	38,871.69	87,427.79	86,608.00
Physical Medicine Department.....	12,640.10	36,360.64	49,000.74	53,276.60
Occupational Therapy Department.....	6,712.81		6,712.81	9,969.57
Kitchen and Dining Room.....	351,298.60		351,298.60	356,480.48
Housekeeping Department.....	121,450.23	15,285.92	136,736.15	129,040.58
Laundry Department.....	37,489.77	4,287.07	41,776.84	41,606.10
Linen Department.....	21,926.75	2,129.03	24,055.78	25,892.35
Plant Operation.....	106,133.67	21,524.85	127,658.52	114,647.86
Maintenance and Repair Department.....	53,986.23	14,402.00	68,388.23	63,140.78
School of Practical Nursing.....	30,986.40		30,986.40	20,430.96
Cancer Prevention and Detection Center.....	11,166.32		11,166.32	12,470.94
Orthopaedic Department.....	28,000.00		28,000.00	14,002.00
Social Service Department.....	56,857.05	56,857.05	113,714.10	106,998.71
	<u>1,964,398.20</u>	<u>379,858.26</u>	<u>2,344,256.46</u>	<u>2,186,173.12</u>

	1954			1953
	Main Hospital	O.P.D.	TOTAL	TOTAL
TOTAL DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES				
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$1,964,398.20	\$379,858.26	\$2,344,256.46	\$2,186,173.12
GENERAL EXPENSES				
Pensions	11,360.00	2,280.00	13,640.00	18,767.69
Insurance	48,660.58	5,406.73	54,067.31	45,668.09
Social Security	22,672.77	8,385.81	31,058.58	20,324.92
Retirement Fund	5,191.03	1,919.97	7,111.00	20,934.00
	87,884.38	17,992.51	105,876.89	105,694.70
TOTAL EXPENSES	2,052,282.58	397,850.77	2,450,133.35	2,281,867.82
LESS INCOME FROM DIRECT SERVICES	1,762,659.23	151,053.44	1,913,712.67	1,814,658.44
GROSS DEFICIT	\$ 289,623.35	\$246,797.33	\$ 536,420.68	\$ 477,209.38
Towards which were applied receipts from				
Federation of Jewish Philanthropies			\$277,408.68	\$266,802.34
Greater New York Fund			59,016.00	53,651.00
United Hospital Fund			53,515.00	56,409.00
Women's Division			5,948.53	3,881.16
Country Home for Administration				3,516.69
			395,888.21	384,260.19
NET DEFICIT			\$140,532.47	\$ 92,949.19

ANALYSIS OF MAINTENANCE COSTS AND INCOME

Main Hospital	Per Day of Operation		Per Patient Day		Out-Patient Department				
	1954	1953	1954	1953	Per Clinic Day		Per Patient Visit		
					1954	1953	1954	1953	
Hospital	\$5,492.98	\$5,017.11	\$21.55	\$19.56	Average Costs	\$1,564.94	\$1,601.51	\$ 3.78	\$ 3.15
Nursing School	84.89	55.97	.33	.22	Average Income	597.05	595.71	1.44	1.17
Average Costs	5,577.87	5,073.08	21.88	19.78	Average Loss	\$ 967.89	\$1,005.80	\$ 2.34	\$ 1.98
Average Income (Direct Service)	4,710.74	4,478.17	18.48	17.47					
Average Loss	\$ 867.13	\$ 594.91	\$ 3.40	\$ 2.31					

Women's Division Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1954

ASSETS

GENERAL FUND	
Cash	\$ 3,321.20
Inventory—Gift Cart (at cost)	161.93
Due from Hospital For Joint Diseases	8,944.18
TOTAL	12,427.31
BELLER AND KATZENSTEIN FUNDS	
Investments	10,176.05
Due from General Fund	7,542.19
TOTAL	17,718.24
TOTAL ASSETS	\$30,145.55

LIABILITIES, RESERVES and FUNDS

GENERAL FUND	
Accounts Payable	\$ 205.31
Deferred Income	358.34
Special Projects Fund	3,641.17
Due to Beller and Katzenstein Funds	7,542.19
Gift Cart Surplus	680.30
TOTAL	12,427.31
BELLER AND KATZENSTEIN FUNDS	
Capital	17,718.24
TOTAL	17,718.24
TOTAL ASSETS	\$30,145.55

Contributions Received during 1954

RESERVE-MAINTENANCE FUND

Alexander M. Arnstein	\$500.00
James Barr—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's birthday	25.00
Arnold J. Bernstein	300.00
David and Ruth Bernstein Foundation	1,500.00
Paul D. Bieber—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	25.00
Emil L. Blun—in memory of my beloved friend William Schutz	10.00
I. W. Burnham II	1,000.00
Arthur Cane	5.00
Mary R. Cervini—in memory of Louis J. Vorhaus	25.00
Charity Knows Not Donor—in memory of my late father	43.00
David Davis—in honor of Mr. Imerman's 60th birthday	50.00
Lilliam G. Davis—in memory of Capt. Irving R. Teitelbaum	25.00
H. C. Dessauer—in memory of William A. Schutz	25.00
Mrs. M. E. Dessauer and Miss Beatrice M. Bernkopf in memory of William A. Schutz	4.00
J. E. Drew, c/o Lever Bros. Co.—In memory of Mr. William Schutz	15.00
Max Dryfus—in memory of Mr. Louis J. Vorhaus	50.00
Max Englander—in memory of Mr. Louis J. Vorhaus	10.00
Max Englander—in memory of Mrs. Emma T. Parkhurst	10.00
Max Englander—in memory of Mrs. Jesse Zofnass	10.00
Max Englander—in memory of Mr. Herman F. Willkins	10.00
Max Englander	100.00
Herman C. Frauenthal (received in 1955)	250.00
Leopold Friedman	2,000.00
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Friedman—in memory of Mrs. Sadie Jacobs	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Friedman—in memory of Mr. Albert Lustbader, deceased	15.00
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Friedman—in memory of Mrs. Carolyn Walden	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Friedman—in memory of Florence Bachrach	15.00
Dr. and Mrs. Roland I. Grausman	750.00
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gluck—in memory of Mr. William A. Schutz	15.00
I. S. Greenfeld	1,000.00
Albert L. George and Saul Greenspan	50.00
Harold L. Greenwald	10.00
Edward W. Gross—in memory of Mr. William A. Schutz	3.50
Justin Grun—in memory of Mr. Louis J. Vorhaus	5.00
Mrs. Oscar Hyman and Family—in memory of William A. Schutz	100.00
Thomas M. Heyman	250.00
Ernest Katz	500.00
Arthur Imerman	1,000.00
Martin L. Katzenstein	5,000.00
Henry Kaufmann Foundation	2,000.00
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney G. Kay—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	25.00
Alan H. Kempner	500.00
Arthur Kilsheimer—in memory of Mr. Louis J. Vorhaus	3.00
Klub "29"	25.00
Mrs. Edwin H. Koehler	300.00
Herbert B. Langner	2,500.00

Herbert B. Langner—in memory of Mr. Jules Bueno de Mesquita	100.00
League for Cancer Research	4,500.00
Gustave L. Levy—in memory of Mrs. Maud Lowenstein	25.00
Gustave L. Levy—in memory of Mrs. Laura Green—mother of Mr. Louis Green	25.00
Gustave L. Levy	1,500.00
Manfred O. Levy	5.00
Willard E. Loeb	6,648.16
Loew's Employees Welfare Fund	2,000.00
Mrs. Ludwig S. Lyon—in memory of Mr. William A. Schutz	20.00
Lane Bryant Malsin Foundation	1,000.00
Raphael Malsin (for 1953 deficit)	1,427.42
Raphael Malsin	2,125.41
Lila Motley League	12,000.00
Alfred Munzer—in memory of William A. Schutz	10.00
J. Kiefer Newman, Jr.	1,000.00
New York Heart Association, Inc.	666.66
Philip W. Oppenheimer	300.00
Philip W. Oppenheimer—in memory of Nathan L. Novig	10.00
Harry C. Oppenheimer—in memory of William A. Schutz	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. David W. Price—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's birthday	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prigoff—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's birthday	25.00
Max J. Raff—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	50.00
Anthony M. Reinach (for 1953 deficit)	100.00
Anthony M. Reinach	500.00
Bertram C. Richter—in memory of Mr. William A. Schutz	25.00
David G. Rosenstock—in memory of dear ones	20.00
Oscar S. Rosner (received in 1955)	235.98
Oscar S. Rosner—in memory of a dear departed friend—Milton Rosenberg	10.00
Mrs. Alice H. Rossin	200.00
Mrs. Cora E. Rothschild	2,000.00
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schoenberger—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	25.00
Fredericka W. Schutz—in memory of William A. Schutz	25.00
The Seidman Foundation	1,000.00
Jac Simon—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	50.00
M. Singer—in memory of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	25.00
Lydia G. Sommerville—in memory of Louis J. Vorhaus	50.00
Ania Spira—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's 60th birthday	5.00
Frederick and Wanda H. Staden—in memory of William A. Schutz	10.00
Francis J. Tausend	25.00
Felix Tausend & Sons	25.00
Mrs. Ethel G. Turer—in memory of Mr. William A. Schutz	15.00
Mr. and Mrs. William Ullman (for 1953 deficit)	1,000.00
Mr. and Mrs. William Ullman	1,000.00
Robert I. Wishnick	1,000.00
Robert I. Wishnick—in honor of Mr. Arthur Imerman's birthday	60.00

HELENE FULD HEALTH FOUNDATION FUND

Helene Fuld Health Foundation	\$101,530.00
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CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED DURING 1954—*continued*

ARTHRITIS FUND

N.Y. Chapter of the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation \$3,000.00

LOUIS F. ROTHSCHILD BUILDING FUND

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 Mrs. Cora E. Rothschild 4,868.91

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 Blumenfeld Children 5.25
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 Robert I. Wishnick 600.00

MEDICAL LIBRARY FUND

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 Mrs. William Lauterbach—in memory of my beloved mother, sisters, Mrs. Lina Stern, Mrs. Rose Shubart and brother, Harry Allan Jacobs 25.00
 Mrs. William Lauterbach—in honor of my beloved father and beloved husband 25.00
 Mrs. William Lauterbach—in memory of my beloved brothers, Harry Allan Jacobs and Samuel F. Jacobs, and beloved mother 25.00
 Mrs. William Lauterbach—in memory of my beloved father and beloved brother, Abraham L. Jacobs 25.00
 Mrs. William Lauterbach—in memory of my beloved brother, Samuel F. Jacobs 25.00

BULLETIN FUND

Ida C. Rodarmor \$100.00

NATHAN HOFHEIMER FOUNDATION FUND

Nathan Hofheimer Foundation, Inc. \$6,000.00

SURGERY RESEARCH FUND

Dr. A. H. Fleischman \$ 75.00
 Dr. Percy Klingenstein 100.00
 Dr. Saul Schlossman 100.00
 D. L. J. Schultz 37.50

WARNER HUDNUT FUND

Warner Hudnut, Inc. \$500.00

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RESERVE-MAINTENANCE FUND

Estate of Louis Rose \$1,000.00
 Estate of Henry Sterne 3,775.92
 Mrs. Matthew A. Wilks Trust 2,500.00

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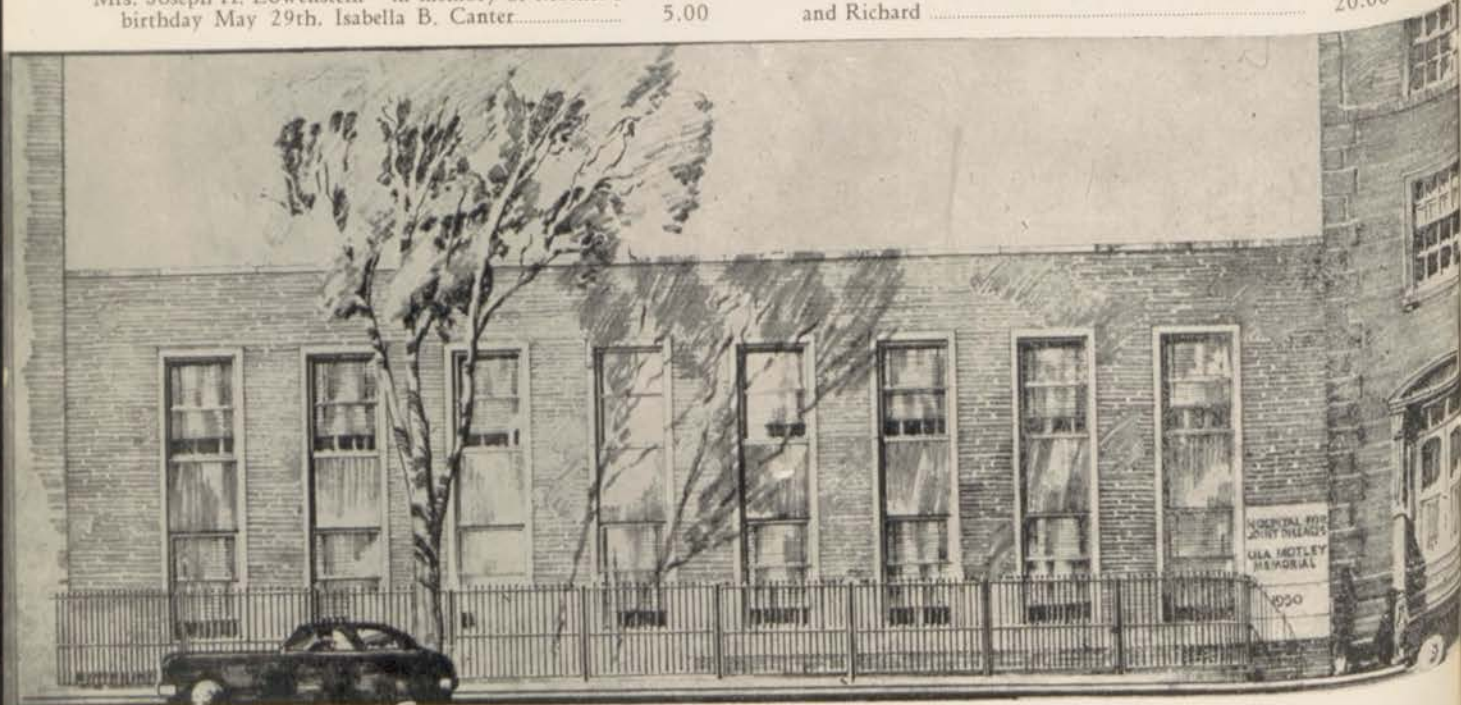
Estate of Frederick Hausman \$2,293.23

BUILDING FUND

Estate of Norbert H. Bachmann \$31,093.53
 Estate of Lena S. Bayer 2,252.62
 Estate of Mathilde Heymann 250.00
 Estate of Ruth Morgenroth 500.00
 Estate of William A. Schutz 5,000.00
 Estate of M. Samuel Stern 14,344.22
 Estate of H. Sylvia A. H. G. Wilks 29,482.53

Contribution to Women's Division during 1954

Estate of Abraham L. Danziger	\$300.00	Mrs. Joseph H. Lowenstein—in loving memory of my dear mother, Isabella B. Canter, on Mother's Day	10.00
Royal Aid League, Inc.	300.00	Mrs. Ethel Mehlman	25.00
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Mrs. Charles Kaye	100.00	Mrs. Edward Stern—in memory of the late Milton Rosenberg	10.00
Mrs. Klein	10.00	William Ullman—in memory of Mr. Leonard A. Strauss	10.00
Dr. and Mrs. Louis Kleinfeld—in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. Buck	10.00	William Ullman	5.00
Carl Krotki	11.00	Mrs. William Ullman	25.00
Karl Leubsdorf—in honor of my parents' Golden Wedding, Mr. and Mrs. H. Leubsdorf	50.00	Miss Lena Vogel	15.00
Mrs. Samuel H. Levy	50.00		
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