



WHAT'S HAPPENING...

PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT ■ MAINE MEDICAL CENTER ■ PORTLAND, MAINE 04102

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LPNs RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Twenty-four graduates received diplomas Friday evening in the 17th commencement exercises of the Maine School of Practical Nursing. The event was held in Deering High School auditorium, with several members of the MMC family participating. Edward J. McGeachey, administrative director, presided, Miss Pauline M. Fahey, R.N., assistant director of clinical nursing services and president of the Maine State Nurse's Association, delivered the graduation address, Miss Catherine O'Connor, R.T., administrative assistant, Radiology department, was soloist, and Chaplain Karl S. Andersen delivered the invocation and benediction.

C.I.C.U. MOVING

C.I.C.U. activities and patients are moving today to R7 west, pending extensive remodeling and installation of new equipment in the old area. The telemetry console also has been relocated temporarily. Telephone numbers will remain the same.

NAMED TO STAFF

The following have been appointed to the MMC Medical Staff by action of the Board of Trustees:

Bruce D. Woollett, D.D.S., Sebago Lake; John J. Hayden, D.D.S., Portland; Marjorie A. Boyd, M.D., Portland; Richard G. Doiron, Ph.D., Scarborough; Terrence E. Donlon, Ph.D., Portland; Ralph M. Zieff, Ph.D., Portland; and Bernard Sass, Ph.D., Orono.

LENTEN SERVICES

Another Lenten Mass has been scheduled by the Rev. Walter Dupuis, Catholic chaplain, at 4:15 p.m. Wednesday in the Meditation Room with staff and patients invited.

Sunday evening inter-denominational services for patients and families are continuing from 6 to 6:30 p.m. in the Richards 4 ADL room. Chaplain Andersen is conducting these services.

STUDENT LEADERS VISIT

Marilyn Maxfield, a senior at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, and president of the National Association of Student Nurses, visited MMC Thursday with Jeamine Brilliant of Brunswick and UMPG, president of the Maine Association. The two presidents toured the hospital, guided by Pauline M. Fahey, R.N., assistant director of clinical nursing services.

BACK TO SCHOOL

Five former MMC employees are enrolled in the first Nursing Aide and Orderly class now being conducted by the Southern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute in South Portland. Bending their attention to a new series of health care problems and situations are Charlene Scammon, Housekeeping; Joanne Scammon, Checkout; Michelle Mahaffy, Laundry; Susan Farnsworth, Emergency Division; and Linda MacDougall, Dietary.

CONSTRUCTION PLANS

Bids for two major construction projects have been let, and plans for a third are receiving the final touches. The first two relate to the parking ramp and involve construction of a walkway from the ramp's top floor to the Orthopedic entrance of the Richards Wing, and a redesigned major entrance at that point. The construction will include foyer, a new passageway, and a staircase leading to the Admitting Lobby. The third major project will be a new building to house expanded x-ray facilities, the Southern Maine Radiation Therapy Institute, and an enlarged and modernized Pathological Laboratory. This will be built in the area between the General Building and Bramhall Street.

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