

ROSE DE LIMA HOSPITAL CONVENT

ANNALS - 1967 - 1968

Sept. 1967

- 1 Sr. Georganne appointed to the Insurance Committee of the Nevada Hospital Association.
- 8 First election of the first and second Councilers:  
First - Sr. Marie Brigid  
Second - Sr. Vincent Maureen
- 15 Disaster -- Explosion at Stauffer Chemical Co. Three men were admitted to the Hospital; with two, John Shepack and Cleo Surrock in critical condition.
- 17 Dr. Frank Gerow, of Baylor University Burn Center, was called in as consultant on the burn patients. The two critical patients were transferred to Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital, Las Vegas.
- 18-19 Sr. Ellen Stephanie attended Western Hospital Association meeting for Supervisors and Head Nurses, held at the Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles, Calif.
- 20 Sr. Ellen Stephanie attended the Board of Directors meeting of the Nevada State Nurses Association in Reno, Nevada.
- 24 Sr. Marie Jane hospitalized.
- 30 Sr. Marie Jane released from the Hospital.

Oct. 1967

- 5 Carpeting completed from double doors near the switchboard down through the Convent; including the Convent hallway.
- 11 Mother John Joseph arrived.  
  
Meeting held in the Aquinas Room of the Annex with Plant Officials and leading businessmen of the area to discuss contributions for the establishment of an Intensive Care Unit.
- 12 Joyce Neder, reporter for the Las Vegas Review Journal, visited to discuss the plans for the establishment of an Intensive Care Unit.
- 13 Mother John Joseph returned to Santa Cruz.
14. Sr. Jean Yolanda moved back to the Convent.
- 17 Roger Farge started work as Hospital Security Gard; shift to be 11:00 P.M. to 7:00 A.M.
- 18 Sr. Marie Daniel attended the ACOG meeting in Denver, Colorado.
- 19 The Henderson Chamber of Commerce presented a rocking chair to Nursery in honor of Annual Sweetheart Day in Henderson.  
  
Sr. Dominga and Sr. Cornelius arrived from St. Mary's, Reno, to attend the Nevada State Hospital Convention.

Oct. 1967

- 20 Sr. Georganne elected President-elect of the Nevada State Hospital Association.
- 24 New furniture for the Community Room arrived.
- 26 Sr. Marie Brigid received appointment to the Nevada State Board of Mental Health.

Nov. 1967

- 3 Sr. Vincent Maureen was appointed to the Advisory Committee of the Health Manpower Program for Nevada.
- 15 Sr. Marie Brigid left for Chicago, as Nevada State Representative of the Board of Mental Health.
- 18 Meeting with Sr. John Anthony with all the nuns of the area present, including Kingman, Arizona.

Dec. 1967

- 8 Fr. Eagleton, Canonist, met here with all the nuns of the area.
- 10 Began using a Sister Commentator at the Mass on Sunday.  
Sr. Ellen Stephanie - first Commentator.
- 21 Sr. Georganne received \$1,000.00 for Hospital equipment from the DeLuca Importing Co. and Nevada Beverage Co. retailers.  
Front hall and original building interior painted.
- 29-31 Srs. John Anthony and Thomas Aquin visited to discuss P.C.C.

Jan. 1968

- 2 Srs. Marie Daniel, Mary Jude, Ellen Stephanie and Vincent Maureen flew to Santa Cruz for Retreat.
- 8 Piped-in music installed in connection with existing PA system.  
Colored Television Set and Stereo-Radio Console donated by Sol Geltman, of Las Vegas, for the Staff Room.
- 11 Sisters returned from Retreat in Santa Cruz.
- 15 Sr. Marie Brigid attended a meeting of the Nevada State Board of Mental Health in Reno, Nevada.
- 18 Sr. Dominga and Sr. Cornelius were guests during the meeting of the Nevada Hospital Administrators Council.
- 19 Sr. Ellen Stephanie attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Nevada Nurses Association, held in Reno, Nevada.
- 20 Sr. Robert Joseph to Santa Cruz for Retreat for Food Supervisors.
- 22 Officials of Basic Management, Inc. presented Sr. Georganne with a check in the amount of \$18,500.00 for establishment of an Intensive Care Unit.

Jan. 1968

- 26 Mr. Drosset examined the Hospital for approval of the operation of the Extended Care Facility.
- 31 Mr. Floyd Hefferin, Nevada State Pharmacy Inspector, examined the Hospital Pharmacy and all Floor Medicine Rooms, accompanied by the Hospital Pharmacist, Mildred Smith, R.Ph. He was favorably impressed.

Feb. 1968

- 3 Sisters attended the first meeting of the Council of Religious Women of Nevada.
- 5 Sr. Marie Brigid attended a meeting of the Mental Health Board, held in Reno, for the purpose of attendance at the opening of the State Legislature.
- 9 First balloting for delegates at large for the General Chapter.
- 13 Sr. Vincent Maureen attended a meeting of the Advisory Committee of the Nevada Health Manpower Program.
- 15 The roof of the Hospital and Convent repaired.

Mar. 1968

- 9 Sr. Vincent Maureen was elected Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Council of Religious Women of Southern Nevada.
- 11 Third Floor closed.
- 15 Louise Alcott, Health Manpower Program coordinator, visited the Hospital.  
The one-thousandth (1,000th) patient was admitted to the Psychiatric Ward. (Vivian Allen)
- 20 Short Dominican Breviarie arrived.
- 22 Mr. Eldon A. Mohler, C.P.A. of Bunker, Jones and Co., began a Medicare audit for Aetna Insurance.
- 27 Sr. Marion Edward was admitted to the Hospital by Dr. Swackhamer for surgery.

Apr. 1968

- 4 Sr. Marion Edward discharged from the Hospital.  
Sr. Marie Brigid elected delegate to the General Chapter.
- 29 Dr. Hughes surveyed the Hospital for renewal of accreditation by the Joint Committee for the Accreditation of Hospitals.
- 30 Sr. Vincent attended a meeting in Reno of the Advisory Committee for Health Manpower Program.

May 1968

- 5 Sr. Vincent Maureen installed as President of the Nevada Society of Medical Technologists.
- 17 Summer appointments were received. One change only: Sr. Mary Jude to Maria Hall, as Nurse.

- 19 Yearly appointments:
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| Sr. Georganne        | Rose de Lima Hospital        |
| Sr. Marie Daniel     | " " " "                      |
| Sr. Marie Jane       | " " " "                      |
| Sr. Mary Jude        | Maria Hall, Adrian, Michigan |
| Sr. Mary             | Puerto Rico (?)              |
| Sr. Robert Joseph    | Rose de Lima Hospital        |
| Sr. Marie Brigid     | " " " "                      |
| Sr. Ellen Stephanie  | " " " "                      |
| Sr. Vincent Maureen  | " " " "                      |
| Sr. Marie Immaculata | Winslow, Arizona             |
| Sr. Marie Michaela   | Rose de Lima Hospital        |

Mardi Gras check in the amount of \$22,500.00 was presented to Sister Georganne from the Auxiliary, for updating the x-ray equipment in the Radiology Department.

- 23 Sister Marie Brigid was appointed to the Nevada State Board of Nurse Examiners.

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