



**The *Great* Canadian
Catholic Hospital History Project**

Documenting the legacy and contribution of the
Congregations of Religious Women in Canada,
their mission in health care, and the founding and operation of Catholic hospitals.



**Projet de la *Grande* Histoire
des hôpitaux catholiques au Canada**

Retracer l'héritage et la contribution des
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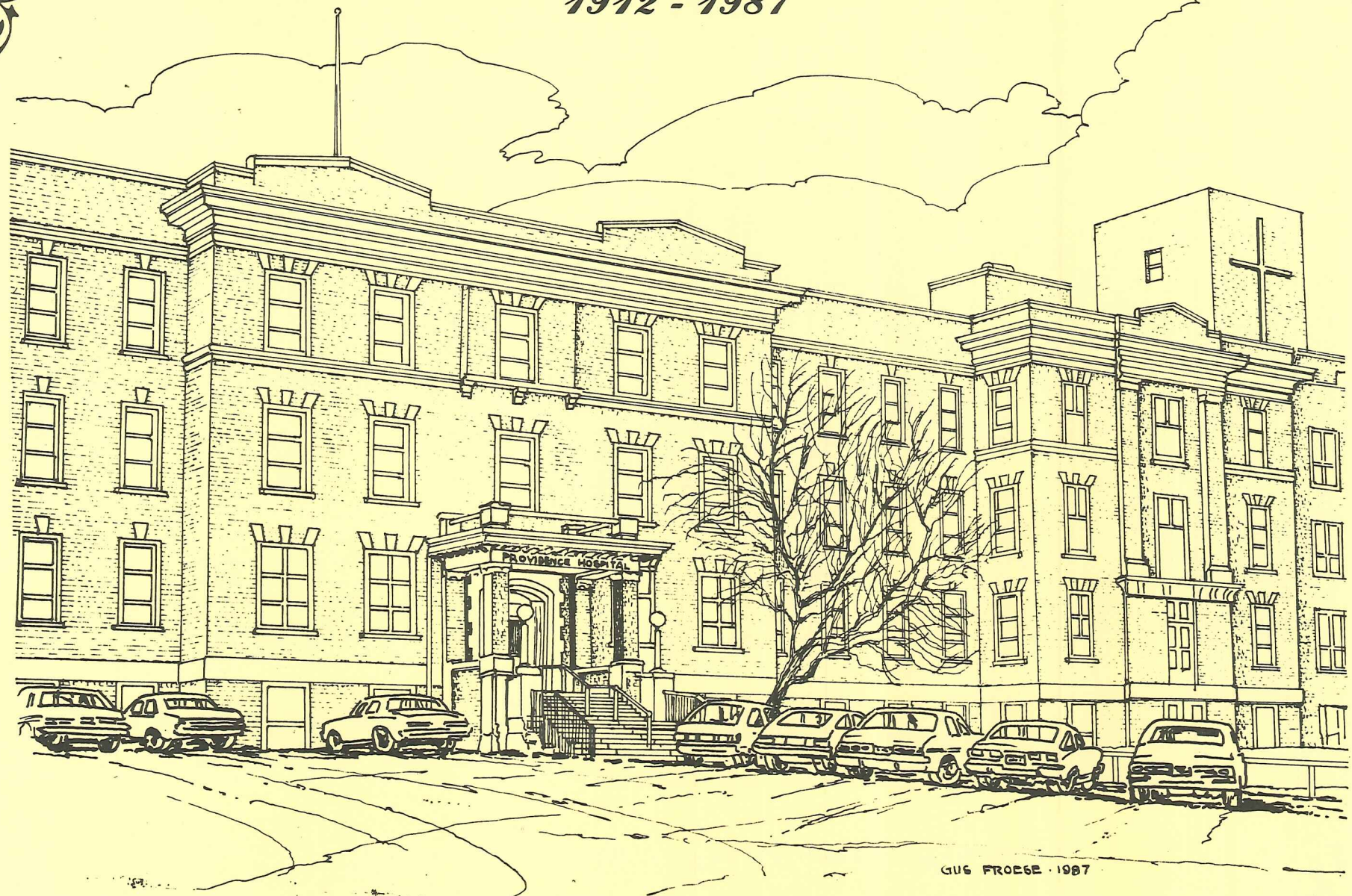
**Providence Hospital
Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan
75th Anniversary
1912-1987**

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"Lindsay House" - Ominica & 4th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 1912 - First Sisters Sr. M. Angel Guardian Sr. M. Camillus arrive 405 Ominica West. Lindsay House	14
15 1915 New Sterilizer installed in O.R.	16 1914 First Gov't Hosp. Inspec- tion Report Satisfactory.	17 1913 First baby girl to Mr. & Mrs. C. Cargill.	18	19	20	21 1912 Hospital opened. First Nurse arrived Miss Linkert.
22	23 1912 Daily rate per patient \$1.00.	24	25 1914 Providence Hospital Cook Books. Ladies auxiliary for Funds.	26	27	28 1912 First patient Mrs. Jane Rathwell Caronport. Dr. Gray.
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1927 - Providence Hospital - 1917

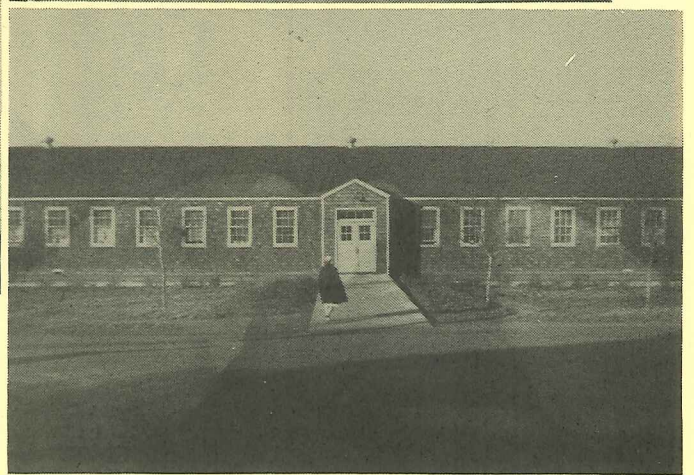
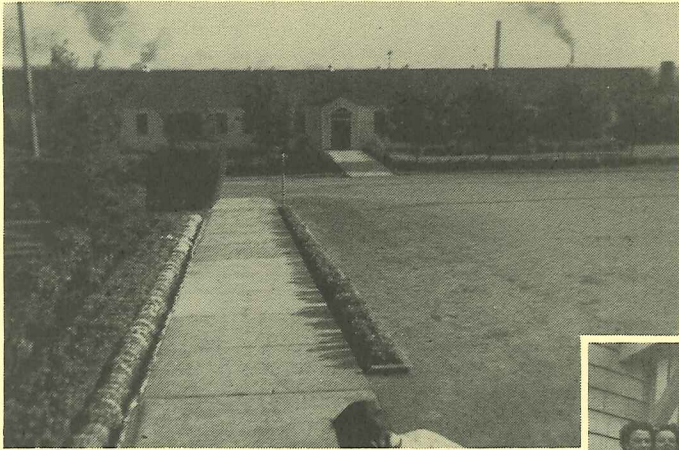
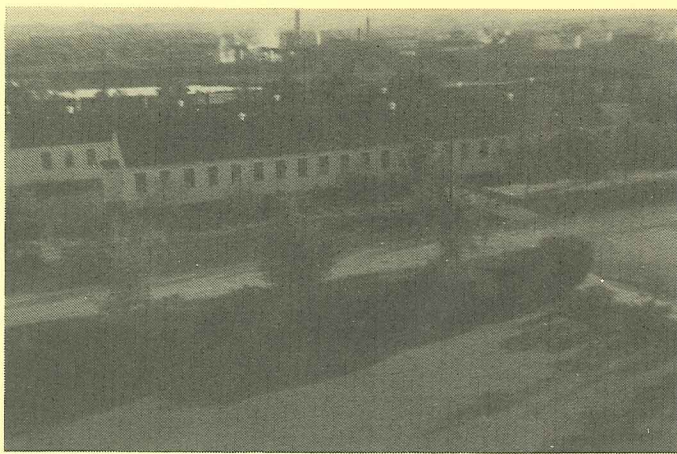
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5 1920 Viola (Gies) Elliott ap- pointed Supervisor of Maternity.
6 1913 1st Surgery Dr. Wardell	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 1912 Sister Mary Irene Sister Mary Alocoque arrived to assist.	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		



1943



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 1946 Free Hospitalization in Sask. Student Nurses under Dept. of Labor.	2
3 1941 New Portable X-Ray (\$1,450)	4 1967 Dr. J. Orr died. Providence owes much to Dr. Orr and T.B. Clinic	5 1969 Daily rate for patients \$36.13.	6 1987 Projected daily rate per patient \$238.00	7 1971 All Cytology done at Providence lab.	8 1973 Laundry Dept. closed. Laundry sent to Union Hospital.	9 1973 Level IV decided for 2 and 3rd East (42 beds).
10 1967 Fr. D.E. Robertson Chaplain	11 1981 Versa Foods charge of food services.	12 1927 Dr. G. Young, Pres. Dr. Underhill, Secretary Medical staff	13	14	15	16 1940 Ladies return to St. Anthony's after re-opening and army vacated.
17	18	19 1940 Men return to St. Anthony's after re-opening.	20 1942 Sr. M. Patrice, D.O.N.	21 1940 Sr. M. Paschal celebrated Silver Jubilee.	22	23
24 1977 Dr. J. Kubinski retires.	25	26 1981 Sr. M. Cornelia teaching conversational German - Coteau Range.	27	28	29 1972 Sr. M. Veronica retires to Kingston.	30
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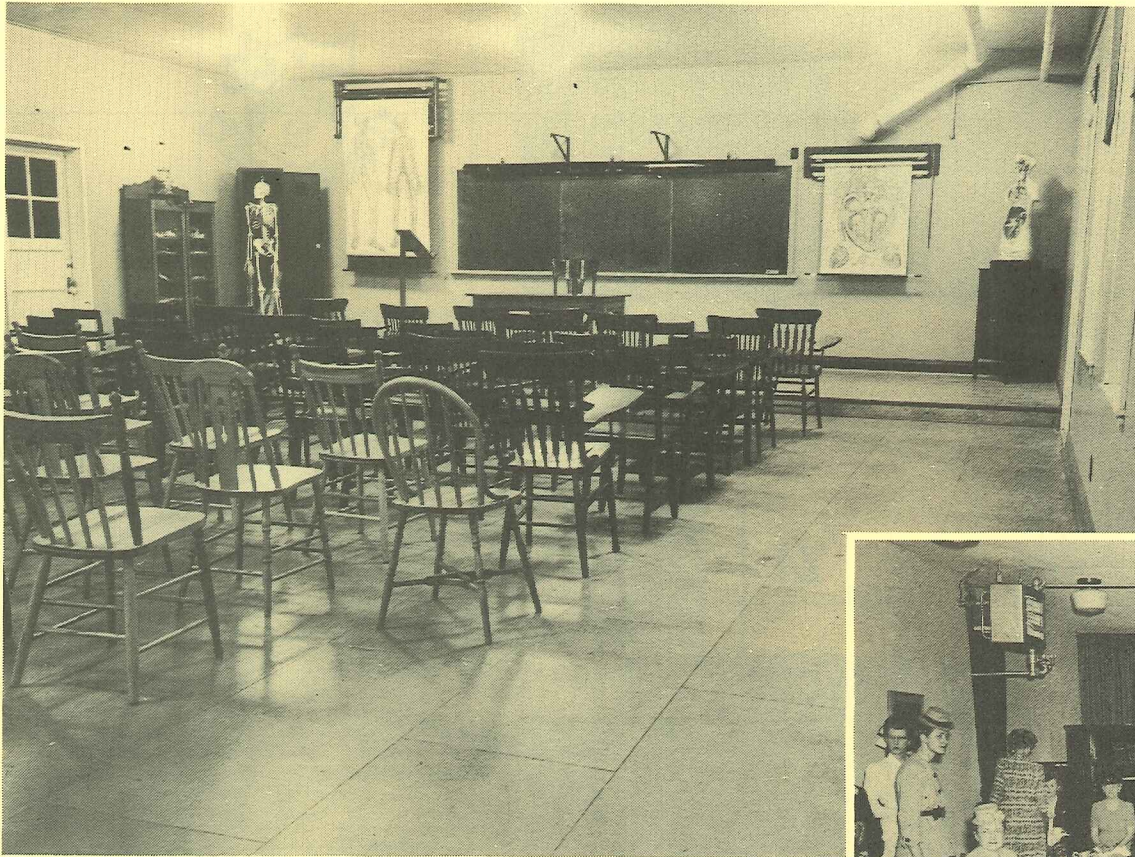


1946 - 1970

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	1 1940 First Basal Metabolism installed. 1943 Water rationed to March	2	3	4 1951 First P.A. System in- stalled.	5 1970 Student nurses residence closes.	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 1967 Dr. J. Hourigan dies after short illness.	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 1943 Sr. M. Remigus dies af- ter lengthy illness.	26 1984 Sector Scanner 1 Mark - 300 purchased - Radiological dept.	27 1980 Linear scanner pur- chased.
28 1980 Grace United Church gave a huge donation towards Linear Scanner.	29					

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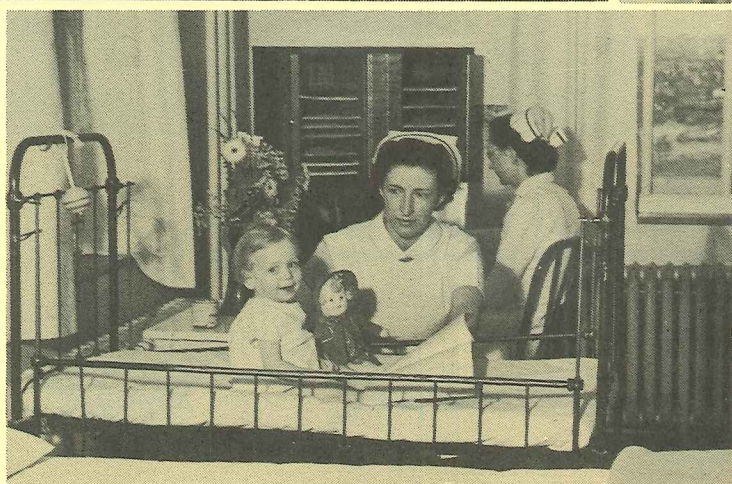
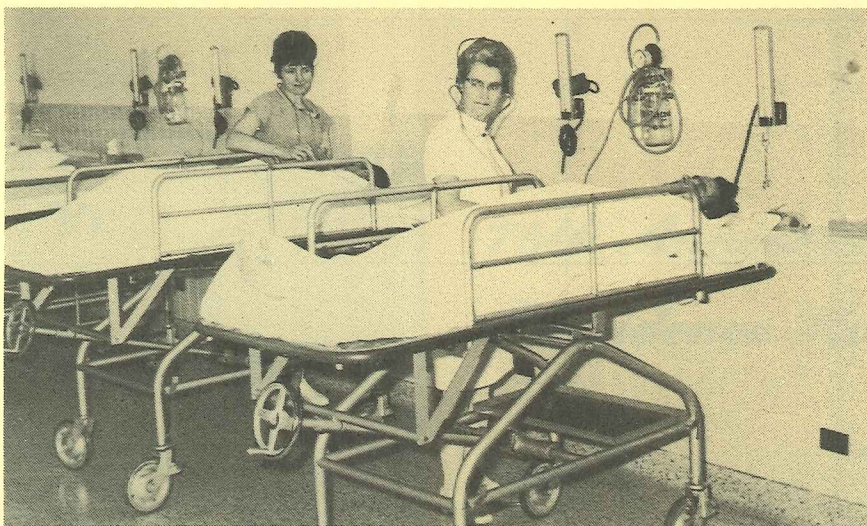
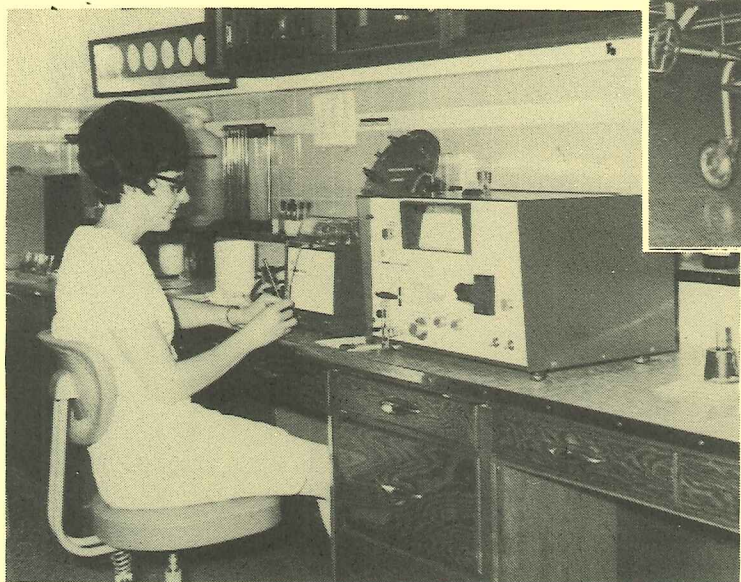
Ladies Auxiliary



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		1 1984 Defibrillator and modern crash cart purchased.	2 1924 Sr. M. Raphael SRNA examining board.	3 1913 Providence Auxiliary formed First President Mrs. W.W. Irwin	4	5 1968 New gold rimmed doors main entrance.
6 1984 Obstetrical students classroom relocated to previous SE Dining room - ground floor	7 1984 Obstetrics classroom - new 3 bed ward	8	9	10 1951 Laboratory moved to new facilities (8 rooms)	11	12
13	14	15 1969 Renovated 210 ward to ICU Unit - 4 bed	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 1985 Heaviest snow fall for year	24	25	26 1984 Rev. Eugene Lukasik named as Chaplain
27	28	29 1920 1st nurses graduation. Miss Fehrenbach Miss O'Brien Miss Gies	30 1985 Sister Sarah Doser from CHSCS visited.	31		

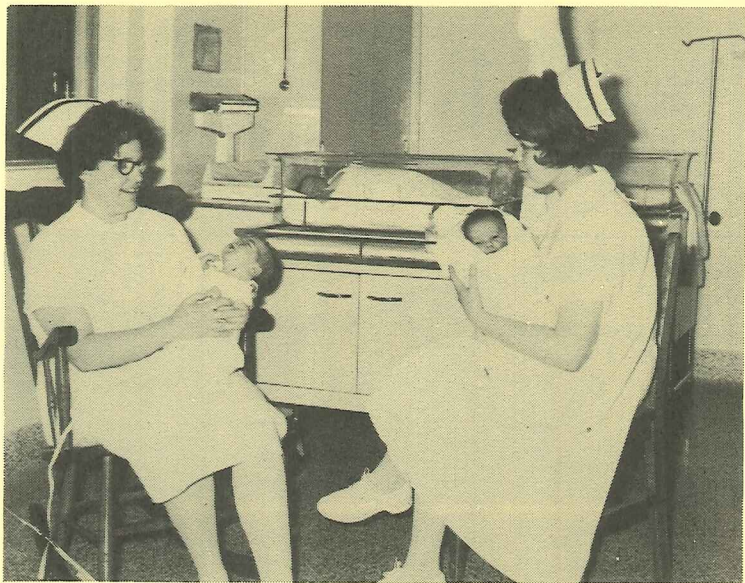
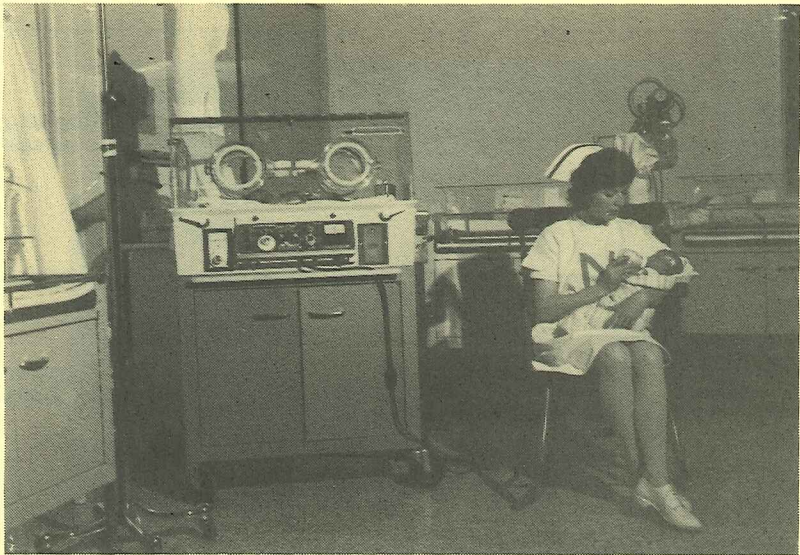
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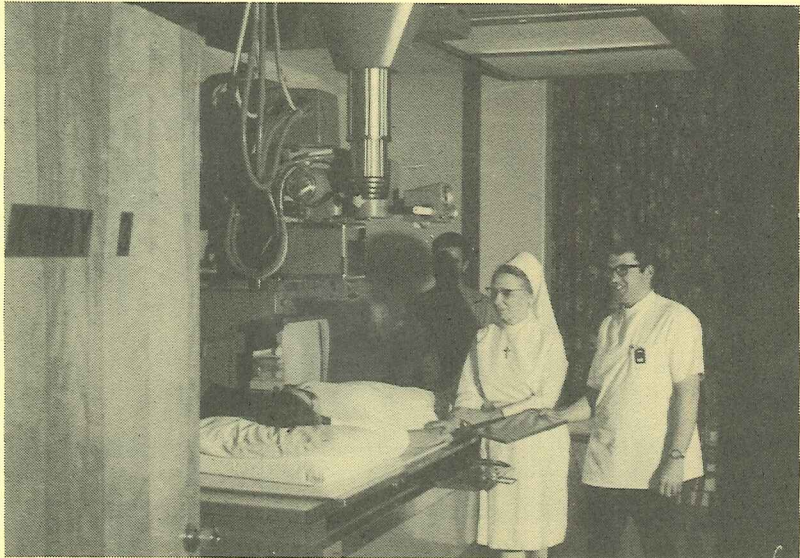
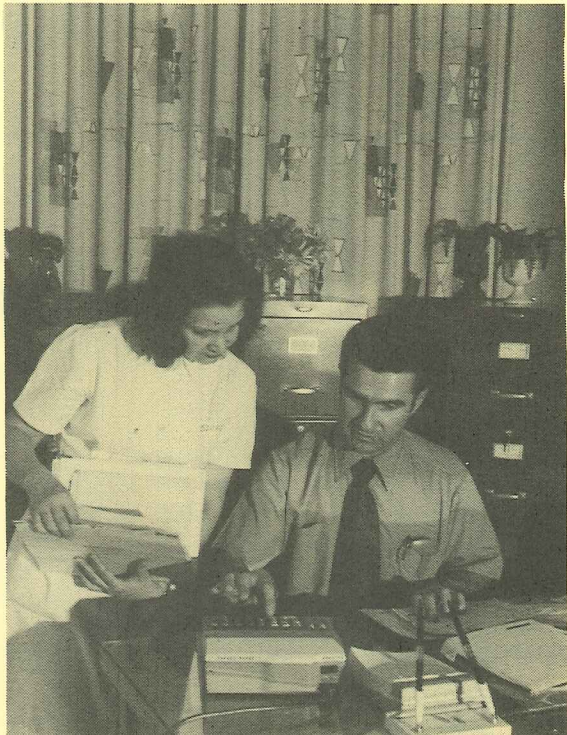


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					1 1978 Tender awarded to Graham & sons to completely refurbish 1917. wing.	2 1977 Sr. M. Angelica & Sr. M. Dumont went to Ille la Crosse to assist with Hospital Administration.
3 1981 April (Oursler) Armstrong guest speaker at Fred Heal Seminar.	4	5	6 1967 Dr. G. Young died suddenly - another friend of the Hospital.	7 1924 1st presses installed in Laundry	8	9
10 1973 Lay Advisory Board absorbed into Governing Board.	11	12	13	14	15	16 1985 Providence Auxiliary and SMC go to district meeting in Central Butte.
17 1980 Mr. Deagle, Mr. H. Craig retired from Governing Board.	18 1985 Fred Heal Seminar - Guest Speaker - Mrs. Winn Lindsay	19	20 1983 Missioning service - Mr. Ed. Friedt as administrator	21	22 1974 Flood No. 2 - more severe than 1949.	23
24 1924 1st sister died in West. Sr. M. Urban.	25	26	27 1950 Providence Auxiliary regrouped under President Mrs. H.C. Taylor	28	29 1985 Cafeteria renovated.	30 1913 New hospital South Hill contract awarded to James Cowan and Co.



1964



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1 1928 Blessing of New Wing	2 1914 Arch. O. Mathieu Regina gave us the necessary \$20,000 towards new hosp.	3 1921 1st Medical Staff meeting	4 1949 8 patients evacuated from St. Boniface Hospital arrived here by train (Red River Floods)	5	6 1927 Work started on new wing Messrs. Bird & Wardall.	7
8	9 1977 Beginnings of Day Hospital. Dr. L.C. Brockelhurst, England - special guest.	10 1977 Sr. Grace Maguire named Director of Day Hospital.	11	12 1924 Corner House opened with a party for all the sisters.	13 1925 1st Diathermy treatment given	14 1928 Official Opening - Gov. General & Lady Willingdon present.
15 1932 1st Catholic Hospital Association. Prairie Division formed. Sr. M. Clotilda - Vice President	16	17 1973 SHSP final approval of necessary improvements; Re: Raphael Wing & heating systems 1917 & 1927 wings.	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 1979 Official opening Day Hospital.	26 1940 1st Corpus Christie - procession around the grounds.	27 1951 CNIB Blind canteen installed in old lab vacated.	28 1926 Evergreens planted around the hospital.
29 1929 147 trees planted Park North of Hospital.	30 1980 Nurses Reunion 250 registered.	31 1926 Photo-therapy lamp purchased in Chicago installed.	MAY 20, 1945 Lieutenant Judy Ann Havorka awarded Czechoslovakian Military Medal for Merit 1st class - announced by Defense Head Quarters - Ottawa.			



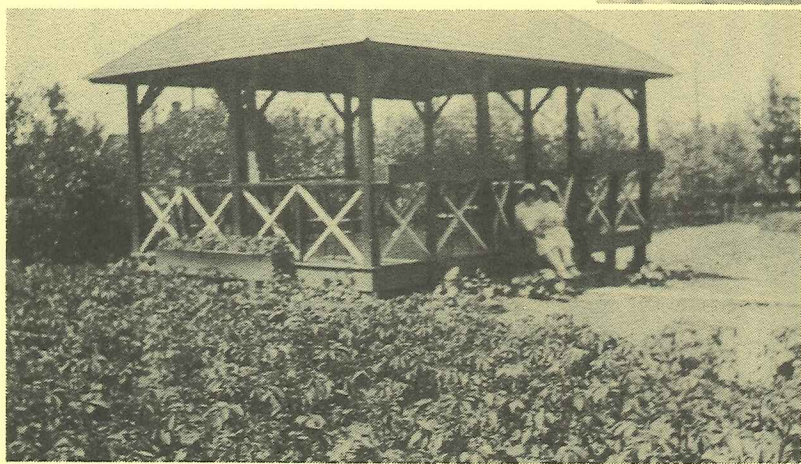
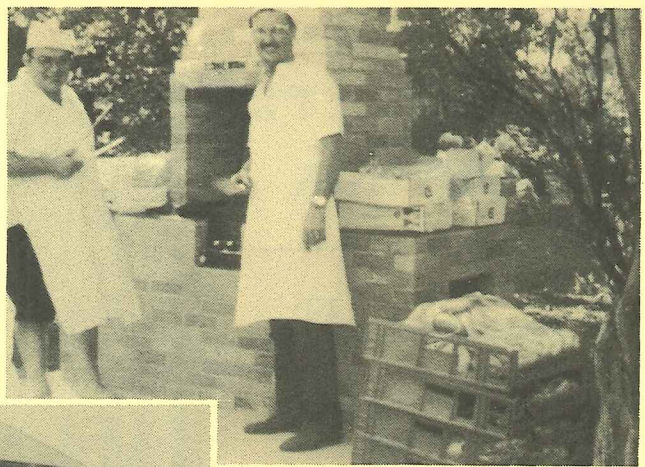
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Nurses Residence Recreation

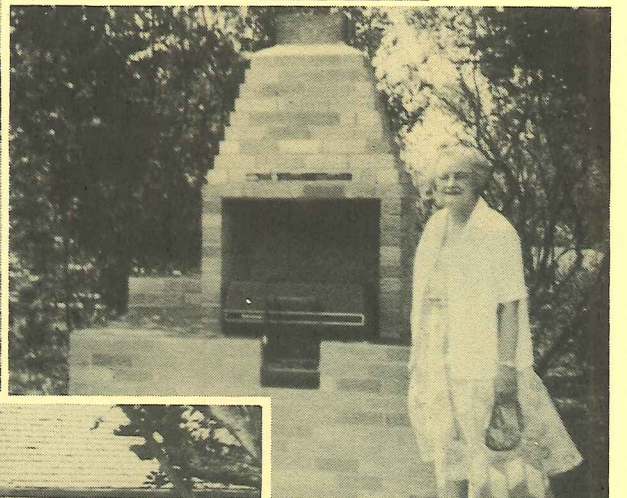


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JUNE 1, 1921 Dr. T.R. Ponton - A.C.P.S. Accreditation survey No. 2 - Gave us Class "A".			1 1916 Tenders called for New Hospital - South Hill.	2 1967 Chapel renovated completely.	3	4 1968 Manuel Badaluta dies suddenly after giving 50 years of service.
	5	6	8	9 1967 Nurses reunion (80 returned)	10	11
12 1922 1st soft water system installed.	13	14 1916 Sod turned Cowlin and Sons structural Engineers R.G. Bunyard Architect.	15	16 1968 Student nurses graduation. Sr. M. Felicitas - guest speaker.	17	18
19	20 1984 Staff barbeque for Dr. Wilfong, Heal & Bray retiring.	21 1946 Measurements taken - sod turned - W.J. Jones & Son for Nurses Residence Buildings from Caron.	22	23 1984 Urodynamics System purchased for Urology Dept.	24	25 1985 Sask. Heritage Grant - rebuilt Pavilion and grounds for residents and staff.
26	27 1970 Last student nurses graduation.	28 1930 Sr. M. Raphael - Silver Jubilee.	29 1981 Mail Strike.	30 1979 Medical Laboratory Technologists Reunion.	JUNE 26, 1967 Special evening before Sr. M. Assumpta & Patricia leave for 3rd World Missions Peru & Guatemala.	

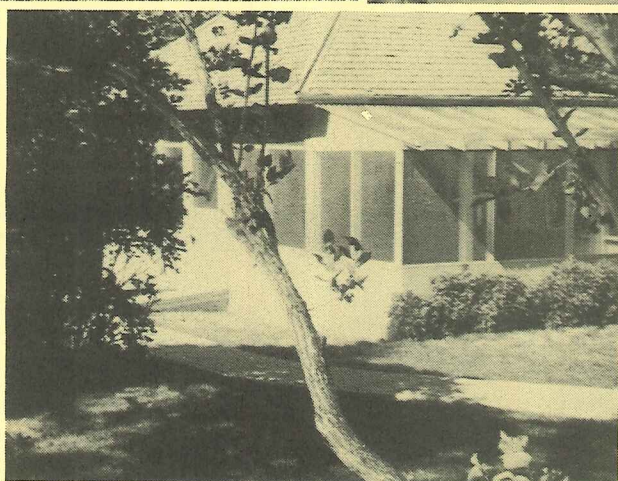
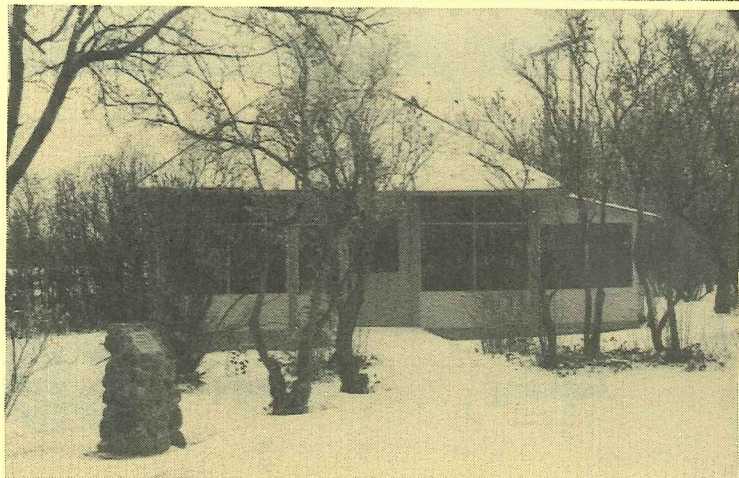
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1924



1986



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					1 1951 1st prize award for grounds by local Horticultural Society.	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 1983 Sr. Rose Bekar and E. Stamm go to London, England "Palliative Care Environment"	15	16
17	18 1985 Gov't grant for new freight elevator and entrance.	19 1926 Pavilion opened called St. Vincents Summer House.	20	21 1920 Dr. T.R. Ponton conducted first survey - excellent report.	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31			● New Moon			

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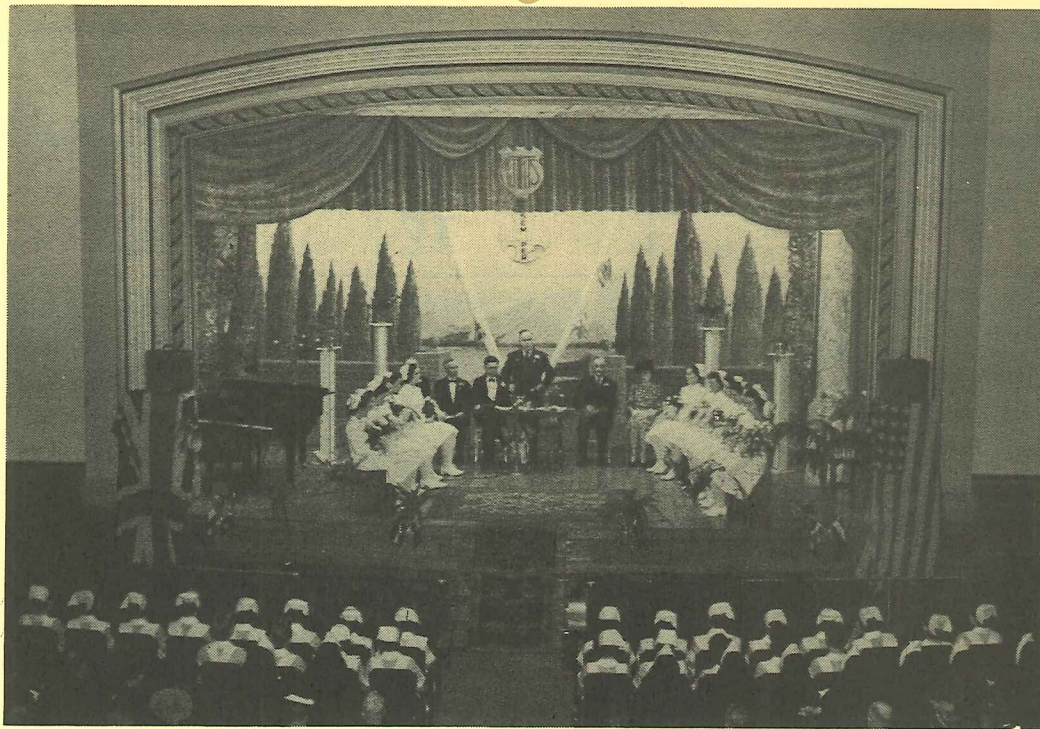


1960

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	1 1966 Mr. E. Friedt named business manager - replacing G. Bolen	2 1964 Sr. M. Raphael & Sr. M. Veronica leave for Kingston.	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 1945 New sterilizers tile walls and repainting O.R.
14 1974 Official opening Raphael Wing.	15 1945 New X-ray equipment installed.	16	17	18	19 1984 Sister M. Dumont - Providence Manor.	20
21	22	23 1976 Unveiling of picture of Sr. M. Raphael - Raphael Wing.	24 1976 Hosp. staff farewell to Sr. M. Alma .	25	26	27
28	29	30 1920 First X-Ray equipment installed.	31 1976 Sr. Rose Bekar replaces Sr. M. Alma as ad- ministrator.	AUGUST 15, 1949 Dr. G. Kent arrived from England to take over as Pathologist - 2 labs in Moose Jaw, namely Union & Providence.		



*Late
1940's*



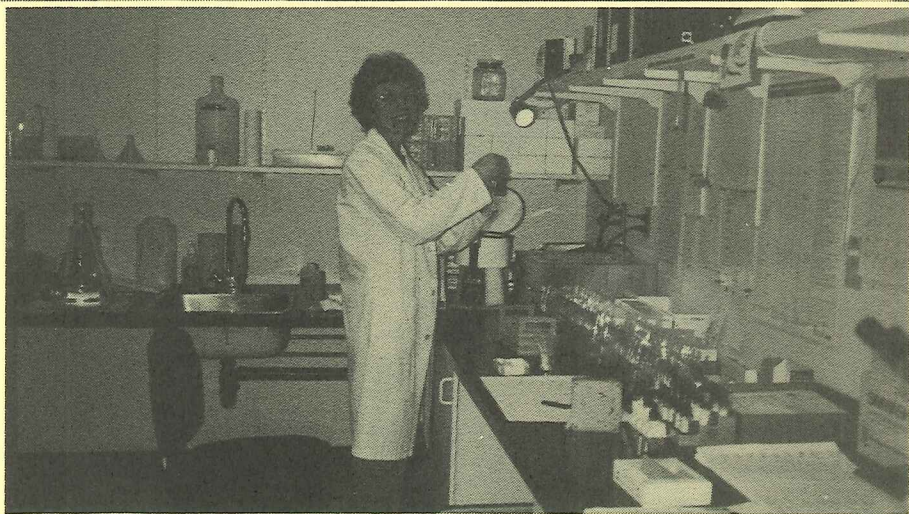
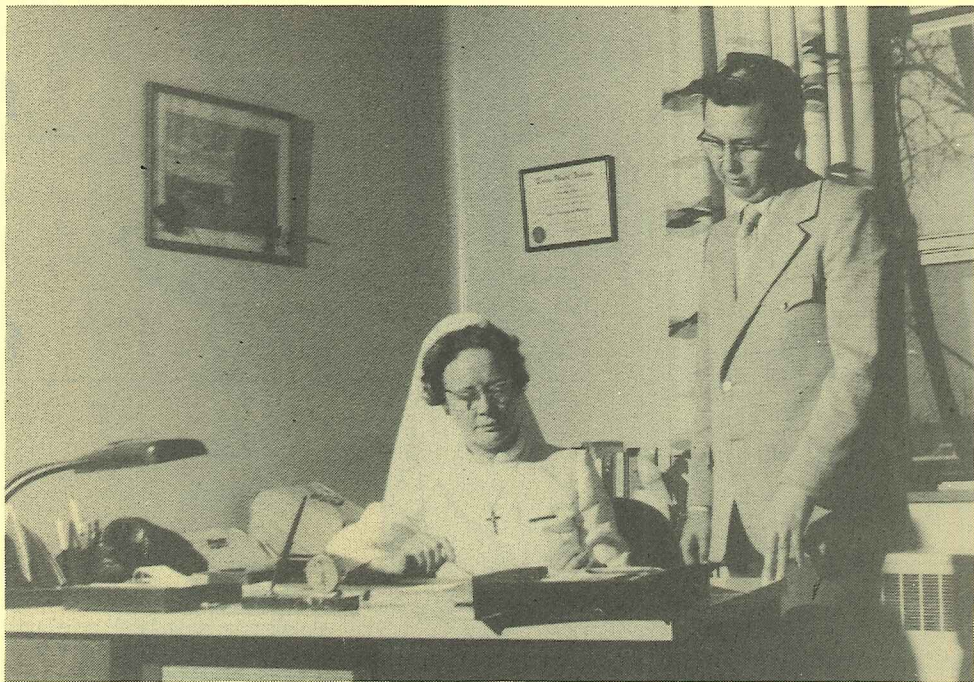
1926

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				1 1934 SR. M. Gwendolyn & Theresa arrive to train as Nurses.	2 1939 St. Anthony's Home taken over by Armed Forces; 25 Residents and staff moved to Providence Hospital.	3
4 1920 1st Tag Day for Providence Hospital.	5 1978 Moose Jaw Hot Spot in Canaada 37°C	6	7 1949 Decided to build a floor above laundry for clinical laboratory.	8 1939 Sudden death Dr. F. McCulloch	9 1940 Sr. M. Modesta appointed. D.O.N.	10 1984 Laundry transferred from Union Hospital to St. Anthony's Home
11	12	13	14 1931 Due to lack of patients, 1st and 2nd floors were turned into T.B. Wards and Salariums allowed to push beds out for treatment.	15	16 1978 H. Andrew retires after 29 yrs. of service	17 1949 Training programs for X-Ray & Medical Technology approved.
18	19 1917 New Hospital officially opened by Mayor W.W. Davidson	20 1979 Automatic Doors Ambulance entrance.	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 1919 Sr. M. Isabel sets up 1st clinical laboratory.	30	

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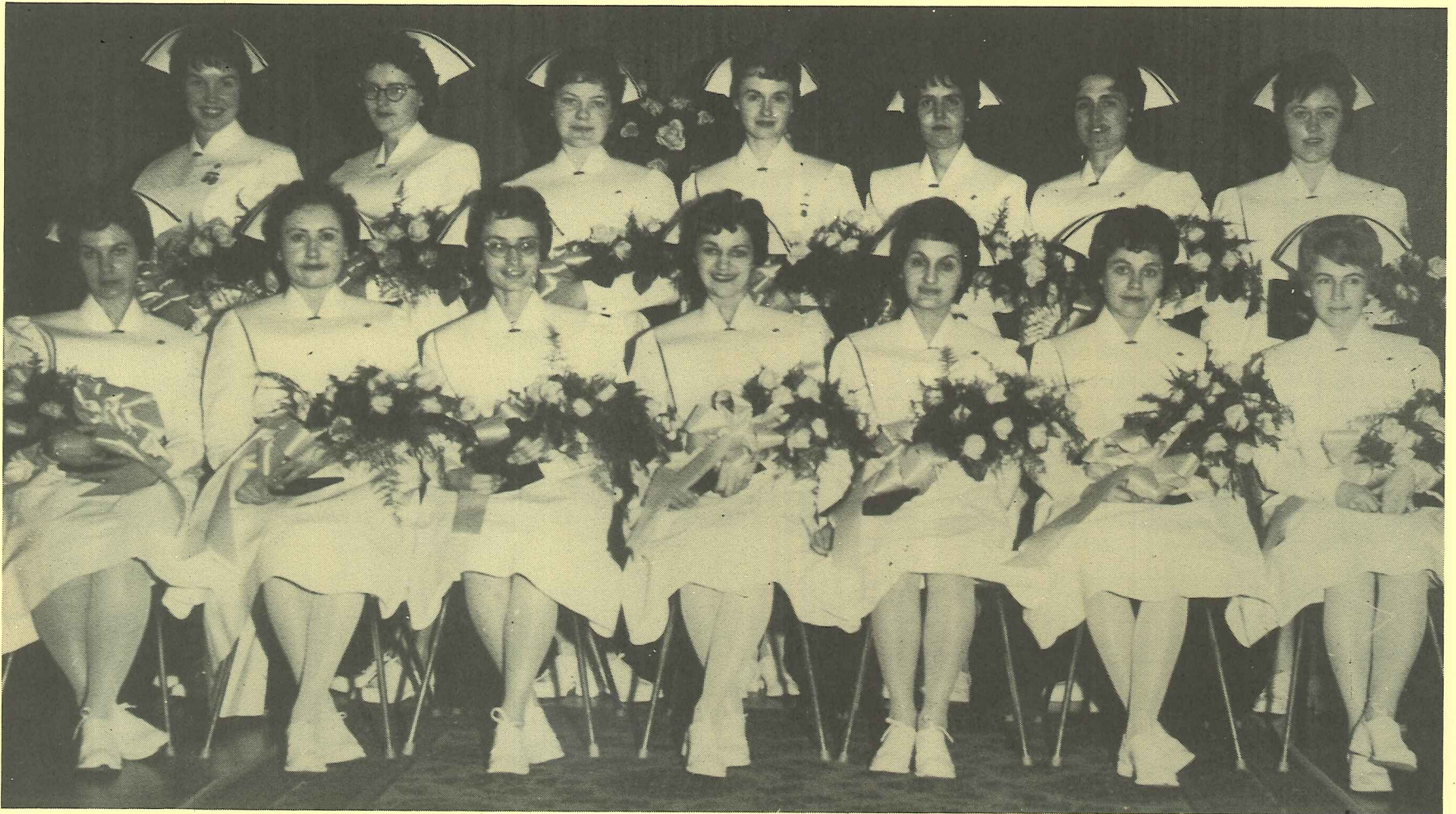
Jeanette (Bechal) Schwab, Blood Bank 1986



1947 - Christmas

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1965 14 Nurses, 7 Medical Lab and 2 Radiological students graduation, enrolled 27 student nurses, 7 med. lab students and 2 X-Ray.						1 1945 Laboratory area doubled on ground floor.
2 1918 Influenza epidemic taxed patients and staff heavily.	3 1964 Dr. Morris performs 1st Thorasic Surgery.	4 1964 Sister Patricia Morris goes to Calgary course in OR Technique	5 1985 Heritage Ball honoring former staff and friends of Providence.	6 1985 Sr. Irene Forrester meets with Board to decide present and future of Providence Hospital.	7 1927 Purchased block north of Hospital form CNR.	8 1921 First Tag Day collected \$1300.00.
9	10 1945 Rev. Daniel Lord S.J. visited and had dinner with sisters.	11 1921 First SRNA convention Moose Jaw.	12 1921 First SHA Convention Moose Jaw.	13	14	15 1938 Beatrice (Kane) Slack returns from Margaret Hague U.S.A. to become Maternity Supervisor
16	17	18 1968 Gov. Gen. & Mrs. Mitchener visit Providence Hospital.	19	20	21	22 1980 Echocardiogram purchased by "Lions"
23	24	25	26 1970 Sisters purchase 1st car.	27	28 1980 Noemi File, Cleveland, Ohio, speaker Fred Heal Seminar.	29
30	31 1976 Work week reduced to 38.75 hrs.					

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1961

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Nov. 6, 1967 Paediatrics moved to Union, Maternity - Providence. Previous Paed's turned into 16 beds Self Care Unit.		1 1947 Closed in Balcony on 1st giving of additional beds.	2 1985 Sister Suzanne Casteels arrives from Estevan to assist in Physio - Dept.	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 1975 ICU closed centralized at Union Hospital	15 1978 Board named Dr. F.C. Heal Director - Day Hospital	16 1946 Last section from Caron moved in for Nurses Residence.	17 1978 Aladdin "Temp-Rite" Tray service installed.	18	19 1984 Fetal Monitor purchased for Nursery.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

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1954



Sister M. Catherine
Sister Margaret Killeen



Sister M. Raphael

Sister M. Veronica



Sister M. Catherine

Sister M. Raphael

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1939 First microscope purchased for lab. "Leitz" previous ones donated by Dr. Wood & Dr. J.N. Hourigan.				1 1946 Student nurses moved from 3rd floor to new residence.	2 1980 Gulf Oil explosion and fire.	3
4	5 1985 Flu very bad for Staff and patients 25 off at one time.	6	7	8	9 1986 Mr. W. Podiluk & Mr. E. Dick visited and toured P.H. followed by further meetings to set up. Moose Jaw Joint Hospital Planning Council.	10 1976 Two-way monitoring system ambulance calls to main desk.
11	12 1976 1st Wine & Cheese party for medical staff and spouses.	13	14	15 1946 3rd floor remodelled for new surgical ward 40 beds.	16	17
18	19	20 1985 1st Christmas Dinner served to staff by Dept. Heads and Board Members.	21	22	23	24
25	26 1939 New Cyclo-Propane Machine in OR.	27	28	29	30	31