

## From The Auxiliary

Thanks go to Mrs. Paul Horton and her volunteers and to dozens of Christmas shoppers who helped the Auxiliary close the old year with a most successful project, the Christmas Gift Shop. Although our stock was smaller, due to the \$1200 purchase of a rocking bed for the Hospital, this year's Shop featured many gift items, including more costume jewelry than ever before. We also want to thank Elon Clark for the superb sign; Mrs. Deryl Hart and Dr. Howard Easley for turkeys they donated and to Murray Floyd for the ton of coal.

We also had enthusiastic response to the annual Christmas greenery sale, which Mrs. Bayard Carter conducted.

This year's Thanksgiving Sale, held annually for benefit of the Christmas fund for the Children's Wards, was more successful than ever, and we added these toys as permanent additions to Pediatrics: Stroller for Howland; rocking horse for the Clinic; and a play pen for Matas. Each child also received a well-filled stocking and a personal toy to be taken home.

All the cakes, cookies, jams, pickles and candies donated by members and friends have gained such a reputation for goodness that crowds assembled in the lobby "market place" early. A large part of our financial success is due to the generosity of Dr. Haywood Taylor and Mr. Lockhart of Lockhart Turkey Farm, who donated fine turkeys; and to Mr. Barbour of

## HELEN KAISER PICKS A WINNER FOR HOSPITAL PAPER

Congratulations to Miss Helen Kaiser, whose entry in the name-finding contest appears on this month's masthead!

Miss Kaiser will receive a \$10 check from the Woman's Auxiliary for submitting the winning entry. Because so many enthusiastic employees turned in ballots, Judges Ken Penrod, Mrs. Shelton Smith, Earl Porter, Minetree Pyne and Lou Swanson had quite a time deciding, but we'll all agree that they couldn't have picked a better one than InterCom.

Director of Physical Therapy since 1943, Miss Kaiser is past president of the American Physiotherapy Association and was one of 30 Americans who attended the first Congress of the World Confederation for Physical Therapy, held Sept. 6 - 12 in London. Before returning to Duke on Oct. 5, she visited rehabilitation centers in Denmark, Sweden and Norway.



### - BUILDING PLAN - (cont'd from page 1)

medical center was first planned, many asked where Duke would get enough patients to justify such a large institution. However, within a few years after the Hospital's doors were opened in 1930, the need for expansion already was apparent.

With appropriations from the Duke Endowment and Duke University, a wing for private and semi-private patients and also offices and examining rooms for the Private Diagnostic Clinics was completed in 1940.

By 1952, the out-patient clinic had handled more than a million and a half visits, and more than 450,000 patients from all 48 states and more than 40 foreign countries had been admitted to the Hospital as bed patients.

In addition to constant changes in the Hospital and Medical School building to meet the ever-increasing demand for medical services, a separate structure, the William B. Bell Research Building, was erected.

### NEW PSYCHIATRY HEAD HONORED

Dr. Ewald W. Busse, Duke's new chairman of the Psychiatry Department, has been selected a Fellow in the American College of Physicians. Dr. Busse joins 22 other Duke medical faculty members who are either fellows or associates of ACP. Dr. Busse came here Nov. 1 from the Colorado General Hospital, where he was chief of the Division of Psychosomatic Medicine.

He and his wife, Ortrude, and their three children, are residing at Faculty Apartments.

the A & P and Mr. Jordan of the Colonial who gave us marvelous snack baskets.

A big hand to Mrs. C. P. Jones and her committee!

And many thanks to these friends whose donations helped to increase our Christmas funds.