

Charles Frenzel Succeeds J. Minetree Pyne

A familiar face has been missing from Duke Hospital since April first. Mr. Minetree Pyne became Superintendent of Alamance County Hospital in Burlington, N. C., on that date. Assistant Superintendent at Duke Hospital for the past seven years, Mr. Pyne had spent two years before that from 1946-1948 at Duke studying hospital administration.

Mr. Pyne moved to Durham in 1933 from Lynchburg, Virginia, and was graduated from Durham High School and the University of North Carolina. He served a tour of duty with the Army during World War II. Before joining the administrative staff at Duke in January 1949, he served six months as assistant hospital administration consultant with the North Carolina Medical Care Commission. He is married to the former Jessie Ormond of Durham. The Pynes have four children. At the same time that congratulations and good wishes follow the Pynes to Burlington, the Duke family feels a real sense of loss at their departure.

Joining the Administrative staff to take up Mr. Pyne's duties, is Charles H. Frenzel, Jr., former director of the North Carolina Study Commission on Financing Hospital Care. Immediately before coming to Duke on April first, Mr. Frenzel held the post of assistant director at City Memorial Hospital, Winston-Salem. Like Mr. Pyne, Mr. Frenzel is a graduate of the Duke Hospital course in hospital administration.

A native of Jamaica, Long Island, New York, he received the A.B. degree and completed a year of graduate work at Duke before entering the administrative training program in 1949. Mr. Frenzel served four and a half years in the Army from 1941-1946. In addition to the post with the North Carolina Study Commission, Mr. Frenzel was director of a similar study sponsored by the South Carolina Hospital Association and Medical Association. He also held the post of administrator of the Bedford County Hospital, Bedford, Virginia for two years before going on to Winston-Salem.

Mr. Frenzel is married to the former Virginia Joan LeGlise. They have a son, James Charles, age 10. Mrs. Frenzel and James will follow Mr. Frenzel to Durham later.

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Hospital Laundry

We welcome Sudie Terry, a new employee in the Sewing Room. Helen Alston, Sue Williams, and Mary Daniels have returned to work since being hospitalized recently.

Thelma Stafford spent the weekend in Richmond, Virginia shopping and visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Agner.

Alice Spruell has returned from a brief trip to Brooklyn, New York where she attended a sick relative.

We regret losing Helen Hill who is moving to Trenton, New Jersey.

A welcome to Josephine Pamplin after a leave of absence with her new baby boy.

Those enjoying recent vacations are Rose Johnson and Janie Edwards. —Thelma Stafford

Ob and Gyn

- Welcome to some more Duke babies! 2-8-56 Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Weisend, a daughter to join
- older sister, Wendy Ann 2-8-56 Dr. and Mrs. Dan Main, a daughter
- 2-14-56 Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hisle, a daughter (and a Valentine!)
- 2-14-56 Mr. and Mrs. James Brandon, a daughter (and another Valentine). Mrs. Brandon was formerly Assistant Head Nurse on Holmes
- 2-20-56 Dr. and Mrs. William Vallotton, a son
- 3-6-56 Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Borstelman, a son
- 3-9-56 Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Musgrave, a daughter
- 3-15-56 Dr. and Mrs. Oscar William Shapiro, a son
- 3-19-56 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Graham, a son
- 3-21-56 Mr. and Mrs. Patrick R. Vincent, a daughter

Social Service Department

Mrs. Mary Brown is taking a leave of absence beginning April first. We are delighted that she will return to our Department on September first and continue as social worker on the Medical Service.

Miss Marcene Bivins has announced her engagement to John Byrd. A June 2 wedding is planned. We are very pleased that they will be making their home in Durham.

-Janet Wein