KEEPING IN TOUCH

(Continued)

son, Ob; Carolyn Kennedy, ENT; Jane Howell, OPC Ob-Gyn; Janice Ross, Susannah Miller, and Marcia Meeks, Howland; Janice Beatty, Matas; Rosa Steele and Kathleen Canning, Nott; Janet Heck, Meyer; Shirley Dessent, Cabell; and Billie Walker, Cushing.

BUNDLES FROM HEAVEN . . .

Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Berkin, Department of Psychiatry, announce the birth of a son on August 12 and Dr. and Mrs. Donald Leventhal, also in the Department of Psychiatry, have a new son born on August 2. Dr. and Mrs. Baez-Garcia have a new daughter born in August. Dr. Baez-Garcia is a fellow on Dr. Sieker's service. Mrs. Gill Lunsford, formerly Dr. Martin Lakin's secretary, and her husband announce the birth of a baby girl on August 18. Mrs. Dorthy (Dot) Lane and her husband, David, have recently adopted a baby boy. Dot worked in MPDC before this addition to her family. Dr. and Mrs. Leakan and Dr. and Mrs. Latham of the Department of Pathology have new sons born during the summer and Dr. and Mrs. Howard K. Thompson of the Cardiovascular Division have a new baby boy born in July. Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Fallon have a new son, Sean Patrick, born July 23. Mr. O'Fallon is a biostatistician in the Department of Community Health Sciences. A son was also born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald D. Tilley on September 25. Mrs. Anne Tilley was formerly a secretary in the Hematology Division. Dr. and Mrs. James P. Gills, Jr., have a new daughter, Terill Shea, born September 12. Dr. Gills is on the staff in the Department of Ophthalmology. Mrs. Sharon Capps, technician in the Allergy Lab, and her husband also have a new daughter, born August 30. Another summer baby, a boy, was born to Dr. and Mrs. W. Gary Becker on July 2. Dr. Becker is in the Department of Pediatrics. Mrs. Diane Rosati, formerly secretary to Drs. Arena and McBryde, and her husband have a new boy, born October 6. The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Hyatt have a new son, Russell Perry, born September 12. Mrs. Hyatt is an inhospital teacher.

SURPRISE!

Tuesday afternoon, the week of his departure from Duke after six and a half years as administrative assistant, Mr. Charles C. Boone entered the first floor cafeteria expecting to spend the next hour inspecting the area with one of the hospital supervisors. Instead, he was surprised by twenty of his associates at a "going-away" coffee given in his honor by the Department of Dietetics.

Present were the members of what was genially called the "Tuesday Morning Coffee Club" and others with whom Mr. Boone had worked closely. (The "members" of the former were the heads of the departments of dietetics, housekeeping, personnel and nursing, with whom Mr. Boone had met every Tuesday morning to discuss administrative problems that arose in the areas-Mr. Boone himself dubbed the weekly meetings the "True Confessions Club.")

A folding screen hid those gathered for the coffee from immediate discovery. Attached to the screen was a sign—spoofing in part the "Tuesday Morning Coffee Club"—which read "Tuesday Afternoon Coffee Break Club/Please Enter Without Knocking." In deference to the fact that Mr. Boone is an avid follower of Duke athletics, the cake, baked for the occasion by the hospital bakers, was decorated with a special Duke-blue icing.

The event evidently came as quite a surprise to the departing administrator; for before arriving on the scene for the anticipated "inspection tour," Mr. Boone had taken time out to go on none other than a *coffee* break!

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The 80 candystripers who participated in the 1966 three-month Junior Volunteer Program gave up almost 5,000 hours of their summer vacation to help in the hospital. In appreciation of this generous gesture on their part, they were honored at a September swimming party and buffet supper given by the Hospital Auxiliary, sponsor of the annual program. The girls were guests in the home of Auxiliary member, Mrs. O. E. Esval. Assisting were Mrs. Harold Silberman, president of the Hospital Auxiliary, Mrs. Pauline Stillwell, chairman of the Auxiliary shop cart service, and Mrs. C. C. Daugherty, coordinator of the Junior Volunteer Program. Shown above are candystripers Ruth Hamshar, Rosalyn Bryson, and Kathy Hilliard.



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