

# Baptist Hospital Opens 27-Bed Intensive Care Unit

North Carolina Baptist Hospital has opened the first section of a 27-bed intensive care unit to serve critically ill patients who need constant observation and professional care.

The complete unit is being financed by a \$199,000 grant from the John A. Hartford Foundation of New York, the same foundation which has in the last few years contributed \$626,810 to the hospital for research on diseases of the kidney.

Occupying space on the fifth floor of the hospital's South wing and composed of 12 beds, the section is the result of nearly two years of study and planning by a committee of physicians, administrative officials, and staff members headed by Dr. LeRoy Crandall. It is the forerunner of a greatly expanded service in which adjoining rooms will be converted into intensive care facilities with special arrangements for cardiac and respiratory patients.

Dr. Jesse Meredith, a member of the committee, explained that the new service is available to all patients, admission to the unit being determined by the doctor.

Six of the beds are in private rooms. The others are in cubicles separated by curtains. The beds are placed around the circumference of the almost-square unit. Nurses' desks are arranged so that nurses can see all patients. Patients, in turn, have the reassurance of being able to see the nurses nearby but cannot see each other.

The unit, Dr. Meredith says, has several unique features which were designed to eliminate some of the problems involved in the care of very sick persons.

For example, air conditioning outlets in the ceiling over each bed make it unnecessary to have fans for cooling when a patient has a high fever.

Hooks placed in the ceiling to hold intravenous fluid bottles may be removed when not in use.

Fluorescent lights over each bed are controlled by rheostats and may be dimmed to almost complete darkness or brightened to permit examination of the patient by the physician — or even minor surgery.

Each room has its own lavatory and toilet in a compact unit which fits into the wall and is somewhat similar to those on Pullman cars.

Wiring has been installed for equipment to record blood pressure, heart rate, temperature, and other information at the patient's bedside and transmit it to the nurse's desk. However, nurses are obtaining this data in the usual manner at present and will continue to do so until the equipment the committee has selected becomes available.

Staff members were chosen for their particular skills and given special training to prepare them for intensive care. Four persons at the nursing level are on duty at all times, one for each three patients.

With the addition of intensive care, Baptist Hospital offers patients three types of care — minimal, intermediate, and intensive. This hospital and others throughout the country which are serving in these three areas consider long-term and home care as the remaining steps to be taken in their progress toward providing complete care for the sick.



A nurse and her patient in the new intensive care unit at North Carolina Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem. The machine at far left is a difibrillator used in re-establishing normal heart rhythm of patients.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### STATEMENT OF RESULT OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE TOWN OF MAYSVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, ON JANUARY 18, 1964

WHEREAS, by direction of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Maysville, in the State of North Carolina, a special election was duly called and held in said Town on January 18, 1964, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said Town the following propositions:

"For the ordinance authorizing \$214,000 of bonds to finance the construction of a water system to be maintained by the Town to provide a supply of water to said Town and its inhabitants including an elevated water storage tank, water treatment facilities, wells and water mains and distribution lines, together with the acquisition and installation of equipment, machinery and apparatus required therefor and the acquisition of the necessary land or rights-in-land, and a tax therefor"

"Against the ordinance authorizing \$214,000 of bonds to finance the construction of a water system to be maintained by the Town to provide a supply of water to said Town and its inhabitants including an elevated water storage tank, water treatment facilities, wells and water mains and distribution lines, together with the acquisition and installation of the equipment, machinery and apparatus required therefor and the acquisition of the necessary land or rights-in-land, and a tax therefor"

and said Board of Commissioners has duly canvassed the return of the Reistrat and Judges of Election, appointed to hold said election and has determined the result of said election to be as herein after stated: NOW, THEREFORE, Said Board of Commissioners hereby makes the following statement of the result of said special election pursuant to The Municipal Finance Act, 1921, of North Carolina

(1) The number of voters

registered and qualified to vote at said election was 260.

(2) The number of votes cast at said election: For the ordinance authorizing \$214,000 of bonds to finance the construction of a water system to be maintained by the Town to provide a supply of water to said Town and its inhabitants including an elevated water storage tank, water treatment facilities, wells and water mains and distribution lines, together with the acquisition and installation of the equipment, machinery and apparatus required therefor and the acquisition of the necessary land or rights-in-land, and a tax therefor" was 130. The number of votes cast at said election against said bonds and tax was 27. Said bonds and tax were approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of those who voted on said bonds and tax at said election.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the undersigned members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Maysville, have hereunto set out hands this 11th day of February, 1964.

- (s) L. M. Thompson, Jr.
- (s) Jere W. Pelletier
- (s) Etheridge Jones
- (s) C. W. Lancaster
- (s) J. E. Mitchehl

Donald P. Brock  
Attorney at Law  
Feb. 20

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned, having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Robert M. Hay, deceased, late of Jones County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned or her attorney before the 28th day of January, 1965, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 28th day of January, 1964.

FRANCIS M. HAY,  
Executrix of the Estate of Robert M. Hay  
BROCK & HOOD  
Attorneys at Law  
Trenton, N. C.  
1-30; 2-6, 13, 20

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK NOTICE OF HEARING, PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE BOARD OF VIEWERS NORTH CAROLINA LENOIR COUNTY Jacob R. Parrott, et al vs. Blonnie Brown, et al IN RE; DRAINAGE OF THE LANDS OF MOSELEY CREEK-TRACEY SWAMP WATER-SHED ESTABLISHMENT OF LENOIR, CRAVEN, JONES DRAINAGE DISTRICT NUMBER ONE.

All persons interested in the establishment of Lenoir, Craven, Jones Drainage District Number One will hereby take notice:

1. That the Board of Viewers has filed their Preliminary Report in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir County, Kinston, North Carolina.
2. That said Report has been examined by the Court and found by it to have an affirmative finding of the questions contained in G. S. 156-62 and is regular in all respects.
3. That the Court has ordered a hearing upon the said Report to be held before John S. Davis, Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir County, in the Court Room of Lenoir County Court House in Kinston, North Carolina at the hour of 2.30 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, the 26th day of February, 1964.
4. That at said hearing all persons interested may be present and offer any objections thereto, if any.
5. That the said Court will hear and determine any objections that

may be offered to the said Report. 6. That the said Court will consider and pass upon the said Report on the date set.

This Notice is given pursuant to G. S. 156-64 and amendments thereto.

This the 7th day of February, 1964.

JOHN S. DAVIS  
CLERK, SUPERIOR COURT, LENOIR COUNTY

Frank M. Wooten, Jr.  
Attorney  
Greenville, N. C.  
Feb. 13, 20

### NOTICE TO PRESENT CLAIMS NORTH CAROLINA JONES COUNTY

The undersigned, having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Daniel Edward Conner, deceased, late of Jones County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to Mr. Dan E. Perry, 106 West Gordon Street, Kinston, N. C., attorney for the undersigned, on or before the 30th day of July, 1964, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned's attorney.

This, the 30th day of January, 1964.

Edna E. Conner,  
Administratrix Estate of Daniel Edward Conner

Ely J. Perry  
Warren S. Perry  
Dan E. Perry  
Attorneys at Law  
Kinston, N. C.  
Jan. 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20

## Drive As If Your Life Depends On It—It Does

### FARMS WANTED

CONTACT

W. W. "Billy" Kennedy

(Farm Broker)

PHONE JA 3-9582 ROUTE 3, KINSTON

Farms Bought And Sold, Privately or at Public Auction  
Farm And Timber Loans

# Frosty Morn Meats Inc.

"Helping to build a better Livestock Market for Eastern North Carolina"

Top prices paid for Hogs & Cattle Daily

No Commission Charge  
No Waiting

Phone JA 3-5103 Kinston, N. C.

### REAL HOME MADE CAKES, PIES AND PASTRIES

Donuts, Glazed, Chocolate, Jelly and Cream — Good Variety of  
Breakfast Buns — Fresh Daily

Special Orders for Wedding, Birthday and Party Cakes.

## Aunt Jennie's Bake Shop

813 N. Queen St. Kinston, N. C. Phone JA 2-8111

Urge Your Friends To  
Subscribe To  
The Journal