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A Tribute to the Scranton State Hospital

God guide us in our work
Thy stars a beacon be
For those who bear the lantern
To lighten life's pathway.

God let our light so shine
That all may know
Thy hand is guiding us
To keep our torch aglow.

God Bless our S.S.H.
Friends of the human race
May she forever stand
A symbol of thy grace.

True nurses let us be
United one and all
To spread the rays afar
In our great sisterhood.

Dear Underclassmen,

No one does anything for the last time with out an element of sadness. As time passes, we are continually doing things for the last time. As Graduation Day approaches, we reflect on the many happy hours spent in the Nurses' Home and as Graduates it shall not be.

May God bless you, it has been a delight to know you, cherish all that we revere, and remember your friends---

THE SENIORS



Recipe for a Good Nurse

Take one small girl with a host of beautiful dreams,
Add one high school diploma and one Pott's test;
Cut in one application and one letter of acceptance
Then gently break home ties.
Mix this small girl with forty others, add a splash of
cold water, a hard bed and tired feet.
Sprinkle liberally with friendship, love, and understanding.
Stir in rapidly an average of eighty-three and a
State Hospital cap.
Beat thoroughly for three years and frighten with
State Boards.
Remove from the bowl--and there emerges one small
girl grown large, with stars in her eyes,
To be divided and served to Humanity.

Dedicated

TO OUR PARENTS



Who with their understanding, guidance, untiring interest and unselfish efforts in our behalf have made this day possible. "THANK YOU, MOMS' AND DADS'"



PRAYER FOR A NURSE

Oh, my God: I am about to begin the day's work.

Teach me to receive the sick in Thy name.

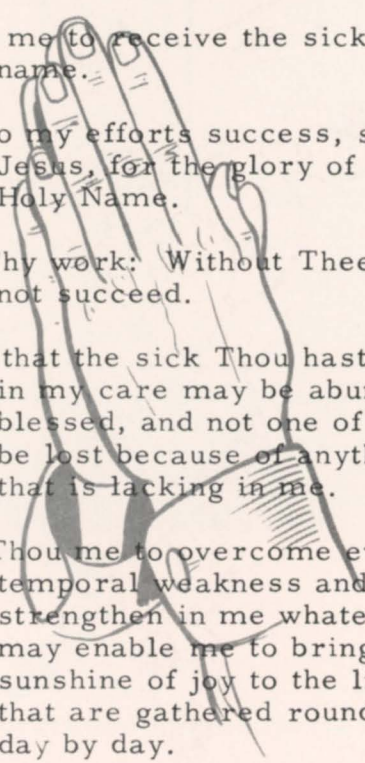
Give to my efforts success, sweet Jesus, for the glory of Thy Holy Name.

It is Thy work: Without Thee I cannot succeed.

Grant that the sick Thou hast placed in my care may be abundantly blessed, and not one of them be lost because of anything that is lacking in me.

Help Thou me to overcome every temporal weakness and strengthen in me whatever may enable me to bring the sunshine of joy to the lives that are gathered round me day by day.

Make me beautiful within for the sake of Thy sick ones and those lives which will be influenced by them. Amen.



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