



CONVENTION ISSUE

STATE OFFICERS

The voting delegates to the 1958 convention elected the following officers:

WILLIAM MARSH *President*
 JANE O'CONNOR *1st Vice President*
 EVELYN MATHER *2nd Vice President*
 JOAN KIERMAN *Recording Secretary*
 SUE SIMON *Corresponding Secretary*
 MICKI WISELY *Treasurer*
 MARGARET QUINN and *Junior Directors*
 KENNETH BULLAR
 MARTIN MANNING and *Senior Directors*
 RONALD GERHARD

The new officers met in a six hour orientation meeting with the retiring board members, following the closing business meeting on October 23rd, 1958. This joint meeting enabled the new officers to become acquainted with the responsibilities and workings of their new offices.

The new board shall hold its first meeting on November 22nd, and 23rd, 1958.

BOARD FORMS NEW COMMITTEES

A new committee was formed on October 23rd, 1958 at the joint meeting of the old and new board of directions. The purpose of the committee shall be to look into the possibilities of having a motion picture made of a future State Convention. The film shall be in color and sound and shall be rented to individual schools of Nursing to enable students who are unable to attend the convention to see how they are run. Many other uses for such a film were also discussed, including using the film as a State exhibit at National Conventions.

The major difficulty in planning such a film is the cost. Several suggestions were made as to methods of deferring the cost, namely; paying for the film over a number of years, and having the film sponsored by a large company.

The committee shall be headed by MISS. ROXANNE HALL who shall work with MISS RUTH BROOKS, NYSNA, advisor to SNANYS.

MISS STUDENT NURSE



Seen here in her Bellevue uniform, is MISS MARY CRONEMEYER, who was chosen over 11 other contestants as *Miss Student Nurse of New York*.

Miss Cronemeyer, is a 19 year old beauty, who hails from Bayside, Long Island. But beauty alone did not win her the title of Miss SNANYS. "Molly", as she is called by her friends, has a record to be proud of. She has been the president of the Junior Red Cross of New York City, and has represented the City on a national level at Los Angeles, and on an international level at the convention in Canada.

Molly, was also chosen by the New York City Board of Education to represent her school and the city as one of a group of six to visit Israel as a guest to the Israel government.

Congratulations "Molly" Cronemeyer, Miss. SNANYS.

NATIONAL CONVENTION

This years national convention will be held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, from May 7 to May 11, 1959.

RETIRING PRESIDENT HONORED AT CONVENTION

Highlighting this year SNANYS convention was a surprise program held on the last night of the convention.

Miss Genvieve Kunes, the out going president, came to the stage startled, surprised and overwhelmed as Dr. Smith, a Psychologist at the University of Rochester, said, "Genvieve Babara Kunes, this is your life."

A tearful and smiling "Pete", her nickname since childhood, sat and watched the highlights of her life as they were recreated through photographs projected on a movie screen. One by one, the members of her family and other acquaintances in her life came to the stage to share the occasion with her.

It was a smiling and impressed audience that filed out of the Ballroom of the Manger Hotel that night.

OUTSTANDING AREA

A plaque was presented to Area 1 for showing the most achievement and improvement in the year 1957 - 58.

The plaque will exhibited at each member school in the area throughout the year.

Area two was awarded a certificate for honorable mention.

AREA NINE WINS TALENT SHOW

Congratulations to area nine on winning first place in the talent show. Their "Flowers of the Nursing World" was chosen best of the eight acts presented.

Miss Carrie Russel, representing area three took second place with her novelty act, "Ripples on the Swanee".

EVER SEE A CONVENTION ?

Ever wonder what goes on at one?

Ever wonder what SNANYS is really about?

Ever want to meet new people?

Ever want to know how other schools raise money?

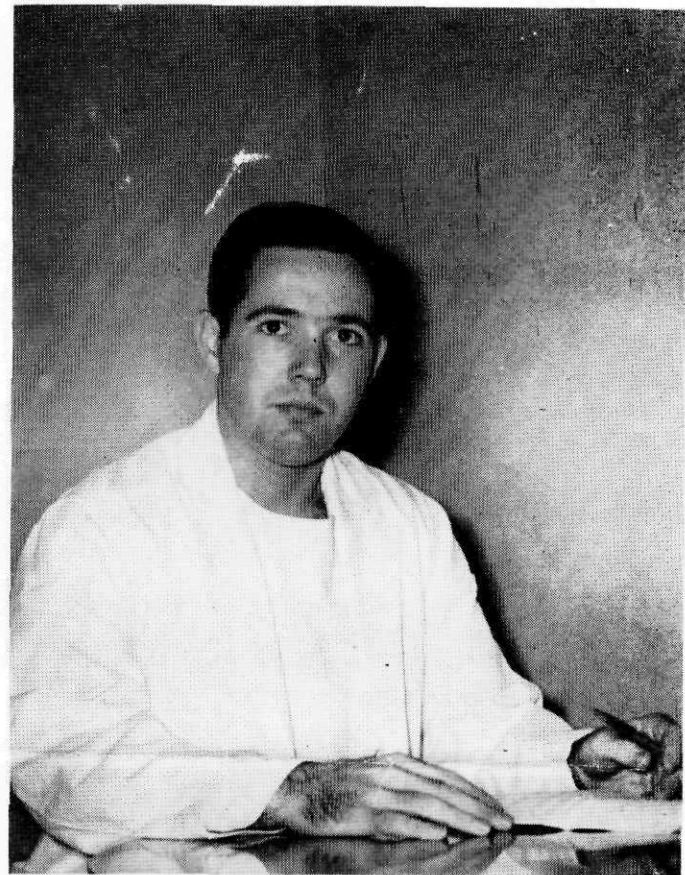
Ever like to hear new ideas?

Ever like to be an active member in your organization?

SEE YOU IN NEW YORK - OCT. 1959

PREJUDICE is a wonderful timesaver; it enables one to form an opinion without bothering to get the facts.

MEET YOUR PRESIDENT



Meet BILL MARSH, SNANYS president for 1958 -59. Bill has the honor of being the first male president of the organization.

Bill is the president of his Junior class at Mills School of Nursing. He is also a member of the Recruitment Committee of the department of Hospitals of New York City, and a veteran of the Korean War.

Bill introduced himself to the convention on the first night, and from that time on there was little doubt as to who was going to be next SNANYS president. His winning personality and easy going manner spelled Leader to all who observed him.

TRUE FRIENDSHIP is ever fine and beautiful, but it is not accomplished with handshaking. There must be an exchange of something rich and sweet, something that will enliven the heart with happiness. There must be some service, no matter how small, that will endure.

BLESSED be he who expects nothing, for he shall never be disappointed.

JOINT COVERAGE

For the first time in its history SNANYS worked in the same press room at the state convention with the NLN. The result was quite apparent to those at the convention, for SNANYS received coverage in all the local papers, as well as several radio and television stations. The students greatly appreciated this opportunity to work side by side with the more experienced graduates, and hope the procedure may be repeated at future conventions.

A special note of thanks to Miss DOLORES KRIEGER and Miss RUDY HENDRYX, who were in charge of the project.

SNANYS DUES

Dues should be paid by February 1, 1959 as the number of voting delegates New York State has at the National convention, is determined by the number of paid members it has at that time. However, dues can be turned in up to June 15th, 1959 schools not having a majority of its students registered as paying members as of this date will not be entitled to have voting delegates at the 1959 State convention.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT IN BRIEF

as of October 23, 1958

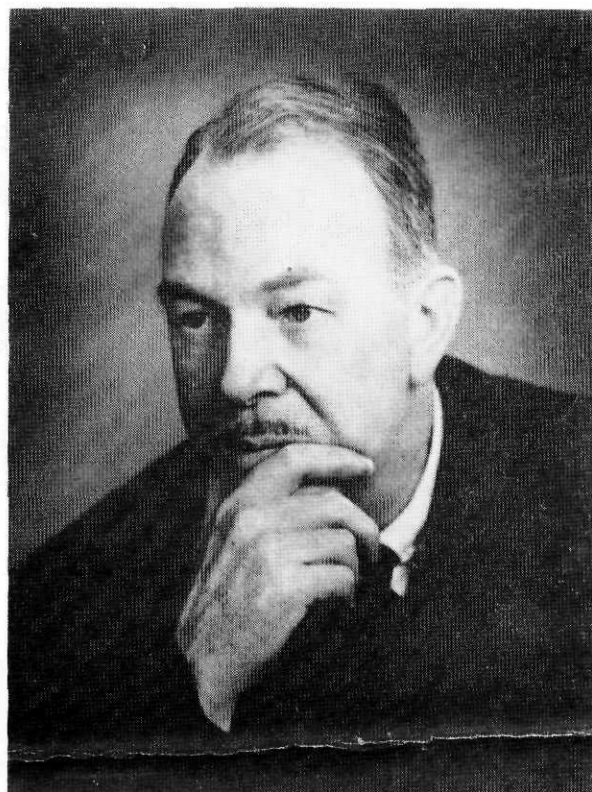
Income

includes dues and
balance from 1957\$ 8500.00

Expenses

Dues to NSNA	3500.00
National Convention	1000.00
Publications	800.00
Postage	200.00
Stationary	50.00
Banking and Audit Service	53.00
State Convention	1000.00
Board Expenses	1100.00
	<u>\$ 7703.00</u>
Total Income	\$ 8500.00
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 7703.00</u>
Balance	\$ 797.00

Always do right- This will gratify some people and astonish the rest.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Picture above is the HONORABLE CLARENCE J. HENRY, who gave the Keynote address at the opening business meeting of this years convention.

Judge Henry, spoke on the cause, extent and suggested measures pointed toward rectification of juvenile delinquency.

He stated that in the American standard of living, both husband and wife work, with a detrimental effect on the children.

"Juvenile Delinquency is the outgrowth of lack of supervision in the home. This coupled with lack of love and guidance by the parents yeilds the end result of delinquency. But the root of the problem is Parent Delinquency resulting in juvenile behavior problems and vandalism or worse," declared Judge Henry.

NOTICE

Will any person having snap shots of the convention, send them to me at the address below. These photos are to be used in the composite picture.

If you orded a composite of the convention you may expect to receive it shortly after you send in your snap shot.

Ronald Gerhard
Home 11
Central Islip State Hospital
Central Islip, N.Y.

THE IMAGE WITHIN



One Friday on Calvary, as in a hospital ward,
 Three men lay dying — among them, our Lord.
 'Twas the worst case of neglect that was ever recorded;
 These patients whose pain Pilate had ordered.
 On three hard beds, in the shape of a cross,
 Without pillow or blanket, no nurse would endorse.
 The one in the center our attention should claim;
 Jesus of Nazareth, the chart gave his name.
 A cardiac condition, examiners find —
 Excessive love for the whole of mankind.
 Now you who are nurses, just listen to this;
 Unsterilized nails pierced his feet and his wrist,
 And what about this for cruel medication?
 Vinegar and gall were His lips' alleviation.
 His back men wounded by blows and welts,
 Yet no soothing ointment relieved the hurts.
 No cold compress was applied to his eyes;
 The world's greatest lover just hangs there and dies.
 Not a grain of morphine, not a tourniquet set.
 As Mary's Son slowly bleeds to death.
 The chart then concluded, as further we see;
 "The sad Man from Nazareth died about three."
 His loved ones mournfully went their way —
 His Mother, Magdalene, and John so they say.
 Now don't blame the Jews for this frightful neglect;
 Our sins did it all; our sins do it yet.
 This treatment of Christ demands reparation,
 It falls to you nurses, of this generation.
 Whenever you see anyone in pain
 Just make believe it is Calvary again.
 And do for the patient what you wish they had done
 For the Man in the center — the Innocent One.
 It will thrill his angels, it will please Him, too;
 Just keep at it nurses, 'til life's work is through.
 And when after death your sole mounts on high
 God will "cap" you again in His home in the sky.
 And on Judgement Day, then Heaven you'll win
 Because nursing your patient, you really nursed Him

— Author Unknown

CONVENTIONEERS TOUR KODAK

Students clambered aboard three buses as destination
 "KODAK" got under way from the Manger Hotel.

The tour included a bus trip around the Kodak Park,
 during which our friendly guide so ably explained the various
 functions of the different buildings and gave pertinent infor-
 mation about the astounding growth of Kodak Park.

STUDENT NURSE WEEK

In the January, 1958 issue of the NEWSLETTER, there
 appeared an article concerning the Student Nurses Association
 of Wisconsin, and how they became the first state association
 to have a Student Nurse Week.

The purpose of such an undertaking is to stimulate public
 awareness to nursing and its service to society.

Well, not to be out done by anyone, SNANYS has be-
 gun work on a New York State Student Weeden Week. It was
 suggested by Miss. Ruth Brooks, NYSNA advisor to SNANYS,
 that students work with the graduated organization, as the
 graduates have already made plans for a similar function of
 their own to be held in October, 1959.

Information concerning the progress of the committee in
 charge of the affair will be published as soon as it is released
 by the board of directors.

NOTICE TO AREA PRESIDENTS

Each area is asked to elect a member to act as area re-
 porter. If you would like your area to be represented in the
 NEWSLETTER, you should contact:

RONALD GERHARD
 Home 11
 Central Islip State Hospital
 Central Islip, New York

You are also asked to send a copy of your area Newsletter
 each month to the same address.

JUST REMEMBER a cheerful frame of mind with the
 right amount of warmth under it, enables even a teakettle
 to sing though up to its neck in hot water.

PARTING THOUGHT — Anger is only one letter short
 of danger.