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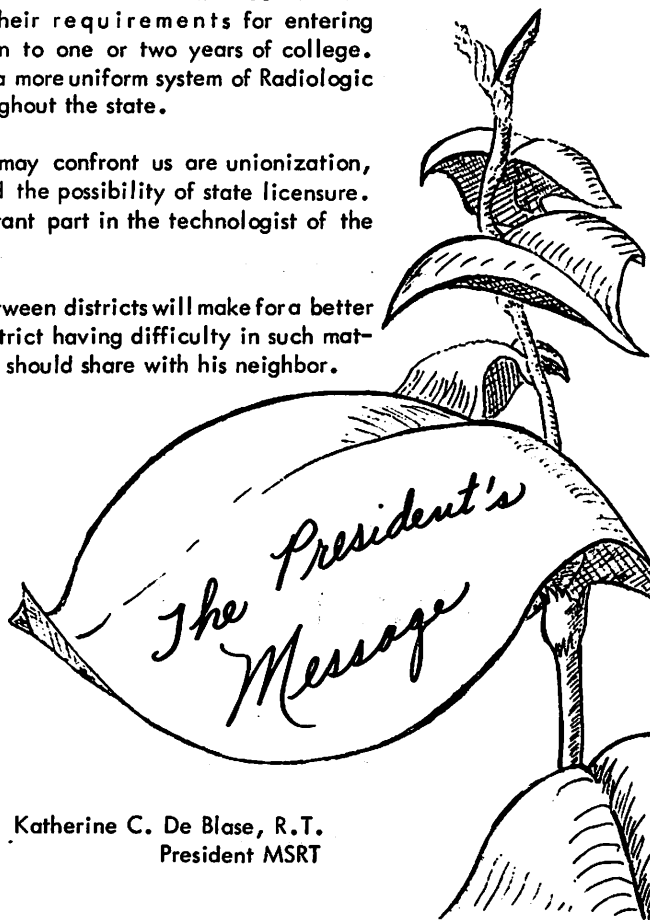
Missouri Society Radiologic Technologists  
State Meeting - 1968  
Kansas City

There is a sigh of relief in Missouri - the national convention held in St. Louis June 10th to 15th is now history. Many people spent untold hours working for this convention and the betterment of radiologic technology. May I extend congratulations and appreciation to those who made the convention such a success and made me proud to say I was from Missouri.

This coming year MSRT will be busy working toward higher educational standards. Some schools have affiliated with Junior Colleges while others have increased their requirements for entering training from high school graduation to one or two years of college. Our goals this year are to promote a more uniform system of Radiologic Technology training programs throughout the state.

Other major issues which may confront us are unionization, six months training programs and the possibility of state licensure. These issues will play a very important part in the technologist of the future as well as the past.

A closer communication between districts will make for a better and stronger State Society. Any district having difficulty in such matters or perhaps has found a solution should share with his neighbor.



Katherine C. De Blase, R.T.  
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Clara M. Smith, R.T.

These words are about as familiar to us as "take a deep breath - hold it." We would normally associate these words with safety. This next year let us adapt them to our own personal and professional needs.

**S** Let us all slow down a minute,  
**T** take stock of the world around us,  
**O** the world of radiologic technologists.  
**P** It has changed and is doing so constantly. Don't let it pass you by. Those of you who have just joined our ranks as newly registered technologists, tomorrow will find new techniques awaiting you. Put into practice what you have been taught.

**L** Look about you in retrospect and  
**O** glance into the past for a moment and see what it held for  
**K** technologists then; look into your future - our future as radiologic technologists. We must move forward together. The future of our profession is being prepared here and now! We must look around and seek the right paths to travel, both for ourselves and our society.

**L** Read what's going on in your profession ...  
**I** listen to what others have to tell you ...  
**S** learn about the activities in your local and state society. There are a few  
**T** fellow technologists burning midnight oil to bring you news of  
**E** your state society functions and activities.  
**N**

This can also be carried on through to the district levels. You can and should be a part of all this: accept challenges, show your individuality and don't be content to go along with the group. Through you we can enlarge our membership and continue to uphold our high standards. I invite you to join us and help us anyway you can. This can be easily achieved by simply ... stopping, looking, listening and ... joining.

I want to thank everyone who has helped me during this past year when I had the honor of holding the office of President of the Missouri Society of Radiologic Technologists. Your kindness will always be remembered. I have gained many friends and a better understanding of how the society functions.

I would also like to thank everyone that has cooperated in making our national convention a success. Your wonderful contributions toward financing the projects for the convention have been gratefully appreciated.

May God bless each and every one of you.



### THERE'S A TIME ...

There's a time to get, and a time to give ...  
And a time to throw away ...  
There's a time to do a kindly deed ...  
And that time is today.

There's a time to sing and a time to mourn ...  
A time for joy and sorrow ...  
There's a time to love, but the time to hate ...  
Might better be tomorrow.

There's a time to sleep and a time to wake ...  
A time to work and to play ...  
But the time to speak an evil thought ...  
Passed by you YESTERDAY!!!



## OF INTEREST TO TECHNICIANS

Excerpts of the minutes of the Missouri Radiological Society, Board of Directors Meeting, April 7, 1967, St. Louis  
Reprinted with permission.

In reviewing the actions taken by the Board of Directors earlier in the day Dr. Rubin called upon Dr. Charles Shopfner and Mrs. Margaret Tolan who briefly covered the material in regards to Technicians Affairs which had been covered previously in the Board of Directors Meeting and is essentially briefed in the Minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting. Dr. Rubin indicated that definitive action will be taken through the Committee on Technician's Affairs of the State Society, under the auspices of the new president. He indicated also that a Resolution is to be sent to the Commission on Technician's Affairs of the American College of Radiology in recognition of the plight of the technologists and resolving that the Missouri State Radiological Society urges that definitive action be taken in regards to supporting the technicians in their present plight.

The meeting was then turned over to Dr. Charles Shopfner, who together with Mrs. Tolan, presented a brief discussion in regards to technicians' affairs in the State of Missouri asking that the Missouri Radiological Society establish a program to actively support the technicians throughout the State and to foster support for the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists as opposed to other organizations which are registering technicians to this field. Dr. Shopfner and Mrs. Tolan reviewed the status of the technician on a national level indicating the problems that are arising in the East and in portions of the West coast where the unions are attempting to enter into the picture. Active participation and support in improving working conditions, policies, and salary schedules are necessary, a closer liaison between Radiologists and technicians at local level as well

as state level is imperative. The technician's organizations are asking our support in maintaining the high standards, and even increasing these standards for registration and support of licensure if this is necessary as long as the same standards and qualifications are used as are required for registration. They are asking us to take a more active part in their meetings and their activities and attempt to improve the entire training program for our technicians throughout the state, thereby upgrading and improving the image of the x-ray technician as a para-medical profession. When asked what is desired of the Missouri Radiological Society at the present time the following suggestions were given to the Board:

1. The use of a salary survey in the State of Missouri instituted by the Radiologists to establish and define job levels so that an appropriate salary scale for various job levels can be established on a state level.
2. Placing the X-ray Technologists under direct supervision of the Radiologists in policy and salary matters, so that the technologist does not answer to individuals who are completely unaware of the problems at hand in this specialty.
3. Motivation of career technologists to keep them in the profession. Establishing such a program for career technologists that will improve their image and prestige, so that we will avoid the shifting of many of these very capable individuals into other fields.

Various members of the Board asked questions and discussion followed. Dr. Rubin assured both Dr. Shopfner and Mrs. Tolan that the Missouri Radiological Society would cooperate in any way to achieve these goals and improve the technician's lot in the State of Missouri. He assured them also that they should take this information back to the technician's organizations and assure them also that we will do what we can on a national level through the State Chapter to achieve these goals.



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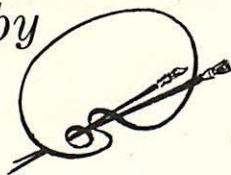
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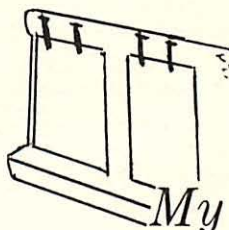
**ON THE WORK THAT THEY HAVE DONE  
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THE HIGH STANDARDS OF X-RAY  
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STATE OF MISSOURI  
AND WHOLE-HEARTEDLY SUPPORTS  
THE PROGRAM AND AIMS  
OF THE  
MISSOURI SOCIETY  
OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS**



## My Hobby



and



Barbara Noll, S.T.  
School of Radiologic Technology  
Deaconess Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri

Out of all the paramedical professions of today, I chose the radiologic technologist. This profession actually links with my hobby, art, which includes everything from interior decorating and painting to making little nothings.

In order to explain how radiologic technology is a continuation of art, the profession must be explained. It is a calling, like any other profession. The technologist is the one who produces through complex equipment a good diagnostic radiograph for the radiologist, who in turn interprets the patient's condition. The reward of this profession is a deep inner personal satisfaction. Some of the necessary qualifications are to acquire depth and breadth of personal skill and knowledge, develop proper attitudes, an ability to see important goals for himself as basis for planning a productive future. Motivation is necessary to establish goals and in dedication he devotes himself to the duties and responsibilities of the profession. Talents should be used as fully as possible. This is what the technician gives the profession.

But what does the profession give to its members in return? The technician achieves self fulfillment by having a feeling of belonging with opportunities lying ahead, having a sense of security, and a feeling of accomplishment and a knowledge that he will receive recognition.

Now you might ask how this could possibly tie in with a hobby of art. For the simple reason that to be an artist one, too, must be called. Not everyone possesses the talent to express what he feels and sees on canvas. The artist, too, produces an "image" for the observer to interpret as he pleases. There is also this deep inner personal reward that goes along with each painting as with a radiograph. Qualifications are important too. The artist too, must acquire the same depth and breadth of personal skill, attitude and goals.

There are a few other factors I would like to mention that link the two professions. Just as the patient is the controlling factor for x-ray, so are the canvases and paints for the artist. The technologist is responsible for choosing the correct procedure to produce the effect he wishes. The patient is treated as an individual and so too, is an original painting by an artist.

A diagnostic radiograph has good density, proper contrast, definition, sharpness, detail, minimum distortion, and shows various sizes and shapes. A painting has good density, true colors, proper contrast, definition, sharpness, detail and minimum distortion and shows various sizes and shapes. The technician has a responsibility to the radiologist to produce diagnostic radiographs, and to be loyal and courteous to him. So too has the artist. The

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MY HOBBY AND MY PROFESSION cont.

artist must produce paintings that are true, to be loyal and courteous to his buyer.

There are other factors that show a similarity between the radiologic technologist and the artist but those I have mentioned I have actually experienced since I have sold my first two paintings and have taken a few of my own radiographs to see the resemblance. In a sense, a good radiologic technologist is an artist in his own "profession".



"As a rule man is a fool,  
When it's hot he wants it cool,  
When it's cool he wants it hot,  
Always wanting what is not."

Anonymous

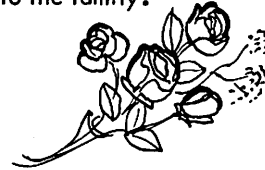
# IN MEMORIAM

L. A. Scarpellino, M.D.

Technicians everywhere lost a good friend in the passing of Dr. Louis A. Scarpellino on April 11, 1967.

Dr. Scarpellino had been Director of the Radiology Department of St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, since 1941. He graduated from Washington University Medical School in St. Louis in 1930.

It was said of him that he lived for Radiology and his students. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

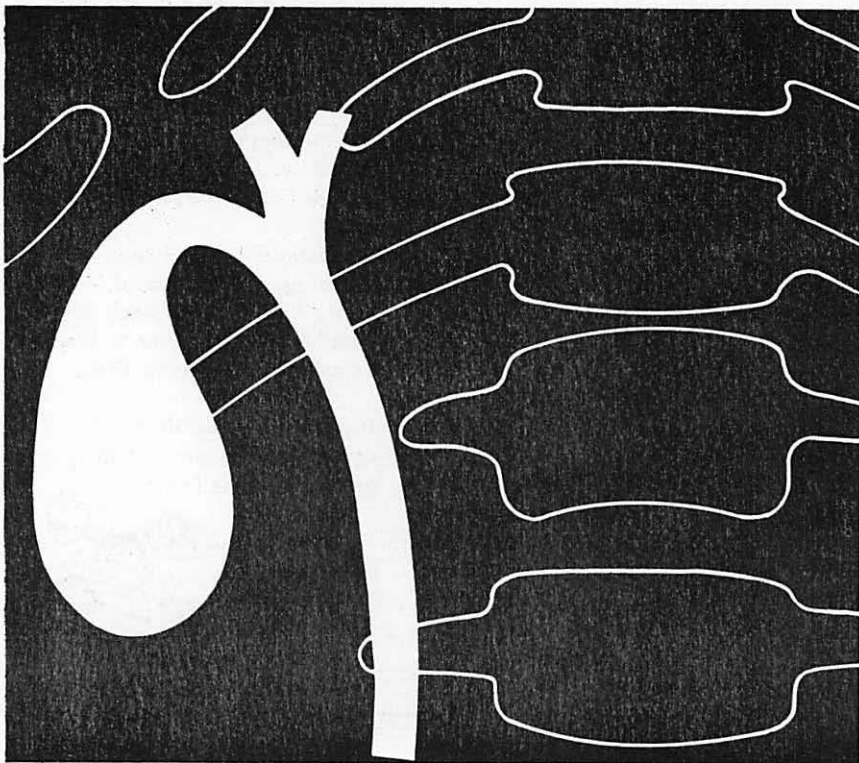


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# CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

THIRTY - NINTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

American Society of Radiologic Technologists

The culmination of more than a year's intensive preparation came into being on June 10 and extended through June 15, 1967. We refer to the Thirty - Ninth Annual Convention of The American Society of Radiologic Technologists which convened at the Chase-Park Plaza Hotel in Saint Louis, Missouri.

The weather was pleasantly warm as members and guests arrived to participate in a program which provided a variety of events intended to stimulate the mind with thought-provoking Symposia, Seminars, Scientific papers and Refresher courses. The highlight of the program being the annual Jerman Memorial Lecture which this year was presented by Mr. Edward W. White, R.T., FASRT, of Albany, New York.

The Exhibits of both the members and the commercial firms were excellent.

The luncheons sponsored by Affiliated Societies offered a midday break for a pleasant get-together with light entertainment. The entertainment 'after dark' furnished an opportunity for members to become better acquainted; there was music for dancing or just listening, a different orchestra each evening; clever MC's, humorous acts and groups including The Singing Doctors from Springfield, Missouri. The Banquet and President's Ball was the outstanding social feature with a name orchestra, colorful gowns and flowers.

The newly elected officers were inducted into office by Patricia O'Reilly Mueller, Chairman of the Board of Directors ...

Mr. Neil J. Lyons, President  
Mr. Ralph W. Coates, President-Elect  
Mr. Royce R. Osborn, 1st Vice President  
Mr. J. Fred Price, 2nd Vice President  
Miss JoAnn Gorham, Secretary-Treasurer

Several amendments to the By-Laws were adopted, among them an increase of annual dues to \$20.00 necessitated by the need for funds to properly carry out the administration of the affairs of the Society.

The registration reached 1785, the largest registration with the exception of the International Meetings, also the largest number of Active Members than has been previously recorded. The business meetings were conducted with aplomb. They were well attended and interesting. The City selected for the 1970 meeting is Miami Beach, Florida.

Los Angeles, California will be host to A.S.R.T. in 1968.



COMPLIMENTS

FROM

A COMMERCIAL FRIEND

OF TECHNICIANS

# M. S. R. T. MEETING

by Lauralee Groves, R.T.

Play! Play! Play! That's all the Missouri technologists did in St. Louis ... besides take cat naps, that is. (Ed. note - Speak for yourself, Lauralee.) Oh yes, it does seem there were a few hours spent organizing and hosting the 39th ASRT annual convention. Then ... when everything seemed to be in full swing !!! ... time out was called for the annual MSRT business meeting on the delightful evening of JUNE 12, 1967.

Clara Smith, President of the MSRT, officially opened the meeting. The minutes and treasurer's report were read by Secretary Robert Rein and Treasurer Warren Ott.

In order to save time, the following committee reports were typed and distributed to each MSRT member:

Civil Defense - James McGill, R.T., Chairman, St. Louis

Eastern Counselor - Elva Falknor, R.T., St. Louis

Western Counselor - Mary DiMartino, R.T., Kansas City

Executive Committee -

Glenda Bullinger, R.T., Chairman, Chaffee

Elva Falknor, R.T., St. Louis

Clair Vincent, R.T., Jefferson City

Delegate's Report from the 38th annual ASRT meeting May 28th - June 2nd, 1966 at Boston, Massachusetts - Ulysses Murray, R.T., St. Louis

Membership Report - Robert Rein, R.T., Springfield

Missouri Minutes - Elva Falknor, R.T., St. Louis

Public Relations - Lauralee Groves, R.T., Kansas City

Scrap Film Report - Elva Falknor, R.T., St. Louis

Treasurer's Report - Warren Ott, R.T., Sullivan

These reports were accepted as published and put on file.

John Roe, of Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City, read part of the minutes of the Missouri Radiological Society concerning the visit of Dr. Charles Shopfner and Marjorie Tolan. Mrs. Tolan and Dr. Shopfner addressed the Missouri Radiologists in behalf of Missouri technologists by requesting that Radiologists support technologists and their Professional Societies. The doctors stated they would support us in any way possible but requested that technologists inform them precisely what they want Radiologists to do to help upgrade our education, working conditions, professional status, etc. Mr. Roe began the discussion by submitting District 1's desire for State Licensing. State licensing seemed to dominate this discussion for a good portion of the evening.

Warren Ott suggested that Radiologists sponsor District Refresher Courses and that districts co-sponsor these opportunities for advanced education. Due to more Missouri business which needed discussion and attention, lateness of the hour, hunger, and other commitments, it was decided to give the Radiologists' request to our Liaison Committee for further evaluation.

It was also decided that Kansas City would be the site of next year's annual MSRT meeting.

Election of officers took place and after election, Glenda Bullinger installed the following:

President - Kathy DeBlase, R.T., Kansas City

President-Elect - Don Myers, R.T., Hannibal

Vice President - Warren Dixon, R.T., Glencoe

Secretary - Ruth Hess, R.T., Affton

Treasurer - Warren Ott, R.T., Sullivan

Western Counselor - Mary DiMartino, R.T., Kansas City

Eastern Counselor - Ulysses Murray, R.T., St. Louis

It seemed it took Missouri technologists a long time to accomplish the above that hectic

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# PROTECT YOUR LIFE!

James McGill, R.T., Chairman  
Civil Defense Committee

The civil defense program in this area is not as active at this time as it was several years ago but it is still a very necessary and important facet of our society today. Nuclear war is an ever threatening menace in our time.

A few years ago the civil defense program was very active. The construction of fall-out shelters in the home and the preparation of basements in large buildings was very prominent. The training program for monitors was also at a peak. Since that time the civil defense program has slowed considerably.

Civil defense is a non-military program for saving lives and property if an enemy attacks our country. The heart of civil defense in the United States is individual and family preparedness. Families should be prepared to care for themselves for two weeks after a national disaster.

Full aid from the federal and state governments is usually available after a two week period. Family defense includes:

1. Building a shelter for protection against fall-out.
2. Learning and practicing home emergency measures.

A first aid kit should be kept ready in the home. It should include sterile gauze, anti-septics, paper cups, adhesive tape, razor blades, scissors, and burn ointment.

Emergency equipment should also include canned foods, shovel, bottle of water, battery radio, hose, rope, blankets, flashlight, flashlight batteries wrapped separately, and a bucket of sand. This must be stored in as safe an area as possible.

Businesses and industries provide shelter areas within factories, office buildings, and hospitals. They also develop and practice plans for evacuation. Most factories already have fire fighting, safety, and rescue equipment, and trained personnel are available for immediate action.

## SURVIVAL SUGGESTIONS

Civil defense officials urge six steps to help increase your chances if an enemy atomic attack should occur:

1. TAKE COVER. When the signal sounds, hurry to the nearest shelter, such as a basement, subway, culvert, or alley. If you cannot reach a shelter, or are in an automobile, lie face down on the ground or crouch on the car floor.
2. DROP TO THE FLOOR immediately if you see a flash and have not been warned. The best place in your home is close to a wall or under a bed or table. Stay away from windows.
3. COVER YOUR FACE. The flash of an atomic explosion will cause blindness for several minutes if you face it. If you know an attack is about to occur, hide your eyes in the crook of your elbow to prevent flashburns and eye injury.
4. DO NOT RUSH OUTSIDE after an atomic attack. Civil defense and other municipal authorities will survey the area, and let you know by loudspeakers or radio when it is safe to leave your shelter.
5. AVOID USING FOOD AND WATER IN OPEN CONTAINERS. Use only canned, boxed, or bottled foods. Destroy all other unpackaged foods because they may be contaminated by

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## SECRETARY'S REPORT

Annual Report of The Secretary  
 St. Louis, Missouri  
 June 12, 1967

Number of members in good standing at the beginning of the Fiscal Year	208
Gain in new members	25
Gain in Student members	15
Loss of members	
Withdrawn	5
Suspended for non-payment of dues	16
Deaths	<u>2</u>
Total	<u>23</u>
Members in good standing at end of Fiscal Year	225
Number of Regular Meetings held (MSRT)	1
Number of Executive Committee meetings held	2
Average attendance of Officers and Members (Executive Committee Meetings)	12

Robert Rein, R.T., ASRT



### MSRT MEETING cont.

evening of June 12, 1967 soooo NOW the following thought is supported by many ... Always remember ancient Chinese Proverb or - in other words - Confucious say "Next time we host national convention in conjunction with state convention, have state meeting one whole day before the national meeting."

Anyway, most ASRT members felt the ASRT meeting was very successful, educational, and fun! In turn, most Missourians were pleased and honored to have the opportunity to serve the ASRT and in the end probably had more fun than anyone just playing host!



SIX DISTRICTS UNITED

◆  
ONE STRONG

*M. S. R. T.*



PROTECT YOUR LIFE cont.

radiation.

6. DO NOT SPREAD RUMORS. Atomic weapons are the most destructive known. But they cannot blow the earth apart or kill everyone by radiation. Blast and heat are the chief causes of damage in an atomic explosion. Radioactive fall-out could be as great a cause of casualties. Proper civil defense preparations can lessen damage and injury from these causes. It is better to be prepared than to die needlessly.

I am sure that the above suggestions are not new to you. This is a reminder that civil defense is still very vital to our lives.

Reference: World Book



"Character is what you are in the dark."

Dwight L. Moody

TREASURER'S REPORT
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May 10, 1966 to May 31, 1967

MISSOURI SOCIETY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

Balance on Hand, May 10, 1966 1,024.35

INCOME:

Membership dues & Initiation Fees	762.50
Receipts - 1966 State Convention	126.05
Advertising in MISSOURI MINUTES	687.50
Scrap Film Drive	280.71
Contribution - Dr. Milton Shoss	100.00
Refund - Purchase of cards & seals	2.71

TOTAL INCOME 1,959.47

BALANCE ON HAND - 5-10-66 & INCOME 2,983.82

DISBURSEMENTS - 1966 - 1967

1967 National Convention Fund	76.32
Shipping Charges - Career Exhibit	11.40
Sr. Marie Patrice - MSRT Education Committee - Career Exhibit	18.00
Delegates' Expense-1966 Convention	100.00
1966 Exhibit Awards	6.18
Printing Checks - MSRT	5.50
Flowers for Herbert O. Stevens	12.87
Membership Cards; Certificate Seals	27.91
Max Graves (Postage)	3.00
Robert Rein (Postage)	6.00
Warren Ott (Postage)	28.90
Elva Falknor (Postage & Phone)	16.06
Rubber Stamp; Ledger; Envelopes	5.10
Mailing Labels	7.07
Letterheads (printing)	23.48
District Dues paid to State Treas. returned to District Treas.	122.50
1967 Convention Reports (mimeo)	16.75
Printing of Certificates	40.25
Subscriptions-RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY for Associate Members	25.50
Printing - MISSOURI MINUTES	1,154.45
Postage - MISSOURI MINUTES	97.57
Mailing Jackets - labels	11.37
Bank Service Charge	.34

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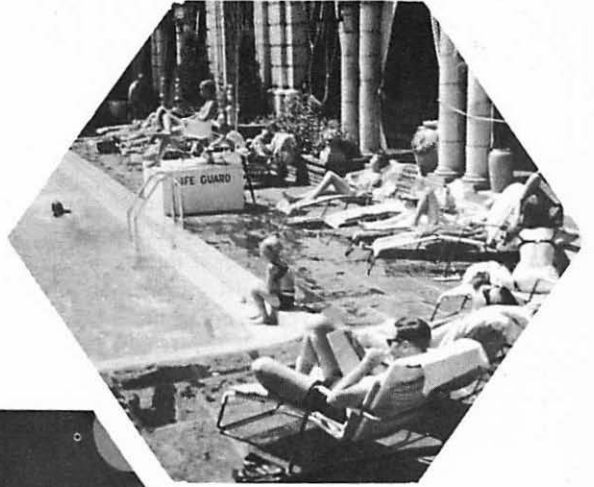
Warren R. Ott, Jr., Treasurer



*It's all over now... but the memories linger on*



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## District Doings



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On February 14, 1967, Earle McRae, President of Kansas State Society of Radiologic Technologists presented RA-DIOLOGICAL COLLEGE

BOWL, consisting of two student teams who responded to simulated "Registry Examination" questions, the winning team being the recipient of the most "points". It is felt that this procedure is an excellent teaching aid and Mr. McRae has offered to assist anyone who is interested.

At the March 14th meeting held at Menorah Medical Center, Dr. Donald Wald's presentation on "Professional Status and Advanced Training for the X-Ray Technician," dealt with the relationship between the radiologist and technologist, as well as the professional appearance of the technologist. Approximately 75 attended the meeting.

Dr. D. R. Germann, Radiologist, Kansas University Medical Center, spoke on "Renal Scanning in Conjunction with I.V.P.'s" at the April 11, 1967 meeting held at Kansas City General Hospital and Medical Center, Kansas City, Missouri. A tour of the newly constructed and equipped Department of Radiology convinced everyone that it is the most gorgeous department ever ... ULTRA! Election of officers was also held, the following being elected:

President: John A. Roe  
Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City  
Vice President: Sister Rose Odile, SSJ  
(Carondelet)  
St. Joseph's Hospital, Kansas City  
Secretary: Virginia Ann (Ginger) Phillips  
Drs. Sheldon Berenson and John Barry's  
office, Kansas City

Treasurer: Carmon Sparks  
Drs. Ralph Perry and Stacy Long's office,  
Kansas City

Refreshments were served after the meeting and Marie Beth Redmon, student at Kansas City General Hospital, was awarded the door prize.

The May meeting, held at St. Mary's Hospital, proved to be one of the most interesting meetings ever held, though it concerned eye-opening tragic events. Dr. Nels M. Strandjord, Radiologist, University of Kansas Medical Center, discussed "Radiology in Vietnam," having spent three months voluntarily in Vietnam to study radiology as practice there as well as to give his services. The shortage of doctors demanded that Dr. Strandjord act as a general practitioner at times - suturing, prescribing, setting fractures et cetera. He showed movies and slides and presented radiographs produced with 15 M.A. equipment. Such radiography would be quite a challenge to most of us. Technologists, too, are needed desperately in Vietnam. Excellent pay! Mary Belle Harbit installed the newly elected officers, Sister Rose Odile, however, not being able to be present.

George Johnson, Past-President of District 1, presented Kathy DeBlase with her outgoing President Pin, awarded as a token of appreciation to those who have served as President.

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Donald Myers, President, presided over the meeting held March 19, 1967, at Levering Hospital, Hannibal. Larry McCluskie, anesthetist at the hospital, gave an interesting presentation on "Resuscitation." A contribution was voted to be donated to help with the President's Lunch-

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eon at the 39th Annual Convention of The American Society of Radiologic Technologists.

The July meeting will be a picnic held on the third Sunday at Mark Twain Cave.

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On February 16, 1967, the regular monthly meeting was held at The Holiday Inn (Midtown), preceded by a dinner which has become a "standard procedure." Dr. Lawrence Pilla, Radiologist, St. Mary's Hospital, gave a very interesting lecture, accompanied by slides, on "OB-GYN Radiology."

The 15th annual BOSSES NIGHT was held, March 16, 1967, at The Holiday Inn also. Cocktail hour at 7:00 P.M. preceded the dinner. Dr. Lily Palmer, of Mallinckrodt Institute, St. Louis, made a big hit as Toastmistress. This was Dr. Palmer's third and last time to serve as Toastmistress at Bosses Night. She is leaving in June for a new position in Chicago and will be greatly missed by St. Louisans.

Dr. J. Byron Beare was guest speaker and showed his movie, "Safari Adventure", which proved to be extremely interesting and was thoroughly enjoyed by the extraordinarily large group attending. The Radiologist - Bosses, as usual, enjoyed their "treat night."

Our April meeting was held at Perkins' Pancake House, preceded by a smorgasbord buffet style dinner. Dr. Armand Brodeur, Radiologist, Cardinal Glennon Hospital, being the versatile and capable individual that he is, elected not to speak on "Pediatric Radiograph," as scheduled. Instead, he entertained us delightfully, utilizing his talents as a magician which have continued to expand since his first performances which monetarily aided him to graduate from medical school. His magic was intriguing, leaving us shaking our heads in wonderment.

At the May 18, 1967 meeting, Reverend John



J. Flanagan, S.J., Director of the Catholic Hospital Association for the past twenty years and the to-be second recipient of the 1967 Distinguished Service Award from the American Hospital Association, spoke to us of the importance of our place in the area of human relations...to counteract, in particular, the public thought of our service only in terms of costs.



Election of officers was held and Mildred Reese installed the newly elected officers:

President: James W. McGill  
Homer G. Phillips Hospital

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Vice President: W. David Blackwell  
Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology,  
St. Louis

Secretary: Nancy Lee Hunt  
Deaconess Hospital, St. Louis

Treasurer: Brother Thomas Swatzina  
Alexian Brothers Hospital, St. Louis

Convention news and annual committee reports were presented.

Note: An added attraction of our meetings is an attendance prize which now amounts to over \$25.00, as well as a "Mystery" door prize. The drawings are a moment for breath-holding and, for some, rewarding and/or a happy solving of the unknown.

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Our December 11, 1966 luncheon and meeting was held at Wilders Cafe, Joplin, Missouri. There were eight technologists and officers present. The meeting was called to order by the President, Ted Rust, R.T. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The President appointed a nominating committee for the next meeting:

Velda Loving, R.T., Chairman  
Charles Martin  
Richard Hammer, R.T.  
Rick Grier

Dr. Wilfred W. Hurst, Joplin, Missouri, gave a lecture on "Radiography of the Spine," also demonstrating a small portable x-ray unit which he had just received and about which he was very enthusiastic. The meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

Thirty-two technologists and officers attended the March 12, 1967 meeting held at Burge-Protestant Hospital, Springfield, Missouri. The meeting was called to order by President Ted Rust, R.T. The minutes of the last meeting

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were read and approved.

Mr. Richard Hammer moved that we send a check for \$25.00 to the General Convention Fund. The motion carried.

Mr. Bob Rein reported that the State Convention would be held in St. Louis in conjunction with the National Convention, on the evenings of June 12-13, 1967. Mr. Rein also advised everyone to forward their hotel reservation cards early in order to be assured of accommodations.

The Nomination Committee presented nominations for officers, these nominees being duly elected as officers:

President: Robert Rein, R.T.  
Springfield, Missouri  
Vice President: Velda Loving, R.T.  
Neosho, Missouri  
Secretary-Treasurer: Betty Edginton  
Mt. Vernon, Missouri

Executive Committee:  
Richard Hammer, R.T., Chairman, Joplin  
Dorothy Rattles, R.T., Springfield  
Ted Rust, R.T., Mt. Vernon

Richard Hammer moved that the next meeting be held in Springfield, May 28, at St. John's Hospital.

The program was presented by student technicians from the 5th District, as follows:

Grace Clarry - "Lumbar Spine"  
Sue Thomas, Claudia Lewis, Grenda Hagan, Bonita Nightengale and Judy York - "Radiographic Quality"  
Carland Arft - "Solarization"  
Sue Griffin and Judy Way - "Mammography"

Meeting was adjourned at 3:30 P.M.

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The February meeting of District 6 was held at Doctors Hospital, Poplar Bluff, Missouri. Our hosts were Todd Shelton, R.T. and Jerry Costin, R.T. Fourteen technologists were in attendance.

The program was presented by Tom Koch, Technical Representative, Dupont Photo Products. Tom lectured on the manufacture and processing of x-ray and photographic film, using 8 mm color movie films to demonstrate his points. The film was especially interesting because Tom himself was one of those portrayed.

Following the program, our hosts served the group with their usual abundance of food and a social hour followed.

Our March meeting was held in the offices of the Cape Surgical Group, Cape Girardeau, Missouri, our hostess for the evening being Mrs. Glenda Bullinger, R.T. Donald Brown, R.T., President, presided over the meeting. Reports from various committees were presented.

Our honored guests for the evening were Mr. Douglas Jones and Mr. Tom Koch of Dupont and Mr. Jim Scherer and Mr. Leroy Atchley from Success and Motivation Institute of Texas. Mr. Atchley is a very excellent speaker and believes in his work; by the time he has had thirty minutes of your time, you are feeling as if you could go out and tackle any kind of a job and breeze through it with a grin. We recommend him very highly for a speaking engagement.

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the April meeting was postponed until May 9, 1967.



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Anonymous

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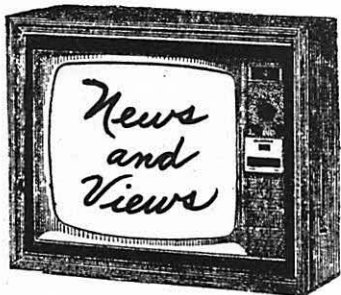
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Dr. Edwin Ernst, Jr., also made the news recently. His picture adorned the local newspaper with an article regarding the cancer detection program. Dr. Ernst arranged to have a panel of doctors available at the showings of the cancer detection films. Dr. Albert Bonfanti also assisted in this.

Dr. Mark Eagleton is now President of the Greater St. Louis Society of Radiologists with Dr. John W. Fries as vice president and Dr. Alexander Link as secretary-treasurer.

We can vouch that Dr. Milton Shoss of Cape Girardeau was in town recently as he also made the news in the Inquiring Reporter column of the St. Louis Globe.

The Sisters of St. Mary's Hospital, St. Louis, are to be thanked for the labels for this issue.

And many thanks to Sister Aloysius Marie in particular for writing up the "District Doings" for this issue.

We are sorry that the information from Ella Mae Marable, regarding the refresher course program at the A.S.R.T. Convention arrived too late for publication.

Also the information regarding the Radioisotope Training Program of St. Elizabeth Hospital, Lincoln, Nebraska arrived when the March issue was ready for mailing. Although the course does not commence until July 1, 1967, applications were to be in by May 31st. Since we publish quarterly, all copy for publication should be in the hands of the Editor by the 10th of the month preceding publication.

When doing a little research at the library for one of the evening entertainment functions at the convention, your editor ran across an interesting item. You all know that Missouri is called the "Show me" state but did you know how it came about? Rather differently than it sounds. It seems that a new member of the House, Representative Vandiver from Missouri failed to understand an issue that was before Congress and he said, "You will have to show me" then he added modestly since he was brand new and figured no one would know him, "I'm from Missouri."

Marjorie Tolan attended the wedding of her daughter recently in Ohio. Mr. Tolan also has a daughter soon to be wed.

Little Jackie Long, formerly at St. Mary's Hospital, St. Louis, and working the last few years in Chicago, is getting married in September to a young doctor and moving to Washington, D.C. Good luck, Jackie! We will miss you.

Dave Kelley, formerly of Alexian Brothers Hospital and more recently of Chicago, is back in St. Louis. Sorry, we don't know where.

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## NEWS & VIEWS cont.

We had hoped to see Brother Fidelis at the national meeting but he did not appear. Duty called, no doubt. We heard that he has been transferred back to Chicago again, true?

Having worked all the past year on the Convention Entertainment committee, Elva Falknor is trying a change of pace, having just been elected as Secretary to the St. Louis Chapter of the Society of Technical Writers, and Vice President of the Fleur de Lis Club of Toastmistress International.

**FLASH!** Brand new M.S.R.T. President gets brand new ring! Kathy DeBlase has just become engaged to Mario Scaglia after returning home from the convention. The date for the wedding has not been set. Congratulations and best wishes to both.

We do not know how the President felt but we thought the President's Luncheon was SUPER!

Sister Velma was called home in May due to the illness of her father but we are glad to report that he soon was doing much better.

Dalmar Blankenship of Independence visited District 4 at their April meeting, had surgery in May and attended the national convention in June. Now there's a man!

Marie Isert Thompson is at present a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, St. Louis, but by the time you read this will be up and at it again.

A meeting of the Missouri Society Executive committee, officers and convention chairmen was held on March 5, 1967 at the Chase-Park Plaza. Those present included Clara Smith, Glenda Bullinger, Robert Rein, Warren Ott, Elva Falknor, Sister Velma, Mildred Reese, Ulysses Murray, Mary DiMartino, Kathy DeBlase, James Patterson, Walter Anderssen and David Blackwell.

Following this, a convention committee meet-

ing was held with Ulysses Murray, David Blackwell, Sister Aloysius Marie, Mildred Reese, Sister Velma, Bill Miller, Mary Lewis, Warren Dixon, Elva Falknor, Kathy DeBlase and Walter Anderssen. At this meeting Mr. Murray became ill and was taken home and spent the next few days in De Paul Hospital. The weather was so stormy that those from a distance had to leave before this meeting.

A great deal of credit should go to the Missouri Society Public Relations Chairman this past year, Lauralee Groves. She has really been busy and if all the Districts accomplished what she set out for them we really have gone forward. It was she who was behind the appearance of Marjorie Tolan and Dr. Charles Shopfner at the Missouri Radiological Society, written up elsewhere in this Journal.

Such beautiful scrap books were displayed at the A.S.R.T. convention by the First and Sixth  
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Districts that it behooves the rest of the Districts to get busy and start one of their own District Doings.

At the Affiliation meeting on Sunday evening at the national convention, Mrs. Eilert stressed that better communication exist between the societies and officers. Please send copies of your correspondence to the officers and counselors. Also please fill out the new officers lists more carefully to send to the Executive office. And even though our society is exempt from income tax, tax forms must still be filled out in order not to lose our exemption.

The Society owes a debt of gratitude to the Missouri Radiological Society and the Greater St. Louis Society of Radiologists for their moral and financial support for our convention activities. Many thanks, Doctors!

Also to Buck X-Ograph Company for their generous contribution to the Convention funds. With their donation came a letter signed by I. J. Matlock to Walter Anderssen which closes with the following paragraph:

"The Society is fortunate indeed in having some good, hard working, and conscientious members like yourself, who do a lot more than just 'belong' to the organization, and we sincerely hope all of you good workers will be given proper recognition for your efforts."

Sister Mary Mark Pizotti, C.F.M., graduated from Saint Louis University, June 6, obtaining a bachelor of science degree in radiologic technology, and has returned to Cambridge, Massachusetts. Marc Bussieres and Gilles Paquin will have completed the requirements for the bachelor of science degree in radiologic technology as of July 30, 1967, and will be returning to Laval University, Quebec, Canada.

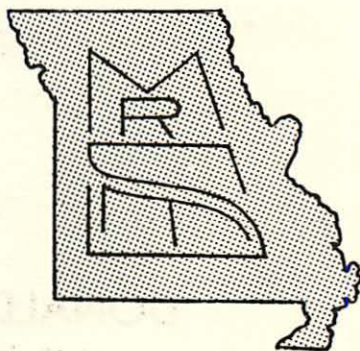
Charles Hermon of Cook County Hospital,  
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Chicago, Illinois, has enrolled, as of the second summer session, 1967, in the radiologic technology program, Saint Louis University. The following are transferring to Saint Louis University as of next September: Gillian Stowell from Christian College, Columbia, Missouri; Lawrence Samolinski from Illinois Community College, LaSalle, Illinois; Barbara Brennan, a 1967 graduate of St. Joseph's Academy, St. Louis, Missouri.

Sister Miriam Therese Peterman, S.S.M. and Sister Marie Collette, S.S.M. have completed the four-year program in radiologic technology, Saint Louis University, and respectively are enrolling in the Nuclear Medicine Technology and Radiation Therapy Technology programs, thus adding an additional year to their professional education.

Alumni and students (approximately 60) honored Sister Mary Alacoque, S.S.M. by a dinner, June 13, given at Glennon Memorial Hall.

A welcome was extended by Sister Mary Fides, S.S.M. and speakers were Sister Mary Johnita Dempsey, R.S.M. and J. Huston. The dinner was followed by a magic show presented by Armand E. Brodeur, M.D., who contributed a number of new phenomena for the occasion. Many alumni, unable to attend, forwarded greetings and best wishes, by mail or telegram.

Diane Wathen, a senior student in radiologic technology, Saint Louis University, is vacationing in Canada. Sister Korycki, S.C., a sophomore student, has also returned to Canada for the summer.

Sister Mary Helen Bocklage, S.S.M., who has served as Superior-Administrator at St. Mary's Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri for the past six years, has now returned to the field of radiologic technology and is currently serving at St. Clare's Hospital, Baraboo, Wisconsin. Welcome back, Sister Mary Helen!

Edna Hudson, who has been employed in the  
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clerical division of the Department of Radiology, St. Mary's Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri for almost three years, has left for Rock Island, Illinois. Miss Hudson plans to marry as of September, 1968.

Sister Dorothy Marie Schulte, S.S.M., has been spending the month of June at St. Eugene's Hospital, Dillon, South Carolina, relieving Mrs. Glenn, who attended the National Convention of the A.S.R.T. recently held in St. Louis. On her return trip, Sister plans to visit her brother in New Jersey.

Joseph DiCroce, member of the faculty in radiologic technology, Saint Louis University and the staff of Cardinal Glennon Memorial Hospital, was recently called home due to the serious illness of his father who resides in New Jersey. We are glad to learn that his father is improving.

Lauralee Groves attended an Isotope Symposium in early spring at Providence Hospital, Kansas City, Kansas, which was organized by Don Blancett formerly of District One. She also went to a Nuclear Medicine Symposium sponsored by the Great Plains Nuclear Medicine Society at Kansas University Medical Center. But she had to cancel a trip to the Kentucky

Derby ... finances would not stretch.

Kathleen Price is leaving Dr. Barry and Berenson's office. Her husband is transferring to Springfield to work and she thought it her duty as a wife to go with him.

April 21, 1967 Dr. Chas. Shopfner, John Roe, John Guerra and Ethel Moore were guest speakers on the scientific program for Kansas State. Topics were upper GI'S, CYSTO URETHOGRAMS AND CHESTS.

Alice Etter previously from District #5 but presently working at North Kansas City Medical Group is now on vacation. The message is everyone from District #5 stay home just in case she happens by.

The Burrs, Lena and Bill, of Farmington, Mo., after having been married more years than they care to tell, have adopted two children, age five and six. Those Burrs are nice people.

Clara Smith, President of MSRT is very happy these days - she and John have had their home redecorated. It doesn't take much to make a woman happy, fellows, just a few thousand dollars and lot of hard work.

James Patterson, R.T., has left the field of  
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x-ray and has accepted a position with Veterans Hospital at Poplar Bluff, Mo., in the payroll and accounting department. We were a little upset over this turn of events, strictly from the selfish side, of course, - he's a good man and we hate to lose him. But he tells us that he plans on remaining active in the society work, and that made us feel a little better.

All you bowlers sit up and take notice: Jean House of the Bonne Terre Hospital staff had one of those good nights, she bowled three games of 177, 185, and 204. (Perhaps we shouldn't tell this, but the next week she had one game of 129.)

Jean Detring, R.T., formerly working on an Educational grant at the State Hospital in Farmington, Mo., has transferred to the x-ray department at the same institution. She now works with Henry Cashion, R.T. and Charlene Whaley.

Bob Rein had some bad luck after the MSRT Executive meeting last Spring. He had a little accident on the way home from St. Louis to Springfield and most of his minutes of the meeting were destroyed. He had to reconstruct them from memory.

Max Graves' new address is 4745 Redstart, Houston, Texas 77035.

Art Nickels, formerly an R.T. in St. Louis, is the boy with the rapid promotions. After joining Winthrop Laboratories he was promoted from Arkansas to the New York office. He was very enthusiastic about the plans for the national convention and wanted to give us every support possible. But - lo and behold - he did not get to attend as he was promoted to Europe!

Eugene Elstrom of U.S. Radelin had open heart surgery in July '65. We are a little late in reporting this, but we just learned about it at the Convention. He looks fine now. Be sure you stay that way, Gene.

Mary Rudder, member of the A.S.R.T. Board, recently got married. Best wishes, Mary! The reason she was not at the convention, however, was due to ill health in the family.

## MIRACLE IN MO. MIN.

By the stroke of a typewriter, we turned Oscar Rowe's new baby boy into a girl (not that we see anything wrong with girls) but we are cognizant of the fact that it took Oscar 15 years to get this boy, so we offer our apologies!

## FLASH! GIRL WINS POT OF GOLD!

Some of the best news at the Convention was that which Ocius Norris received when she was the recipient of a telephone call telling her she had won \$1,000.00 in a raffle! BUT WAIT! The stub ... the stub! Where was the stub??? She dashed home to look for that all important piece of paper and THERE IT WAS ... on the kitchen table ... left there when she had changed purses.

District One had a picnic Sunday, June 25, 1967 at Shawnee Mission, Antioch Park. Very successful after everyone got together (there are two Shawnee Mission Parks ... Shawnee Mission Park and Shawnee Mission Antioch Park.) Most of us went to the wrong one first. Approximately 25 to 30 people finally found the correct park and we had a "hey day". Shared good food, good times, candid snapshots of the convention in St. Louis, took candid snapshots at the picnic, sore muscles from playing baseball. As a matter of fact, Grannie (as we affectionately call Barbara Sitzler) was real proud of herself. She said for a woman her age she thought the A's should sign her up. She got on base 2 times out of 4. The drawing for technologists who attended 5 or more district meetings this past year took place. Betty Steinhauser was the lucky winner of \$15.

Lauralee Groves finished isotope training Friday, June 30, 1967; started working at General Hospital July 17, 1967; went out of town to a  
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family reunion; went to the Lake of the Ozarks twice; attended a swingin' champagne party at the Hilton Inn and was lucky enough to get to represent the Nuclear Medicine Department at a steak dinner at the Homestead Country Club ... compliments of Dr. N. Strandjord. Dr. Strandjord has been chief radiologist at K.U. Medical Center for the past three years but has resigned to return to Chicago. He took supervisors and technologists out to dinner as a going-away gesture. Wasn't that nice?

Someone hit Lauralee's car and did approximately \$50 damage while it was parked.

Kansas City is busy on next year's MSRT meeting.

Technologists everywhere are talking - should we petition a raise for Orville Sikes and Warren Ott or do you suppose convention affairs kept them too busy to make barber shop appointments in St. Louis? (They really fooled them at the

masquerade.)

North Kansas City Medical Group now has four technologists. The newcomer is really an old technologist (Registry wise) Mary Jo Churchman. Welcome back to the fold, Mary Jo.

Who do you think won the corn whiskey jug from Missouri at the President's Luncheon - a Nun!

What's this we hear about Doug Cook making phone calls to K.C. since the convention?



Maybe the reason they're called the opposite sex is that every time he thinks he's fooled her, it's the opposite.

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## Kind Words



Many thanks for the kind words of commendation from the following:

Just a note to express my appreciation and congratulations for a most impressive and rewarding publication. The MISSOURI MINUTES is truly an outstanding journal, and indeed a credit to Technology.

Please keep up the fine work, and convey my best wishes for continued success to all.

Sincerely yours,  
Royce R. Osborn, R.T.  
Secretary-Treasurer ASRT

Just a note to tell you that the MISSOURI MINUTES are getting better all the time. I also appreciate still being carried on the mailing list.

Sincerely,  
George F. Koenig, R.T.  
Assistant Professor of  
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## Invocation

This beautiful Invocation was given by Sister Marie Patrice at the President's Luncheon, A.S.R.T. Convention, June 12, 1967.

O God, we have so much for which to be grateful in this assembly. We appreciate this opportunity to associate with our colleagues, teachers, benefactors and friends.

We acknowledge the fruits of your will in the success of this meeting and pray that you will guide us to profit from this learning experience.

Exercise your benevolent wisdom in our discussions and negotiations with the many crucial issues this association will face in the very near future.

We beg your special indulgence for all radiologic technologists everywhere, but especially those in military service.

May you shower blessings upon our radiologists and the personnel who serve our departments so faithfully.

And I ask with humble sincerity, O God, that you bless us here as well, as this repast we are about to enjoy because of your unending mercy and kindness.

Amen



### DISTRICT PRESIDENTS AT A GLANCE ...

1. John Roe, Independence
2. Don Myers, Hannibal
3. Clair Vincent, Jefferson City
4. James McGill, St. Louis
5. Robert Rein, Springfield
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# Proclamation

STATE OF MISSOURI



WHEREAS, the Radiologic Technologist is a vital link in the chain of health service in our State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, in addition to an important role in the care of the sick and the injured, the Radiologic Technologist performs a significant service in the community defense against nuclear and radiological hazards; and

WHEREAS, the ever-expanding health services, needs and safety of our State and Nation demand an ever-increasing number of well-trained and well-qualified Radiologic Technologists; and

WHEREAS, there are, in Missouri, a large number of hospitals and institutions superbly equipped to provide high level training in Radiologic Technology; and

WHEREAS, the Radiologic Technologist is often the faithful and devoted, but too little recognized, anchor of the medical service team:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WARREN E. HEARNES, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim the week of June 10th through June 15th, 1967, as

## RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS' WEEK

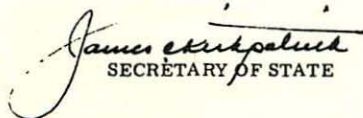
in the State of Missouri, and call upon the people to salute our dedicated and competent Radiologic Technologists and to direct the attention of the young citizens of Missouri to the public service opportunities which lie in this field of endeavor and to encourage wider enrollment in the excellent training courses offered.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 10th day of March, 1967.



GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE

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