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COLUMBIA TELEPHONE CO.

Use Our Classified Column—It Pays

## General Hospital

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ever, in most of the months since then admissions have averaged over 1,000.

Two other records of service were broken by the General Hospital this past month according to the same report. One was the number of surgical operations performed—569—as compared to the previous all-time high of 565 performed during June 1948. The other record broken was the number of patients treated in the Receiving Ward—the hospital's emergency department. During July 1949 this department cared for 973 patients. The previous high was 931 treated just a year ago—July 1948.

Dr. DeBusk also reported that 2,547 days of free hospital care have been provided in the first two months of the General's current fiscal year. This care has cost the hospital \$24,910. Other figures included in the monthly census were: 219 births in July compared with 192 a year ago; 8,860 patient days of service as compared with 8,164 in 1948. Of last month's patient days, approximately 1,300 were provided free of charge to the patient. The average daily number of patients in the hospital during 1949 was 286 with the highest number 317 which occurred on Friday, July 29th. 260 patients made 505 visits to the hospital clinics and dispensary during the month.

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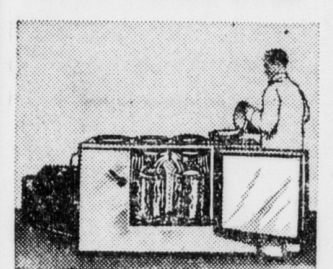
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