

BESS MAUDE HARE COLLECTION, 1924

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ABSTRACT

The tablets in this collection were written by Bess Maude Hare, during her time as a nursing student at St. Peter's Hospital, in Charlotte, North Carolina. Included are Hare's class schedule and subject notes.

St. Peter's Hospital opened on January 20, 1876, as the Charlotte Home and Hospital, and it opened in rented rooms in a house on East Seventh Street. The first non-military hospital in North Carolina, it was established to provide medical services for the underprivileged of the community. The hospital eventually arrived at its permanent location at 225-231 North Poplar Street, and opened on May 30, 1878. Following improvements and expansions, new dedication ceremonies were held for the expanded facility on July 15, 1898, whereupon its name was changed to St. Peter's Hospital. Structures were replaced several times, and final alterations to the hospital occurred in 1935. At that time, the Board of Trustees began investigating other locations, as they could expand no further. St. Peter's Hospital officially closed on October 8, 1940, when Memorial Hospital opened. The former hospital building on Poplar Street was transformed into the Kenmore Hotel, which later became condos in 1982.

This collection includes tablets.

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Bess Maude Hare Collection is a small collection formerly from the Ephemera Collection. It consists of loose-leaf tablets. The materials are from 1924.

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