

“Inventory” of the stained glass memorial windows located in the “Old Lobby” side of the Edward A. Block Family Library, Riley Hospital for Children at IU Health, 13 October 2014.

[All panels are read left to right by row on each panel. Each panel has five rows of four stained-glass window panes. The second row center two panes of each panel contain the original decorative art for these windows]

Panel One [Far Left-side] -

Row 1 –

City of Brazil

Ferdinand & Leah Meyer - Gottlieb & Fannie Kiser

Mary O'Connor

George Schuylergardiner

Row 2 –

Elizabeth Sinclair

None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]

St. Mary's Church of Richmond

Row 3 –

Clemens Vonnegut Sr. - Clemens Vonnegut Jr.

Sullivan Norton Smith

Wmma Caroline Smith

Dewey Bates Post American Legion Auxiliary

Row 4 –

Mary H. Woodsmall

Margaret Sandusky Allen and James Allen III

Marie Rosana Myers 1889-1910

Woman's Rotary Club of Indianapolis

Row 5 –

Martha Stewart Moxley

Roy H. Kitterman

Charles Albertson White - Dee Miller White

Gift of Tell City

Panel Two -

Row 1 –

H. Herschel Leiter

Marjorie F. Saulsbury

Mae N. Eikenberry

William H. Yingling

“Inventory” of the stained glass memorial windows (cont.)**Panel Two (cont.) -**

Row 2 –

Leonard L. Hutson

None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]

Candace L. Newman

Row 3 –

Emily Caroline Rae

Katie B. Wolf

Carole Anne Walker

Sigma Phi Gamma

Row 4 –

Edwin Braddock

Don D. Carpenter - Gladys E. Carpenter

Marie B. Ostermeyer

William M. Bartlett

Row 5 –

Mary Ann Price

Matthew W. Gage

T. Edith Drane

Fred & Jesse Millis [Fred Millis, and his advertising firm, was contracted for work on first Riley campaign]

Panel Three –

Row 1 –

Rachel Efroymson

Guy L. & Josephine Staymen

Julius A. & Belle M. Hansom

Carol Ann Jennings

Row 2 –

Psi Iota Xi Sorority

None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]

Ora M. Gray

Row 3 –

Francis E. Newton - Ralph J. Newton

The Judson Social Club

Marie Cooper, Director C.I.O, Philip Murray Fund

Indiana Chapter Phi Beta Psi

Row 4 –

Ethel F. Faegler

Peter H. Goda

Mertie M. Conaway - Henry G. Conaway

James R. Duncan

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Panel Three (cont.) –

Row 5 –
 Mary B. Guernsey
 William & Clara Kassing Memorial Room
 George H. Kassing Memorial Room
 Vera Armstrong

Panel Four –

Row 1 –
 Cicero M. Bailey
 Nellie B. Bailey
 Samuel C. Carey
 Aline Allison

Row 2 –
 Zachary E. Klinger
 None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]
 Catherine K. Pickens

Row 3 –
 Ethel Alley
 Charles W. Myers
 Sarah C. Schmidt
 William Ely Hoffman

Row 4 –
 Zetatheia Club of Indianapolis
 Louis C. Huesmann (**Incorporator, JWRMA**) [Mr. Huesmann’s last name is misspelled with only one ‘n’]
 Doctor G.G. Graessle
 Raymond D. Hughes

Row 5 –
 Bessie Hart – R.C. Hart
 John H. Brearley
 Edward A. Ramsey
 Dorothy M. Bond – Joseph Waugh

Panel Five –

Row 1 –
 William A. Atkins
 Mr. & Mrs. J.W. Ford
 Dorothy B. Lynn
 Samuel B. Kennedy, M.D.

Row 2 –
 Barclay & Elda Henley
 None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]
 Doctor Porter H. Linthicum

“Inventory” of the stained glass memorial windows (cont.)

Panel Five (cont.) –

Row 3 –
 William Walker – Nancy R. Walker
 “Others” Indiana High School Sunshine Societies
 Wayne Connor Fankboner
 Kappa Kappa Sigma

Row 4 –
 Curtis G. Martin, Pekin, Indiana
 Bettie Cole, Peru, Ind. 1920-1924
 Mary Florence Spiegel
 Cassia A. Buzbee – J. Will Cochran

Row 5 –
 “These windows were designed by: Thomas Hibben, and were executed by P.M. Cooney, G.W. Loechle & C.H. Eaton”
 David H. Cohen
 Steven R. Fleener
 Indianapolis Women’s Auxiliary Railway Mail Assn.

Panel Six [Far-Right side] –

Row 1 –
 Washington Twp. Wayne County
 Bertha Fahnley Payne
 Louise Fort
 Tuesday Study Club, Wash. Township, Rush County

Row 2 –
 Men’s Bible Class Broadway M.E. Church
 None [2 original center panels with overlapping image, side-by-side]
 Indiana State Teachers

Row 3 –
 Mr. & Mrs. Oliver W. Storer
 William Post G.A.R. [G.A.R. stands for the Grand Armey of the Republic – Union Civil War veterans]
 Marjory McGowan – Mrs. H.J. McGowan
 Boy’s Class, Second Presbyterian Church

Row 4 –
 Delta Theta Tau
 Mr. James T. Polk
 Mrs. James T. Polk
 Tudor Hall Alumnae Assn.

Row 5 –
 Jackson Township Community Club, Washington County
 Beta Tau Sigma Sorority
 Brown County Artist’s Colony
 Jewish Juniors of Indianapolis

Background Sources:



Riley Hospital Memorial Windows, ca. 1930s
Photo courtesy IUPUI University Library Special Collections and Archives

1. The originator of the memorial window is Thomas Hibben, architect of Indianapolis and New York. His designs will be used.

They (the color designs) are ready for re-creation into the finished glass panels and this will be done immediately by experts of the Stewart Carey Glass Company, under the personal supervision of the designer.

From: "Beautiful Stained Glass Memorial Window Will Commemorate Gifts to Riley Hospital," Indianapolis Star, October 9, 1927 p. 12.

2. Thomas Entriken Hibben, Jr. was the designer of the memorial window. To learn more about Mr. Hibben, visit: Thomas Entriken Hibben, Jr, Find a Grave Memorial, available at: <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=49203437>.

3. For more information about the **Stewart Carey Glass Company** and **Mary Stewart Carey** (her father founded the company and her husband, John, was President of the company), see the links below. Mary Stewart Carey was the founder of The Children's Museum of Indianapolis. See: The Children's Museum of Indianapolis, Chapter 1: The History (1925-1942), available at: <https://thehistory.childrensmuseum.org/timeline/chapter-1>.

A. In the script she used for hospital tours, Thelma O'Reilly Underwood, who served Riley Hospital for Children for 42 years from 1934 to 1972 and who was named in 1952 by Mary Heckard, Supervisor of Nursing, as the hospital's "official hostess," (a role she filled for the next 20 years until retiring) mentions: "The stained glass windows are quite famous and they were designed by Stewart Carey Glass Company here in Indianapolis."

From: "Riley's O'Reilly 1907-1980," James Whitcomb Riley Memorial Association newsletter and Thelma O'Reilly Underwood script provided courtesy of Riley Children's Foundation.

B. David J. Bodenhamer and Robert G. Barrows (editors), [The Encyclopedia of Indianapolis](#), (Indiana University Press, Bloomington and Indianapolis, Indiana, 1994), "Mary Stewart-Carey," p. 385, available at: <https://books.google.com/books?id=bq13QcMSsq8C&pg=PA385&lpg=PA385&dq=encyclopedia+of+indianapolis+stewart-carey&source=bl&ots=ahUUMIRVqt&sig=Layud7xCuPwJ8wMQMzq-KIzDzU&hl=en&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjwZSv4bLRAhUHhWMKHaOZDjMQ6AEIITAB#v=onepage&q=encyclopedia%20of%20indianapolis%20stewart-carey&f=false>

C. Image of Stewart Carey Glass Company, W.H. Bass Photo Company Collection, Indiana Historical Society:



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