A. IDENTIFICATION & LOCATION

1. Name

1.1 Officially named Starling Loving Hall by Board of Trustees on July 14, 1961.

1.2 Alternate names noted:

   1.2.1 Built as Homeopathic Hospital Building
   1.2.2 Name changed by Board of Trustees on August 2, 1921 to Lynne [sic] Starling Hospital
   1.2.3 Name changed by Board of Trustees on February 8, 1923 to Starling Loving University Hospital
   1.2.4 Other names noted:

       General Hospital
       University Hospital
       Starling Loving Hospital
       Lyne Starling University Hospital
       Lynn Starling Hospital
       Optometry Clinic
       Computer Center, College of Medicine

See Addenda Nos. 1, 2

2. Location

2.1 Located at 320 W. 10th Avenue. See map below.

2.2 For greater detail, see Sheet 116 in the book of campus maps in the University Archives.
For identification of other buildings shown, see Appendix A.

3. General Description

3.1 Type of construction:

Reinforced concrete and steel frame with brick exterior except the one exterior wall (south) of the fifth addition is concrete block.

3.2 No. of stories:

Varies from one to six floors. See sketch.

3.3 Increments of construction:

Five additions--see sketch.

3.4 Present area of building as shown in inventory records of Division of Campus Planning:

133,840 sq. ft. gross; 81,762 sq. ft. net assignable

See Addendum No. 3

Original building--Basement and three floors of A; basement and one floor of A'.
1st addition--All of B, five floors
2nd addition--All 5 floors of C and top floor of A
3rd addition--D, a one story garbage disposal room
4th addition--All of E, 6 floors; top 4 floors of A'
5th addition--All of F, one floor only. D partially demolished and incorporated into F

B. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—ORIGINAL BUILDING
1. On June 15, 1915 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Joseph N. Bradford and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. Bids were received on September 1, 1915 (T). All bids were rejected.

3. New bids were received on November 15, 1915 (T).

4. On November 15, 1915 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:
   - General: Dawson Construction Co.
   - Heating, ventilating, plumbing, gas fitting, and sewer: Huffman-Conklin Co.

5. Completion and occupancy:
   - The Board of Trustees on January 9, 1917 approved final payment to the general contractor. Because of difficulties with the heating, the final payment to Huffman-Conklin was not approved by the Board of Trustees until April 3, 1917.
   - Formal dedication and opening on January 12, 1917 (M 8:13--February 1917).

**C. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—FIRST ADDITION**

1. On February 5, 1924 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Joseph N. Bradford and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. Bids were received on March 31, 1924 (A).

3. On April 5, 1924 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:
   - Electrical: Hughes-Peters Electrical Corp.
   - Heating and plumbing: Samuel A. Esswein Heating and Plumbing Co.
   - Carrara glass, terrazzo & tile: Wege Marble and Tite Co.

4. Elevator plans were approved on February 7, 1925 and the contract was awarded on April 4, 1925 to Shepard Elevator Co.

5. Beginning of work:
   Contracts were executed in April 1924, and construction began the following month (A).

6. Completion and occupancy:
   - The building was accepted by the Board of Trustees on December 14, 1925.
   - The Lantern on January 5, 1926 reported that the addition was completed and ready for occupancy. A month later (February 9, 1926) it reported that the addition would be ready for occupancy by March 1.

**D. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—SECOND ADDITION**

1. On December 14, 1925 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Joseph N. Bradford and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. Bids were received on January 19, 1926 (A).
3. On February 8, 1926 the Board of Trustees approved the award by Cabinet on January 25, 1926 of contracts to the following contractors:

   General: L.L. LeVeque Co.
   Electrical: Electric Power Equipment Co.
   Heating and plumbing: W. H. Spohn Plumbing Co.
   Marble, tile, and terrazzo: Wege Marble and Tile Co.

4. Beginning of work:

   4.1 Contracts were executed January 25, 1926 (A).
   4.2 Work began March 16, 1926 (A).

5. Completion and occupancy:

   The final estimate for the general contract was dated April 12, 1927; for the electrical contract, April 28, 1927. The other final estimates were dated earlier (A).

**E. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—THIRD ADDITION**

1. Plans were prepared by Joseph N. Bradford (A).

2. Bids were received on July 24, 1929 (A).

3. There seems to be no record of Board of Trustees action on this project, but it was constructed by George W. Timmons on a $2553 contract (A).

4. Completion and occupancy:

   Completed in October 1929 (A).

**F. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—FOURTH ADDITION**

1. On December 9, 1935 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Howard Dwight Smith and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. This addition was constructed by the WPA as Project 10.25.231.

3. Beginning of work:
   The Lantern on November 19, 1935 reported that ground had been broken.

4. Completion and occupancy:

   4.1 The project was completed during 1938-39 (R38-39:26)
   4.2 Cabinet on June 16, 1938 decided that the WPA watchman was to be withdrawn after June 27. This suggests that the building was substantially completed by that time.

**G. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—FIFTH ADDITION**

1. On June 12, 1969 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Hollie W. Shupe and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. Bids were received on August 21, 1969 (A).
3. On September 11, 1969 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:

   General: Holzapfel Construction Co.
   Electrical: Reco Electric, Inc.
   Heating, ventilating and air conditioning: Limbach Co.
   Plumbing: Longo Plumbing Co.

4. Completion and occupancy:

   Inspections by the University Architect leading to acceptance of the work by contractors were made on July 24, 1970 (general contract), August 6, 1970 (plumbing), August 17, 1970 (heating, ventilating, and air conditioning), and January 19, 1971 (electrical). (A).

H. PHOTOGRAPHS

1. In Photoarchives:

   X 1672 - original building only
   X 1673 - original building only
   X 1852
   X 7949
   X 7950
   X 7951
   X 7952
   X 22791 - fifth addition

   The third addition is visible in deep shadow in X 22779

I. MISCELLANEOUS

   This was built as the new Homeopathic Hospital to replace the one which had been established in the old South Dormitory (H 109).

   John H. Herrick
   March 15, 1977

ADDENDUM NO. 1

   Campus Planning records carry this building under three numbers, as follows:

   176 - A wing
   177 - B wing
   178 - M wing

   The current division of the building, which does not agree with the original division, is as follows:

   A Wing - All of A, A', C, E, F, and the bridge north of F in the diagram on the second page of this report.
   B Wing - The large rectangle of B in the sketch. The long axis runs east and west.
   C Wing - The south wing of B in the sketch.

   John H. Herrick
   July 25, 1979
ADDENDUM NO. 2

Inspection of old campus maps reveals the following additional names for this building:

- Clinic
- Hospital
- OSU Clinic
- Out-Patient Clinic
- Starling Loving Annex
- Starling Hospital

John H. Herrick
November 13, 1979

ADDENDUM NO. 3

Campus Planning records for this building (carried as Buildings 176, 177, & 178) now show areas that total as follows:

- 143,299 sq. ft. gross
- 80,016 sq. ft. net assignable

John H. Herrick
February 7, 1985