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KALAMAZOO, Mich. -- The Board of Directors of the F.W. Heyl Science Scholarship Fund has announced the awarding of six additional full tuition scholarships for the academic year 1971-72 to students at the Bronson Methodist Hospital School of Nursing and Kalamazoo College.

The second group of winners brings to thirteen the total number of scholarships awarded by officers of the trust in its first year of operation.

Kalamazoo College students who will receive the scholarships are:

Michele A. Barth, a senior mathematics major and graduate of Loy Norrix, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Barth, 3604 Lowden Street.

Timothy S. Barstow, a sophomore physics major and Kalamazoo Central graduate, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barstow, 4432 Sunnydale.

Lawrence Fitzgerald, a junior biology major and Kalamazoo Central graduate, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Fitzgerald, 3703 Olney Street.

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Edward Lance, a senior chemistry major and graduate of Kalamazoo Central, the son of Dr. Betty Lance, 1562 Spruce Drive.

Bronson School of Nursing students receiving scholarships are:

Sarah Bahlke, a junior at Bronson and a Kalamazoo Central graduate, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold O. Bahlke, 1213 Hillcrest.

Virginia Leibrandt, a graduate of Loy Norrix and also a junior at Bronson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond S. Leibrandt, 1234 Vassar Drive.

The scholarships, which are awarded on the basis of academic merit regardless of need to graduates of Kalamazoo Central and Loy Norrix High Schools, are renewable annually as long as each recipient maintains a good academic record and continues to major in the exact sciences or in nursing.

The F.W. Heyl and Elsie L. Heyl Science Scholarship Fund was established through the will of the late Dr. Heyl, a former Upjohn Company vice-president and director of research who earned his Ph.D. from Yale in 1908 and received an honorary degree from Kalamazoo College in 1937.

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The Fund provides for annual scholarships or fellowships in the amount of full tuition costs at the Bronson Methodist Hospital School of Nursing, Kalamazoo College, and Yale University. In addition, the directors of the Fund can establish supplementary programs through which awards and further support may be made available to students selected to participate in the program.

Earlier this year, the officers of the trust awarded scholarships to six Kalamazoo Central or Loy Norrix High School graduates (four to Kalamazoo College and two to the Bronson School of Nursing) as well as awarding the graduate fellowship in chemistry at Yale to a graduating Kalamazoo College senior, in accordance with the provisions of Dr. Heyl's will.