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JELKYL CENTER DEDICATED

by Joyce Meier

The story behind the Jelkyl Center for the Performing Arts sounds almost like a fairy tale. There are many people responsible for the conception and building of this dream that came true. The theater was a long time in planning, but finally, on Sunday evening, October 14th, the dedication was held and the center was officially opened.

It was named after the man who made it all possible, Ross A. Jelkyl. Dr. Jelkyl was an employee of Ralston Purina Company for 44 years. At the dedication he told how he reached the decision to donate his money to the new theater for Lindenwood while he lived. He spoke of how he originally planned to include Lindenwood in his will.

"I found myself on campus quite often," he said, "and I liked what I saw. I went on a tour of the campus and I looked through the doors and saw the old auditorium, dark and ancient. It looked like it needed help." He was right. It did.

Subsequent talks with Dr. John Anthony Brown, President of Lindenwood for seven years, convinced him to give Lindenwood the money immediately, to enjoy his gift while he lived, rather than wait.

"Dr. Brown," recalled Mr. Jelkyl, "dropped a bombshell. He asked, 'Why not give the money now?' There was a need here and I liked his suggestion that I would see what I had given rather than waiting 'till I had passed on.'"

So it was that Dr. Jelkyl gave the Lindenwood Colleges the funds so that theater planning and construction could begin. The renovation began two years ago when Manske-Dieckmann and Partners were chosen architects to design the theater. The general contractor was Robert R. Wright.

"This is an actor's theater," said Ms. Mary Ann Smith, Festival Coordinator and instructor at Lindenwood. "Given this space, this is as exciting a theater as it can be. We wanted a theater where the audience could

walk in and feel something was going to happen before the play ever started. We wanted a theater with a dramatic impact, a something's-going-to-happen-tonight feeling; a feeling of dynamic space. When you're on that stage you really feel as though you have contact with your audience."

At the dedication, Dr. Richard Berg, vice-president of Lindenwood, commended the designers, builders, performers, and teachers who had all played a role in the theater's conception. "We celebrate a new era in the performing arts at Lindenwood."

Dr. Jelkyl received a standing ovation from the almost 400 people who had attended the dedication. "I'm happy to see all my friends here today," he said.

President McCluer, after outlining Jelkyl's interest in the theater, stemming from his boyhood, said, "The gift of a theater to Lindenwood tops his life's interest in theater. We salute him today not only as a benefactor, but because of his extraordinary life. We accept his gift knowing he has benefited generations of young students to come." He presented Dr. Jelkyl with an engraved letter of gratitude from the Board of Trustees at Lindenwood.

The theater seats 415 persons, and was created out of the existing auditorium in fifty-year old Roemer Hall. The only original feature it still retains is the balcony.

Mary Ann Smith spoke of some of the problems that occurred in



Dr. Ross A. Jelkyl

the construction of theater.

"There was a major support beam in the old auditorium that could not be moved," she said. "And this balcony is awful for sight lines. The people who sit in the back of the balcony, for example, have trouble seeing the front of the stage. And we don't have a rear projection screen yet, where we don't have to build scenery, but just drop down the screen and project films of scenery on it. Its just not here yet; it'll cost more money. But in this college we do not have a big enough staff to build scenery, and we don't have the money to pay for a full-time or part-time technician."

During the dedication, several musical numbers were staged with the intention of demonstrating the diverse uses of the stage. The Lindenwood Singers, Choir, and Orchestra performed, as well as six dance and music students, thus making use of many of the theater's features. Jelkyl Theater has a multi-level performance platform instead of the traditional stage with arches and curtains. It is patterned after the Stratford Theater in Ontario, Canada and the Tyrone Guthrie Theater in Minneapolis. Pannelled walls surround both the audience and the open stage. The wall behind the stage is pushed back 14 feet to enlarge the space available to performers. The theater cost approximately \$250,000, and includes such features as new seating, air conditioning, and a lighting control system, not to mention the major changes.

The evening of the dedication an ensemble from the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra performed in the theater, and the following night Dick Gregory lectured there. A week later Eleanor King, modern dancer, conducted a lecture-performance. Many events are planned in the future that will also take place in the center. Perhaps, as Mr. Berg said, the opening of the theater does represent a new era in the Lindenwood Colleges' theater life.

(courtesy of the IBIS)

M. Boyer Grows Younger!

Much to our dismay we regretfully report that Miss Martha Boyer, professor emeritus and past editor of the News, will no longer be serving Lindenwood in the latter capacity.

Miss Boyer received an offer from the Mineral Area Cabletelevision to take charge of their community station. She accepted, of course. "It seems wise to take a job in this area," says Miss Boyer. "As you know, I have long been interested in Cable and this is a chance to learn more about it."

We wish her the best of luck in her new job and shall miss seeing her on campus (not to mention her journalistic contributions).

If you have not been receiving the NEWS or other materials from the College, PLEASE send us your address. Because most mailings are sent second or third class postage, they are not forwarded in the event you have moved. As a result, many alumni are "lost" and therefore removed from our files. If you are aware of other alumni who have not been receiving mail from Lindenwood, please forward their addresses to us or ask them to write the Alumni Office. Thank you.

New Director of Alumni Relations

February 1974

Dear Alumna:

I am pleased to announce to you that Mary Lichliter, for many years Dean of Students and more recently Dean of Continuing Education, has been named Director of Alumnae Affairs and Placement. Her long-term associate and graduate of Lindenwood, Dorothy Barklage, will be Associate Director. Together they will provide full services for the development and maintenance of alumnae activities for the Lindenwood Colleges.

As many of you know, the Alumnae Director over the past several years has had to carry the dual responsibility of alumnae and admissions work. Beginning March 1, which is the effective date of Miss Lichliter's appointment, it will be possible to increase greatly the program and informational services for alumnae. The time for this is especially appropriate. The Key Persons program—which is becoming an important part of

alumnae involvement in making Lindenwood better known throughout the country—needs full-time attention on the campus. The interest of alumnae is especially high as Dr. McCluer guides Lindenwood toward objectives, the achievement of which we all hope to celebrate in 1977, the sesquicentennial year for our alma mater.

Sandy Lovinguth, who has been managing alumnae affairs along with her admissions office duties since Nancy Brown's resignation, will have full-time responsibilities as Associate Director of Admissions. We know she will continue to be involved with alumnae programs and are grateful for her fine service.

I know you will join me in welcoming these long-time members of the Lindenwood staff to their new responsibilities.

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Marie Robb

President, Alumnae Association

THE MANY FACES OF DR. McCLUER

by Lee Jolliffe

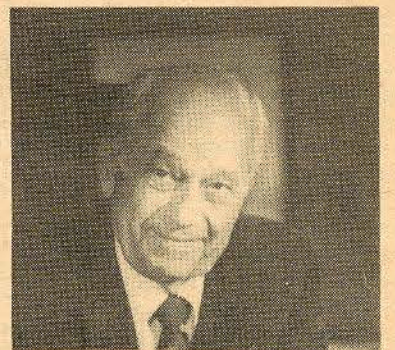
"I feel good about being back, especially because of the very good reception I had from the students...that helped...you were easy to talk to and I enjoyed it," said Dr. McCluer, Interim President of LC, concerning the convocation of the year. "I like the total situation; I like to see young people."

Dr. Franc L. McCluer was president of Lindenwood from 1947 until 1966 and, at the request of the LC Board of Directors has returned to serve as President this year and to aid the Board in its search for a new president capable of fulfilling this position in the future.

I asked Dr. McCluer what changes he noticed after his seven-year absence. He said he has found many things different, but "if a college doesn't change, it is probably not doing its duty. Some change is evidence of the fact that the institution and its board are alert to the current needs of education."

President McCluer finds more relationship to career in the curriculum now and approves the addition of the men's college. "Educational programs for men and women are no longer different. The opening of the men's college was a logical development and has been good for the colleges."

I asked Dr. McCluer his opinion of some of the organizational faults of the coordinate-college system, for example, the necessity for LC I students to transfer to LC II to arrange independent terms of study. He said, "The colleges are separate under charter, but with the same campus, same faculty, same courses, why find a way to distinguish between the two...don't let a little legal matter



keep us from getting along together as people on a co-ed campus."

Dr. McCluer wants students "to be full of enthusiasm about their work in the classroom, conscious of themselves as part of the community...to have a sort of eager spirit in undertaking what ever they're here to study...to be themselves—honest, vigorous, forward-looking, cheerful." He feels that the students will be a pleasure to work with and hopes to know them all better.

Alumnae reaction to Dr. McCluer's return has been excellent. He has received numerous letters from alums and plans an alumnae weekend this spring to renew his acquaintance with students he has known in years past. He hopes also to "show them that the opening of LC II has been good for the college."

Our Interim President's goals for the coming year are very clear. "We want to increase our enrollment. We have an excellent faculty and unusually fine equipment for a school of our size. We ought to be able to fill it and we're going to fill it." He hopes to fill the dorms, at the same time keeping up the number of day students attending school here.

Franc Lewis McCluer was born in O'Fallon, Missouri and attended high school in Fulton, continued on page 8

ANNUAL FALL COUNCIL MEETING

On Friday and Saturday, November 2 and 3, members of the Alumnae Council met on campus for their annual fall meeting. The agenda included plans for Reunion '74, the Sesquicentennial celebration, Annual Fund Campaign, Key Persons Program and the establishment of a system of regional representatives and an alumnae volunteer task force.

Folsta Gibbons was nominated to represent the Alumnae Association on the Presidential Search Committee. It was requested that nominations for Alumnae Council positions and Merit Award recipients be invited from the alumnae association at large. (Forms for these nominations may be found elsewhere in the News.) Other business included reports from the President and Development and Alumni Offices.

Those present were: officers Marie Robb, President, Folsta Gibbons, Vice-President; council

members-at-large Marilyn Donnelly, Marion Ellis, Marilyn Heilman, Joan Johnson (Chairman, Reunion '74), Jean Mudd and Cordelia Stumberg. Others included Rosanna Bruere, past president; Barbara Hamill, Board of Overseers; Nancy Orr, Chairman, Sesquicentennial and Sandy Lovinguth, Director of Alumnae Relations.

President Brown Resigns

The announcement by Dr. Brown that he would resign as president on September 1 was made on July 27. His decision culminated seven years in office, during which dramatic changes occurred at Lindenwood.

Lindenwood's entry into the new era of higher education was made under Dr. Brown's direction. A more diverse faculty and student body, a curriculum responsive to contemporary needs, and an expanded physical plant are evidence of his work and, in spite of problems which continue to confront us, constitute a threshold for progress.

There are visible indications, as well as invisible, of the work of the late 1960's and early 1970's—the new stables, the expanded library, the new Fine Arts Building, the new Performing Arts Center. These are tangible reminders of dreams and visions which, though not yet fully realized, are part of Lindenwood's current strengths and future potential.

All of the Lindenwood community have good reason to express gratitude for Dr. Brown's leadership and best wishes as he pursues new opportunities in higher education.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

This is to inform all recent graduates of the current remodeling of Er-Vels (Fine Foods), the campus hangout. Rumor has it that the famed First Capitol Cuisine Chateau will feature a beer garden and fine entertainment, nightly. Of course we hope L.C. alumni support for this endeavor will be overwhelming. A defense fund has been established in efforts to save the juke box, back wall mural (aesthetic) and touching political portrait.

We take this opportunity to

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Sandra Sather Lovinguth '71
Editor

salute Er-Vels and wish them our very best in the coming months.

Very truly yours,
Marty Ackmann '73
Judy Bassnett '70

Dear Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to comment about the fine young people whom we have met from Lindenwood. Often we invite boarding students into our home for a holiday meal or for a visit in a home. Each one who has visited has indeed shown a good example of hard working, dedicated, polite, and gracious young people. I am proud to have had them in my home!

Mrs. Mona Hand Plackmeyer
Class of '53

"Annual Giving is the custom of making a gift-a-year to an institution in which one has faith. It is a friendly, altogether happy custom...a perennial reunion in spirit...a pooling of hope and good wishes by those who wish by those who wish the institution well."

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Parents' Fund Campaign Underway

Parents of present and former students are presently being asked to support two major projects which are important to the college. One of these is the Library Expansion Fund, which will be used for the purchase of books, periodicals, and audio-visual materials for the library. The other is the Scholarship Fund, which will supply funds for scholarships to qualified and deserving students. Each year it costs the college over \$1,000 more than a student pays in tuition and fees and room and board to educate that student. A portion of this money comes to Lindenwood through campaigns such as the Parents' Fund Campaign. We are very proud of the response which parents have shown to this year's campaign, which has already received contributions of more than 125 per cent above last year's total!

TO: Director of Admissions
The Lindenwood Colleges
St. Charles, Missouri 63301

I recommend the following student as a possible candidate for admission:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____ Yr. of Graduation _____
Area of interest (if known) _____
My Name _____
Address _____

Reunion Set for May 3-5

The weekend of May 3 has been set for the 1974 Alumnae Reunion. Program plans are underway and contributions are already arriving for the Country Fair. Joan Johnson (Joan Leiper, '63), Reunion Chairman, says that preliminary plans call for a hospitality room to be held Friday evening and a full day's program on Saturday, May 4. It is hoped that an informal gathering Friday night will enable old friends and classmates to meet and make arrangements for the evenings entertainment as desired.

If individual reunion classes wish to organize a special dinner for Saturday evening, the college will be willing to assist with the arrangements upon the request of the class. The special reunion years are: '04, '09, '14, '19, '24 (fiftieth), '29, '34, '39, '44, '49 (twentyfifth), '54, '59, '64 (tenth),

'69, and '73.

Formal activities on Saturday will include the Association meeting, County Fair, Beta Chi Horse Show, and tours of Historical St. Charles. Class secretaries will be asked to contact their classmates in early February. If there are any volunteers who would be interested in helping contact other members of their class, please inform either the Alumnae Office or write: Mrs. Joan Johnson, 337 East Bodley Avenue, Kirkwood, Missouri 63122.

Complete details and reservation forms will be mailed to all alumni in March. No reservations are being accepted at this time. Any individuals or clubs interested in contributing articles to the Country Fair, please complete the form found elsewhere in the

News or contact Joan. We would like to know as soon as possible how many items to expect, in the hopes of opening the Fair to a broader audience. (Joan also has numerous ideas for possible crafts!)

Cobbs Conference Center has been reserved for those individual alumni or groups wishing to stay on campus. Other activities will include a buffet breakfast, a luncheon and the honoring of the special reunion classes in the private dining room of Ayres Hall, campus tours, student art exhibit and the College's production of "Man of LaMancha."

This should be an exciting weekend, so make your plans now and contact your classmates, encouraging them attend reunion, visit with old friends and renew their familiarity with Lindenwood.

L.C. Changes

Lindenwood has seen several changes this past year, not the least of which is our combined enrollment of 902 students, up from 797 last year. One of the most obvious physical changes has been the completion of Roemer's new auditorium. Its October fourteenth dedication revealed a larger, 400-seat capacity theater, newly-paneled and air conditioned. It features a multi-leveled thrust stage, all new lighting and sound equipment, wider, upholstered seats, carpeting and excellent acoustics. Lindenwood sponsored a Festival of Performing Arts which took place in October and November, made possible in part by a grant of \$1,500 given by the Camelot Fund of the Arts and Education Council in support of theatrical performances.

Dean Crozier is at home in The Gables, the Yearbook, Ibis, and Black Student Union are located on the second floor of the Health Center and the Lindenwood College I Student Government is settling in on third floor Parker.

Dr. Franc L. McCluer, president emeritus of Lindenwood College, has returned at the request of the Board as Interim President, while the colleges seek a successor to John Anthony Brown, who resigned his post in September of last year.

Five new professors have joined our faculty (replacing those who left Lindenwood for other positions). They are Mr. Eugene Uram, Communication Arts; Dr. Linda Nelson, Psychology; Dr. Edward Balog, History; Miss Janice Janof, Education; and Mr.

Boyd Morros, Education.

Lindenwood also welcomes three new head residents in our dormitories this year. They are Judy Bassnett (Parker), Barbara Marentette (Sibley), and Stacey Smith (Butler). Miss Marentette and Miss Smith will be completing their undergraduate work at Lindenwood. Miss Bassnett graduated from Lindenwood and is currently a graduate student at UMSL.

Lindenwood was involved in very successful, but unfortunately noisy, rock concerts this past summer. As many as 1,500 St. Charles youths attended the concerts until their termination. Lindenwood has indeed seemingly taken a new lease on life.

(courtesy of the IBIS)

ALUMNI RECOMMEND STUDENTS

Dr. McCluer received an exciting 145 responses to his letter this fall asking alumni to recommend prospective students. Thanks to all of you out there! The admissions office is busily following up on these names and is confident that these and additional recommendations from alumni will help increase resident student enrollment next fall. So don't stop now—keep the names coming!

Alumni may have full library privileges upon payment of a fee of \$7.50 per year. I.D.'s may be gotten at the library.

A reminder: Graduates of the Lindenwood Colleges should write the Office of Continuing Education and Placement whenever transcripts are needed. **THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR THIS SERVICE.**

Tom Smith Begins Development Assignment, Gift Planning Service

Mr. Thomas Smith, Assistant Professor of German since 1970, began his work as Associate Director of Development on August 1, 1973. Mr. Smith will divide his time between his faculty and administrative assignments. A consultation service for alumni and friends of Lindenwood who are interested in making a gift to the college is now available. Mr. Smith has been trained to aid in estate planning so that one's desires and concerns might best be achieved with a minimum loss

through estate taxes, income taxes, and probate costs. It has been the Colleges experience that some alumni fail to plan their estates most advantageously in regard to the new tax rulings of 1969. All decisions should be made in consultation with one's own attorney; however, Mr. Smith will be glad to discuss your particular situation with you and point out the options available to you. He may be contacted by writing the college or phoning (314) 723-7152.

L.C. Students Named to Who's Who

Thirteen Lindenwood students were recently named to appear in the 1973-74 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges".

The students honored are Peter Bekker, Armark, N.Y.; Betsy Bomberger, Princeton, N.J.; John Dooley, Argonne, Illinois; Lisa Forstmann, St. Charles; Marcia Gibson, St. Charles; Robert Gordon, Corpus Christi, Texas; Robert Irving, St. Charles; Victoria Kern, Ft. Smith, Arkansas; Jeff Kleiman, Medford, Mass.; Charlotte Manges, Manhattan, Kansas; Anna Nothstine, St. Charles; Robin Smith, St. Louis; and Linda Swartzenberg, No. Tanawanda, N.Y.

The Who's Who award is conferred annually upon outstanding student leaders at more than 1,000 colleges and universities. Selections are made by campus nominating committees composed of the Dean's and Faculty and are

based upon high academic achievement, community service, leadership ability and future potential. These students, who will be presented with their certificates of recognition at the Honor's Day program in May, are among the country's most outstanding young leaders.

TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WOMEN STUDENTS
Through a grant of \$40,000 from The Monticello College Foundation Lindenwood is now offering \$1,000 tuition scholarships to graduates of 2-year colleges interested in continuing their education at Lindenwood College for Women. The Foundation awarded Lindenwood an additional \$12,500 to underwrite honor scholarships for freshman women.

Spring Tour for L.C. Choir

The Lindenwood Colleges Choir is planning a Spring Tour! The proposed event will mark the first time that the group has toured since membership has included both men and women students. Dr. Kenneth S. Greenlaw, Director of the Choir since 1968 and Chairman of Lindenwood's Music Department, first took men students into the organization with the founding of Lindenwood II in 1969. Since that time the choir has steadily grown in both size and musical stature until it is now one of the most enthusiastic and active student groups on campus. Its membership of 45 talented Lin-

denwood students has taken on several fund raising projects to help finance the tour which is planned for the middle of March. It is hoped that alumni chapters will be able to provide housing for the group. The proposed itinerary calls for programs in Kansas City, Oklahoma City, Tulsa and Dallas. Included in the membership of the Choir are several instrumentalists and a small madrigal ensemble, the Lindenwood Singers. As plans are confirmed, announcements of dates and locations will be made. You will certainly want to attend the choir's concerts when they come to your area!

DEANS' CORNER

from Dean of the Faculty, Dr. Howard Barnett



EVALUATION TEAMS this fall have included two members of the Lindenwood faculty and staff. Dean Crozier has recently served on the North Central Accreditation Review Committee with visits to the College of St. Theresa in Winona, Minnesota, and Morningside College of Sioux City, Iowa. Dr. John Moore was a member of NCATE (National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education) evaluation team visiting this fall at Louisiana State University. North Central and NCATE are major crediting associations for higher education in the United States.

FACULTY MEMBERS active in national and regional meetings in their fields this year include Dr. Doherty, Mrs. Ebest, Miss Fields, Mrs. Bittner, and Dr. Wier. Dr. Doherty, who is professor of Modern Languages at Lindenwood, will be attending the annual meeting of the American Association of Teachers of French; he is currently the vice-president of the Greater St. Louis Chapter. Mrs. Ebest will be attending the Women's Invitational Gymnastics Meet and Clinic in Springfield, Missouri, this fall in the position of gymnastic coach for the Ozark Gymnastic Empire. Miss Jean Fields, assistant professor of English and Communication Arts, will be attending the annual meeting of the American Film Institute in Washington, D.C., with the objective of reviewing new teaching methods in films. Mrs. Bittner, assistant professor Physical Education and director of the Lindenwood Horsemanship Program, will be attending the American Horse Shows Association meeting in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, in January. Mrs. Bittner is senior recognized judge and steward of the Association. Dr. Wier, who is assistant professor of Political Science, recently attended the annual meeting of the Political Science Association. He is chairman of the Resolutions Committee of this association.

DEAN DELANEY of the men's college, reports a number of activities in the area of career-oriented studies, which is one of his responsibilities. Special field studies and internships this year include field study for art students at the Missouri School for the Blind; field study in Urban Planning for students of sociology; field study in sociology under the Director of Youth Outreach; field study in education and art at St. Cletus Junior High School in St. Charles; field study involving on-the-job production work for Frank-James Adver-

tising Agency in Clayton, Missouri, for art students; field study at Lammerts Interior Design Department for art students; field study at the St. Louis Art Museum for art students; an internship in the use of the electron microscope at the Washington University School of Medicine for students of biology; and an internship with the head of the National Archives in Kansas City for a student in history. One student has been at the Argonne National Laboratory in Argonne, Illinois, this fall on an independent term for credit in mathematics.

LINDENWOOD PARTICIPATES IN EASTERN CONSORTIUM

Word has just recently been received that the second phase of the "Forum on Community Concern" of the Eastern Consortium of Universities and Colleges has been funded. Lindenwood, along with Washington University, University of Missouri at St. Louis, Webster College, St. Louis University, and the Junior College District of St. Louis, has been a part of a consortium funded by Title I money to conduct programs that relate to community affairs. Last year's Forum involved a series of television broadcasts with participation by Lindenwood and other area faculty. This year's program will provide Lindenwood with a substantial grant for conducting a program in the St. Charles area.

The over-all objective of the project is to provide a Forum where citizens may communicate questions, opinions and concerns about government to elected and appointed officials. The faculty using such facilities at Lindenwood as the FM radio station will participate by designing the programs and providing the occasions for these dialogues.

Dean Howard Barnett has been, for the past two years, a member of the Administrative Council of the Eastern Consortium and was joined this year by Dr. James Hood, professor of History, to work on the planning of this year's Forum. As the program is developed several other Lindenwood faculty members will be

Hints On Estate Planning

...T. Smith

Would your children be interested in \$55,000? Have you provided for them in you will? It might be that your will has just cost them about \$55,000. Many husbands assume that if they leave their estate to their wife and she leaves everything to their children, they have provided for their family in the best way possible. Nothing could be further from the truth.

If we assume that Mr. Jones leaves a \$300,000 estate, this estate can be depleted by \$109,000 or by \$54,000 in passing to his children. The choice depends on how he directs the estate to pass on. It is not enough for Mr. Jones to have a will—he must have the right will. Naturally he wants to provide for all the necessities of his wife, and to have the estate pass to his children upon her death. If he

provides for a marital deduction and establishes a trust for the children with his wife as beneficiary, Mr. Jones can save his estate from being depreciated by about \$55,000.

If your position is similar to that of Mr. Jones, you might want to

get in touch with our consultant in estate planning. You will find that his advice may save you enough money to enable you to make that large bequest to Lindenwood which you feel unable to do presently. Contact Tom Smith in our Office of Development for a review of your own situation.

The College kicked off the '73-'74 Annual Fund Campaign the first of December, with the initial appeal being made to our approximately 9,500 alumni. This year's campaign goal is \$75,000, which must be met by June 15, 1974.

The campaign focuses on three major projects designed to support our ever-growing Performing and Fine Arts programs, Faculty Sabbatical leaves and renovations and upkeep of the physical plant.

"The increasing costs of higher education today make it essential for privately supported institutions to seek additional financial help from their alumni and friends," states Dr. McCluer. "The small liberal arts college devoting itself to undergraduate education has been and will continue to be a significant partner in the programs of higher education in America."

Last year's fund appeal resulted in the greatest support ever from alumni, with a record total of \$53,385 in contributions.

involved in preparing the program and conducting the Forum for the St. Charles area. The total funding for the project for the Eastern Consortium is \$36,000. Lindenwood will receive for its own operation some \$5,000 or \$6,000 of the total grant.

ALUMNI KEY-PERSONS PROGRAM

Many alumni throughout the country have by this time received letters from President McCluer concerning the key-persons program to help develop student prospects for the coming year. This is an expansion of the key-persons program which was initiated last year, and will involve meetings with interested alums and representatives of the College to help up-date them on the nature of college programs and the way in which alumni can help in recruiting students.

The challenge to private colleges in the next few years will be to maintain enrollment levels in spite of trends unfavorable to private colleges. The critical situation for Lindenwood is the level of residency enrollment. Growth in commuting enrollment from the Greater St. Louis area in the past few years makes it possible for Lindenwood to report the highest head-count enrollment in the history of the college: 896 versus a previous high of 824 in 1966. Residence enrollment, however, has declined and is presently at a level which makes it difficult for the college to overcome its deficit operation.

The growth in St. Louis area enrollment indicates that where our program is well-known Lindenwood has little difficulty in attracting students. Our problem is to reach students outside the St. Louis area who will come to Lindenwood as resident students. The usual channels of conveying information about our program to prospective students are not as effective as they used to be simply because all private colleges, as well as public institutions, are striving for the attention of the high school senior.

One of Lindenwood's greatest resources is the support of its alumni. With as many alumni as possible involved in seeking out high school seniors who might be interested in Lindenwood and providing our admissions staff with their names, a significant improvement in the resident enrollment should be very possible.

Favorable responses from alumni are arriving daily. With the identification of groups of alumni in strategic regional areas, members of the administration and faculty will visit these groups, bring them up-to-date on Lindenwood programs and explain how they can work effectively to bring knowledge of Lindenwood and its programs to

the right students. Once the students have been identified and have indicated their interest in Lindenwood, our admissions staff will continue the work. By significantly increasing the pool of possible candidates for Lindenwood enrollment, we will be able to raise the level of the size of the freshman class in an important way.

One alumna of the college, Marilyn Mangum Heilman of Knoxville, Tennessee, has already identified some 22 to 25 students. An admissions counselor will be on her way to Knoxville soon to see these students. With this kind of response from 100 or so alumni, there is no doubt that Lindenwood will succeed in going against the trend in higher education, and raise its residence enrollment to provide a secure future for the colleges and the fine programs which they have developed.

from Dean of L.C. for Women, Miss Doris Crozier



There was much activity at Lindenwood as everyone settled in for those last weeks before final exams.

The International Students Association presented an interesting and attractive program during International Week and culminated their week with a successful sale of objects from all over the world. You would have loved seeing the beautiful vests from Afghanistan and the lovely jewelry from India and Taiwan.

News from our students abroad provide an interesting change of pace for us. Amy Basore writes from Aix-en-Provence:

"My American and Swedish roommates and I made our first real cultural 'faux pas' not long ago. Our landlady was in the hospital getting ready to have an appendectomy and the three of us were preparing to leave for the All Saints holiday so we took her flowers. Unfortunately we took her chrysanthemums which, as

you probably know, are for dead people—Marie France has laughed and laughed about it. I'm afraid it will remain one of her favorite 'foreign student stories' for years to come. You warned us to learn customs."

Amy and Nancy Morgan, who is in England, planned to spend their Christmas holiday in Greece where they were to meet up with our group who was spending the January Term there.

Mrs. Davies, Head Resident of McCluer, has returned after several weeks of illness. You should have heard the rejoicing at her return. The students really missed her.

The women who live in Sibley chose new carpet for their stairs, now it is really quiet—no more clattering up and down.

The Curriculum Committee has finished Course Evaluation Questionnaires which faculty members may use. This Committee has luncheon meetings at the Gables every two weeks. One Monday we all ate with chop sticks, the lunch which Dean Eckert prepared. Jean Huesemann did a great dessert.

Alpha Lambda Delta, the Freshman Women's Honor Society, had their initiation just prior to Christmas vacation. Inducted were Lisa Carlisle, Renee Synder, Jennifer Henderson, and Deborah Spitzmiller.

My Phi Epsilon, the Music Honorary Society, was honored by a visit from the regional Governor.

Exams ended successfully as St. Louis braved a blizzard and students belatedly made their way home for the Christmas Holidays.

from Dean of LC II, Dr. Patrick Delaney



The Dean's Office of L.C. II has been very active over the past three years, promoting career-oriented programs and work-study programs for all students of the Colleges. Practicum credit, Internships, Field Studies, and Proficiency credit are utilized in such a way that a student at The Lindenwood Colleges can have a

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wide range of options which meet the particular educational needs of the student.

Our four varsity sports—soccer, basketball, baseball, and tennis—are gaining recognition for the Lindenwood Colleges, sometimes favorably and at times not so favorably, but we are in there "pitching". A trophy case in Young Science Hall is gradually being filled.

We are proud to announce that effective with the January Term, the enrollment of Lindenwood College II (which includes all full-time male students) will have grown to 202, and indications are that the male enrollment will continue to increase.

I have invited the local alumni of L.C. II for a meeting at my home for the purpose of establishing a local chapter which we hope will lay the foundation of the establishment of an alumni organization for the male college.

L.C. Participates in Wash U Engineering Program

Following conversations with Dr. Harold P. Brown, Assistant Dean of the Washington University School of Engineering and Applied Science, Lindenwood has been invited to participate in a cooperative five-year program culminating in the Bachelor of Arts and the Bachelor of Science in Engineering degrees.

Students will spend three years in a Lindenwood program with the following minimal requirements: calculus through differential equations, one year of physics, one year of chemistry, six courses in the humanities and social sciences, and one course in computer programming. The remaining fourteen courses would be determined by the student under the counseling of his Lindenwood faculty adviser.

At Washington University, the student would spend two years in an intensified program of engineering. Areas of con-

centration in this program include Applied Mathematics and Computer Science, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and a combination of one of these with business. The latter could lead to the Master of Business Administration degree.

The recommendation that the Lindenwood faculty authorize the awarding of the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree upon the successful conclusion of the fourth year (the first year at Washington University) was approved by the faculty early in the fall term of 1973-74.

Dean Delaney has been asked to add this to his assignment as coordinator of non-traditional and career oriented programs. Lindenwood will be among some fifty liberal arts institutions participating in the Washington University "Three-Two" program.

Edwin Gorsky to Direct Admissions Program

Mr. Ed Gorsky has been appointed Director of Admissions and Financial Aid, effective January 1. Mr. Gorsky comes to Lindenwood after having served as Director of Admissions at Bethany College in Lindsborg, Kansas for nine years. Prior to heading the admissions operation at Bethany, Mr. Gorsky was Director of Guidance and Counseling at Bonner Springs H.S. in Kansas and before that was a social science instructor and head basketball coach. He received his B.A. degree from the College of Emporia and his M.E. degree from the University of Kansas.

One of Mr. Gorsky's primary concerns is keeping The Lindenwood Colleges name before the public at all times. He feels that the Admissions Office is of vital importance to the college, but also that it takes everyone—admissions counselors, administrators,

faculty, secretaries, alumnae and parents—working together in order to be successful.

As he assumes his duties, Mr. Gorsky foresees no major changes in the immediate future, but does look forward to the opportunity of meeting with alumni during his visits to various cities.

Mr. Gorsky succeeds Nancy McClanahan who resigned the position of Admissions Director prior to her marriage to Dr. John Anthony Brown early last summer.

Other admissions personnel include Mr. James Hatcher, east coast representative; Mrs. Sandra Lovinguth, St. Charles-St. Louis area representative; Miss Susan Schroeder, Arkansas-Oklahoma-Texas representative and living in Dallas; Miss Dorothy Spellman, north central states representative.

Bittner Gives Recital

By Mary Jane Jennings

On Sunday evening, October 21, at 8:00 p.m., Mr. Groff Bittner, pianist, gave his faculty recital in the new Jelkyl Center for the Performing Arts.

Mr. Bittner began his recital with Sonata in E-flat by Haydn. This sonata is made up of three movements, allegro moderato, adagio, and allegro. Mr. Bittner's interpretation of Haydn was very appropriate, bringing out the contrasts in dynamics that Haydn

enjoyed using in most of his works.

Beethoven's Sonata, Op. 10, No. 3 followed the Haydn. This sonata is composed of four movements, presto, largo e mesto, minueto and rondo. The beautiful Ballade, Op. 52 by Chopin completed the first half of the recital. Bittner concluded his performance with the amazing Variations and Fugue on a theme by Handel, Op. 24 composed by Brahms.

The key word describing Mr. Bittner's performance is clarity,

clarity that showed him to be a pianist of much strength and musical ability. In the fast moving sections, the running passages were played with much clarity, steadiness, and ease. The slow movements contained beautiful melodies which were clearly brought out above the harmonic structure.

Mr. Bittner presented the Lindenwood audience with a piano recital of fine artistry and musical polish.

(Courtesy of the IBIS)

Reception Held in Fort Smith, Little Rock and Oklahoma City

In late November, Dr. and Mrs. McCluer and Ms. Susan Schroeder of the admissions staff traveled to Fort Smith, Little Rock, and Oklahoma City where they met with alumni, prospective students, parents and high school guidance counselors.

At Oklahoma City's Hilton Inn, some 27 guests were present to hear President McCluer speak. Alumni in attendance were Barbara Ringer Hamill, Jackie Fulton Stanford, Jan Rollins Vassar and Lou Waters. Fifteen guests were hosted at the Trade Winds Motel in Fort Smith, Arkansas. Alumni Elizabeth Rowland (and husband Joe)

Davis, Nancy Russell Dover, and Nancy Montgomery Orr attended. And in Little Rock 26 guests attended the reception held at the Convention Center. Alumni attending were Jan Blankenship, Helen Henderson Cox, Jo Davis McConnell, Rosalyn Fields Patterson, and Elizabeth Kilbury Terry.

These receptions gave the guests an opportunity to learn more about Lindenwood's academic program and stressed the need for an increased resident student enrollment. Dr. McCluer will be visiting the Dallas Alumni Club in February.

New Faculty for 73-74

Five new professors joined the Lindenwood faculty this fall. All came as replacements for faculty members who have taken other positions.

MR. EUGENE M. URAM, until this fall an instructor in the Department of Communication Arts at the University of Wisconsin, has been named Assistant Professor of Communication Arts with special responsibility for the broadcasting program. Mr. Uram has his B.A. with honors from the University of Western Ontario, and his M.A. from St. Louis University, with majors in philosophy and English. He is a doctoral candidate in Mass Communications at Florida State University.

DR. LINDA NELSON has been named Assistant Professor of Psychology and has been appointed for the period of Dr. Norman King's leave of absence,

during which time he will have a government assignment. Dr. Nelson attended Swarthmore College, earned her B.S. in Psychology at Washington University, and holds the M.S. and Ph. D. Degrees in Psychology from St. Louis University. Prior to her appointment with us, she was on the faculty at Harris Teachers College in St. Louis.

DR. C. EDWARD BALOG is Assistant Professor of History and comes to us from the University of Illinois where he has just received a Ph.D. in American History with a minor in Russian History. Dr. Balog's B.A. and M.A. degrees were earned at West Virginia University.

MISS JANICE JANOF, a doctoral candidate at St. Louis University, joins us as Assistant Professor of Education with

special responsibility for the elementary program. Miss Janof's B.A. and M.A. degrees were earned at Sacramento State College in California. Her teaching experience includes public schools in Monterey, California, and St. Louis, and the USDESEA schools in Germany.

MR. BOYD MORROS has been appointed Assistant Professor of Education with special responsibility in secondary education. Mr. Morros holds the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Washington University and is a candidate for the Ph.D. degree in education at that institution. He has several years of public high school teaching in the field of English and has been a teaching assistant in Education at Washington University. His wife is Lucy Morros, who was a member of our French faculty a few years ago.

Brief Notes . . .

Dean Delaney has continued his development of career-related programs during the summer with final agreements on the work-study program with McDonnell-Douglas and exploratory discussions with the Staff Development Council for Nurses in fifty-eight St. Louis area hospitals. This latter program may bring a large number of graduate nurses into Lindenwood baccalaureate programs. Details of this development will be provided later.

Dr. Richard Wier, Assistant Professor of Political Science, has had his article "Contemporary Film and the Teaching of Political Science" accepted by "New Directions in Teaching" published by Bowling Green State University. This article is a by-product of the interdisciplinary political science-communication arts course Dr. Wier taught with Miss Fields last January.

Dr. David Wigdor, Assistant Professor of History during the 1971-72 academic year, has been appointed to the staff of the National Endowment for the Humanities. News of this appointment came recently to Dean Barnett, recently elected Chairman of the Missouri State Committee for the Humanities.

The Summer Session ended July 27. Twenty-three courses of study were offered with two of the Art Publication Society's Music

Institute workshops counting as additional courses. The evening college enrollment was 97; the daytime enrollment was 275, including the Music Institute students whose work was taken for credit. While the daytime summer enrollment was down from last year, the overall total for the 1973 Summer Session was an increase. Dr. Hood, Director of the Summer Session, and Dr. Miller, Director of the Evening College, reported a successful term.

Conferences on the campus during the summer included the National Association of Cave Diving, the American Baptist Women, the Art Publication Society, the Pakistan Student Association of America, the American Cheerleaders Association, Alcoholics Anonymous, and the Midwest Council on Drama and Other Arts.

Our thanks to the California Alumnae Club for rescuing the News last spring. The gift of \$338.82 was received after learning that the Alumnae budget was \$338.81 overdrawn due primarily to the publication of a third issue last year. Their contribution was designed to put us one cent in the black. THANKS.

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CLASS NOTES

News for this section should be sent to the Alumnae Office. A form for this purpose can be found elsewhere in the NEWS.

'12

Elizabeth CHRISTY Klossner writes that she lives with her niece on five beautiful acres in Buck County, Pennsylvania. If there are any other alumnae living in or near Philadelphia she would love hearing from them, as well as any classmates.

'13

After several years of foreign travel in Europe and the Holy Land, Marie BETZLER is enthusiastically working on the development and expansion of the Carroll County Museum project located just north of Carrollton, Missouri. The unique museum depicts family life, farm machinery, vehicles, etc. exemplary of life at the turn of the century.

'16

Ellen MEGLASSON Davis is working with Suzanne BERRY Bissell '48 at the Women's Exchange in Sarasota, Florida. With the restoration of Historic St. Charles, the St. Charles County Historical Society has moved its headquarters to the Newbill-McElhiney House, which was the residence of the Meglasson family while Ellen was a student at Lindenwood.

'26

Alberta SIMPSON Matteson hosted an "International Parade of Dolls" last March in Tulsa, the proceeds of which were used to aid the children of Managua. Mrs. Matteson is a world traveler and from each of her journeys she returns laden with dolls of the lands she has visited. Being fluent in Spanish, Alberta also gives extensively of her time and friendship to the Spanish-speaking students who come to the University of Tulsa, by teaching them and their families to speak English.

'27

Frances MURPHY Cox is busy looking for a publisher for her first book titled "The Forgery that Changed the World." She is also writing "The Textbook for Learning Inductive Reasoning" and having a ball.

Pauline DAVIS Hedgecock has retired from teaching French at North Iowa Community College, where she was head of the Foreign Language Department. She has since traveled to Denmark, Hawaii, Spain, Alaska, and has just recently returned from France. She credits much of her interest in foreign travel to the influences of Dr. Terhune, at one time a member of Lindenwood's Spanish Department, and Miss Stone, who taught French at Lindenwood.

'28

Josephine LUPFER Fitschen and husband have moved to Sun City, Arizona following his retirement as President and General Manager of Wisco Hardware Company. She looks forward to meeting a number of other L.C. girls now also living in Sun City.

'31

Ruth McCALL Buck and husband visited the campus recently and Ruth says they were amazed at all the new buildings which have been added since 1928!

Lorraine ROBIE O'Conner writes of her enjoyable visit with Miss Avaline Folsom, history instructor at Lindenwood in the late 1920's, during a recent trip to the east. The O'Connors celebrated their 25th anniversary in St. Louis with the Wholens (Helen WEBER '31).

'32

Ruth CORREA Lucke encourages fellow classmates to reunite through the NEWS, especially if you cannot attend reunion. She writes that one of the highlights of this past year was renewing correspondence with her freshman roommate, Bettie GREENE Chamberlin. Ruth's husband has retired from the Army and is at present the Executive Manager of Castro Valley (California) Chamber of Commerce. They have three married daughters and seven grandchildren. She looks for news from all of you!

'35

Mary DEWEY sent her concern for Lindenwood during last spring's floodwaters and reminded us of the similar time in 1935 when many parents had difficulty getting to graduation that May.

We are sorry to learn that Blanch HESTWOOD Lischer lost her husband this past July.

'40

Marguerite DEARMONT Lewis and her husband had the opportunity this year to undertake a world tour of medical mission stations supported by the United Presbyterian Church. Dr. Lewis is extensively involved in medical mission work and has held a number of chairmanships for the Board of National Missions and the Commission on Ecumenical Mission and Relations. The Lewis' make their home in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

'41

Mary Virginia LAY Bar Hoover and husband have been living in the Cleveland area for 25 years. Her husband works for NASA and Mary has left teaching after 14 years of service. They have three children and three grandsons.

'42

Kay ANDERSON Corl is again a proud grandmother since the birth of a second son to her daughter, Kathryn CORL Beard ('67).

Winifred McQUEEN Singleton is enjoying a new life style. Her husband, Jack retired as a Colonel in the Army Corps of Engineers and they have since sold their home in Virginia and purchased a ranch in Colorado.

'43

For seventeen years following graduation, Betty KILLIAN Cronquist taught piano and violin in her home. Now, since her children are grown, she has returned to work as a private secretary in Employee Relations at Phillip Petroleum Company. She is her church organist and active in both the National Secretaries Association and the Desk and Derrick Club.

Ruth HAINES was married to Harold H. Zeiss on June 27, 1972 and was attended by Lindenwood classmate, Doris BANTA Pree ('43). They are now living in Switzerland.

Owanna POST now lives in Delray Beach, Florida and works half-days as the clerk of her church.

She is active in the Community Child Care Center, an officer in the A.A.U.W. and for two years has been president of the Women's Republican Club of Delray Beach—one of the largest in the country. She recently made a trip to Washington D.C. during which she attended a reception presided over by Mrs. Nixon.

'44

Dixie BURNHAM Borland writes of her very rewarding and fulfilling life as she and her husband have become totally devoted to furthering Christianity.

Their work includes the conducting of Bible classes in homes and on college campuses, which have met with great success.

'46

Ruth CAULLEY Sukys writes that all three children are now married, her husband has retired and they recently moved to the plantation they purchased near Tallahassee, Florida. Ruth returns to Ft. Lauderdale each month for the Director Meetings of Caulley Steel and Aluminum Company, of which she is owner and vice-president.

'47

Maridee HILL Hegstrom is presently engaged in research for Iowa State University Extension Service for a series of television programs aimed at retired and pre-retirement persons. She is also serving as president for the Board of Directors of Ames International Orchestra Festival Association.

'48

Suzanne BERRY Bissell and Ellen MEGLASSON Davis ('16), work together one day each week at the Women's Exchange in Sarasota, Florida. Suzanne also writes that she plays bridge one day each month with Sarah BECK Anderson ('45), who will be a "first time" grandmother early in '74. Nancy PAPIN Packard ('46), close friend and Sibley Hall dormmate, lives "down the street." Both their daughters, who incidentally are also close friends, are juniors in college this year.

Shirley LIERK Olson reports that her daughter Becky, a recent graduate of William Woods College, was married this past May to Phillip Brown, son of Dr. John Anthony Brown.

'49

Casey JONES Anker and her husband, Colonel Anker, moved to Las Cruces, New Mexico last year where he will head the Military Science Department at New Mexico State University.

'52

Sharlene AGERTER Glock was installed early this summer as the new president of the Progress Club in Las Cruces, New Mexico. She and her husband moved to Las Cruces in August, 1970 when he took a position teaching English at New Mexico State University. Sharlene is also a member of the University Women's Newcomers, Memorial General Hospital Auxiliary, Las Cruces Arts and Crafts Association and the Community Concert Association.

Jane ROBERTSON Morgan has been teaching Kindergarten for the past ten years. Her husband is editor and publisher of "The Hughes County Times"; and the "Calvin Chronicle", both weekly newspapers in Oklahoma. Their daughter, Julie, is 19 and a sophomore at Oklahoma State and their 14-year old son, Andy, is a freshman in high school.

'53

Nell CULVER resigned as Executive Secretary of the Missouri Librarians Association earlier this fall to accept a position as a Field Representative in the Office of Aging, Department of Community Affairs. Nell has served in her former capacity since September, 1971.

Camilla McCLUER Edwards has been a volunteer docent for the Denver Art Museum for the past two years and spent this past year in the African Department of the museum. She is one of the 200 Art Education Council members who toured over 50,000 school children last year.

Mona HAND Plackmeyer and family have lived within a few blocks of Lindenwood for the past twenty years. She has four children, ages 17, 13, 11, and 2, and hopes they will all attend L.C. Mona is also hoping to complete the four courses needed for her B.S. degree in elementary education.

'56

Maggie FERRELL Langstaff has recently entered Law School at Denver University.

'58

Barbara LEE Forman extends an invitation to anyone in the New York City vicinity to visit her in Princeton, N.J. Her three children are now 8, 7 and 2 years of age and her husband is a botany professor at Rutgers State University in New Brunswick.

Yolanda BREEDEN Marshall, husband Bob, a cardiologist, and their four children recently moved to Denver where they have become ski and sailing enthusiasts.

Ann STEWART Posner is happily settled in Schenectady, New York.

She says most of her time is devoted to being a housewife and mother of their three children, Debbie 11, David 9, and Erik, 5. She sang in a mixed choral group this past year and enjoys outdoor activities with her family.

'59

Patsy PRICE Bailey has recently entered Law School at American University.

"Bitsy" THOMAS Bowman and family now live in Nashville where Sam joined her father's firm. Their three sons are now 11, 6, and 4 years of age.

Mary Ruth DOBIE will receive her Masters degree in Special Education with an emphasis in mental retardation from the University of Alabama. She has been working this past year as a music teacher at a new educational and rehabilitation center in Tuscaloosa. The live-in center serves retardates from ages 11 to 70 and has indeed been an interesting experience for Mary.

Ann FELDMAN Freeman received her degree in Physical Therapy from Washington University's School of Medicine. Her husband, a business administration graduate of Missouri University, is presently employed at McDonnell-Douglas. Their three children are now 7, 6, and 4 years old.

Peggy CRANE Merriweather recently visited with Miss Beale. She and her family are now living in Paragould, Arkansas where she and her husband, who was previously City Manager of Memphis, is now president of the Bank. Peggy says her two sons are future LC II prospectives.

Judy Peterson has been teaching elementary general music for the past two years and now sings with the Seattle Chorale...Marty LATSHAW Humphrey and family moved to Seattle last year...Mary Lee BOREN Malone now lives near Washington D.C. and was expecting their fourth child in August...Margie WARD Bottorff is now in Sunnyvale, California where her navy career husband, David, is taking advanced classes at Stanford University.

'60

Dede SHIGLEY Binford has joined SEDCO, Inc. in Dallas as Associate Editor of the company's first employee magazine. Her artwork has appeared in several Dallas group shows and she is planning her own One Man Show for the near future.

Nancy RUSSELL Dover has been teaching these past couple years at Westark Community College in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Jane COPLAND Fullerton and family have been living in Columbia, South America for the past 3½ years after spending two years in Bagota. They now have five children.

Carolyn BAYER Shadwell is working part-time and active in Camp Fire Girls with her two daughters. They have moved to the country, but Carolyn would love to hear from any classmates in the Dallas area.

'61

Patricia LACEY Eckhardt received her M.A. in Art History from the University of Iowa this past May.

Betsy CROCKARELL Heineman has received her Masters degree in Education Administration and Supervision and is currently working on her doctorate at the University of Tennessee. Her two daughters are now 13 and 5 years of age.

Judy REEVES Scott and family moved to Ft. Wayne, Indiana last spring where her husband is Data Processing Manager for Allen Dairy Products, Inc. Their daughter, Karen, is now in third grade.

'62

Sandra ALLEN is currently Dean of Students at Garland Junior College in Boston, Mass. She has been appointed to the Regional Coordinating Committee, NAWDC, to represent the junior colleges in New England. She also serves as editorial consultant for the NAWDC Journal.

Earlier this fall, Maryjane MESSMER Austin became Dean of Academic Affairs at Brunswick Junior College in Georgia. She is presently defending her dissertation for the Ph. D. in Philosophy and Education.

Beverly BOHNE Rogers and family are now living in Phoenix, Arizona where her husband, Carter, is working in nuclear power for the Arizona Public Service. Their three children are Steve 8, Susan 5, and Jeff 2.

Betty CHEADLE Wright, husband David, and children Joyce and Michael have moved into a new home in Port Arthur, Texas where David is employed by Gulf Oil. Betty teaches classes at the Y and is involved in the usual mother-of-elementary-school-children activities.

'63

Kathy TAYLOR Blacksher and family have moved to the Netherlands for the next two years, where her husband has been transferred in his position for IBM.

Class Notes Cont'd.

Nancy STARK Dosman is returning to Sangamon State University in Springfield, Illinois to complete her Masters degree.

Laura McCORD received her M.A. in English in June from the College of William and Mary in Virginia.

Marilyn YOUNG Walcher's new daughter, Julie Christine, was born on Mother's Day this past May. She also has another daughter, Kay, age 3½. Doug is an engineer for Bechtel Power Corp. in the San Francisco Bay area and Marilyn finds time to do some volunteer work in special reading at the local school.

'64

Dr. and Lisa LEONARD Baldwin now have four children, their fourth having arrived this past September. The other three are Richard, Lawrence, and Almira.

Living in the sunshine and rain of the tropics suits Marilyn LEWIS Donnelly. Her husband, John, a mining engineer with Reynolds Jamaica Mines, Ltd., took the family to Jamaica in the summer of 1972. Kathleen, age 2 and Alan, who was born March 30, 1973, thrive in the climate. Their home is just 20 minutes from the Northcoast resort area of Ocho Rios.

Having received her B.S.E. degree from the University of Arkansas, Julie HEADSTREAM Haught taught first grade for several years and worked in government communications in Washington, D.C., where she met her husband, Bill. They are now living in Little Rock, Arkansas where Bill is an attorney. They have one daughter, Stephanie Jane, age 4½, and Julie is involved as a Junior League volunteer.

Patricia BARKER Kirk received her M.A. from Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas and is currently teaching remedial and developmental reading in Denver. She has won several ribbons in area horse shows and was asked to develop a high school curriculum course in the History and Development of the English Language for the county school system.

'65

After working in Washington, D.C. for a number of years, Marilyn BERRYMAN Johnson, Fred, and their daughter, Cassandra Lynn, decided to leave city life and have moved to Hutchinson, Kansas. Fred is a management trainee with Home Lumber and Supply Company there.

Carolyn LEDFORD is Director of Children's Work at the First Presbyterian Church in Orlando, Florida. In a congregation of 3,200 members, it is Carolyn's first opportunity to specialize in Christian Education.

Patricia MERRILL completed her M.A. degree in Theatre this month from the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Barbara RHODES Stribling ventured into Arizona politics last year—and regretfully lost her first bid for election. Barbara and Jay live in Chandler, Arizona.

'66

Nancy HALL Huck lives in the greater Chicago area, where her husband is employed. Last year she spent a lot of time helping plan her high school reunion. She is still a golfer, bowler, and seamstress.

Jane EYRE McDonald and husband Duncan jointly own and publish the weekly newspaper

"West Lane News" in Veneta, Oregon. Jane is also working to help establish a historical museum for the area. Their daughter Vanessa is 1½ years old.

Gregg KISER Strange is a free lance artist in New Albany, Indiana. She also works with interior decorators, paints murals, and designs stage scenery. Her two sons are Thad, 4 and David, 6 months.

'67

Margarita ESCOBAR has been working as a bilingual secretary for the A.I.D. Mission in Quito, Ecuador since leaving Lindenwood. She extends her congratulations to Lynn SPERRENG Dangler on her baby boy.

Barbara LUDWIG teaches German in Lincoln, Nebraska and has been involved in a summer German camp program. Margaret LYNN received her Master of Science in Mathematics from St. Louis University in May. Ruth Ann MEYER received her Master of Science degree from Western Illinois University this past June. Linda SCOTT received her Master of Science degree from Rutgers State University in New Jersey this past May.

For the past five years, Vicki SMITH has been working at Washington University in their Office of University Relations where they publish the Alumni magazine, newspaper, newsletters, etc.

'68

Joy KESLER Achtipis has been working for the General Adjustment Bureau in the Chicago area where her husband is a greek entertainer. They have two sons, Niko, 3½ and Alexandros, 2. Joy writes that they planned to spend this past summer in Greece with her husband's family, and may possibly stay indefinitely.

Having completed her M.A. in Human Behavior at United States International University in San Diego, Jan BOLDT is continuing her Ph.D. studies and hopes to enter medical school. She is now Director of Mental Health Services for Hearing Impaired, with offices in San Diego, Escondido, and Oceanside, California.

Jane Ward writes that Helen MOFFITT Carmichael, and husband John, have moved to Corpus Christi following his graduation from the University of Texas Medical School. Helen, having graduated with honors in math from the University of Texas, Austin, has been a computer programmer and will work for the city while John completes his internship.

Jane HEATON Ward is working in Dallas as a Respiratory Therapist since graduating from the University of Texas in '68.

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If you are interested in helping organize a class function for this spring's reunion, contact: Marty White, 2748 Glyndebourne Drive, St. Louis, Missouri 63136, (314) 741-6346.

Ann STAMBAUGH Carneal completed her M.A. in Reading last year at the University of Kentucky and her Ed.S. in Reading in August. After having been a reading instructor at Kentucky State University for the past 2½ years, she and her husband moved to the Fort Lauderdale area this past August.

Janet BARBOUR Fleharty is teaching math and science at the Colorado School for the Deaf and Blind where she is also the Outdoor Education Director. Janet writes that Anne GRIGGS Midden had a son in April and Brenda JOHNSON and Steve are stationed at the AFB in North Dakota. Marilyn BENNETT Doonan is thinking about quitting her teaching position to help her husband in his real estate business.

Ann SILVA has been involved in social work for the Clark County Welfare Department in Jeffersonville, Indiana for the past 1½ years. She entered the Kent School of Social Work at the University of Louisville this fall, where she will be working for a Masters degree in Social Work.

Suzanne JOHNSON Smith and husband have moved from Colorado to Litchfield, Minnesota where he is a pilot. They have two children, Jennifer, age 2 and Scott, who is one year old.

'70

Barbi ROTH Boswell is living in Houston, Texas where her husband is a management trainee for NASA at the Houston Space Center.

Judy BASSNETT is now Head Resident of Parker Hall while she is working on her Masters degree at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Barbara SLY Carnes has recently moved into a three-bedroom condominium in Shawnee Mission, Kansas and took a six week tour of Europe this fall. Barb quit her job with Social Security and is now doing some Kelly Girl work. She writes that she ran into Janice ELWOOD Mitchel last year, who is now living in Bayside, New York.

After working in a Burger Chef (due to an oversupply of young librarians in the Lexington area), Nancy ARTHUR Collins has taken a position as an assistant in the University of Kentucky Law Library where she will help classify the law collection. Her husband is a junior in computer science at the University of Kentucky.

Martha THOMASON Ethridge writes that they are enjoying temporary duty in Florida. They took a cruise to Nassau last May and Martha keeps busy by substitute teaching.

Louise STEPHENS received her Masters degree from the University of Georgia in Special Education specializing in learning disabilities. She is now employed by the Ashville Hospital School in North Carolina as a Training Disabilities Specialist.

Barbara OTT Svoboda and husband Jim have a one year old daughter, Sharon Jean. Jim has been promoted to Financial Accounting Manager of Monsanto Flavor-Essence, Inc. in NYC.

Mary Lou DURBIN Vogel is teaching 8th grade English and social studies at North Junior High School in the Davenport School District. The Vogels live in Bettendorf, Iowa.

'71

Janet ACTON received an M.S. degree in Radio-Television from Syracuse University in August of last year. She is now employed at KMOX-Radio in St. Louis.

Margo KELSEY Roberts expects to receive her M.A. from the University of Kansas this spring in Physiology and Cell Biology. She was married March 17, 1973 in the

Danforth Chapel of the University of Kansas, where they plan to live until Margo finishes her degree.

Linda KNIGHT Self was appointed as the new Executive Director of CODAC, the community organization for drug abuse control in Springfield, Missouri last spring. Linda received the appointment after having served as Director of the McAlester, Oklahoma Community Drug Education Council. Her husband is an associate professor of urban planning at Southwest Missouri State University.

Ann CRUSA Wyman received her Master's degree in History from Mississippi State University and is currently teaching high school history while John completes his graduate work in biology.

'72

Elizabeth WILLIAMS Davis received her M.A. in English from St. Louis University this past May. She and Steve are now living in New Jersey. Louise LYSNE has opened a scandinavian import shop in the Historical District of St. Charles, called the Peanut Gallery. Kathy MONTELEONE is living in St. Charles and working as an interior decorator of condominiums for a building firm based in Ellisville, Missouri.

Holding a position traditionally reserved for men, Sharon NILES is manager and trainer at the Lake St. Louis Stables. She is the current Missouri State champion and recently took first place in the Lindenwood Colleges Alumnae Class in the Beta Chi Horse Show.

Ann Riker is a computer programmer for Viscosity Oil Company in Chicago. In preparing for the position, she trained at Honeywell Institute of Information Sciences and the IBM Educational Center.

'73

Martha Ackmann is teaching English and journalism at Ritenour High School in St. Louis. Durinda BELSHE is a staff assistant to Missouri Senator Thomas Eagleton. Marilyn MOORE has taken a position on the counseling staff of Fontbonne College in connection with her graduate work at Washington University in Guidance and Counseling. Joellen SCHERTZ is teaching 9-12th grade math at the Grier School in Tyrone, Pennsylvania. Lindi FREDMEYER Slaughter is teaching English at Francis Howell H.S. and Rich is working in the Marketing division of KSLQ radio. Linda WILLIAMS is engaged in graduate studies at the University of Missouri's school of Journalism in Columbia, Missouri.

LCH CLASS NOTES

'71

Keith Askenasi was recently appointed Director of Public Relations for the Milwaukee Brewers and is the youngest PR director in the League. He and Ruth McCoy were married last June.

'73

Alexander Bloj will complete his Masters degree this May in Radio-Television at Syracuse University.



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SPRING EVENTS CALENDAR

(excluding athletic events)

- January**
- 9-30 Lindquist Etchings Exhibit, Art Bldg.
 - 11 Movie
 - 23 Speaker, Alan McGowan, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 25 Movie
- February**
- 8-22 Mola Fabrics Exhibit, Art Bldg.
 - 10 Faculty Woodwind Quintet, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 15 LCII Date Dance
 - 22 Movie
 - 23 Concert, Tom May, Folk Singer, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 24 Music Recital-Marlene Howell, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 27-20 L.C. Faculty Art Exhibit, Art Bldg.
- March**
- 3 Concert, Baroque Ensemble,
 - 10 Guest Faculty Recital, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 15 Movie
 - 17 Senior Recital, Cathy Woebing, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 21-23 Ibsen's Doll House, Jelkyl P.A.C.
- April**
- 3-22 Photography Exhibit, Art Bldg.
 - 2-7 Festival of Missouri Women in the Arts
 - 7 Junior Recital, Cynthia Lafotte and Groff Bittner, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 28 Lindenwood College Band Concert
 - 28-25 L.C. Student Art Exhibit, Art Bldg.
- May**
- 1-4 Man of La Mancha, Jelkyl P.A.C.
 - 3 Alumnae Council Meeting
 - 3-5 Alumni Reunion Weekend
 - 4-5 Beta Chi Hourse Show
 - 5 L.C. Choir and Orchestra Concert
 - 8 Honors Convocation
 - 11-13 Concert, Choral Society
 - 15 Classes end
 - 24 Baccalaureate
 - 25 Commencement

Additions will continue to be made throughout the spring term. For further information contact Marie Mayfield or Lou Florimonte, The Lindenwood Colleges, St. Charles, Missouri 63301.

Births

- 1958 Ann DAVIDSON Boxey, a son, Paul Scott
- 1961 Barbara KASPER Millette, a son, Christopher Michael
- 1963 Marilyn YOUNG Walcher, a daughter, Julie Christine
- 1967 Kathryn ANDERSON Beard, a son, Andrew James
Pamela KOEHL Carter, a son, William Howard
- 1969 Anne GRIGGS Midden, a son
- 1971 Linda DAVIS Moore, a son, Stephen Patrick

Marriages

- 1943 Ruth Haines to Harold H. Zeiss, June 27, 1972
- 1956 Nancy Alvis McClanahan to John Anthony Brown, June 14, 1973
- 1968 Kirsti Hiekka to John H. Langbein, June 24, 1973
Sharon Littlejohn to Richard Adler
- 1969 Gayle Slemmer to Albert S. Beke, May 19, 1973
- 1970 Vera Ruth Kauder to Dr. Robert F. Wolff, May 23, 1973
Barbara Roth to Wayne Boswell, June 16, 1973
- 1971 Nancy Anderson to William Wilson, August 11, 1973
Margo Kelsey to Richard L. Roberts, March 17, 1973
- 1972 Karen Bachman to George Wilber, November 18, 1972
Alys Baldwin to Steven J. Schmidt, May 19, 1973
Connie Herber to Edward F. Zimmer, '73, May 12, 1973
Aline Lindquist to James L. Mohr, December 29, 1973
- 1973 Pamela Barnhart to Ken Schultz, July 7, 1973
Lindi Fredmeyer to R. M. Slaughter, '73, August 18, 1973
Suzanne Greenwood to John Gilbert, June 24, 1973
Susan Hyde to John Bakewell, May 26, 1973

In Memoriam

- 1895 Esther Cousley, August, 1973
- 1900 Helene Stumberg, September 4, 1973
- 1903 Mabel BENNETT Fenstermacher, April 21, 1973
- 1910 Lilliam E. Zacher
- 1912 Ruth PARR Grieves, January 31, 1973
- 1913 Una DAVIS Cosgrove, February, 1973
Helen VERMILLION Harris
- 1916 Meta Gass, March 10, 1973
Florence McCONNELL Blood, June 22, 1973
- 1919 Dorothea SODEMANN Sproull, October 16, 1973
- 1924 Helen Riordan, January 31, 1973
- 1927 Evelyn TELLER Feibelman, August 7, 1973
- 1929 Irma Ambling, February 26, 1973
Helen RUDOLPH Goeken, February 23, 1973
- 1938 Liv Udstead
- 1939 Mary Alice LIVINGSTON III, May 7, 1973
- 1946 Ruth WILSON Harris, November 12, 1973
- 1950 Nancy GANNAWAY Wentzel, November, 1971

Former L.C. Librarian Passed Away



Miss Mildred Kohlstedt, former Lindenwood Head Librarian, passed away July 11, 1973. Miss Kohlstedt served the Lindenwood Library for 36 years until her retirement in 1967. She had received her A.B. degree from Northwestern University and her M.A. from the University of Illinois Library School, before coming to Lindenwood in 1931. Miss Kohlstedt is survived by one brother.

To Lindenwood

A day in spring, my child and I
Walked beneath the linden trees.
Each towering tree and ancient
dwelling
Holds some sweet memory
Of beloved youthful days.

My child, gaze long upon this
place,
Where knowledge dwells for all
who dare
To seek, and learn, and grow.
You shall, some day quite soon I
know
Walk, as I once walked, beneath
the linden trees.

(Submitted by Mrs. Mona Hand Plackemeyer, '53)

CLUB NEWS

So. California

President Diane Carithers reports a busy and productive year for the club (which, by the way, boasts a membership of 135!). Their October meeting was held at Diane's home with their guest speaker the District Director for Laubach Literacy. The program dealt with the methods and problems of teaching English to foreign visitors and immigrants. November 17th marked the fourth Annual Mrs. Claus' Mini Bazaar, held at Thelma Ogden's Hollywood home. The fall's activities ended with the December 8th Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Aliene Reed. Spring activities include monthly meetings beginning again in February. Anyone interested in joining the California Club, contact Diane Carithers, 713 Kilbourne Drive, Upland, California 91786.

Dallas

We are especially pleased to report the formation of a Dallas Alumni Club. The first organizational meeting was initiated by Ms. Susan Schroeder, '72, Assistant Director of Admissions for Lindenwood, living in Dallas. The party, hosted by Judy Riggs Olsen, was held August 19. Officers elected were Judy Schoepps Werner, president; Betty English, vice-president; Andy Dolley Miller, secretary; and Mary Carlin, treasurer. Dues have been set at \$5 a year which will cover postage and other expenses. The group has since had several meetings, the last of which was a Christmas Party for prospective students, held December 9th, in the home of Mrs. W.H.English, mother of Betty English, '70. Future activities

include plans for a February reception honoring Dr. and Mrs. McCluer and Dean Crozier, to which area high school counselors will also be invited. The club is also in the process of compiling a directory for its members. For further information, be sure and contact Judy Werner, (214) 234-1780 or write her at 234 Clearwood, Richardson, Texas.

Kansas City

Fall activities for the Kansas City Club included much acclaimed pot luck supper on August 31 given by Sally Barker. September 27th found them at Sammy Heavner's for luncheon with Dr. Homer Cleavenger, former history professor at Lindenwood, as their guest speaker. The Dessert meeting on October 25 at Dorothy Berger's included a Yoga presentation and demonstration - as well as a few exercises, and the luncheon at Helen Gay's on November 15 featured a handwriting analysis. Dr. and Mrs. McCluer were to be the club's guests at the December 20th Christmas luncheon. However, due to extremely severe weather conditions in St. Louis, the McCluers have postponed their visit with the Kansas City Club. Those of you non-members wishing to join the club may send your \$6 dues to Helen Petersen, 3921 West 97th Terrace, Overland Park, Kansas 66207.

St. Charles

The St. Charles Club lost their newly elected president this past summer, when Carol Lenke moved to the Chicago area. Jean Zerr has therefore resumed her

former duties as president. The Annual Pot Luck Dinner held in October honored Dr. McCluer as the guest speaker of the evening. Following a short business meeting, Dean Patrick Delaney led a most interesting discussion on November 19. The club again hosted the reception for the Christmas Vespers program at the College, held this year on Sunday, December 9th. The spring's activities will find the club holding a general meeting January 21, to plan the Annual Scholarship Card Party set for Tuesday evening, February 19th.

St. LOUIS

St. Louis alumnae enjoyed a pleasant evening with Lindenwood faculty members and administrators while dining at Grant's Cabin Restaurant, Monday evening, October 1. Their December dinner meeting was held at Regazzi's Restaurant. The St. Louis club has already elected their Reunion County Fair Chairman who will coordinate the club's contribution for this spring's festivities. Linda Granger, a handy craftswoman herself, is in charge and available to contact for suggestions. (Those of you who missed last year's Fair would be amazed at the talent within your ranks!) Linda will be contacting area alumni for help, and feels confident that by beginning early, many of you will be able to make good use of the winter months ahead. The club is open to all St. Louis alumni so if you're interested, contact Mrs. Jane Dippel, president. Dues are \$5 per year.

Residency Grants for Sons and Daughters of Alumni

A limited number of residency grants, valued at \$250 a year or \$1,000 for four years, are available to daughters or sons of Lindenwood alumni enrolled at Lindenwood College for Women or Lindenwood College II. These grants are for children of alumni who will be living on campus in college dormitories beginning with the 1974-75 years.

Students who receive these grants are eligible also for other scholarships, grants, student employment and loans, if there is

demonstrated financial need determined by the Parent's Confidential Statement. The alumni residency grants, however, are given without regard to financial need and are intended to recognize the contribution which alumni have been and are making toward the future success of Lindenwood.

Alumni who have questions about scholarship funds available should direct their inquiries to the Director of Admissions at The Lindenwood Colleges.

MERIT AWARD CANDIDATES

Please submit the name(s) of any alumna you feel has made significant contributions to her community and-or profession. The recipient(s) are honored each year at the Colleges' commencement exercises in May and will be announced in the June issue of the NEWS.

It is preferable that the candidate be a graduate of the College.

NAME _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY-STATE _____
 Class Year _____
 Biographical date _____

 Outstanding achievements _____

 Professional community organizations _____

Return to: Alumnae Office
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 St. Charles, Missouri 63301

ALUMNI REUNION COUNTRY FAIR PROJECT(S)

(Reunion is creeping up quickly. Make your plans now!)

Description of craft:

Number to be sent:

Name _____ Year _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Remember to encourage your fellow alumni to get into the act, too!!!

Projects are due by April 1st.
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(If you wish to bring the above items for the Fair with you, please let us know.)

Miss Odell Deceased

Memorial services for Miss Marguerite Odell, 57, were held Saturday afternoon, December 8 at Trinity Episcopal Church in St. Charles. Miss Odell died of cancer November 28 at Jewish Hospital in St. Louis. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Anthony D'Angelo and a longtime friend, Miss Jane Wainright.

Miss Odell served as director of student activities at Lindenwood for nine years, a post to which she was appointed in 1959. She worked very closely with Dean Mary Lichtliter and hers was an important position to student life. Her duties included planning summer tours for Lindenwood students, organizing social events and campus activities, arranging for theater and concert tickets, etc. She also proved to be an avid listener to the students' problems. While at Lindenwood she sought

her college degree which she completed in 1969, with a major in Sociology and Psychology.

During World War II she joined the Women's Army Corps and went to Los Alamos, New Mexico to work on the Manhattan project, where she met Miss Wainright. Following the war both Miss Odell and Miss Wainright moved to Fairfield, Conn. where they operated the Grasmere Nursery School for seven years. It was shortly thereafter that they moved to Missouri and it was several years later that she came to Lindenwood.

After leaving Lindenwood Miss Odell served as training administrator for the River Bluffs Girl Scout Council in Illinois and at the time of her death was director of volunteer services at Jewish Hospital.

While living in St. Charles she

was extremely active in numerous volunteer and professional organizations. She served as chairman of the St. Charles Community Council; a member of the board of directors of the Health and Welfare Council of St. Louis; a member and past president of the St. Charles chapter of Zonta Club, the women's Rotary; a member and past president of the Business and Professional Women of St. Charles; a member of the Missouri Association for Directors of Volunteers; the St. Louis Association for Directors of Volunteers and the American Hospital Association.

She will certainly be remembered fondly by the many who knew her and will be admired as not only a civic leader, but as one who was totally committed to helping others.

Alumnae-Varsity Field Hockey Game

by Judy Bassnett

On Saturday, November 3, 1973 the first annual Alumnae-Varsity Field Hockey Game was played on the field on Lindenwood's back campus. The game ended in a 0-0 deadlock.

Letters of invitation were mailed out to all former field players and physical education majors by Joy Ebest, Chairwoman of the Physical Education Department. The response was enthusiastic as sixteen "physically fit" alums turned out for the game and another ten alumnae sent their verbal support. Those alumnae who participated were: Judy Bassnett ('70), Barbara Buritt Borgmeyer ('66), Mona McCullough Comici ('73), Nancy Peters Dale ('69), Martha Haman ('73), Debbie

Jackson ('73), Jamie Dregallo Johnson ('73), Kay Kirkland ('69), Ruth Ann Meyer ('67), Sharon Milstead ('70), Kathy Monteleone ('73), Elizabeth Baltz Nash ('73), Alys Baldwin Schmidt ('72), Sandy Siehl ('71), Sue Deal Templeton ('69) and Martha White ('69).

It was a hard fought game on a brisk, sunny autumn day with a nice turnout of well-wishers and supporters. Among them were students, alums, professors, and an enthusiastic Dean of Women, Doris Crozier. Refreshments were served after the game in the Fine Arts Building lounge. The twelve Varsity players, who had concluded their regular season the week before, seemed to have enjoyed the game as much as the alumnae did. All present looked forward to next year and a return match.

Continuing Ed Students Benefit L.C.

It seems that the older one gets the more he realizes just what a college education can do for him, according to Miss Lichtliter of Continuing Education here at Lindenwood.

The Continuing Education program has grown dramatically since it began in 1962. The population of continuing education students has gone from four to the current 371 students. Seventy-four are full time day and evening students and 297 attend Lindenwood part time taking one or two courses.

Most continuing education students are married and have an average of three children. One recent graduate had thirteen. The majority are women with school age children. They are highly motivated, frequently make the Dean's list, and tend to graduate with honors in the fields of

education, psychology and sociology.

Although a few start as freshmen, most have a year or two of college and want to finish their education. Loans granted by the P.E.O. are their main source of financial aid.

Lack of time is the most difficult problem faced by the students — how to find time to maintain a home and family, hold a job, and do all the lessons and readings. Too, there is the added difficulty of trying to fit in to a college set up for the young, single student.

What regular students often fail to realize are the tremendous benefits the continuing education students have to offer. They have what many younger students lack: experience in coping with the real world — getting a job, being married and raising a family. A continuing education

student may know as much in practice as a teacher knows in theory. For this reason, the College Level Examination Program, which gives credit in some fields for life experience, is being utilized at Lindenwood.

The women in continuing education have banded together to form the Women's Continuing Education Association, a group that meets once a month to hear invited speakers, to share problems, and to lend support to each other.

Despite their diverse backgrounds and lifestyles, the continuing education students share a common goal; a college degree after years away from the classroom. They are serious; they know what they want and they are willing to work hard for it.

(Courtesy of the Ibis)

L.C. Student Project Published by City of St. Charles

Lindenwood College senior, Victoria Kern, completed during the past summer an internship under the cooperative sponsorship of the City Planning Dept. of St. Charles, the Office of Economic Research — the U.S. Dept. of Commerce, and the Resource Development Internship project of the Council of State Governments. Working under John Bartholomew, Chairman of the Sociology Department at Lindenwood, Miss Kern worked with the City Planning Dept. of St. Charles and was coordinator for the Comprehensive Plan for the city.

Her paper entitled, "Citizen Participation and the Comprehensive Plan, St. Charles, Missouri" completed by the end of the summer term in 1973, has been published by the City of St. Charles. A book of 149 pages, the work includes a general chapter on the idea of the city comprehensive plan, a chapter on the Comprehensive Plan for the City of St. Charles, the organization of a citizens advisory committee, the progress of the citizens advisory committee, suggestions for future organization of citizens advisory committees, and three appendices on publicity materials, committee work program and coordination and maintenance.

Miss Kern's study is representative of the way in which internships are used in the Lindenwood program to give practical experience during the progress of the study of one area of concentration in the liberal arts

program. Her work was given college credit through the independent study arrangement. The experience itself and the publication of her paper provided tangible evidence for the relationship of her classroom work to field and work experience in her chosen subject area.

McCluer Cont'd.

where his father operated a grocery store and his mother gave piano lessons. In order to raise money to attend Westminster, he traversed Marion County for a summer staying at farms along his way. He earned his bed and board by helping with farm chores and also made enough money to attend Westminster by selling farmers a book on the care and feeding of livestock at \$5.75 a copy.

He graduated at the head of his class at Westminster in 1916 with a degree in English. Soon afterwards he was drafted as a PFC during World War I. He returned from Jefferson Barracks as a teacher of war issues at Westminster. In 1919, he was appointed to teach political science, economics, and history there. He earned his master's degree from Westminster as he taught and received his doctorate in sociology from the University of Chicago in 1928. His wife, Ida Belle, whom he married in 1920, helped with the typing and proofreading of his thesis.

In 1933, at the age of 37, McCluer became president of Westminster College and served in that capacity for fourteen years. In March of 1946, at Westminster, McCluer was host to Winston Churchill and Churchill delivered his renowned "Iron Curtain" address there. Churchill, introduced by President Harry Truman, shook the world when he said that Russia was no friend to the free world, coining the phrase "Iron Curtain".

From Westminster, McCluer came to Lindenwood.

Besides fulfilling his presidential duties, McCluer has been active in political, educational and religious matters. Among his past achievements are the following: delegate to

Missouri State Constitutional Convention, Director of Campaign for Adoption of New Constitution, member of Missouri Commission on Human Rights, member of Educational Policies Commission of the National Educational Association, elder in the United Presbyterian Church, and Chairman of the Council of the National Presbyterian Church and Center. These are only a very few of the honors Dr. McCluer has received. At the Commencement exercises of 1966, Dr. McCluer was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws from Lindenwood and hailed as "scholar, educator, orator, administrator, civic leader, servant of Christ's Kingdom and much loved President of Lindenwood

College," by the Reverend George E. Sweazey, D.D.

McCluer's skill at oration was what originally gave him the nickname "Bullet". According to the Lindenwood Summer Bulletin of 1966, "Debate turned out to be his natural forte...A drawing opponent from Texas, Spoon McCampbell, complaining that McCluer had an unfair advantage because he could fire arguments at three times the normal rate, dubbed him "Bullets". The name Bullet stuck."

Dr. Franc L. McCluer is "a small man," according to himself. But this fact has never deterred him; the stature of this man has very little to do with his physical size.

(Courtesy of the IBIS)

McCLUER HALL REUNION '74

In addition to a class reunion on May 3-5, 1974, are you interested in getting together as a dorm? We would like to make this the greatest reunion ever in honor of Dr. & Mrs. McCluer. If interested, please fill out the form below and mail to:

Judy Bassnett
Box 673
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St. Charles, Mo. 63301

Name _____
(Last) (Maiden) (First)

Address: _____

Class of: _____

Suggestions for McCluer Hall reunion:

NOMINATION SUGGESTIONS FOR ALUMNAE COUNCIL POSITIONS

Each year two officers and three council members-at-large positions are vacated. The Nominating Committee welcomes your suggestions of possible candidates. Please keep in mind that nominees should be willing and able to return to campus twice a year at their own expense.

NAME _____
(first) (maiden) (last)

ADDRESS _____

CITY-STATE _____

PHONE (if known) _____ Class Yr. _____

Comments

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SPORTS CALENDAR

All women's events listed below will be held at Lindenwood. Game time is 7:00 p.m.

- Basketball - LCI
- January 31 - Maryville
- February 5 - St. Mary's
- February 7 - St. Louis Univ.
- February 12 - Central Methodist (6 p.m.)
- February 21 - UMSL

All men's events will be held at home in Jefferson Jr. High. Game time is as noted.

- Basketball - LCII
- February 13 - Harris (8 p.m.)
- February 19 - St. Louis Christian (7 p.m.)
- February 22 - Parks
- February 25 - March 5 -- St. Louis College
- Basketball Tournament.

Complete schedules and additional information may be obtained through the Physical Education Department, Lindenwood Colleges, St. Charles, Missouri 63301 (314) 7 23-7152.