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Linden Leaves
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This, the 1940 LINDEN<br>LEAVES, had as its advisor, Alice E. Gipson, its<br>business manager, Lucile<br>Vosburg, and its editor,

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Lillie P. Roemer Fine Arts Building

This year, Founders' Day had a special significance for all people who in the past or present have been connected with Lindenwood College. On Thursday, October 26, 1939, the Lillie P. Roemer Fine Arts Building, built to honor the memory of Mrs. John L. Roemer who came to Lindenwood in 1914 and stayed as dean of students until her death in August, 1938, was dedicated.

The building, itself, is beautiful. Especially lovely is the Lillie P. Roemer memorial room, which is filled with some of Mrs. Roemer's own furniture. On the first floor are studios for the music faculty. On the second floor is a large art studio, several smaller ones, and the art library. On the
lower floor are practice rooms for music students.

On Founders' Day, after the morning address, Dr. Roemer, Dr. John MacIvor, president of the board of directors, Dr. Gipson, and Dr. Sam Higginbottom, speaker of the morning, led the faculty, choir, guests, and student body to the front of the newlyfinished fine arts building. With merely a few words from Dr. Roemer, Dr. Maclvor, Dr. Gipson, Dr. Linnemann, and Dean Thomas, the Lillie P. Roemer Fine Arts Building was dedicated, but all of Lindenwood's past and present students realized that here again was outward evidence of the continual progress of Lindenwood College.

# New Fine Arts Buildins 

Reception Room

Lillie P. Roemer Memorial Room

Mr. Thomas' Studio

Art Studio


8 in 8

## Contents

The 1940 Linden Leaves is of five parts: The College, Cum Laude, Off the Record, Royalty, Et Cetera.


The first division presents the faculty, the administration, and the student body, who in the intermingling of their daily life make up THE COLLEGE.

It is CUM LAUDE that many members of the student body achieve scholastic records that admit them into the various honorary fraternities and societies on campus. The second part of the Linden Leaves presents those students who study CUM LAUDE.


OFF THE RECORD or outside the regular college curriculum, Lindenwood students find outlet for their varied interests in special interest societies, in the orchestra or choir, in play productions, or in doing bits of writing.

ROYALTY presents the courts of the traditional queens of Lindenwood: the Halloween Queen, the Popularity Queen, and the May Queen.


The final division of the book, ET CETERA, includes the remaining bits of the life of the college that cannot be presented formally, the little incidents that happen from day to day, a few outstanding events and people, groups of friends seen often together.



John Lincoln Roemer, President
A.B., B.D., D.D., LL.D.

Few college presidents can claim such wholehearted affection from their many students as can Dr. Roemer. For twenty-six years he has been president of Lindenwood College; these twenty-six years have been full of growth for Lindenwood-a phenomenal growth from a small girls' boarding school to a substantial young women's college. Much of this has been due to Dr. Roemer's work
and generosity. Students realize how deeply Dr. Roemer's life is centered in Lindenwood, how much all his thoughts are concerned with the progress of the school, yet how many philanthropic interests he has elsewhere. They realize his feeling of friendship for every girl on Lindenwood's campus, and they love him for his own sincere devotion.


Alice E. Gipson, Dean of Instruction
A.B., Ph.D.

One evening at a meeting of Alpha Sigma Tau, of which she is sponsor, Dr. Gipson enumerated the qualities of a truly intelligent and educated young woman. Such a young woman, according to Dr. Gipson, should be tolerant and above malice; she should be aware of world affairs, so that the democracy the United States enjoys will not dissolve itself in apathy; she should have a deep social consciousness; her friendship with books
should not end with the close of her college days. The stating of her own ideals is an excellent index to Dr. Gipson's fine character. It has been through her efforts that Lindenwood College has attained a rating highly respected by other colleges. As dean of instruction at Lindenwood, she has maintained a high scholastic standard, yet she has never forgotten the importance of the individual student.

This has been Miss Mary Hooton's first year as dean of residence at Lindenwood College; in one year she has become friends with all Lindenwood students, making them realize that she is their representative. Through Miss Hooton's office requests of students may become actualities, dependent upon their worth; here, also, attempts are made to solve problems of social adjustment, and the minor dormitory difficulties that arise are ironed out. It must be admitted that to make rules and people coincide in any kind of group life is a difficult task; yet it may well be said that Lindenwood's young women and Lindenwood's standards of behavior are in harmony, a situation furthered by the presence of Miss Hooton.


Florence W. Schaper Director of Guidance and Personnel B.S., M.A., Ph.D.


Mary Hooton
Dean of Residence A.B., M.A.

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Lindenwood College is most proud of the fact that Dr. Florence Schaper is one of its alumnae. Her deep tolerance and her independence in upholding her own ideals make her one of the world of 1940's few truly educated persons. Dr. Schaper is director of student guidance and personnel; she tests general ability for college work and special aptitudes. In this work, she wishes to awaken the student to her own abilities so that she will capitalize on all her opportunities. Her office is stimulated by the realization that the college student's success is a result of her social development for group participation, her physical, emotional, and mental health, a recognition of her special skills and vocational interests, as well as her passing certain specified courses.

## Lindenwood Faculty



Dr. Gipson
Dr. Gregg

Dr. Betz

Miss Kohlstedt Mrs, Underwood

Even college students will admit that faculties are an important part of collegiate institutions. To direct learning and to attempt to awaken intellectual curiosity is a difficult and, without becoming unduly sentimental one might say, a rather noble task. In a college such as Lindenwood, the faculty's ability to perform this two-fold task is most important because of the close co-operation between faculty and students. Every Lindenwood girl will agree that Lindenwood's faculty is well-fitted for its position.

The English faculty includes Dean Alice Gipson, Dr. Siegmund Betz, Miss Elizabeth Dawson, Dr. Kate Gregg, and Dr. Alice

Parker. Dr. Gipson specializes in the study of the Shakespearean drama. All other members of the English department have a division of freshmen English composition.

Dr. Gregg's chief interest is early American literature, in which field she has made valuable researches. Dr. Parker and Dr. Betz teach a survey of English literature; Dr. Betz also directs advanced writing courses. Miss Dawson teaches criticism of children's literature. The vocational division of the English department includes Miss Mildred Kohlstedt, head librarian's class of library science and Mrs. Julia Underwood's class of journalism.

## Faculty



Dr. Schaper
Dr. Benson

Dr. Bernard
Mr. Rath

Dr. Garnett
Dr. Harmon

With the injection of the scientific method into their study, the social sciences have gained much prestige and importance in the twentieth century. In recognition of this fact, Lindenwood has valuable departments within this field.

Dr. Florence Schaper teaches general and advanced courses in sociology; Dr. Jessie Bernard, who has done much valuable research from the statistical and historical approaches, has courses in advanced sociology.

Miss Rachel Morris teaches general and advanced courses in psychology. An intensive study of sociology and psychology is made by the Lindenwood girl interested in social work.

Dr. Ray Garnett is professor of education. Every Lindenwood girl who wishes to teach may practice teaching in the St. Charles public schools under Dr. Garnett's supervision.

Dr. Mary S. Benson, who has done much research in American social history, has various courses in the fields of economics and American history and government.

Mr. R. John Rath, who has made an intensive study in the Austrian Archives of the fall of the Napoleonic Kingdom of Italy in 1814, teaches survey and advanced courses in European and English history. Dr. Lloyd Harmon has courses in different studies of the Bible.

## Faculty



Dr. Mary Terhune is professor of modern language. This department offers courses in German, French, and Spanish; also, this year, Miss Wurster has a group of advanced language students in Italian. Misses Mary Terhune, Helene Evers, Margaret Dunaway, and Anna Wurster teach French. Dr. Terhune's special field is Spanish. Dr. Evers also teaches German and Spanish. Advanced language students make a survey of the literature of the country whose language is being learned and more intensive studies of specified periods. To facilitate the actual use of the
languages, composition and conversation courses are given.

Miss Kathryn Hankins teaches Latin; she also has classes in Greek and Roman civilization and mythology.

Doctors Marian Dawson and Mary Talbot and Miss Yvonne Bailey teach the biological sciences. Dr. Dawson's field is general and adyanced courses in botany. Botany students carry on their own experiments both in the laboratory and in the greenhouse. Dr. Talbot teaches general and advanced courses in zoology. Miss Bailey has courses in physiology, bacteriology, and preventive medicine.

## Faculty



Misses Mary Lear and Lois Karr teach the physical sciences. Miss Karr also has courses in advanced mathematics. Contrary to the supposedly flighty character of femininity, many students can be found each day in Roemer's third-floor laboratories testing the facts of chemistry and physics.

Practicability is one of the twentieth century's best contributions to the field of education. No longer is learning considered a luxury, glorified highest in its most useless state. Thus, many students are interested in commercial work. The business faculty consists of Misses Lillian Allyn and Werdna McKee, who teach the various phases of secretarial work.

A majority of Lindenwood students marry within two years after their graduation. The home economics department prepares students for this most important vocation of women. Teaching, dietetics, and costume design are also fields in which the home economics major is interested. Miss Ruth Anderson teaches the foods division; Miss Ada Tucker, the clothing.

Not unlike the ancient Greeks, the twentieth century educated young woman must develop herself physically as well as mentally. The physical education department offers courses in all forms of sports and dancing. Misses Margaret Stookey and Marie Reichert are the teachers in this field.

## Faculty



A new recording machine has been added to the speech department this year in order that students may notice and correct speech defects. The dramatic art and stagecraft classes work in the Little Theatre making the entire scenery and stage settings. They present six performances a year. Two full length play productions presented by the department are open to every student. The courses offered in the speech department are many, ranging from radio speech to pantomime. Through these varied courses students learn poise, technique, delivery, and the use of body expression. Miss Mary Gordon, Miss Octavia Frees, and Miss Kathleen Scott make up the speech faculty.

The courses offered in the art department are many and varied. Among the most popular are history of art and arts and crafts in which students design original Christmas cards, make symbolic stationery, and book plates in wood block. Other things which the students do in the many classes are stenciling, gesso work, heraldry and the making of family crests, and decorative panels in oil. The girls design their own dresses in costume design for the Nelly Don prizes. Dr. Alice Linnemann and Miss Lillian Rasmussen are on the art faculty.

The music school of Lindenwood College grants the Bachelor of Music degree in public school music, piano, violin, voice, and organ.

## Faculty



Mrs. Burkitt
Miss Gieselman

Miss Coulson

Miss Englehart
Miss Isidor

Mr. Friess
Miss Walker

Mr. John Thomas is director of the school; he teaches piano as do Misses Eva Englehart and Janet Coulson. Miss Coulson also has courses in advanced theory. Miss Gertrude Isidor, an artist on the violin, herself, instructs in violin, theory, and history of music; she also conducts the college orchestra. The teachers of voice are Misses Pearl Walker, who has sung much in Europe and America, and Doris Gieselman, who directs the college choir. Mr. Paul Friess, a fine accompanist, himself, teaches organ. Mrs. Lois Manning Burkitt instructs in methods of teaching public school music, and supervises and criticizes music students' practice teaching in the St. Charles public schools.

All Lindenwood College students regardless of their courses gain an appreciation and knowledge of good music through the music recitals given during the year. Each faculty member gives one recital a year. All faculty members have studio recitals of their individual pupils. Also, student recitals are given every other Tuesday in Sibley chapel. Each candidate for a Bachelor of Music degree with a major in piano, voice, organ, or violin must give a recital a year beginning her sophomore year. Thus, through the recitals the college in general enjoys the work of the music school, and the music students gain poise in performing before an audience and make use of the technique learned in the school.


ROEMER HALL

## Lindenwood Administration



The administration staff has rendered service in the field of keeping the affairs of Lindenwood College going smoothly and efficiently. One of the most important members of this staff is Mr. Guy C. Motley. He, as secretary of the school and assistant president of Lindenwood, is authorized to represent the president and the college at public meetings. His office also takes charge of transportation problems, room reservations, and N. Y. A. student employment. Mrs. Adele Belding acts as his secretary.

Miss Ethel B. Cook has the important position of bursar. She handles all the pur-
chasing done by the college. It is through her that all orders are placed and all bills are paid. She also has charge of tuition payments. Miss Cora Waye, assistant bursar, helps Miss Cook with the bookkeeping and conducts the affairs of student banking.

Miss Sarah Ostner is the registrar for the college. She helps the students plan their courses and checks on academic requirements. Miss Jean Anderson is secretary to Dean Gipson, and Miss Helen Culbertson serves as secretary to both Miss Mary Hooton, dean of residence, and Dr. Florence Schaper, director of student guidance and personnel.

## Administration



As other members of the secretarial staff, there are Mrs. Agnes Zeisler and Mrs. Lillian Siedhoff. Mrs. Zeisler is secretary to Dr. Roemer; Mrs. Siedhoff, secretary to Mr. Motley.

As a convenience to the college students, Lindenwood has its own bookstore and postoffice, which receives the regular United States mail service. Miss Delphia Hirsch and Miss Amy Mutert are in charge of the post office.

In historic Sibley Hall, the infirmary is located. Here any student can get medical attention for minor ailments. Any serious
cases are taken to the St. Charles hospital where more specialized equipment is available. Dr. Kurt Stumberg and Dr. E. J. Canty visit the infirmary daily to check on the health of those students who are there. Miss Eva Sayre is the regular nurse who stays on duty.

In view of the fact that Lindenwood is noted for its lovely campus, one would naturally want to give credit to the superintendent of grounds, Mr. Harry P. Ordelheide, for making the campus a thing of beauty.

## Administration



The care of the large number of meals at Lindenwood served en masse requires the services of dieticians. The dieticians here are Miss Arabelle Foster and Miss Cora Walter. They see that everything runs smoothly in the dining room and are glad to cooperate in planning special menus or special parties.

One of the most popular spots on the campus is the tea-room. Decorated in Mexican style, it furnishes an ideal place to while away the time over cokes. Miss Louise. Kruse has the job of managing the tea-room.

She not only serves regular meals, but she also plans for special parties and furnishes cakes for club meetings.

Every dormitory has its housemother to see that dormitory life is not upset by trivial matters. At Lindenwood, Mrs. A. P. Arends is housemother of Butler Hall; Mrs. Hal Gardner, of Niccolls; Miss Edna Hough, of Irwin; Mrs. Elizabeth Le Master, of Sibley; and Miss Anna Mottinger, of Ayres. The housemothers, in addition to their regular duties, act as hostesses of the dormitories whenever guests come to Lindenwood.


## LIBRARY

## The Senior Class



Kelley, McDonald, Veach, Lloyd
OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer

Christine McDonald
Betty Kelley
Jeannette Lloyd
Rosanna Veach

In early fall, the seniors had a picnic for the sophomores. On October 22, they initiated the series of monthly date dances.

On November 6, at the chapel period, they dropped any semblance of dignity by putting on an exhibition of "how not to perform" at their amateur show which they were having at a formal dinner-dance that month. The whole school was the guest of the class at this dinner-dance.

To prove their originality was not limited to amateur shows, they initiated the wearing of class sweaters. A navy blue slip-over was their choice.

On April 12, they had a party for the faculty in the library club rooms. Late in the spring, the junior-senior prom was held at the Missouri Athletic Club.

In May, they gave the rest of the school a sample of what the next year would be without them by sneaking away for a day.

They chose Betty Kelley as their May Queen; Rosanna Veach and Jeannette Lloyd as their attendants.

Indeed, the year was a culminating point in the career of the senior class of 1940.


## The 1940

Delores Anderson<br>A. B., English

Helen Bandy
A. B., English

Mary Elizabeth Benner
B. M., Public School Music

## Seniors

Frances Brandenburg
A. B., Sociology

Helen Rose Bruns
A. B., Romance Languages

Cordelia Mae Buck
B. M., Public School Music



## The 1940

Shirley Carlson

A. B., English

Kathryn Margaret Craig<br>B. M., Public School Music

Marguerite Oliver Dearmont
A. B., English

## Seniors

Anne MacWillie Erickson

B. S., Home Economics

Bette Foster
A. B., French

Dorothy Mae Franz
B. S., Foods


The 1940

Jane Griswold
A. B., Spanish

Lillian Estelle Hays
B. S., Home Economics

Helen Louise Hellerud
B. S., Educalion

## Seniors

Peggy Hocker
B. S., Clothing and Art

Katherine Jacoby
A. B., English

Betty Kelley
A. B., Psychology



## The 1940

Mary Kern

A. B., Sociology

Therese Larson
A. B., French

Jeannette Lloyd<br>A. B., English

## Seniors

Margaret Anne McCoid
B. M., Public School Music

Christine McDonald
A. B., French

Helen B. McLane
A. B., English


## The 1940

Margaret E. Macdonald

A. B., English

Beverly Houston Mayhall
B. M., Public School Music

Dorothy Gertrude Miller
A. B., English

## Seniors

Dorothy Jane Nieman
B. M., Public School Music

Martha Lorraine Norris
B. S., Economics

Helen Martha Shank
B. S., Home Economics


## The 1940

Miriam Stumberg
A. B., Biological Science

## Bille Vance

A. B., Sociology

Ruth Vance
A. B., History

## Seniors

## Rosanna Veach

A. B., English

Lucile I. Vosburg
A. B., Sociology, Psychology

Kathryn Elizabeth Wagner
A. B., Psychology


Martha Jane Reubelt
B. S., Biological Science

## The Junior Class



Dondanville, Salyer, Weber

## OFFICERS

## President

Vice-President
Secretary-Treasurer
Sponsor

Martha Weber<br>Helen Dondanville<br>- Kay Salyer<br>Dr. Marion Dawson

The juniors welcomed their newly-arrived sister class, the freshmen, with a tea in October. In November, they furthered the feeling of friendship between the members of the two classes on a hay ride with the freshmen. At the beginning of the second semester they entertained the school with a carnival. Some members of the class posed as Siamese twins,
mental cases, dancers, and barkers; others put on a swimming exhibition in antiquated beach styles; still others read palms or gave away soda, cracker-jacks, and prizes. The carnival concluded with a dance amid much confetti.

On April 6, the juniors entertained all students and their escorts at a dance. On April 27, they were hostesses to the seniors

## The Junior Class



THE JUNIOR COUNCIL
Barton, Hopkins, Duff, DuHadway, Weber, Salyer, Works
Other Members: Rayburn, Dondanville
and their escorts. For the annual juniorsenior prom at the Missouri Athletic Association Club.

They honored the president of their class, Martha Weber, by choosing her Maid of Honor in the May Fete. Affirming their decision of last year, they again elected the Tanke twins, Mildred and Maxine, to act as their maids to the May Queen.

It was the juniors, the class of 1941, who initiated at Lindenwood the plan of having a class council to assist the main executive committee and to assure all members' being represented when class arrangements were made.

This year, Nancy Hopkins represented Butler Hall; Ann Rayburn, Ayres Hall; Joyce Works, Sibley Hall; Mary Jean DuHadway, Irwin Hall; Margaret Barton, the day students, and Margaret Duff, Senior Hall.

## Juniors



Irene Altheide
Margaret Barton

Marthabelle Baum
Evelyn Bradley
Raquel Canivo

## Juniors



Virginia Cote

Vera Jean Douthat

## Juniors



Ruth Faucett
Mary Virginia Ekberg

Pauline Gray
Marjorie Green
Elizabeth Holley

## Juniors



Nancy Hopkins
Mary Courtney James
Sara Jefferson

Dorothy Keyes
Genevieve Kniese
Pearl Lucille Lammers

## Juniors



Jeannette Lee
Virginia McCarty
Helen Meyer

Jacqueline Morrison<br>M. Nelle Motley<br>Alma Jean Osborn

## Juniors



Laurabeall Parkinson
Marilyn Patterson
Geraldine Rasdal
Ann Rayburn
Dorothy Rhea
Kay Salyer

## Juniors



Margaret Sandoe
Merl Nadeane Snyder
Shirley Spalding

Mary Helen St. Clair

Maxine Tanke

## Juniors



Mildred Tanke

Martha Weber

Peggy Turcott

Adelaide Wilkie

Geraldine Wachter

Barbara Joyce Works

## The Sophomore Class



Vellenga, Wettstone, Quebbeman, Chapman

OFFICERS
President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Sponsor

Realizing that either the seniors, despite their sophisticated veneer, needed to get back to nature or that it was time the seniors were jarred from their antiquated ways, the sophomores began their activities by taking their sister class on a hay ride in early November. In December, however, they turned to a more formal type of entertainment when they entertained all Lindenwood students and their
escorts at a dance. For this affair they converted the gym into the likeness of a merry-go-round.

To celebrate St. Patrick's Day in March, the sophomores invited all the faculty, administration, and students to a formal dinnerdance.

Finally, late in the spring they had a prom for themselves and their escorts.

## The Sophomore Class



THE SOPHOMORE COUNCIL
First row: Hanlon, Dayton, Cobbs, Wettstone, Johnson, Kanne
Second row: Karlstad, Lague, Quebbeman, Matlander, Chapman, Vellenga

Proud of their class and always wishing each member to be so identified, in March, they came out with identical bright and attractive yellow jackets with Lindenwood crests on one pocket.

The sophomores chose Frances Shepherd and Harriette Wilson to represent them in the May Fete. Their vice-president, Grace Quebbeman, was chosen queen of the St. Louis Flower Show.

In order that all members of the class be represented in its executive meetings, the class elected a council. Each dormitory and the day students had a representative. The representatives were: Butler Hall, Catherine Lague; Ayres Hall, Helen Kanne and Lulagene Johnson; Senior Hall, Celeste Karlstad; the day students, Marion Hanlon; Sibley Hall, Barbara Cobbs and Ruth Dayton; and Irwin Hall, Louise Mailander.

## Sophomores



Marjorie Abeling
Ruth Ashton
Barbara Beechley
Donna Brown

Kay Abernathy
Margaret Ball Nance Bell

Barbara Bruce

Amalib Allen
Genevieve Barker
Jean Bishop
Bettie Burnham

Lorbaine Allen
Louise Battle
Jeanne Briles
Margaret Cannon

## Sophomores



Phyllis Carpenter
Babbara Cobbs
Patricia Chaigo Ruth Dayton

Margaret Chapman Evelyn Cohen
Flora Mae Cravens Harriet Dillaan

Charlotte Ching Jeanne Cook
Carol Davenport Peggy Dodge

Harbiett Clearman
Elaine Cornick
Dolores Davis
Ann Earickson

## Sophomores



Dorothy Felger
Florence Golden
Alvina Hale
Betty Hartiness

Peggy Flint
Helen Goldthwatte Marion Hanlon Harriet Hegk

Margaret Funk
Janet Goodjohn
Jane Harris
Jane Hensss

Ann Gardner
Dorothy Graham
Laura Nell Harris
Genevieve Herter

## Sophomores



Ethelda Hewitt Tommye Lou Jones Celeste Karlstad Dorothy Laney

Joan Houghton Lulagene Johnson

Susan Kent
Martha Laney

Betty Maude Jacoby Jacqueline Jopling Evelyn Knopp Mary Alice Lillard

Rose Marie Jones
Helen Kanne
Catherine Lague
Eileen Linsin

## Sophomores



Frances Locke
Louise Mailander
Betty Merrill
Corinne Morson

Eloise McCauslen Winifred McQueen
Maurine Marshall Dorothy Jean Mathias
Dorothy Meyer H. Jeanne Miller
Sarah Jane Murfey Mary Elizabeth Myers

Elizabeth Macon
Jo Meredith
Jean Moore
Doris Nahigian

## Sophomores



Virginia Norton
Dorothy Owen Owanna Post
Bette Rowe

Frances Loulse Olson
Mary Pemberton
Grace Quebreman
Anna Mae Ruhman

Gloria Omohundro
Eleanor Jean Petty Miriam Ramey Irene Rummelhoff

June Ortiz
Polly Pollock
Mary Elizabeth Rape
Jennie Lynn Sager

## Sophomores



Ruth Schneider
Mary Jo Shepard
Marjorie Smith
Glorla Stinson

Ruth Schrader
Virginia Short
Martha Sosey
Gloria Stunkel

Ruthe Shartel Frances Shepard
Jo Renbe Shuffield
Marie Smith
Mary Virginia Sparks Phyldis Stewabd
Mary Jane Tarling Gertrude Ann Taylor

## Sophomores



| Mary Ann Tolleson | Kitty Traylor | Marjorie Vanderlippe | Florence Vellenga |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Evelyn Wahlgren | Marion Wettstone | Phyllis Whitaker | Harbiette Wilson |
|  | Evelyn Wright | Hyacinth Young |  |

## The Freshman Class



Estes, Feller, Anderbon

## OFFICERS

| President |
| :--- |
| Vice-President |
| Secretary-Treasurer |
| Sponsor |$. \quad . \quad$| Virginta Feller |
| ---: |
| Maurita Estes |
| Elaine Anderson |

The freshmen inaugurated their social activities with a merry-mixer, the first dance of its kind at Lindenwood. In October, they were entertained by their sister class, the juniors, at a tea. Later on in November they were again the guests of the juniors. This time the two classes enjoyed a hay ride. On January 13th the freshmen entertained the
entire student body and their escorts with a Crystal Ball.

In January, after final exam week, they provided a much-needed relaxation with their humorous faculty-student night in which each class and some faculty members performed. Few present on that memorable night will ever forget the sophomores' interpretation of

## The Freshman Class



THE FRESHMAN COUNCIL
Sealed: Lewis, McCulloch, Norris, Estes, Runge, Rath, McPherson
Standing: Wagier, Feller, Anderson
a student board meeting, Dr. Gregg's imitation of a freshman's weekly literary gem and contribution to the English department's archives, and Dr. Betz's commendable voice and flair for subtle comedy exhibited in his rendition of a song from Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado.

On May 2nd, the freshmen honored Dr. Roemer with a birthday party in which the entire student body participated. May 10th, they also entertained the juniors with a
garden party. They chose Carol Bindley and Kate Taylor as their maids to the May Queen.

In executive set-up, they followed the form set by their sister class-that of having a class council to assist the main executive committee. The freshmen chose the following girls as council members: Dorothy Norris, representing Irwin Hall; Rebecca Rath and Jean McPherson, Niccolls; Betty Runge and Jerre Lewis, Sibley; Jean McCulloch, Ayres; Martina Wagner, Butler.

Martha Abend
Elaine Anderson
Kathryn Anderson
Lois Anderson

Niva Jane Arganbright Verna Backhaus

Charlotte Bagley Mary Jean Bailey

## Jo Eloise Baker

Doris Jean Banta
Norma Barker
Olive Barklage

Lou Digeey Baugus
Lorbaine Baumann
Virginia Jean Bauske
Margaret Ann Benson

Dorothy Berger
Marion Joyce Berkman
Barbara Bickle
Helen Lourse Billings

Carol Hamluton Bindley
Lottie Annette Bledsoe
Betty Jane Bloss
Charlotte Bločk


## Freshmen

## Freshmen



Estelle Blumeyer
Marjorie Ann Bogenschutz
Betty Jane Brewster
Betty Butler Bruce

Mabel Buhrer
Coralee Burchard
Joyce Burge
Avonne Campbell

Veneca Adelaide Caraker
Betty Ann Carleton
Marilyn Casebier
Peggy Cassell

Marie Louise Cauhape
Marian Frances Claridge
Ethel Bernice Clark
Marcella Clark

Barbara Clifton
Wanda Cole
Harriet Courtney
Frances Virginia Cowan

Guendolyn Crain
Joy Ann Crudue
Betty Jane Daniel
Alice Kathryn Darneal

Peggy Davidson
Jacqueline Davis
Roberta Jean Davison Beth Douglas

Mary Catherine Downs
Phyllis Drake
Rena Eberspacher
Ruth Eldredge

Maurita Estes
Rosemary Ewen
Helen Louise Farmer
Ester Fabrill

Curtice Leigh Faucett
Virginia Feller
Ruth Ferguson
Jane Finley

Mary Elizabeth Finley
Margaret Fischer
Barbara Jean Fletcher
Gayla Fletcher

Elsa Frankowsky
Ellen Gallagher
Grace Gantt
Shirley Violet Gardner


Freshmen

## Freshmen



Bette Gierse

## Jenna V. Giles

Martha Gene Giles
Emalee Godsey

Jean Kirkland Giraham Twilla Graham

Mabgaret Ann Grier
Molly Frances Guard

Lucy Jane Hadley
Barbara Hahn
Ruth Haines
Eloise Mainline

Carol Ann Hammerschmidt Etta Jane Harkrader Jeanne Harmon

Jo Anne Hastings

Margaret Hatala
Betty Haughey
Martha Walker Haw
Phyllis Hoffman

Elaine Honerkamp
Letty Rae Huber
Dorothy Isbell
Jean James

Marjorie Jameson
Caroline Johnson
Margaret Ann Johnson Charlotte Johnston

Earleyne Johnston
Judith Jane Johnston
Barbara Jones Jeane Rutherford Kahler

Frances Kellam
Helen Kellam
Jeane Kenitz
Avis Elizabeth Kent

Roberta Jean Kimberley
Peggy Gene Kimbrough
Marjorie Kruse
Elizabeti Latrd

Barbara Landenberger
Charlotte Lape
Marcia Lape
Marjorie Leverton

Jerre Lewis
Betty Ann Lillibridge
Peggy Lindsay
Susan Loetscher


## Freshmen

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Patricia Anne Lobd
DeAlya McAlister
Phyllis McConkie
Jean McCulloch

Betty Jane McKendry
Patricia McKinney
Jean McPherson
Martha Marshale.

Erva Mart
Janice Martin
Betty Jean Martindale
Jane Mauk

Mary Medearis
Jane Meredith
Mary Ellen Miller
Mary Frances Miller

Sophia Estelle Miller
Maxine Modert
Isabel Moore
Mary Elizabeth Moore

Betty Lou Muller
Jean Ann Murray
Betty Myers
Gretchen Newmann

Betry Nixon

## Dobothy Norbis

Marjorie Nutt
Dorothy O'Daniel

Marlan Ohlsen

## Roena Ott

Vivian Pagi
Adah Louise Parkinson

Patricia Parnell
Electra Pearson
Minerva Pelles
Ruth Peterson

Marilyn Pickrell.
Margaret Price
Betty Gray Proctor Janet Ramsay

Daphne Ranney
Rebecca Rath
Mary Adelaide Ratliff
Louise Rewerts

Pauline Rickabaugh

Martha Robbins
Carol Robinson


Freshmen

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Virginia Rose
Mary Lee Rosengreen
Marjonie Ross
Betty Jane Runge

Ardathe Ruple
Corrine Sagness
Barbara Lou Saley
Virginia Lee Sampson

Jerrol Sandall
Virginia Sanders
Shirley Ann Sandstrom
Mary Saunders

Marian Sautter
Mary Sawyers
Wilma Schacht
Betty Anne Schoen

Naomi Roberta Schuler
Constance Scott
Lois Selby
Marilyn Shapiro

Georgia Shapkoff
Elizabeth Sharp
Frances Shudde
Dorothy Jean Simonsen

Jean Simpson
Marjorie Jane Sims Dixie Smith

Gloria Mae Smith

Katherine Smith
Samma Isabel Smith
Betty Sowden
Betty Jean Spencer

Mary Elizabeth Standerline
Julia Steele
Mary Jane Steinmann Rita Alice Stiefel

Margaret Stroup
Helen Jean Stubbs
Dorothy Susong
Frances Susong

Elizabeth Tatum
Kate Taylor
Virginia Teale
Barbara Jayne Tennant

## Mary Louise Thede

Harbiet Thistlewood
Janet Thomas
Elizabeth Ann Thompson


Freshmen

## Freshmen



Emma Ann Thompson
Ruth Tillman
Mary McKay Trevor
Dorothy Jane Trump

Sallie Ann Van Buhen
Marion Van Druff
June Van Winkle
Virginia Veach

Martina Wagner
Jean Wallace
Lola Warren
Anne Welborn

Emily Ardell. Welter
Eleanore Wenger
Norma White
Eleanor Ann Wilcoxson

Betty Gayle Wilson
Joan Clabkson Windsor
Alice Wonder
Edith Woodrow

Harriet Woodrow
Sylvia Wright
Marjorie Lee Young
Jeanette Zeisler


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## Who's Who



The 1940 publication of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universilies lists six Lindenwood students. The book includes young men and women from colleges and universities all over the United States, who are considered outstanding in character and scholarship, who are leaders in extra-curricular activities, and who will be of possible future use to business and society.

Lindenwood's representatives this year were Helen Bandy, editor-in-chief of the Linden Leaves; Frances Brandenburg, popularity queen; Marguerite Dearmont, president of the Y. W. C. A.; Christine McDonald, president of the Senior Class; Lucile Vosburg, business manager of the Linden Leaves; and Kathryn Wagner, president of the student body. Each of these young women is a member of the Senior Class.

## Alpha Mu Mu



Seated: Wahlgren, Harris
Standing: Smith, Taylor, Tolleson

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Secretary-Treasurer
Sponsor

Evelyn Wahlgren Laura Nell Harbis

Ann Taylor
Mr. John Thomas

Alpha Mu Mu is the honorary music sorority for underclassmen. It was founded by Dr. and Mrs. Roemer and Leo C. Miller in May, 1918. A student must be a music major, have at least an $S$ in her major, and no other grade below an M to qualify for membership.

This sorority meets once a month to discuss different phases of music, to give programs, and to further the appreciation of
musical works. Each year, Alpha Mu Mu co-operates with Mu Phi Epsilon and Delta Phi Delta in giving a formal tea for music students and faculty.

This year's pledges include Dorothy Isbell, Coralee Burchard, Dixie Smith, Rena Eberspacher, Evelyn Knopp, De Alva McAllister, Janice Martin, Lois Anderson, and Esther Farrill.


Brown, Murfey, Jefrerson, Nahigian, Dondanville

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Secretary
Treasurer
Sponsor Sara Jefferson

Alpha Psi Omega is the national dramatic fraternity. A student who has appeared in one or more of the major productions of the year and has shown any marked talent is eligible for membership.

This year the members of Alpha Psi Omega sponsored the Christmas play, Moor Born, by Dan Totheroh, and the Commence-
ment play. On January 17 and again on April 18, they held initiation dinners in the tea room. At the April 18th dinner, Dorothy Simonsen, Avonne Campbell, Harriet Heck, Barbara Cobbs, and Marion Wettstone were initiated. On May 1 they entertained all students in the speech department at a tea. Late in the spring they had a picnic.

## Alpha Sigma Tau



First row: Owen, Jefferson, Meyer, Hartness, Wagner, Sager, Olson, Goodjohn
Second row: Bandy, Keyes, McQueen, Bruns, Vosburg, McDonald, Eabickson, Heck, Jacoby
Third row: Griswold, Salyer, DuHadway, Lloyd, Kelley, Faucett, Duff, Pollock, Graham
Fourth row: Bishop, Dalton, Stunkel, Mailander, Weber, Barton, Henss
Other Members: Abernathy, Snyder, Macdonald
Faculty Members: Dr. Roemer, Dr. Benson, Dr. M. Dawson, Dr. Talbot, Mr. Rath, Dr. Schaper, D. Terhune, Miss Hankins, Dr. Gregg, Dr. Parker, Miss E. Dawson, Dr. Betz, Dr. Harmon, Miss Lear, Dr. Garnett, Dr. Bernard, Miss Kohlstedt, Dr. Evers, Mise Hooton

## OFFICERS

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Sponsor

Alpha Sigma Tau is the honor society of the liberal arts college. To qualify, one must carry fourteen hours of liberal arts work for three consecutive semesters and must have an average of S or better in all subjects. Candidates for membership must be in the upper
ten per cent of their class; their character, general attitude, and campus activities are also considered.

Annual undertakings of the society are a faculty tea, the Christmas party, and a tea following baccalaureate exercises each spring.

## Beta Pi Theta



First row: Foster, Bruns, McDonald, Weber, Hocker, Jefferson, Earickson
Second row: Stumberg, Morrison, Keyes, Meyer, Griswold, Salyer, Cannon, Bell
Third row: Douthat, Locke, Larson, Jones, Nahigian, Hartness
Other members: Pemberton, Snyder

## OFFICERS

| Presidenl | Christine McDonald |
| :--- | ---: |
| Vice-President $\quad$ Helen Rose Bruns |  |
| Secrelary |  |
| Treasurer | Martha Weber |
| . . Bette Foster |  |

Theta Xi is Lindenwood's chapter of Beta Pi Theta, the National Honorary French fraternity. The purpose of Beta Pi Theta is to organize in universities and colleges, representative men and women who will advance the study of literary French in America.

A candidate for this fraternity must have completed twosemesters of French with a grade

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Peggy Hocker Miriam Stumberg

Sara Jefferson Miss Anna Wurster
not lower than S , have an M average in all other subjects, memorize fifty lines of French poetry, including the "Marseillaise," read and report on a French play, novel, and short story, and write a five hundred word essay in French. Each year Beta Pi Theta presents a medal to the French student of the Freshman Class having the highest scholastic achievement.

## Delta Phi Delta



Motley, Rhea, Nieman, Aljtheide, Craig, Buck, McCoid, Benner, Mayhall, Knopp
Pledges: Burchard, Berger, Johnson, McAlister, Harbis, Shepard, Tolleson

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Sponsor Kathryn Cbaig | Dorothy Nieman |
| ---: |
| Cordelia Buck |

Delta Phi Delta is the local honorary public school music sorority for students who plan to teach in elementary or high schools. The qualifications for entrance are an S or better in one's major and at least an M in all other subjects.

The purpose of the organization is to give students opportunity for discussions on
the teaching of public school music so that they will have a better understanding of the field. The members have open Forums on the problems of a public school music teacher. They also study the glee clubs and orchestras of elementary and high schools and the lives and influences of educators of today.

## Der Deutsche Verein



Quebbeman, Hartness, Barton, Jacoby, Vosburg, Felger
Associate Member: Barklage
Faculty Members: Miss Rasmussen, Dr. Terhune, Miss Dunaway, Miss Wurster, Miss Walker, Mr. and Mrs, Rath, Dr. Betz, Miss Dawson

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Margaret Barton<br>Dorothy Felger<br>Betty Maude Jacoby<br>Dr. Helene Evers

Der Deutsche Verein is composed of those students who have completed two semesters of German with a grade of S or E and also have an M average in all other subjects. The purpose of the club is to foster interest in German and to promote the feeling of appreciation for the historical culture which Germany has offered to the world. The meetings
consist of reports by the members, games, and German songs. One of the highlights of the year is the annual Christmas party at which the club entertains all students of German. Another long-awaited activity is the annual picnic, usually held in May. Also, this year Dr. Evers entertained the club at her home.

## El Circulo Espanol



First row: Wilcoxson, Haughey, Feller, Bledsoe, Smith, Bailey, Lindsay, Miller
Second row: McQueen, Bishop, Foster, DuHadway, McDonald, Weber, Bruns, Griswold, Sparks
Third row: Wallace, Ramey, Ekberg, Petty, Flint, Goodjohn, Chapman, Wagner, Hopkins, Duff
Other Members: Pemberton, Macon
Staff Member: Miss Anderson

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El Circulo Espanol is the organization on the campus for students who do outstanding work in Spanish. Its purpose is to promote interest in Hispanic life and culture and to honor those students who have a grade of S or above in Spanish and an $M$ in all other subjects.

The meetings are chatty, informal, and interesting. This year's programs have been devoted to a study of contemporary Spanish and Latin-American affairs, the latter of obvious interest because of the growing emphasis on Pan-Americanism.

## Home Economics Club



First row: Downs, Ramey, Kenitz, Rose, Norris, Thistlewood, Houghton, Moore, Lague
Second row: Abend, Tarling, Sandoe, Wagner, Erickson, Goran, Kelley, Hocker, Franz, Hays, Brandenburg, Petty, Billings
Third row: Ewen, Frankowsky, Beechley, Ashton, Fiint, Whitaker, Osborn, Vanderlippe, Schneider, Wilson, Ohlson, Rummelhoff, Schact, Hanlon
Fourth row: Davis, Felger, Sagness, Rape, Anderson, Gantt

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The Home Economics Club wishes to stimulate interest in and a deeper appreciation of home-making as a career. To become a member a student must have an S or better in not less than nine hours of home economics work. Associate membership is given to any girl taking a subject in home economics.

The club gave an initiation tea in the fall. Book reviews on careers of women and talks on hobbies, use of leisure time, cosmetics and grooming made up the programs of the meetings. Fifty girls modeled spring ensembles they had made in the sewing classes at a tea for the faculty in April. In May, they had a luncheon at a St. Louis hotel.

## Kappa Pi



Seated: Ruhman, Marshall, Burnham, Lee, Dodge, Schneider, Farmer Slanding: Tatum, Thomas, Cassell, Sautter, Stubbs, Glees, Leverton Faculty Member: Miss Rasmussen

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Kappa Pi, the national honorary art fraternity, has chapters in many colleges in the United States. Lindenwood's chapter, which was granted a charter on May 1, 1928, is open to all art students who make an S in art courses, an M average in all other courses, have completed two full year courses in art, and who design and make a creditable poster for the society.

For many years the members of the art department have designed and made Christmas cards which they sell in order to help increase the Mary Easton Sibley scholarship fund; Kappa Pi sponsors this sale. The members decorate the Sibley graves each Founders' Day, Christmas, and Decoration Day. Honorary members include Dr. Roemer, Mrs. James Reed (Nelly Don) and Mr. Emil Frei.

## Mu Phi Epsilon



Rhea, Motley, Gray, Altheide, Douthat, Mayhall, Buck, McCoid, Nieman, Lammers
Other members: Kniese, McCarty
Facully members: Miss Coulson, Miss Englehart, Miss Isidor
Honorary Patron: Dr. Roemer
Patrons: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Gauss, Mr, and Mrs. Friess

## OFFICERS

| President | Beverly Mayhall |
| :---: | :---: |
| Vice-President | Dorothy Nieman |
| Corresponding Secretary | Cordelia Buck |
| Recording Secrelary Mar | aret Anne McCold |
| Treasurer | Dorothy Rhea |

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Historian
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Warden
Chaplain

Irene Altheide Nelle Motley Pauline Gray Vera Jean Douthat

Mu Phi Epsilon, the national honorary music sorority for upperclassmen, was founded by W. S. Sterling and Elizabeth Mathias on November 13, 1903, at the Metropolitan College of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio.

To qualify, a student must be a junior or senior, ranking in the upper quarter of those students taking music subjects. She must have completed two years of theory, one year of history of music; she must have ob-
tained from two members of the music faculty a recommendation pertaining to her proficiency and character.

Mu Phi Epsilon gives the annual Christmas party with Alpha Sigma Tau. Each year the members put on a program at the Thursday morning chapel hour. Monthly meetings of the sorority are held, consisting of presentation of programs, general discussions, and the reading of papers.

## Pi Alpha Delta



First row: Morrison, Snyder, Myers, Salyer, DuHadway
Second row: Dalton, Kelley, Steinmann, Vosburg, Owen

## OFFICERS

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Secretary-Treasurer
Sponsor . . . . . . . . . . . . Mary Elizabeth Myers
Myrl Nadeane Snyder

Pi Alpha Delta, honorary Latin fraternity, had its origin in interest that attended the study of Latin and English classical courses. Full membership is granted to those who attain superior standing in Latin; associate membership is open to those who attain satisfactory rating in English classical courses.

The object of the club is to bring together for a social hour students who are interested in the classics. During the first semester the club entertains all the students in the classical department of the college at an informal tea. In the spring, Pi Alpha Delta gives its annual tea to which each member has the honor of inviting three of her friends.

## Pi Gamma Mu



Seated: Macdonald, Bandy, Lammers, Shank, Lloyd, Bruns, St. Clatr
Standing: Wagner, Barton, Turcott, Vosburg
Other Member: Kelley
Faculty Members: Dr. Roemer, Dr. Gipson, Dr. Benson, Miss Morris, Dr. Bernard, Dr. Garnett, Mr. Rath, Dr. Harmon, Mr. Motley

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Sponsor

The Missouri Delta chapter of Pi Gamma Mu , the social science honor fraternity, was established at Lindenwood in 1929. The members are interested in studying social sciences as they are today and in promoting social science activities on the campus.

The basis for membership is the completion of at least twenty hours in social sciences
in which the student has distinguished herself. In January, the fraternity had a tea for social science majors and minors, and in the spring a book was presented to the student, not in the organization, who achieved the most outstanding work in the field of social sciences for the year.

## Sigma Tau Delta



First row: Macdonald, Heck, Henss, Otson, Stunker.
Second row: Sager, Jefferson, Weber, DuHadway, Barton, Pollock, Hartness
Third row: Felger, Graham, Earickson, Cannon, McDonald, Lloyd, Vosburg, Bandy, Jacoby
Other Members: Rasdal, Snyder
Faculty Members: Dr. Gipson, Dr. Gregg, Miss Dawson, Dr. Betz
Slafl Member: Miss J. Anderson
OFFICERS

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Secretary
Treasurer
Sponsor

Mary Jean DuHadway
Margaret Barton Sara Jefferson Martha Weber Dr. Alice Parker

The purpose of Sigma Tau Delta, the national professional English fraternity, is to further the enjoyment and appreciation of literature and to encourage creative writing by its members. Members contribute to The Rectangle, the magazine of the national organization.

The requirements for membership are: a major or minor in English, an average of E or S in English, a general average of M for
upperclassmen, a standing in the upper third of the class for sophomores, and a substantial amount of publication.

Each year the organization sponsors a contest in which medals are awarded to the three freshmen doing the best writing. Two teas are given, one for English majors and minors, the other for freshmen and sophomores with a grade of S in English.

## Triangle Club



Seated: Meyer, Golden, Sager, Keyes, Lague, Morson
Standing: Shank, Franz, Duff, Faucett, Graham, Dalton
Facully Members: Miss Leab, Miss Bailey, Dr. Talbot, Dr. Dawson

## OFFICERS

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Harriet Dalton
Dorothy Keyes
Ruth Faucett
Miss Lois Karr

To those students who have achieved a grade of S or E in three courses in the field of the sciences - either biological, physical, or mathematical-which will lead to a major or minor in one of these departments, and who have an M average in other subjects, comes membership in the Triangle Club. The meetings of the Triangle Club attempt
to bring young women students interested in science together socially but also include discussions of their professional interests. Talks and reports are given on topics of current scientific import by the student and faculty members of the society. At one meeting, the club entertained with a dinner party at the home of Misses Lear and Karr.


## IRWIN HALL



## Athletic Association



First row: Ohlsen, Owen, Cohen, Sautter, Baucus, Estes, Haines, Banta, Jefrerson, Wilson, Meyers
Second row: Stiefel, Bishop, Meredith, Miller, Steele, Bradley, Vellenga, Dayton, Ball, Smith, Ching, Nahigian, Battle, Runge
Third row: Brandenburg, St. Clair, Vosburg, Felger, Feller, Houghton, Kent, Kellam, Argenbright, Anderson, Ramey, Olson, Tarling, Dodge, Heck, Cook, Casebier, Whitaker, Barton
Fourth row: Simonsen, Rath, Reubelt, Chapman, Carpenter, White, Davidson, Stunkel, Anderson, Thistlewood, Clearman
Other members: Davis, Morrison, Wilson, Sandoe, Dalton, Mathias, Lague, Kellam, Graham, Hastings, Turcott, Tallman, Bagley, Barker, Darneal, Ortiz

## OFFICERS

President .
Fice-President
Secretary . . .
Evelyn Bradley
Evelagaret Ball
Treasurer
Sponsors Misses Margaret Mantle Stookey and Marie Reichert

The heads of sports in the Athletic Association are: swimming-Peggy Dodge, Dorothy Jean Mathias; archery-Kay Anderson, Jo Meredith; posture-Jeanne Miller, Evelyn Cohen; riding-Rebecca Rath, Betty Meyers; golf-Harriet Clearman, Peggy Turcott; base-ball-Virginia Feller, Norma White; bad-
minton and ping-pong-Miriam Ramey, Margaret Chapman; tennis-Frances Brandenburg, Jean Bishop; dancing-Dorothy Simonsen, Peggy Davidson; basketball - Ruth Haines, Betty Gayle Wilson; hiking-Mary Helen St. Clair, Jerre Lewis; bowling-Rita Stiefel, Betty Jane Runge.

## Physical



Modern
Dance

Hawaiian
Dance


A Variety of
Dance Modes

## Education



Many Sports Interest Lindenwood Students


Marjorie Bogenschutz and Betty Martindale Like Ping-Pong

## Beta Chi



Stumberg, Morrison, Rasdal, Baum, Owen, Murfey

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| Vice-President |
| Treasurer |
| Sponsor |$. \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad . \quad$ Miriam Stumberg

Beta Chi is the club organized for those girls who are interested in horseback riding. To become a member, one must be able to saddle and bridle a horse, to mount and dismount correctly, to put a horse through five gaits, and to jump three feet in good form.

Beta Chi sponsors a horse show in the spring at Lindenwood's paddock. Students
taking riding compete in the events, and members of Beta Chi do exhibition riding. Some of the members of Beta Chi participate in the spring horse show in St. Louis.

For their social activities the members have several hay rides and breakfast rides throughout the year.

## Choir



First row: Benner, Harmon, Stroup, Harris, Clifton, Smith, Gieselman, Buck, Berger, Eldredge, Smith, Farrill, Welborn, Martin
Second row: Tennant, Gierse, Johnston, Ashton, Kimbrough, Runge, Shepard, Anderson, Miller, Fischer, Norris, Knopp, Lague, Snyder, Larson
Third row: Arganbright, Teale, Saley, Smith, Standerline, Stinson, Karlstad, McAlister, McPherson, Heck, Wettstone, Dillon, Norton
Fourth row: Johnson, Green, Tolleson, Rhea, Traylor, Wachter, Steele, Walhgren, Whitaker, Ball
Other Member: Ferguson

## OFFICERS

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Librarians
Director

The college choir is conducted by Miss Doris Gieselman and accompanied by Cordelia Buck. The members of the choir sing at each Sunday vesper service and also add their musical note at the Founders' Day and

Commencement programs. At Christmas and Easter they give entire concerts of seasonal music. Several times throughout the year they sing in different St. Louis churches.

## Commercial Club



First row: Barklage, Ekberg, Susong, Godsey, Hatala, Sampson
Second row: Wheke, Abganbbight, Jopling, Norris, Allen, Rape, Ramey, Kanne
Third row: Rummelhoff, Baker, Berkman, Hillyer, Ramsey, Bagley, Whight, Daniel, Susong
Fourth row: Herter, Page, Bloss, Kruse, McKendry, Kimbrough, Nutt
Other members: Lahson, Kern, Burge, Brewster, Short, Honerkamp, Milaer

OFFICERS

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Sponsor

## Martha Norris

Jacqueline Jopling
Mary Elizabeth Rape Miss Lillian Allyn

Membership in the Commercial Club is extended to all students who take two or more subjects in the commercial department and who, thus, have a common professional interest and desire to further their knowledge in the vocation they plan to follow.

Discussions of the qualifications of a good business woman take place at many
of the meetings. Members of the college faculty lecture, presenting many pertinent current facts relating to the business world of today in its many phases, especially in its relationship to women. The social activities of the club this year included a theatre party in St. Louis and a picnic in the spring.

## Encore Club



First row: Van Druff, Thomas, Chaig, Wilson, Windsor, Sanders, Darneal, Thistlewood, McQueen Second row: Bindley, Hainline, Gierse, Briles, Smith, Baker, Norbis, Dearmont, Stunkel, Vance Third row: Thompson, Isbell, Courtney, Runge, Ott, Miller, Snyder, Vanderlippe
Fourth row: DuHadway, Eldredge, Bogenschutz, Murray, Johnson, Goran, Barton, Shank, Heck Fifth row: Norris, Laney, Douthat, St. Clair
Other members: Ball, Bruce, Cote, Earickson, Fischer, Goodjohn, Laney, McPherson, Mathias, Meredith,
Motiey, Parkinson, Patterson, Rickabaugh, Sage, Schact, Spencer, Stumberg, Trump, Veach

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President
Secrelary

Sponsor | Harbiette Wilson |
| ---: |
| Kathryn Craig |

The Encore Club, new on the campus this year, is composed of students whose relatives have attended Lindenwood. The members are grandaughters, daughters, nieces, sisters, and cousins of former Lindenwood girls.

The purpose of the club is to establish Lindenwood as a tradition in the families
of the students, to welcome new members on the campus, and to foster the idea that Lindenwood is really the "school of our mothers".

In the spring the Encore Club entertained with a party, at which time Dr. Roemer presented the pin-a replica of the alumnae gateway - to each girl.

## International Relations Club and League of Women Voters



First Row: Cohen, Tanke, Barton, Works, Henss, St. Clair, Downs, Jefferson
Second Row: Morson, Tanke, Meredith, Ratliff, Mauk, Lague, Franz, Houghton, Kenitz, Argenbright
Third Row: Gardner, Murray, Huber, Locke, Felger, Marshall, Tallman, Hatala, Saley, Estes, Shepard, Barklage
Fourth Row: Kent, Gantt, Jacoby, Bradley, Vosburg, Matlander, Traylor, Lewis, Anderson, Allen

## OFFICERS

## INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

President . . Mary Helen St. Clatr Vice-President . . Margaret Barton Secrelary-Treasurer . Harriet Dalton Sponsor

Mr. R. John Rath

Any student in the college may belong to the International Relations Club, the purpose of which is the stimulation of interest in all kinds of international affairs. The international situation of this year has, of course, been the main subject of discussion. The club sponsored a lecture by H. R. Knickerbocker, foreign correspondent.

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Sponsor

Kay Abernathy
Jane Henss
Martha Marshall
Joyce Works
Dr. Mary Benson

The League, which is interested primarily in governmental affairs, had, as its topic study this year, consumer education. This organization is open to everyone on the campus. Its purpose is to make college women more familiar with and more interested in civic matters.

## Linden Bark



Cannon, Earickson, Ekberg, Morbison, Johnson, Carpenter, Matmas Also on staff: Stunkel

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Advertising Manager
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The Linden Bark, which is in its nineteenth year, is Lindenwood's bi-weekly newspaper. The staff, composed of members of the journalism class, has frequent lectures by St. Louis newspaper people. Literary supplements, written by the English classes, campus events, editorials, and special columns and features make up the paper. Interesting bits written by the staff are "Who's Who" and
"Sidelights of Society." New additions this year are "All Bark and No Bite," a gossip column by Margaret Cannon, and also a fashion column by Jacqueline Morrison. Twice during the semester, each girl attends church in St. Louis and writes up the sermon for the St. Louis Globe-Democral of which Mrs. Underwood is religious editor.


The Linden Leaves is a student publication; hence, many people are concerned in its making. The editor-in-chief for the 1940 Linden Leaves was Helen Bandy; it was her job to direct the work of the assistant editors and get the book compiled for publication. The assistant editors were Bette Foster, who had charge of collecting proofs and seeing that each girl in the school had her picture taken, and Dorothy Keyes, who had each faculty snapshot passed on before it was printed in the annual. Ann Earickson and Barbara Bruce wrote the humor. Margaret Macdonald and Margaret Barton were the literary editors. The art editors were Jeanette Lee and Peggy Dodge; they drew the map of the school which is made to scale and which appears on the end sheets.

The annual board decided this year that they would like informal snapshots of the faculty and administration, so that the students might have pictures to keep that would
show the faculty and administration as the students see them from day to day and reveal something of their personalities. Martha Norris, Louise Mailander, and Helen McLane took the pictures.

The task of writing up the organizations went to Helen Rose Bruns and Margaret Cannon, the organization editors. They were assisted in collecting their data from the sponsors and officers of the clubs by Marguerite Dearmont, Ruth Vance, Delores Anderson, Miriam Stumberg, Genevieve Kniese, Harriet Heck, Annamae Ruhman, Jean Davis, Mary Catherine Downs, Rena Eberspacher, Margaret Funk, Virginia Teale, Sallie Van Buren, Wanda Cole, and Betty Laird.

Bette Foster's assistants in getting the students' pictures taken were: Helen Hellerud, Frances Brandenburg, Mary Helen St. Clair, Mildred Tanke, Florence Vellenga, Marjorie Smith, and Betty Ann Lillibridge.

## Leaves Staff

Dr. Alice Gipson acted as advisor for the book and directed meetings of the annual board at which the progress of the book was discussed. Dr. Linnemann, Dr. Parker, and Miss Rasmussen were the faculty committee for the annual.

Lucile Vosburg was the business manager of the 1940 Linden Leaves. She made the contracts with the printer, engraver, and photographers, kept the books, and held the annual sales. Helen Meyer assisted her in the annual sales. Mary Jean DuHadway had
charge of advertising; she and Lucile Vosburg laid out the advertising section. Mary Jean DuHadway's assistants in interviewing merchants and business men to get advertisements were Isabel Smith, June Van Winkle, Judith Johnson, Betty Runge, and Harriet Thistlewood.

As has been said, many people participated in publishing the 1940 Linden Leaves. It is their hope that the book will please each Lindenwood student.


ANNUAL BOARD
Seated: Norris, Matlander, Foster, Keyes, Bandy, DuHadway, Vosburg, Lee, Macdonald, Meyer, Barton Standing: Funk, Cannon, Eberspacher, Tanke, Downs, St. Clair, Laird, Dearmont, Van Buren, Brandenburg, Anderson, Vellenga, Kniese, Cole, Hellerud, Teale, Van Winkle, Thistlewood, Smith, Lillibridge, Bruns, Earickson, Heck
Other Members: Bruce, Dodge, McLane, Vance, Stumberg, Ruhman, Davis, Smith, Johnson, Runge

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## Orchestra



Sealed: Dayton, Scott, Ismor, Shudde, K niese
Slanding: McConkie, Gabdner, Isbell, Tennant, Fabrill, Burchard, Sawyers, Wonder, McCoid, Cbag, Daniel.

The orchestra, under the direction of Miss Gertrude Isidor, is composed of all girls in the college who are capable of playing an instrument and sight reading music. Rehearsals are held twice a week. The orchestra furnishes the music for the event of the spring,
the May Fete, assists the college choir in presenting the annual Christmas and spring concerts, and plays at various formal dinners throughout the year. Margaret Stroup acted as librarian for the orchestra this year.

## Poetry Society



First row: Gardner, Banta, Harris, Macdonalid, Snyder, Vance, Bruce
Second row: McKinney, Heck, Earickson, Whitaker, Cannon, Jefferson, DuHadway, Hellerud
Other members: St. Clair, Morrison, Parkinson, Rasdal, Miller
Facully members: Dr. Gipson, Dr. Gregg. Dr. Betz, Dr. Harmon

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Lindenwood's chapter of the National Poetry Society wishes to stimulate interest in the appreciation and writing of poetry. At each meeting original poems of the members are read and criticized. The national magazine of the society is College Verse, which publishes an unusually high quality of poems, all of which are contributions of student members from all over the country.

To become a member in the chapter at Lindenwood, one must write a poem or critical paper acceptable to the membership committee. At the beginning of each year, the society sponsors a contest for potential poets in which the winner is given free membership into the club; others with acceptable poems are invited to join.

## Student Board



Houghton, St. Clatr, Jefferson, Waginer, Kelley, Kern, Dearmont, Weber, Larson Other member: Fisher

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The Student Board is the governing body of Lindenwood. The members, chosen by the administration from the student body, include the president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, the house presidents of the dormitories, and the president of the Y. W. C. A. Each class not included in this group has a representative.

The board is concerned with the general welfare of the student body, as well as with disciplinary functions. The members join with the Y. W. C. A. in the sponsoring of religious emphasis week, give a date dance, and conduct Tuesday chapel meetings at which student problems and interests are discussed. The board acts as a medium through which the students may make requests.

## Tau Sisma



First row: Barker, Duff, Tatum, Hocker, Harris, Guard
Second row: Kimbrough, Johnson, Simonsen, Sandoe, Lague, Dayidson, White
Other members: Ching, Young, Reubelt, Ortiz

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| :---: | :---: |
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The purpose of Tau Sigma is to study the dance and its accompanying arts, costume, music, and drama. All undergraduate students who dance in one public performance and who are elected by the unanimous vote of the active chapter are eligible for membership.

Tau Sigma gave several recitals during the year. The organization sponsored the appearance of Lottie Goslar, German mime,

Reporter Pianist Recital Manager Announcer Sponsor Margaret Mantle Stookey
and Ted Shawn's men dancers. The members take the prominent dancing parts in the annual spring pageant.

Tau Sigma instructors are: Dorothy Simonsen, ballet; Betty Tatum, character and tap; Peggy Kimbrough, tap; Charlotte Ching and Peggy Hocker, Hawaiian; June Ortiz, acrobatic dancing.

## Y. W. C. A.


Y. W. C. A. CABINET

Seated: Brandenburg, Dearmont, Houghton, Lee
Standing: Jacoby, Hopkins, Bradley, DuHadway, Quebbeman
Other members: Abernathy, Miller, Dodge, Mayhall, Vosbubg

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The Young Women's Christian Association is a campus organization of which all students are members. They sponsor the "Big Sister" movement and the welcoming dance for new students at the beginning of the year. In October, they give a Halloween dance, at which the Halloween Queen is crowned. The social service committee collects Thanksgiving and Christmas offerings, encourages the making of dolls for poor children, and gives a

Christmas party for needy children under the campus Christmas tree. During the early part of the second semester, the Y. W. C. A. co-operates with the Student Board in sponsoring religious emphasis week, including a student worship service.

At the bimonthly meetings of the organization a diversity of programs is presented, including lectures, book reviews, and musical programs.

As has been noted, Lindenwood's young women have varied interests. Many like to write, and many write well. The Linden Leaves presents a few of the more interesting literary efforts as well as two examples of another type of creative work, play production.

## LA DOCTORA

She breezed into the room with a decided walk, taking quick, short steps. The first thing she did was to fling one window open and pull another one down. Then she sat down. The attention of every person had been drawn instantly to her.

What an expressive face she had! The amazing brown eyes first attracted one - the merry, frank, penetrating eyes which would so easily see through any pretension or affectation directly to one's inmost thoughts - eyes which held a vivacious, alert humor, profound sincerity, and a limitless capacity for understanding. The two pronounced lines between her brows gave an added sense of musing and a somewhat quizzical expression to the fascinating face. Her mouth completed a picture of a whimsical, wise, and very kind person.

Short, glossy, chestnut hair, with a light brown tint, lay in neat waves, framing her face. She was immaculately attired, with unerring taste, in a dress of an unusual bluish-green shade which set off her olive-tinted complexion beautifully.

I did not, at first, notice her stature nor did I think of her age. One would not think of those things, somehow; however, I'm quite sure that she is under average height, not inclined to slimness, and somewhere in her late thirties.

Not to mention her mannerisms and gestures would be a serious error-an error which I shall not commit-but, rather, say that they are an essential part of her, betraying an indisputably feminine disposition, and adding much to that captivating and delightful personality, impossible to suggest on paper to any just extent.

- Peggy Lindsay


## A CHILDHOOD ROMANCE

It happened far back in the sixth grade when I was at the scrawny, uninteresting age of eleven. That was when I first met Erwin and fell happily and adolescently in love. Of course, he was not the first man in my life, for there were others such as Stanley, whom I met in the fourth grade, and who did my arithmetic for me, and Frank in the fifth grade who had a wonderful balloontired bike. But compared to Erwin, they were insipid and inadequate, and surely not worth mentioning.

Erwin was my neighborhood Romeo in baggy corduroy knickers, sweat-shirt, floppy tennis shoes, and with seldom-combed hair and refulgent grin; I was a loving, if not an inspiring, Juliet, with spindly legs, straight, stringy blond hair, and long cotton stockings haphazardly held up by supporters - the bane of my childhood existence.

How our romance ever started, I do not remember, but the main point is that it did, and that it bloomed sturdily. It was a tender, poignant romance that we carried on in the neighborhood lot, where we played football, baseball, and marbles together. Erwin and I spent many happy summer nights playing games out under the streetlight with the neighborhood gang. We always walked to and from school together, and sent each other absurdly romantic Valentines, most of which I have kept. I remember clearly how jealous I was if he so much as looked at another girl at school. I was his champion at all times and went to every basketball and football game in which he played, marvelling at his superior ability, and cheering myself hoarse. On Saturday afternoons we invariably attended the cowboy show, where we munched popcorn together, and were mutually thrilled by the amazing adventures of Tom Mix and his wonderful horse.

Thus, the course of our romance flowered and pulsated tenderly for two years until Erwin had to move to a neighboring town. Life progressed tragically for me, but I heroically carried on and somehow survived. Though adults are somewhat inclined to view such a happening in condescending and amused manner, to call it "puppy love", and dismiss it as something unimportant, it was a very real and serious affair, which I have never forgotten. Though I have known many boys since that time, I have not yet met any who aroused the adoration and admiration and loyalty which I felt for Erwin, even at my tender and youthful age. But I am quite certain that when I do, he will be the one I'll want "for better or for worse, till death do us part."

- Jerry Sandall

Complete darkness! A scratching sound cuts across the black, and a few blue-white points of light sparkle for an instant. Again comes the scratching, and a ragged blob of light bursts around the match stick. It burns clearly and steadily for a moment. As the charred end curls slowly inward, the uneven flame leaves the blackened head and crawls fitfully up the wood, pushing its paraffin film before it. Then a sudden puff, and the light becomes a glowing eye in the returning darkness.

## GOING HOME

Fleeting lands
With corn stalks
Clumped in imperfect circles.
Now and then a snowflake of crystalline pattern
Pats the window pane,
Then slithers down the glass.
A narrow country lane becomes a spotted ribbon
Binding barren farms together.
A soft haze of smoke
Drifts slowly and flattens against the earth,
Then in a frenzy hurries upward and elsewhere.
The muted click, click, click of wheels-
My heart picks up the tune:
Kansas, click-click, Kansas, Click-click, Kan-sas.
-Margaret Macdonald

## LITTLE OLD LADY

Thad - another head for her ladyship, La Guillotine, and still the knilting needles flashed.

Squeak, squeak, the antique rocker groans
As delicate black-shod feet are grinding The rockers into familiar patterns.
Against her print of black and white,
Bright green yarn lies rolled in a ball in a wicker basket
Balanced on still-active knees.
Hair, tinged with gray, lies in immaculate
Rows across the high forehead and knots in the back.
Small hands, but strong, automatically
Knit the yarn as the perfect, thin mouth replies, "Oh yes, she's a nice girl, but-"

Thud-another head for her ladyship,
La Guillotine, and still the knitting needles flashed.
-Mary Helen St. Clair

The delicately browned piece of apple pie lay on the plate, partly covered by a creamysmooth scoop of vanilla ice cream. Syrup from the apples oozed between the crusts, which were dotted with particles of cinnamon and sugar. As my fork cut the crisp V of the slice, my mouth began to water. I knew the bite would be delicious.

## Moor Born



Nahigian, Carlson, Jefferson, Miller, Wettstone, Rayburn, Brown, Dondanville

The annual Christmas play, sponsored by Alpha Psi Omega, was Dan Totheroh's Moor Born, directed by Miss Kathleen Scott. It was the story of the famous Bronte sisters, whose father, not unlike the fathers of Elizabeth Barrett Browning and of Emily Dickinson, was rather unsympathetic toward them; all of the Reverend Bronte's faith was in his son. The characters of the three daughters and son of the Bronte family, conditioned greatly by their living on a lonely moor of early 19th century England, had a strangely wild and intense quality. The atmosphere of the moor was well created in the play, leaving the audience with a feeling of melancholy and of the inescapableness of such a fated environment.

Helen Dondanville played the part of the strong-willed Emily who wrote Wuthering Heights; Sara Jefferson was Charlotte, author of Jane Eyre, literature's first plain heroine; Donna Brown was Ann. Doris Nahigian was the ill and drunken son of the family in whom the Reverend Bronte (played by Marion Wettstone) put all his hopes. Shirley Carlson was the Bronte housekeeper. Jeanne Miller and Ann Rayburn were the remaining characters.

The players, direction, and setting all contributed to give the audience an insight into the life of a strange English family, yet an English family that produced some of the finest novels in the English language.

## The Enchanted Cottage



Campbell, Simonsen, Cobbs, Miller, Wettstone, Heck, Clark, Gardner, Snyder

This year's spring play, The Enchanted Collage, by Arthur Wing Pinero, was directed by Miss Octavia K. Frees.

The theme of the play was a variation of Jessica's idea in The Merchant of Venice, "Love is blind"; Sir Arthur Wing Pinero would have it that people in love always seem beautiful to each other. To develop this theme, the author laid the play in a little village in Essex of post-war England. Here in the home of Oliver Bashforth, played by Avonne Campbell, the audience met many interesting people. There was Major Murray Hillgrove (Barbara Cobbs) who had been blinded in the war; there was Mrs. Minnett, the housekeeper (Shirley Violet Gardner) who seemed a witch; there were the Reverend and Mrs. Charles Corsellis (Harriet Heck and Bernice Clark) a
twittering couple completely unaware of a world outside their parsonage; there were Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Smallwood Smallwood (Marion Wettstone and Jeanne Miller), Bashforth's domineering and unperceptive parents; and finally there was kind but plain Laura Pennington (Dorothy Simonsen) whom Bashforth married. Others in the play included Nadeane Snyder, Mary James, Marcelle Clark, Phyllis Drake, Sue Riley, Susan Kent, Peggy Davidson, Betty Tatum, Mary Sue Tallman, and Betty Sowden.

The mechanics of the play were worked out in a most professional manner; the play moved fast; the cast seemed actually to be the people of this small English village; all factors indicated unusually fine direction.


## BUTLER HALL



## R ○ Y ? <br> 

It is a tradition that each year three queens reign at Lindenwood; the Halloween Queen, the Popularity Queen, and the May Queen.

In the fall, the freshmen pick about fifteen members of their class to put on a style show for the school. From these participants the entire student body pick a Halloween Queen who, with her two maids of honor and the rest of her court, rules at the annual Halloween dance given by the Y. W. C. A.

At the Christmas season, Mu Phi Epsilon, honorary music sorority, and Alpha Sigma Tau, honorary liberal arts fraternity, join in giving a Christmas party. The Linden Leaves sponsors the Popularity Queen, who is elected from the three upper classes by the whole school and who is crowned at the Christmas party. She, too, is accompanied to her throne
by her two maids of honor and the remaining members of her court.

The procession of royalty culminates in the spring with the crowning of the May Queen at the May Fete. The May Queen, a member of the senior class, is elected by her classmates alone. Her court consists of two maids from the freshman class, two from the sophomore class, two maids and the maid of honor from the junior class, and two maids from the senior class. Each class elects its own representatives for the May Court. This regal party is entertained by the dances of the members of the physical education classes, who present the May Fete on the campus.

Thus, there is a tradition of royalty at Lindenwood, a royalty interwoven with the democratic principle of the students' picking their loveliest representatives as their queens.

## The Halloween Court



Mary Elizabeth Standerline, Halloween Queen


Carol Bindley, First Maid of Honor


Jean McCulloch, Second Maid of Honor


## The Popularity Court



Frances Brandenburg, Popularily Queen



Cordella Buck, Second Maid of Honor


## THE MAY

Harriette Wilson, Sophomore Maid; Kate Taylor and Carol Bindley, Freshman Maids


## COURT

Maxine and Mildred Tanke, Junior Maids: Frances Shephard, Sophomore Maid



Jeannette Lloyd
and
Rosanna Veach
Senior Maids

Martha Weber
Maid of Honor




Betty Kelley, May Queen




SIBLEY HALL



Dr. Mac Ivor leads the assembly in prayer at the dedication of the Lillie P. Roemer Fine Arts Building . . . toasting marshmallows at the annual fall picnic at the Country Club . . . two more groups snapped at the fall picnic . . . Dr. Roemer dances with the Halloween Queen the Halloween Court . . . an august assembly of notables at the Halloween party.



Archery class some rather coy young women . . . at the fall picnic and Martha Sosey . . . the Freshman Class' president originator, Carol Bindley.

Chapman, Clearman, and Vellenga
Grace Quebbeman, Mrs. Arends,
a popular hair style as worn by its


Billie Vance bids . . . Martha Norris and the well-known midnight oil . . . Jay Lloyd balances what might be a repetitious picture - it's Maxine Tanke on the left; Mildred, on the right part of the Butler crowd . . . the seniors looking for talent for their dinner dance . . . Senior Hall and their snow-girl, Miss Lindenwood . . . Dorothy Nieman practices . . . the seniors appear in their new sweaters.


A familiar group-Tarling, Weber, and Osborne . . . Virginia Norton, Grace Pearl, and Penny Hewitt . . . the freshmen welcome winter and snow, as they leave Niccolls one morning that after-dinner relaxation period . . . Celeste Karlstad has something to say . . . let this picture be a warning to all young men who write letters to young women at college . . . and they're always this vivacious . . . by appearances, a studious group.


Some of Butler sitting on the wall one Sunday afternoon . . . departing for the week-end
the "nick-name" girls . . . The Gables corner of the little graveyard behind Sibley dinner dance
more of Butler Hall . . . Jackie Davis young ladies awaiting dinner before the Senior


Niccolls' Swedish modern parlor . . . the nightly ritual, doing up the hair . . . freshmen congregate to talk things over before study hour . . . not too grown-up for dolls . . . for my lady's coiffure . . . "and so he said to me" . . . package from home . . . freshmen awaiting lunch.

"Over the drifted snow" . . . three Irwinites . . . Miss Kimbrough takes a fall . . . Misses Simonsen and Campbell and escorts . . . Ann Thompson and friends . . . Dorothy Owen, Marian Ohlsen, and horse . . . the little school-teacher and Jo Meredith a lovely background for lovely girls.


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Little boys who play football on the campus. Snowballs. Dr. Roemer's car. Red shirts. Seed catalogs. Roger-deceased February 1, 1940. Dr. Harmon. Prospective students who visit rooms at nine o'clock in the morning. The Fine Arts building. Boat trips.


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Ivan was a good boy. Everybody said he was a good boy. (Russian translation: swellski fellowski.) But Ivan was impetuous. It was a fault of the whole Kernanovitch family. They had always been impetuous. Even the father was impetuous. Ivan had six sisters and nine brothers.

Now this impetuousity (consult Webster) of Ivan's had continually led him into trouble. When he was six years old, he had lost four rubles playing Russian poker. ${ }^{1}$ His father had chastised him severely. (Russian translation: terribleski lickingski.) Ten years later, Ivan's impetuousity again led him into trouble. This time he lost five rubles playing Russian poker.2 With this background, one can easily see why tragedy overtook Ivan.

As is the case with most men's downfall (according to men), it was the fault of a woman. The woman was beautiful and glamorous. Her name was Olga Suitiski Boxanski Clantovitch Schlartotavitch, and she was a waitress in the Cafe Goodski Foodski. Ivan called her "my little suit box." We shall, too.

Ivan was eating his usual dish of caviar and hotstotski ${ }^{3}$ at the cafe G. F., when he saw My Little Suit Box. In her uniform of raw-beef red, she was a rare sight. Ivan slowly finished his dish of hotstotski ${ }^{4}$ and caviar. Then he beckoned to My Little Suit Box. She drew near and bent over him. With a sweet smile on his face, he whispered, "My I have some more hotstotski?" ${ }_{5}$

From then on, the courtship was a whirlwind. Ivan and My Little Suit Box were the perfect couple. The only drawback was the disapproval of Ivan's father, Ivan Serge Skervenovitch Rutonivitch Kernanovitch, Senior. He disliked My Little Suit Box because of her uniform of raw-beef red. ${ }^{6}$ Nothing loath, Ivan and My Little Suit Box continued their courtship. Yet it seemed fated to end unhappily. ${ }^{7}$ They decided to elope.

So, in November of that memorable year, they agreed upon the elopement. The night was stormy. The rain swished down in streams; lightning split the skies; thunder rent the clouds. The rivers crept up, up, and up. The wind drove the rain in buckets, and covered the land with rushing torrents. It was wet.
${ }^{1}$ See bibliography for explanation.
${ }^{2}$ Ibid.
${ }^{3}$ See Miss Walters.
${ }^{4}$ Ibid.
${ }^{5}$ Tbid.
${ }^{6}$ Can we blame him?
${ }^{7} \mathrm{As}$ is the case in most Russian romances.
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-Flora Mae Cravens
The automobile boiled a cloud behind it.
-John Steinbeck-The Grapes of Wrath
Sometimes it is almost as hard to live within an income as without one.
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The human brain is certainly a wonderful organ. It starts functioning the minute you get up, and never stops until time for a psychology quizz.
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Into this storm Ivan drove his trusty Ford used car. ${ }^{8}$ He was happy, for on a hill not far from the city waited My Little Suit Box. At last he reached the hill. The water streamed from the Ford used car. ${ }^{9}$ There on the side of the road waited My Little Suit Box. "Hop in, my little onion plant,"'10 he yelled. "Okay, chump," she answered, "but hurry up. The river's rising, ${ }^{11}$ and if we want to cross-"

She needed say no more. With one leap, the Ford used car ${ }^{12}$ slithered toward the crossing. Slowly they traversed the muddy ground. Little by little, the Ford used car ${ }^{13}$ went down, down, down into the soft mud. My Little Suit Box sensed the downward drift. "Hell-sinki," ${ }^{14}$ she muttered.

But the worst was yet to come. With a groan, the trusty Ford used car came to a stand-still. ${ }^{15}$ "It's stopped," said Ivan. For a minute they sat there. Then My Little Suit Box looked craftily at Ivan. "Why don't you get out, my little radish bloom? ${ }^{{ }^{16}}$ she gurgled.

With a tremendous heave, he opened the door, and slid out into the raging torrent. "Now," she muttered, "I'll save myself from a watery death." ${ }^{17}$ Slyly she plucked a pitch-fork from a passing load of hay, ${ }^{18}$ and climbed after Ivan. "Come here, my little ghost-to-be," ${ }^{19}$ she smiled. Slushily he approached, and with one graceful thrust, she gently plunged the pitchfork into Ivan. ${ }^{20}$ "My Little Suit Box," he whispered, and quietly expired. Two seconds later the Ford used car was disappearing among the waters of the river.

Thus ends the tragical story of Ivan Serge Skervenovitch Rutonivitch Kernanovitch. His body lay where My Little Suit Box left it. The rain poured, the lightning flashed, the thunder roared. ${ }^{21}$
${ }^{8}$ Putt, putt, putt, putt, happy little motor.
${ }^{9}$ Ibid.
${ }^{10}$ Colloquialism.
${ }^{11}$ Due to the water.
${ }^{12}$ Op. Cit.
${ }^{13}$ Ibid.
${ }^{14}$ How cold is it in Finland?
${ }^{15}$ They're not the best in town!
${ }^{16}$ What was her motive?
${ }^{17}$ Due to drowning.
${ }^{18}$ It was the harvest season.
${ }^{19}$ Get it?
${ }^{20}$ Ush, mush, goo.
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After-dinner walks to the gate on spring evenings. The green house. "Put your little foot right here". Pauses that refresh. Bob Zurke. Carpy. Absentminded people who turn on bath water and then go to dinner. Day students. Ping-pong tournaments. Ice skating parties. Intellectuals who read Harpers. Non-intellectuals who read Readers Digest. Ferdinand the bull. Eugene the jeep. Unknown quantities. Lotte Gossler. Pageboy hair-does-sometimes. Oscar. Kay Abernathy when she is "just wondering". Mary Elizabeth Standerline. The T. G. I. F. club. The H. I. M. club. Alumnae who come back to visit. Impromptu programs. After-dinner dancing in the dining room.

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