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Mrs. Edna Fischel Gellhorn of St. Louis (left) being congratulated by Dr. F. L. McCluer, president, following the award of the degree of doctor of humanities to her at the Founders' Day convocation on Oct. 13. With them are Dean Paulena Nickell (second from left) and Mrs. Arthur Stockstrom of Kirkwood, member of the Lindenwood board of directors.

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Aid to Missouri Colleges Doubles

This year's gifts from corporations to the 14 colleges that compose the Missouri College Joint Fund Committee, Inc., totalled \$68,184 on Nov. 9, Dr. Eugene R. Page, executive secretary of the committee, reported. The amount is more than double the total contributions to the committee by the same date last year, he said. The gifts have come from 80 contributors, many of whom are second, third, and fourth annual donors. Since the joint fund committee was formed, 97 contributors have made gifts toward the support of the colleges.

The committee represents all 14 of Missouri's four-year, church-related, privately supported colleges. Through the committee the participating colleges, including Lindenwood, jointly seek support from corporations, instead of making 14 separate appeals. The work of the committee is carried on by the 14 presidents and Dr. Page. Lindenwood's President F. L. McCluer is president of the committee.

Private, non-tax-supported colleges must depend on help from alumni, friends, churches, and corporations even for survival, and certainly for a continuance of the kind of training which independent colleges are especially equipped to provide. They must have this help because student tuition payments account for only about 60 per cent of instructional costs. The difference must come from endowment and gifts, unless many able students are to be deprived of an education.

Each student in a tax-supported college or university costs the taxpayer \$850 or more annually, Dr. Page pointed out in his report. Each student in a non-tax-supported college cost the taxpayer nothing, and the corporation or individual only what he voluntarily chooses to contribute.

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Manpower Needs Require Fullest Education of All Americans

Educational Policies Commission Analyzes Nation's Need in Book on "Manpower and Education"

Trained manpower needs in the United States are the greatest they ever have been in peace time, and the key to meeting them is the fullest possible education of all Americans, a recent book, *Manpower and Education*, stresses.

The book is published by the Educational Policies Commission of the National Education Association and the American Association of School Administrators. President F. L. McCluer is a member of the 20-member commission which prepared and published the book.

"Population changes, widespread and rapid advances in technology, and expanded national defense activities have combined to cause acute shortages of manpower in a number of areas significant to American welfare," the authors explain. The stress is on trained manpower, and thus it is on education.

"The manpower problem is not only a matter of sheer numbers of people," the commission emphasizes. "Its solution requires full development and wise use of every person's abilities. The manpower problem is thus increasingly an education problem. The most important need is better educated men and women."

Chief areas of manpower shortage are in scientific research, engineering and technology, health services, executive and supervisory activities, education and technical activities in all fields of industry, agriculture, and commerce. The nation's growing needs for highly trained workers in these areas "are in fact results of advances already made in the schools," the book points out. "These advances opened new opportunities to thousands of individuals and brought about changes in the structure of society. They now call in turn for further advances in the achievements of basic education, in the expansion of programs for technical training, and in the expansion of higher education, including the most advanced phases of professional and graduate education."

During the 1960s and the early 1970s a relatively small labor force (people aged 20 to 65) will be supporting larger proportions of younger and of older people. Among causes for this small labor force are the low birth rate of the 1930s and the sharp curtailment of immigration, which has all but eliminated entry of skilled workers from other lands. The high birth rate of the past 16 to 18 years accounts for the younger people who must be served by the active working force, and greater longevity provides the increase in older people. In 1950 there were more than twice as many persons over 65 as there were in 1900, and a large proportion of them is retired from the active labor force.

To build up this short labor force, the commission recommends education of ever increasing numbers of persons, including resources not now adequately employed. "More manpower can be obtained now through better utilization of the services of women, minority groups, and older people," it is pointed out. "The reservoir of manpower can be enlarged and improved through the reduction of illiteracy, through the education of those who are now undereducated, through recognition of the mobility of workers, through vocational rehabilitation of the handicapped, and through wide-scale improvements in physical and mental health. Manpower resources are adequate to meet present and predicted demands," the commission concludes, "if there is less avoidable waste of human resources and more careful development of all sources of ability."

The commission warns against a practical, vocational education that is too narrow. It commends a career education that is concerned "with what lies inside the individual, but also with the individual's role in society." It warns, also, against emphasis in one field to the impoverishment of another. "Manpower demands are not necessarily the same as manpower needs," the book states in a chapter on 'Manpower Policy and Democratic Values.' "Demand may not represent the full needs of a well-rounded society . . . More than it demands them, the society may need artists and writers and theologians in order to avoid an imbalance which, in the long run, would weaken the culture."

Summary recommendations of the commission are the following:

1. Continued, general upgrading of the entire labor force, through a continuing rise in the level of education on which current technological advance is founded.
2. Concern for careers in education, with more concern in general and liberal education for career aspirations and increased attention to personal qualities and abilities.
3. Development of new and improved post-high-school programs.
4. Guidance and counseling programs, increased in scope to involve all who teach and to reach all who learn.
5. Education of the gifted, with emphasis on early identification of gifted students and a program which challenges their powers and develops their talents.
6. Recruitment of qualified teachers.

Mrs. Gellhorn Awarded Degree at Founders' Day Convocation

Mrs. Nila Magidoff Receives Standing Ovation for Talk Contrasting Life in Russia and America

Mrs. Edna Fischel Gellhorn, St. Louis civic leader and a national leader in the League of Women Voters, was awarded the degree of doctor of humanities at the Founders' Day convocation on Oct. 13, celebrating the 130th anniversary of Lindenwood's founding. Mrs. Arthur Stockstrom of Kirkwood, a member of the Lindenwood board of directors, presented Mrs. Gellhorn for the degree, which was conferred by President F. L. McCluer.

In her citation, Mrs. Stockstrom said, "Mrs. Gellhorn has served with unusual distinction in the field of education, not in the class room as one commonly thinks of this term, but in the education of women for intelligent citizenship—arousing them first to the realization that they needed the vote, then exerting leadership in teaching them how to secure the vote, and subsequently devoting herself to an exhaustive program of educational work on how to use the vote once they had it."

She told of Mrs. Gellhorn's work in the National American Women's Suffrage Association, which preceded the League of Women Voters, and of her service as an officer and board member of the national league and president and constant leader of the Missouri and St. Louis leagues.

In her summary Mrs. Stockstrom presented Mrs. Gellhorn as "a worthy example of the role women can play in the preservation and development of our democracy."

Over the years Mrs. Gellhorn has spoken to groups of Lindenwood students, and last spring she was the Citizenship Day convocation speaker.

A number of her St. Louis friends attended the Founders' Day convocation, and one of her sons, Dr. Alfred Gellhorn of New York, was among the guests.

SPEAKER RECEIVES OVATION

Russian-born Nila Magidoff, Founders' Day speaker, was given a standing ovation by students, faculty, and alumnae when she finished a dynamic talk con-



Mrs. Gellhorn (left), Mrs. Magidoff.

trasting her earlier life in Russia with her life in America. Although much of her talk was amusing, it was filled with serious implications, and she drove home the point that Americans may fail to appreciate their heritage of freedom, trust, and comparative luxury.

Mrs. Magidoff told of the poverty she had known in Russia, of working by day in a factory and studying at the university at night, of joining the Merchant Marine in order to travel outside Russia. She told of her longing to visit America; of meeting her American husband, Robert Magidoff, former NBC correspondent in Moscow; of their marriage and long wait for permission for her to leave the country, and of her first impressions of America and her experiences as a speaker and touring seller of war bonds during World War II. Finally she told of postwar days with her husband in Russia, when they were followed by secret police and finally expelled from the country on an unfounded charge of her husband's being a spy.

Candid shots of alumnae weekend (opposite page): Left (top to bottom)—(1) Mrs. Sallie Little Hanna (1887) and Dr. Lena A. Lewis (B.A. 1931), LC honorary degree holders, and (right) Cordelia Buck Stumberg (B.M. 1940) at alumnae-senior dinner; (2) Theo Dodson Ryan (1907) reading letters from her classmates; (3) Alumnae on road in front of Butler Hall; (4) Registration. Middle column (from top)—(1) President F. L. McCluer showing progress of chapel construction to group of alumnae; (2) Ten 1956 graduates at the reception, front row (from left) Mary Lou Thayer Sanden, Jean Rule Evans, Carol FitzRoy, Judy Glower; second row, Janet Lewis; third row (from left) Margaret Bittman, Jewelle (Jacy) Todsén, Verlee Caro, Marilyn Mitchell, and Nancy Alois; (3) From left, Dean Paulena Nickell, Theo Dodson Ryan (1907), and Martha Lemmon Cunningham (1905). Right column (from top)—(1) Reception; (2) At dinner (from left) Helen Saunders Jones (1922-24), Helen Henderson Cox (1928-30), Prof. Douglas Hume, director of dramatics, Marguerite Tainter Ahrens (B.S. 1927), and Hulda Linnemann (1896); (3) Dr. Alfred Gellhorn of New York, whose mother received an honorary degree; (4) Camille McFadden Whitney (B.S. 1936), Mary Stuhler Rosborough (B.S. 1936), Helen Keithly Markham (B.A. 1937), and Ernestine Thro Maguer (B.A. 1936).



BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Meisel (Patt Wilkerson, B.A. 1955), 1121 Powell, St. Charles; a daughter, Mara Lynn, born June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Monnig, Jr. (Janet Neilson, A.B. 1952), 5 Manor Lane, Ferguson 21, Mo.: a son, Douglas, born Oct. 4. He has a sister, Ann, 4, and a brother, Joseph III, 19 months.

Maj. and Mrs. Jack P. Ancker (Frances 'Casey' Jones, B.S. 1949), 188 D Prichard Pl., Ft. Knox, Ky., a son, John Peter, born Oct. 10. He has a sister, Mary, 2½.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Cummings (Linda Blakey, B.S. 1948), 7553 Byron Pl., Clayton 5, Mo.: a son, Kent Blakey, born Oct. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Martin (Sue Stegall, B.A. 1948), 16 Riverpoint Rd., Hannibal, Mo.: a daughter, Jill, born Aug. 31. She has two brothers, Jimmy, 7, and Bill, 2.

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lee Perkins (Peggy Kendall, B.A. 1947), 13741 Woodruff Ave., Bellflower, Calif.: a son, Kenneth Lee, Jr., born in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. McHaney (Lynn Jackson, B.A. 1945), 1400 W. Main, Blytheville, Ark.: a daughter, Jill Jackson, born May 28. She has a sister, Lynn Joanne, 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Arseneau (Grace Gray, B.A. 1944), 10 Glynn Dr., Florissant, Mo.: a son, Alan Gray, born July 30. He has two brothers, Robert, 11, and Earl Douglas, 10, and a sister, Janine, 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde S. Hale (Rena Eberspacher, B.M. 1943), 148 Firwood Dr., Webster Groves 19: a son, John Edward, born Sept. 5. He has a sister, Freda, 10½, and a brother, Tom, 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thurston (Corrine Paulsen, 1936-38), Box 685, Casper, Wyo.: a daughter, Kathryn Ann, born April 17. She has two brothers, Richard, 12, and Robert, 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Updike, Jr. (Helen Shephard; 1937-39), 528 S. State, Jerseyville, Ill.: a son, Thomas Shephard, born Aug. 24. He has two brothers, William Allen, 5, and Charles Douglas, 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon Nix, Jr. (Mary Helen Kingston, 1930-32), 1005 E. Taylor, Harlingen, Tex.: a daughter, Jeanette Kingston, born Oct. 7.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Howell (Sally Snelling, 1951-53), 7336 Esterbrook, St. Louis 20: a son Steven Ray, born June 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Neher (Rose Marie Danz, 1951-53), 104 N. Oak St., Union, Mo.: a son, Thomas Frederick, born Sept. 17. He has a sister, Beverly, 2.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Gay Holloway (Ann Hobgood, 1951-53), 23 C Chelsea Dr., Savannah, Ga.: a daughter, Deborah Ann, born Sept. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Clarkson (Alice Neal, 1935-36), 1233 W. 69th Terr., Kansas City, Mo.: a daughter, Lillian, born in December. She has two brothers and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Delaney Heeney (Helen Louise Anderson, 1950-51), 1016 Main, Lawrence, Kan.: a son, Steven John, born May 31.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stetson (Dorothy Ann Monroe, 1944-45), 507 S. Seventh St., Ann Arbor, Mich.: a daughter, Dana, born in March. She has a sister, Diana, 2½.

Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Rivero, Jr. (Mary Dean Boschert, 1944-46), Banco De Honduras, Tegucigalpa D. C., Honduras: a son, Salvador Oscar, born Apr. 19. He has a sister, Maria, 5.

Dr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Todd (Elise Rannells, 1946-48), 5611 Norman Way, Riverside, Calif.: a daughter, Laura Suzanne, born Mar. 2. She has a brother, Bruce, 3½.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard S. Kaplan (Jean Woolpy, 1947-49), 2050 E. 69th St., Chicago 49: a son, James Allan, born Jan. 20, 1955.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Roth (Margaret J. Hoh-tanz, 1941-43), 421 Melrose, Chicago 13: a son, Walter Theodore, born May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman (Marion Bebb, 1946-48), 2617 Elgin, Muskogee, Okla.: a daughter, Mary Dawn, born Feb. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Doyle (Barbara Reed, 1950-52), 5111 Lincoln, Des Moines, Iowa: a son, Mark Reed, born Feb. 26.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Ellis (Margaret Gausse, 1944-46), O.M.S. Box 677, Home AFB, Idaho: a son, Steven Allen, born in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Griggs (Virginia Morgan, 1953-55), Woodrow Wilson Center, Box 554, Norman, Okla.: a daughter, Elizabeth Dawn, born June 16.

Mrs. Brownie Winkler Rummerfield (1952-54), Thompson River School, Marion, Mont.: a daughter, Jean, born July 23. She has a brother, Jimmie.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bloebaum (Anne Lancaster, 1951-53), Elm Point Rd., Mt. R. 2, St. Charles: a son, Daniel Joseph, born Mar. 8. He has a brother, Paul Robert, 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlon A. Hain (Virginia Reece, 1948-49), 809 Enfield Rd., Bryan, Tex.: a daughter, Alesa Virginia, born in June. She has a brother, Thoma Harlon, 3.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. McDonald (Selma Bloess, 1947-48), 1825 S. Warren, Sedalia, Mo.: a son, Richard Carlisle, born Jan. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Carlson (Janet Anderson, 1947-48), 1072 S. W. Gaines, Portland 1, Ore.: a son, Leif Eugene, born in January.

WEDDINGS

Rosemary Dysart (B.M.E. 1955) was married to Dr. Arthur Edward Baue of St. Charles, a resident in surgery at Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, in a church ceremony in Webster Groves on Nov. 24. Dr. Harry T. Scherer, president of the Lindenwood board of directors, performed the marriage.

Maria Zarraga (1948-51) became the bride of Ignacio Saldana in a church service on Oct. 14. They live at 14 #513 Miramar, Marianao, Habana, Cuba.

Sally Lakin (1952-54) and John Hyde Dickey of Attica, Ind., were married Sept. 1 in LaSalle, Ill. Nancy Elwood (1952-54) was an attendant. The Dickeys are students at Purdue University.

Suzanne Elliott (1951-53) became Mrs. Jack Wendell Robbins in a church ceremony in Alva, Okla., on Nov. 11.

Sharon Lee Vance (1952-53) was married to John Bruce Bindley III on Aug. 11 in Paris, Ill.

Marilyn Smith (1952-53) was married to Harold Clinton Cobb of Waco, Tex., in September.

In a church ceremony in St. Charles on Oct. 6, Phoebe Ermeling (1954-55) was married to Earl Stiegemeier.

Three 1955-56 students recently married are Nancy Hansen to Lt. Richard L. Niebling on Aug. 25; Janet Hepburn to John R. Fecmster on Nov. 10, and Beverly Rath to Robert R. Griggs on Sept. 16.

Mayme Small (1921-23), to David D. Lerner on Apr. 28 in St. Louis.

Laura Calma Johns (1924-26), to Frank M. Faxon of San Diego, Calif., on Jan. 21 in Ocean Beach, Calif. They live at 517 Sunset Dr., Sedalia, Mo.

Jane Leonard (1952-54), to James Edward Anthony of Clovis, N. M., on June 16 in Fort Worth, Tex., in a double ceremony with her sister, Ann.

Annette Grolock (1950-52), to William Charles Ellis on June 8 in Ladue, Mo.

Martha Porter (1951-52), to Lt. John William Fowler, U.S.A.F., of Des Moines, on Mar. 17 at Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Darla Lee Ehlert (1954-55), to Duane Harold Downer on June 9 in St. Joseph, Mo.

Marcia Moss (1954-55), to Doyne Linhart of Georgetown, Ill., on June 10 at Paris, Ill. Barbara Givens, senior, was a bridesmaid.

Shirley Musick (1952), daughter of Marion Kaiser Musick (B.S. 1929), to Maurice E. Hamilton of Columbus, Ind., on May 4. The Hamiltons live at 503½ S. 16th St., Lafayette, Ind.

Odette Cocusse (1952-53), to Gerard Picard on July 21 in Ormoy-sur-Aube, France.

Marianne Harper (1952-53), to Leven Boardman

With Alumnae Here and There

Martha Lemmon Cunningham (class of 1905), who came from her home in Marengo, Iowa, for alumnae weekend, revealed an amusing incident of social pioneering she accomplished at LC. In her senior year she was the first student to wear men's trousers when playing a male role in a play. Before that, male impersonators on the Lindenwood stage had worn men's shirts and coats—with skirts. Mrs. Cunningham appearing in "Captain Robert Rackett," was outfitted properly by Mr. Weil of the Weil Clothing Co. of St. Charles. "I got by with it," she laughingly reported.

Theo Dodson Ryan (1906) reported recent visits with Nell VanNort McKane (1906) and Mary Rollins Hart (1907) in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Anne L. Baldwin (B.A. 1951) has a new position as public health laboratory technician in the Missouri Division of Health in Jefferson City.

Marian (Toosie) Stoerker (B.S. 1954, M. S. U. of Wisconsin) is instructor in physical education at William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va.

Jeanne McDonald Dennler (B.A. 1946) writes that her husband, Carl, has completed work on a Ph.D. at the University of Wisconsin and is back teaching at the University of Maine. The family, including Mike, 4, and Christine, 2, lives at College Road, Orono, Me.

Barbara Bauer (1952-54) was graduated in September in physical therapy from the D. T. Watson School of Physiatrics, affiliated with the U. of Pittsburgh. Her mother is Madaline John Bauer (B.S. 1934), 5100 N. 33rd St., Arlington, Va.

Betty McHatton (1951-53), home service supervisor of the Springfield division, Central Illinois Light Co., won a \$200 American Gas Association Home Service Achievement Award, sponsored by McCall's magazine. The award was presented at the American Gas Association convention in Atlantic City in October.

Gray on Sept. 15 in Mexico, Mo. President McCluer assisted in the service.

Patricia Long (1954-55), to Gordon Saint Claire Dickerson, Jr., on Aug. 4 in Nashville, Tenn.

June Kiehna (1951-52), to Joseph Mario de Bernardi on June 30 in Washington, D. C.

Janis Hyde (1953-54), to O. Worth Camp, Jr., on Aug. 25 in El Dorado, Ark. Peggy Honeycutt (1953-54) was an attendant.

Darlene George (1953-54), to Lowell Bruce Johnson, a senior at the University of Illinois, on Aug. 18 in Moline, Ill.

Association Elects Officers, Seeks Supporting Members

Folsta Bailey Gibbons (B.A. 1949) of Kirkwood was elected vice-president of the Lindenwood College Alumnae Association at the annual meeting in Sibley Chapel on Nov. 13. She succeeds Ernestine Thru Magnier (B.A. 1936) of Webster Groves.

Emily Knutson Lewis of St. Charles (1949-51) was elected treasurer, an office she had held by appointment since the resignation of Mabel Wilkens Salfen (B.S. 1946) last spring.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$905.52 in the treasury. She reported alumnae response to the officers' appeal of last April as follows: Gifts to the chapel, \$1,645.50; for scholarships, \$135; for unrestricted use of the college, \$980, and dues to the association, \$632, making a total of \$3,392.50.

Plans for forming new alumnae clubs and for strengthening the association were discussed. The leadership of Donalee Wehrle Hood (B.S. 1945), president, was highly commended.

Major plan for strengthening the association is to develop a geographically-spread council, with representatives from clubs and from areas where alumnae are too scattered for active clubs. To work effectively, the council must meet once or twice a year, and council members must correspond and travel in their areas. Thus to become more effective, the association needs more money—to help defray expenses of council members.

All former Lindenwood students can help promote this project by the simple expedient of paying their \$1 dues, it was pointed out.

The association year runs from October to October. The new year is started. Dues are due! All former Lindenwood women are urged to send their \$1 dues at once. Make checks to the Lindenwood College Alumnae Association, and send them to the Alumnae Office, Lindenwood College.

Lindenwood, St. Louis Hospital Combine to Offer B. S., R. N.

Lindenwood has joined forces with Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing in St. Louis, to provide a program which permits students to qualify for the R. N. certificate and the B. S. degree in five years.

Students following this course will spend their freshman year at Lindenwood, the next three years at Deaconess, and then return to the college for their last year. This plan is similar to programs followed by about 70 colleges in the United States.

Because of this new affiliation, Deaconess turned to Lindenwood for an addition to its teaching staff, and Dr. C. Eugene Conover, professor of philosophy, is teaching a class in Bible at Deaconess this fall and will teach a philosophy course in the spring semester.

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IN MEMORIAM

The condolences of Lindenwood's faculty and alumnae are extended to:

The family and friends of Dr. Arthur Lee Odell, former member of the Lindenwood board of directors and a prominent Presbyterian minister for 49 years, who died in April in Pasadena, Calif., where he had lived in recent years.

Harriet Pansy Bailey (1907), 3 Thomas Ave., Huntington, W. Va., on the death of her husband, W. P. Hooper, on Sept. 4.

The family and friends of Mrs. Lena Gorst (Lena Rosenthal, 1886-87) of Oklahoma City, who died at the age of 97 on Sept. 25.

The family and friends of Mrs. Guy Cunningham (Mae Fishwick, 1910-11) of Kirkwood, Mo., who died on Sept. 15.

Frances Purcell Hanlon (1906-09) on the death of her husband, George Hanlon, on Sept. 22 at their home, 7187 Washington Ave., University City, Mo.

Alumna Accepts Position On LC Advisory Board

Mrs. Robert R. Wright (Ruth Steedman, B.S. 1924) has accepted appointment to the advisory board of the Lindenwood Board of Directors. The advisory board meets regularly with the directors in determining policy of the college. Another alumna on the advisory board is Mrs. David Hopkins (Esther McCarrell Saunders, B.M. 1923) of St. Joseph, Mo.

The board held its fall meeting at the college on Oct. 19. Among those present was Mrs. James A. Reed (Nell Quinlan, class of 1909, LL.D. 1949) of Kansas City.