

Seventy-six Earn Place on Dean's List

Seventy-six students earned the honor of a place on the Dean's List for the first semester; 15 for a 4.00 average, and 61 for an average of between 3.50 and 3.99.

The freshmen on the list, 23 of them, were pledged into Alpha Lambda Delta, the national academic honorary fraternity for freshman women, at a ceremony in the Fine Arts parlor Feb. 20. Members of the new pledge class are Georgia Anderson, Susan Biehle, Elizabeth Cline, Linda Culp, Freda Dangler, Nancy Daume, Margaret Duffy, Ann Emerick, Aleta Ruth Fuerst, Havala Henderson, Linda Hoffmaster, Nancy Howerton, Mary Jardine, Lewis Jones, Kathleen McGregor, Jean Remelius, Katherine Renick, Lynn Rhoads, Cheryl Scanland, Constance Stewart, Sharon Thompson, and Rebecca Trammell. They will be initiated into the fraternity March 20.

The sophomore class had 12 representatives on the list: Nancy Chenoweth, Imogene Elrod, Mary C. Ferrell, Judith Frink, Glenda Gerred, Leila Gumper, Sandra Kamp, Mary Meckenstock, Sheila Reynolds, Joan Salim, Martha Sparks, and Charlene Wisdom.

Mary Lee Brannock, Anne Brightwell, Mary Jean Burger, Cathleen Callahan, Marieta Callahan, Mary K. Carrothers, Cynthia Cofer, Gaye Graves, Claire Guerrant, Mildred Hines, Judith Huntington, Barbara Katterjohn, Sarah Kline, Linda Leech, Marie Mahaffy, Susan Miller, Judith Muntz, Lois Pedersen, Sally Snyder, Sue Snyder, and Lynn Sperrang were the 21 juniors honored for their achievement.

Despite heavier class loads and more advanced courses 20 seniors earned places on the

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Students Elect Sarah Kline

Tuesday night, February 19, in the Butler Gym, at the Student Council Rally, it was announced that Sarah Kline will be the new Student Council President.

Sarah, a junior from Boonville, Missouri, lives in Sibley Hall and is a biology major with chemistry and mathematics minors. She has been active in various student activities in her three years at Lindenwood. A few of them are as follows:

- Linden Bark 1,2,3, Associate Editor 3
- Alpha Lambda Delta President 2
- Junior Advisor 3
- Student Council 3
- Sounding Board Chairman 3
- Triangle Club
- Presidential Scholarship 1



Sarah Kline, Student Body President

Sibley Retains President's Cup

Dr. Franc L. McCluer, president of the college, awarded the President's scholarships to the top five students in each class and the scholarship trophy to the dormitory having the highest two-semester cumulative grade-point, in student assembly last Tuesday.

The scholarships are valued at \$300 for juniors (\$150 for day students, \$250 for sophomores (day students, \$125), and \$200 for freshmen (day students, \$100).

Juniors receiving the scholarships were Sue Snyder (4.00), Mary Jean Burger (Day Student, 3.84), Anne Brightwell (3.83), Sally Snyder (3.81), and Judith Huntington (3.81). The sophomores honored were Imogene Elrod (3.90), Glenda Gerred (3.90), Charlene Wisdom (3.83), Jonis Agee (3.70), and Sheila Reynolds (3.60).

Because seven freshmen received 4.00 grade point averages, seven freshmen received scholarships: Freda Dangler, Margaret Duffy, Ann Emerick,

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Discussions Meet

On February 14 the first Toynbee discussion groups met at 7:00 p.m., in the dormitory living rooms. Further meetings are scheduled for tonight, February 28; March 14; and April 3. Announcements of the exact times and places are posted on the dormitory bulletin boards. A total of 75-100 people attended the first discussion groups.

Seniors Speak At Five Chapels

A committee composed of the President, the Deans of the College, and the chairmen of the four divisions of the faculty has selected ten seniors to speak at and conduct the services during the series of senior chapel services.

Constance Wolter, Belleville, Illinois, is going to speak on the subject of communication. Her major is French, and her special interests are art and international relations. Connie is a student counselor in Nicolls Hall and was an exchange student in Europe last year. Connie's assistant, who will conduct the service, is Kathy Taylor. Kathy, an English major, is the past President of the Student Council and resides in Ayres Hall.

At the next senior chapel service Marilyn Malone will be the speaker. Marilyn, who lives in McCluer Hall, is a Spanish major. Her home is in Wichita. Conducting this service will be Joanne Haldeman, an English and Spanish major from Hutchinson, Kansas.

Freda Grace Miller will be the speaker at the third service. She is a speech major with an emphasis on the theatre. Freda, from Lexington, Kentucky, will work on her Master's Degree after graduation. Conducting the service will be Judith Stute of Glendale, Missouri.

The fourth service will be conducted by Judy Ross, a McCluer senior from Hot Springs, Arkansas. Sue Drozda, President of the Student Christian Association, will speak at the service. Sue resides in Chesterton, Indiana.

Linda Street, of Sibley Hall, will speak at the final senior service. Linda is from Branson, Missouri and her major is music education. She is the assistant organist of the Chapel. Conducting the service will be Joan Bernhard of St. Louis. Joan's major is office management.

Clevenger Has New Policy on Class Cutting

The regulations concerning class attendance stated in the Lindenwood catalogue for the academic year 1962-63 are as follows:

1. The responsibility for each student's educational progress rests with the individual student. Each student must adapt herself to the attendance requirements of each course. (Except for absences before and after holidays and officially excused for field trips or because of illness the attendance requirements in each course are set by the instructor.)
2. It is desirable that each student attend each meeting of each class.
3. All students are expected to attend the last meeting of a course before a vacation period. Students who find it essential to be absent from a class meeting on these days must petition the Attendance Council in advance so that such an absence may be excused.
4. In case of unsatisfactory work due to excessive absences from class, the instructor may give ample warning to the student that her work is unsatisfactory and may recommend to the Dean of the College that the student be dropped from the course.
5. All absences because of illness must be certified by the Health Center.

The rules above have been changed slightly by our present Dean, Dr. Homer Clevenger. One does not have to petition the Attendance Council to be excused because such a council is non-existent. Instead, the Dean must be contacted and his approval given before the student will be allowed to be excused early. The reason must be valid and related to unusual circumstances.

If the student has unsatisfactory grades due to excessive absences the instructor does not recommend that she be dropped; however, a meeting with the Dean will be arranged to discuss her problems. A student will only be sent to the Dean if her absences are endangering her academic standing.

The Health Center sends out a list daily listing the students placed in the Health Center and whether they will be in the entire day, and if not, what time they will be released. These absences are not counted as cuts.

In general, the students are given three cuts per semester for a course. Usually any unexcused absences after three cuts are regarded as suspicious, and will be investigated.

2 O'Clock Permissions Highlight March Dance

Two o'clocks will be given to all girls attending the Date Dance from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight this coming Saturday, March 2, at the new Three Flags Restaurant.

This will give the girls and their dates a chance to go out to eat after the dance.

The Esquires will be featured at Lindenwood's last big dance.

Drama Department To Present Four One-Act Plays

Four one-act plays will be presented by the Drama Department of Lindenwood College on Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9, at 8:00 p.m. an Fellowship Hall.

Patricia Merrill will direct "Summer Fury" by James Broughton. Members of the cast are:

- Lena Kathy Wallace
- Mrs. Carrie Grew Karen Fleury
- Miss Tuckle ... Ota Alexander
- Mrs. Irma Hood .. Diedra Dyer
- Mrs. Sharkey Peggy Whitting
- Officer Riley Karl Slinkard
- Second Policeman
- John Dinkmeyer
- Angel Torres ... Dennis Deal
- Stage manager for the play is Priscilla Bascus.

"The Old Lady Shows Her Medals" by Sir James Matthew Barrie will be directed by Judy Hale. The cast for this play is as follows:

- Mrs. Dowey Linda Hale
- Mrs. Twymley .. JoAnn Knight
- Mrs. Mickleham
- Linda Spradlin
- The Haggerty Woman
- Jane Eyre
- Reverend Md. Willings
- Douglas Hume
- Private K. Dowey
- Jack Dinkmeyer

Martha Tucker is stage manager.

Martha McDonald will direct "Early Frost," a one-act drama by Douglass Parkhurst. The cast consists of:

- Louise Linda Street
- Hannah Maxine Basch
- Alice Cheryl Heatherly
- Lydia ... Marianne Sawyer
- Mrs. Clayton Marilyn Lewis

The fourth play is "Over-

tones" by Alice Gertenberg. The tentative cast includes the three student directors:

- Harriet Pat Merrill
- Hettie Judy Hale
- Margaret Judy Muntz
- Maggie Martha McDonald

All four plays will be presented under the faculty direction of Robert Douglas Hume.



Working on the production of "Early Frost" takes the time of (left to right, standing) Gail Grogan, stage manager; Martha McDonald, director; Linda Street, (Louise); Marilyn Lewis, (Mrs. Clayton); Marianne Sawyer, (Lydia); (seated) Tookie Basch, (Hannah); and Cheryl Heatherly, (Alice).

Barriers at LC

Students Study to Minimum

Any Lindenwood student could publish a dictionary translating phrases often heard in classes. Examples of these would be "Read at least four plays" equals "Read four plays," or "We will discuss the next grammar unit on Monday" equals "Bring the grammar book Monday. Don't look at it before class." If a professor expects any independent study beyond the minimum, he must assign a paper or an oral report.

An example of this type of thinking occurred when Missouri State Senator Noel Cox, a Republican from Spokane, introduced a resolution in the Senate that all instructors and students in state schools be required to take loyalty tests. His action was prompted by the fact that 14 Yugoslav students have been enrolled at the Missouri School of Mines for the spring semester. The first reaction is to criticize him for putting up a protective barrier and thereby destroying educational opportunities for a number of foreign students. He is taking a simple way; he does not intend to delve into the possible effects. When frightened or disturbed, he shouts, "Build a wall!"

However, before blaspheming Senator Cox to irrevocable depths, let us recall the last time we set up a protective barrier. Was it between you and *Paradise Lost*, you and the theory of hydrogen bonding, or you and the mastery of a piano étude?

Library books which are titled "condensed," "abridged," or "simplified" are well used. However, the more detailed studies and essays are dusty. An examination of the cards on the back pages reveals the names of students whose superior work is often mentioned by the professors under whom they studied. It might be said this is because the students had exceptional intelligence or talent, but a more probable conjecture is that they tested their abilities before assuming limits.

Further probing into this way of reacting to a challenge shows areas outside the normal class assignments where creative thinking is lacking. The first reading of "Ash Wednesday" by T. S. Eliot reveals a conglomeration of sense images and literary devices. Careful study brings out comfort and hope which grow on each reading of the poem. A more perceptive person will gain greater understanding, but everyone can derive benefit. Watchfulness must be kept against saying, "That girl could understand, but I couldn't," or "Our interpretations of this poem don't agree. She's smarter than I am; therefore I'm wrong."

During our college years we have at our disposal unlimited ideas, both in our own minds and in the minds of leaders in our major field. The barriers we put on our capacities now are not going to crumble and fall with time; they will become higher and thicker.

Practice Rooms Hold Attention

Well, here I sit once again, surrounded by blank walls, equipped with a leaky pen and a blank mind, trying desperately to fill a blank space in the next issue of the Linden Bark. And since this column is four days overdue, I simply must write it tonight.

I've been trying all week to think of something to write about, but inspiration hasn't come yet, so I'll just have to adlib long enough to fill some space. I hope you'll forgive me this time—you see, I'm giving a recital soon. I've been spending all of my time in the practice rooms, and they aren't very inspiring.

Practice rooms are interesting though—anyone who hasn't made the tour yet has missed a real show. The rooms themselves aren't much—there are just four blank walls, but I'll bet those walls could tell some tall tales about some mighty wails!

And then there is one window that won't open in hot weather and won't close in cold weather.

The ceilings aren't very noteworthy—usually. Of course, there are the times when they feel a little left out and want attention, so they therefore sprinkle a little plaster, chipped paint, dust, and remnants of cobwebs on the lucky recipient below—usually me and the piano.

The piano!—a noble institution. As you look at the name "Yamaha," you realize that the pianos are Japanese—a little foreign element to grace L.C. I wonder what we exchanged for them.

But the unique thing about these pianos is that not only do they come from an Oriental country and bear an Oriental name—they also play an Oriental scale. Try as you might to play a major or minor scale on them, they invariably sound a little Oriental. Ah! The joys of an international atmosphere!

As you sit down to play the piano, you suddenly realize that you are not alone. The spirit of someone who has been there before you still lingers. There are ashes in the ashtray, on the piano, and on the floor; and stale cigarette smoke permeates the air.

The piano keys are still holding the final chord of the last piece played on it. Get out your crowbar and pry them back up to starting position—we must begin practicing. Press them down, pry them up; press them down, pry them up . . . Perfect for the "Hesitation Waltz."

And as you finally begin to practice, you realize that everywhere around you, others are taking the same drastic step.

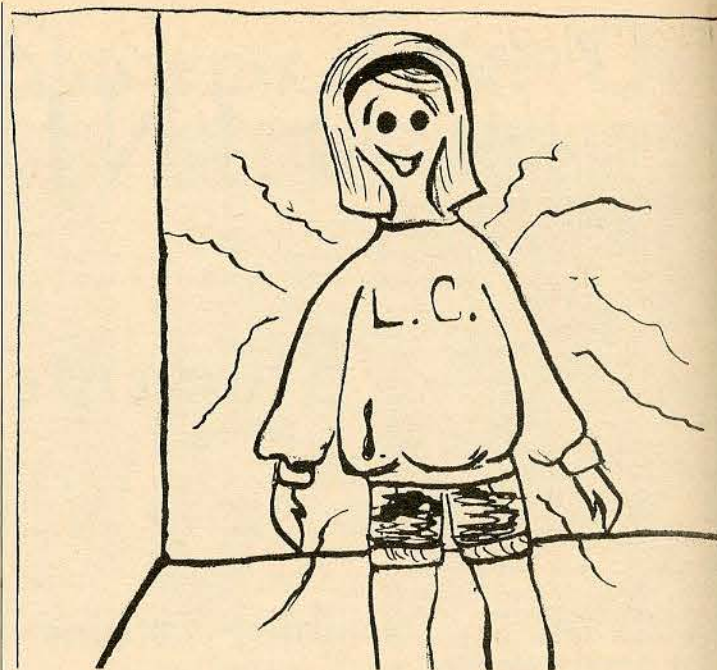
A beginning pianist is playing "Three Blind Mice." I wonder if there really are mice running over the piano keys.

A beginning vocalist is reverently singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

A beginning violinist is sawing away on "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star." Shooting star . . . falling star . . . painfully squeaky star.

An aspiring drummer beats a steady 1 . . . 2 . . . 3 . . .

And down the hall a trumpet imitates a moose's mating call. Or is it rousing the gods in Hades? We may never know. On second thought, let's wait till tomorrow night to practice!



That's Nothing! MINE have NEVER been washed!

Thanks, Kathy

Election Brings Evaluation Time

Perhaps one of the most significant by-products of an election is that during the time when new leaders are being chosen, the old leaders are evaluated in terms of what has been accomplished under their direction. This evaluation is of importance to the new leaders but also it is of significant value for all the community because what the leader accomplishes is in part a reflection of what the community wants to see accomplished.

As Student Body President, Kathy Taylor has initiated several changes in the organization of student government. After assuming office on March 5, she proposed three amendments to the L.C.S.A. By-Laws which were accepted. First, the Sounding Board as an autonomous group was abolished and two standing committees of the Student Council were organized, the Complaint and Suggestion Committee and the Student Council Sounding Board Committee. The second amendment enlarged the Student Council to include three representatives from Niccolls Hall and the Day Students and two representatives from the other dormitories instead of one from each group. The third amendment stated that the 2.5 average previously required for certain student body positions be changed to a 2.3 average.

The Student Council also appointed the committees to work on the all-school carnival which was held last spring.

Early this fall, the Council along with representatives from the Association on Human Rights drew up and passed a plan for student fund-raising. This action was taken in order to make up for the deficit in the Student Activity Fund this year and to provide a fairer way for campus organizations to obtain money for their activities.

Along with Miss Lichliter, Kathy worked out a plan for a new convocation committee which will include five students as well as members of the faculty and administration. The new committee will allow a wider representation of tastes.

Finally Kathy has worked all year to cut the number of student assemblies from one per week to one per month.

As a leader Kathy has initiated and carried through ideas of her own, accepted and worked for ideas arising in other campus organizations, and has acted as a channel of communication between students and administration by keeping both parties aware of various attitudes, ideas, and opinions present on the campus. She has set an outstanding example for the newly elected Student Body President, Sarah Kline. Kathy's interest in Lindenwood and positive and enthusiastic attitude is a credit to the whole community as well as to herself.

Outside LC

College Education Dilemma-- Are We On Right Track?

Increasing numbers of educators are concerning themselves with that vaguely defined product of four years of study known to the general public as a college education. Although it seems impossible to define the process which yields the product exactly, because of the widely varying college curricula and requirements for graduation, some of the persons most intimately related with the process have a growing awareness that neither is the process what it ought to be, nor is the product of the quality that should be a result of such an intensive intellectual experience.

The deficiency which is most clearly evident in the college graduates is their lack of knowledge and appreciation of

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Social Director

Miss Odell Fills Position With Outgoing Personality, Interests

Miss Marguerite Odell, Social Director of Lindenwood College for the past four years, has had an intriguing life. She has been a Staff Sergeant in the Women's Army Corps, a personnel director, and was connected with a private Nursery School.

Her brown eyes sparkle when she describes her work as Social Director, "I love it; I enjoy working with the girls and try to add pleasure to their lives." An extrovert, Miss Odell thrives on hunting, fishing, and traveling — anything out-of-doors. She is going to accompany the girls to Nassau this spring and to Europe this summer.

Before coming to Lindenwood, Miss Odell led a busy life, too. She attended New York University, Jefferson College, Washington University, and presently she is enrolled in Dr. Conover's Contemporary Religions course. Also she worked with the Counter Intelligence Corps and met many

interesting personalities that were connected with Atomic Energy.

Miss Odell invites all of the girls to come in to see her any time they have a problem. She is eager to get to know them better and to get them that important date!



Miss Marguerite Odell
Social Director

Diane Duncan Presents Recital

Diane Duncan, mezzo soprano from Kansas City, Missouri, gave her senior recital Feb. 26, 1963, in Roemer Auditorium at 7:00 p.m. Diane is a Music Education major with an emphasis on voice. Her teacher is Dr. Pearl Walker. Diane is treasurer of Mu Phi Epsilon,

national music fraternity.

Joyce Arras, of St. Charles, was Diane's accompanist. She is a senior piano student of Miss Allegra Swingen. Joyce is also a Music Education major, and is a pledge and vice-president elect of Mu Phi Epsilon.

Diane performed the following selections:

- Pieta Signore Stradella
- He Was Despised ("The Messiah") Handel
- Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee ("Song of Ruth") Gounod
- Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies Franklin E. Perkins
- The Faro Senza Euridice ("Orfeo and Euridice") Gluck
- Amour, viens aider ("Samson et Dalila") Saint-Saens
- Die Marnarht Brahms
- To the Children Rachmaninoff
- Music I Heard With You Hageman
- When I Have Sung My Songs Charles

The composition by Mr. Perkins, director of the choir and chorales, is of yet unpublished. His excuse: he hasn't had the time to make a neat copy!

PRESIDENT'S CUP

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Havala Henderson, Katherine Renick, Lynn Thoads, and Constance Stewart.

Sibley Hall won the trophy for the second consecutive year, with a 2.87 point average. The second-place award went to the Day Students for their 2.77 average. Following, in order, were Butler Hall (2.69), Cobbs Hall (2.62), McCluer Hall (2.61), Nicolls Hall (2.59), Ayres Hall (2.50), and Irwin Hall (2.38).

The all-school grade point average for the first semester was 2.63; the senior average was 3.03, junior — 2.82, sophomore—2.45, and the freshman average was 2.47.

Five Students Return from Merrill-Palmer, Washington Semester; Outline Programs

Bags and trunks were stacked along the halls. Green men and fathers were carrying dresses into the dorms. All this in January! Who were these girls? Why, of course—the returning students from Merrill-Palmer and Washington Semester.

Every year Lindenwood sends several girls to Merrill-Palmer in Detroit and to American University in Washington, D.C. for advanced study in each school's specialized field. During the first semester of the 1962-63 academic year, Ann Arnold attended Merrill - Palmer and Susan Widman, Barbara Sells, Sue Wood, and Mary Stockenberg took part in the Washington Semester.

The Merrill-Palmer Institute of Human Development and Family Life exists for the purpose of studying the family and the individuals in the family in all aspects of their growth and development, and their relationships to each other and to the community.

The purpose of the Washington Semester is to give a group of students whom the faculty feels will benefit from the experience an opportunity to take advanced courses in social science while having access to source materials and governmental institutions in the nation's capital.

A great deal of research is done on child development and on related fields at Merrill-Palmer. Currently, they are carrying out a study in reading readiness. For this purpose, besides a large research staff, Merrill-Palmer has an extensive counseling service available to the community. Here all schools of therapy are represented. To further carry out their goals, Merrill-Palmer acts as an educational institution, not only for the students in residence, but also by working in the fields of of community and parent education.

Resources are infinite and topics for themes are limitless for the Washington Semester student. No matter what the interest, there is ample information on it in the Library of Congress. Students may also confer with government officials who might give them an insight into their specific topic.

Classes in American University are conducted in the evenings while various prominent speakers come to seminars held during the day. It is up to the individual to arrange a schedule which will allow enough time to permit a study of the topic which will be the final project of the semester. Most students taking the Washington Semester carry an academic load of 12 hours. Some students do take a maximum load of 15 hours. In Washington, students are busy racing up and down stairs, on and off streetcars, and in and out of seminars. Besides attending classes and seminars, they prepare a final term paper. For this paper, after selecting a topic, each individual must visit several political figures whose specific field coincides with their paper's topic. Barbara Sells reported that all of the people with whom she talked were very helpful and several even went out of their way to assist her in her work. Mary Stockenberg

said that, because she chose for her topic, the minority's view of a certain United Nations' action, she was received with a great amount of enthusiasm on the part of the heads of the

on individual study and outside reading. The theory learned in class is used during the many hours a student spends in the community. There the student works in some capacity which



Washington semester students who will present a convocation at eleven o'clock this morning are (left to right) Sue Wood, Barbara Sell, Susie Wideman, and Mary Sue Stockenberg.

minority group.

For the student in residence, Merrill-Palmer presents an interesting mixture of school and the professional world. The classes are carried on like graduate school with great emphasis

relates to his courses. In connection with a pre-school lab, Ann Arnold worked three mornings each week in the nursery school. For her class on the school-age child, she

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Grundhauser Publishes Study

Dr. J. Walter Grundhauser, professor of biology, and X. J. Musacchia, of the biology department of St. Louis University, have had their study of "Seasonal and Induced Alterations of Water Content in Organs of the Turtle *Chrysemys picta*," published in the Sept. 28, 1962, issue of *Copeia*.

Six groups of the turtles were subjected to induced cold (1 degree to 4 degrees C) for two weeks; the experiment was then repeated three times, each set of experimental groups experiencing the cold for progressively longer periods of time (four weeks, five and one-half weeks, and lastly, long-term exposure for three months). Each experimental group had a corresponding control group kept at 22 degrees to 27 degrees C: early summer (mid-June to mid-July), late summer (August), fall (October), winter (mid-December to mid-January), spring (mid-April to mid-May), and summer (July). The control groups were representative of the seasonal populations; the naturally occurring seasonal changes in water content were ascertained from these animals.

Water content of blood, muscle, kidney, liver, and skin was measured by dessication and by specific gravity determinations. In general, an over-all increased water content in the spring and decreased content in the fall were observed. The turtles exposed to experimentally induced cold showed some decrease in water content and specific gravity of the tissues studied.

Bark Staff Application For '63-'64 School Year

(Editor's note: Anyone wishing to serve as a member of the *Linden Bark* staff during the 1963-64 school year is requested to fill out the following application blank and return it to the indicated Post Office Box by Tuesday, March 12.

Date

Linden Bark
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Lindenwood College
Saint Charles Missouri

I would like to work on the Business Editorial staff of the *Linden Bark* during the 1963-64 school year. My major subject is; my minor is

My grade point average is

My special interests include (clubs, activities)

My experience includes

I am interested in the following area(s):

- Assistant Business Manager
- Advertising Manager
- Assistant Advertising Manager
- Circulation Manager
- Assistant Circulation Manager
- Layout Editor
- Reporter
- Editoralist
- Columnist
- Feature Writer
- Proofreader
- Other (Specify)

(signed)

Post Office Box

Summer Address

Intricate Processes Go Into Publication of 'Bark'



Putting out a college newspaper takes the combined efforts of many specialists. The Bark printer, Mr. H. C. Belding of St. Charles, confers with photographer Barb Gregory on picture development. In addition to printing the Bark, Mr. Belding prints the Duchesne high school paper, prints for private concerns, and manages an office supply store above the printshop.



Martha McDonald and Sally Snyder proofread "galley" of copy before the final copy is ready for press. Checking on the spelling of names, correcting typographical errors, and changing punctuation marks are all included.



Layout editor Alice Winegarner and editor-in-chief Marilyn Lewis select important news for the first page and design the format of the Bark. They determine the locations of pictures, the type of print used in headlines, and the arrangement of advertisements on the various pages. In turn, the headlines must be written to blend in to the tone set by the paper.

MENC Activities Progress

Chapter 194 of the Music Educators National Conference met Jan. 10 in the Fine Arts Parlor to hear Dr. Jack Stephenson of New Mexico University speak to them on "Music in the Field of Secondary Education." Dr. Stephenson was a guest on campus prior to the Southwestern MENC convention of which he is the President.

January 12-15, the 21 members of the chapter attended the SWMENC-MMEA Convention held at the Chase-Park

DEAN'S LIST

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Dean's List: Darla Ames, Ann Arnold, Wilma Barnwell, Patricia Bringer, Betty Briner, Betty Burnett, Deann Duff, Gwyn Ellis, Ellen Gerken, Joanne Haldeman, Joan Leiper, Laura McCord, Marilyn Malone, Freda Grace Miller, Joan Nixon, Sarah Tibballs Patton, Astri Suhrke, Mary Tansey, Kathryn Taylor, and Constance Wolter.

Plaza Hotel in St. Louis. They heard top performance choirs, orchestras, bands, and ensembles from all levels of the educational systems in the southwestern United States. They attended symposiums, lectures, and clinics given by the nation's leading music educators. As is typical of all conventions, they returned to campus with an assortment of materials from the Exhibit Hall.

Joyce Arras and Betty Suber, chapter president and vice president, were selected by the chapter as Lindenwood's delegates to the organizational meeting of the Missouri State Association MENC student chapters. Joyce Ann was elected secretary of this new association. She and Betty will be at the University of Missouri February 16 for the Association's first meeting to plan the activities for the state chapters at the next MENC Convention in April of 1964 in Kansas City, Mo.

Letson Readies State Chapter of Pi Mu Meets For Big Contest



Judy Letson, Lindenwood's representative for the Glamour's Ten Best Dressed Contest, poses for this picture in an afternoon suit. Judy is a Cobbs hall senior from Atlanta, Ga.

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Downtown - St. Charles

The Missouri Gamma chapter of Pi Mu Epsilon, national honorary mathematics fraternity, met in the Fine Arts parlor Feb. 16. Approximately 50 members and guests gathered from Lindenwood, Fontbonne College, Maryville College, St. Louis University, Washington University, and Webster College; for the largest group at a meeting of the fraternity this year.

After a short business meeting, Mr. George Kertz, of the

Thomas Teaches Existentialism

The course in existentialism, offered this semester for the first time, is a three hour course, taught by Mr. W. W. Thomas, assistant professor of philosophy and religion.

The purpose of the course is to explore the different ways of thinking on this subject. Special students were selected to participate in this course. It attracted so many students that there had to be two classes.

The course requires extensive reading in different fields. Each week the students write a paper which tells their reaction to what they have read that week. No grades are given in this course. In April they will write a term paper.

math department of St. Louis U., spoke to the group about quaternions, which may be defined as the quotient of two vectors. Mr. Kertz mentioned the existence of a newer, more technical definition of these quantities, but he used the older definition for clarity in his development of the concept for those at the meeting.

A tea sponsored by Triangle Club concluded the afternoon. The next meeting of the fraternity, in April, will be the initiation at St. Louis University.

J. Huntington

Publishes Paper

Judy Huntington, a Cobbs Hall senior, worked last summer with her cousin, Dr. D. W. Kupke, of the University of Virginia, school of medicine, department of biochemistry. They devised and conducted experiments comparing the ratio of chlorophyll A to chlorophyll B during light and dark intervals of various lengths. The results of their work will be published in a forthcoming issue of Science, with Judy as a co-author of the paper.

Judy's job was to extract chlorophyll from leaves and separate the two types on a chromatography column. To avoid the decomposition of the chlorophyll as a result of the comparatively low heat of room temperature, all work was done in the range from 0 degrees to 5 degrees C. Judy devised and implemented the extraction and separation processes, and her co-authorship is the result of the importance of these techniques to the experiment.

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Irwin Frosh Wins Crown In Badminton



Nancy Hendrickson (right) congratulates Kay Van Valkenberg after Kay won intramural competition in badminton.

'Stay Fit' Program Initiates 50 Mile Swim on Campus

Anyone interested in swimming fifty miles before the end of school this June? Actually, according to the Swim and Stay Fit program initiated by the American Red Cross, you needn't swim the fifty miles in such a short time; you may take as long as you wish. The only two requirements are that you swim in multiples of 440 yards (in the College pool, 34 lengths), resting as much as you want, and that you swim the initial three miles during one visit to the facility.

Figuring an average time of fifteen minutes per 440 yards, you could complete four 440 yard multiples in one hour and at least twelve in one week. Therefore, each week you could complete 6% of the total distance. To complete the fifty miles before the end of school, however, you would have to swim more than three hours a week. If enough students and/or faculty members are interested in swimming the dis-

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Team Competes in Basketball



Lindenwood's Intercollegiate basketball team includes (left to right, standing) Barbara Gregory, Nancy Hendrickson, Marcy McKay, Karol Novak, Anita Gerken, Miss Darlene Ridgley, sponsor, Cindy Harvey, Sarah Hooten, Marge Johnson, Carolyn Cannon, (kneeling) Bonnie Baker, Jane Barbee, Barb Brockgreitens, Kay Van Valkenberg, Kathy Baldus, Jane Eddy, and Jean Wilmore. Not pictured: Karen Fleury.

Sibley Leads in Participation

Sibley Hall girls hold a slight two point lead in the participation points contest for intramural sports. Cobbs, the Day Students, and Irwin are running close behind, lacking two, three, and five points, respectively, to tie Sibley.

Listed in the columns below are the number of girls who played in each sport and the total number of participants in all the intramurals:

DORM	Swim- ming	Archery- Golf	Deck Tennis	Volley- ball	Total Points
Ayres	4	3	0	15	22
Butler	11	0	7	18	36
Cobbs	14	0	12	18	44
D. Students	12	5	13	13	43
Irwin	11	0	10	20	41
McCluer	11	2	0	16	29
Niccolls	5	0	6	18	29
Sibley	13	9	8	16	46

The Lindenwood College intercollegiate basketball team tonight will battle against Monticello College for their third win in five games. Despite injuries to two players sustained in practice prior to the first game, the girls trounced Monticello, 48-29. Lindenwood's use of the zone defense versus Monticello's man-to-man defense, their periodic good passing and accurate shooting accounted for the 19 point difference in scores. High point girl for both teams was Marge Johnson, with 17. Marcy McKay scored ten points, leading Monticello's high point player by three. Barb Brockgreitens and Karen Fleury followed with five points each. Kathy Baldus, Jane Eddy, and Cindy Harvey dropped in 4, 3, and 2 points, respectively.

Lindenwood's zone defense failed two days later, however, to check Washington University's steady scoring attack. Lindenwood's offense seldom managed to slip into Washington's keyhole to score, due to Washington's effective use of the diamond defense. Marcy McKay, with ten points, was

the only Lindenwood player to score in the double figures. Marge Johnson followed with six. Kathy Baldus and Barb Brockgreitens, alternating as roving guards, each scored four. At the last second of the second half, Bonnie Baker, standing just beyond the free throw line, hooked a shot which swished through the net without even arching, for two of her three points. Karol Novak, playing stationary guard, scored one point on a free throw.

Southern Illinois University squeaked by Lindenwood during the last seconds of the game. Lindenwood led at the half, 21-15, was tied, 28-28, at the end of the third quarter, but fell behind early in the fourth quarter. SIU then began to stall. In desperate attempts to regain possession of the ball, Lindenwood's players fouled several times and SIU capitalized on the awarded free throws to win, 42-39.

Barb Brockgreitens led both teams in points, with 12, and grabbed more rebounds, 9, than any other Lindenwood player except Anita Gerken, who pulled in ten. Marge Johnson totaled one point more than SIU's highest scorer, with 11. Bonnie Baker and Marcy McKay each made six points, and Jane Eddy and Kathy Baldus two points each.

Both poor ball handling and poor shooting against Principia College nearly cost Lindenwood

the game last Thursday at Principia. After the first half, however, Lindenwood's playing improved enough to defeat Principia, 22-14. Neither team's offense could adjust to the dimensions of the playing court, which was considerably longer and wider than Lindenwood's.

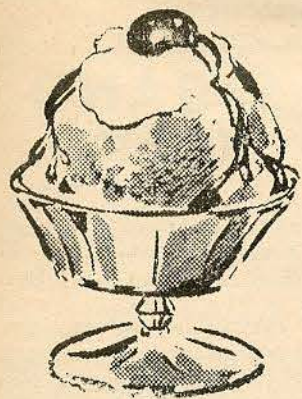
Bonnie Baker led Lindenwood's attack, sinking two field goals and three free throws for seven points. Barb Brockgreitens, Kathy Baldus, and Marge Johnson each scored four. Barb and Kathy snatched over half the rebounds credited to Lindenwood. Karol Kovak, Marcy McKay, and Kay Van Valdenberg totaled 3, 2, and 1 point, respectively.

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acted as a leader of a club group in a school close to the Institute.

All of the girls expressed a sense of achievement and also said they were glad they spent the time and effort in these two institutions. Since, of course, no institution is perfect, there were drawbacks. Nevertheless it proved to be, according to Lindenwood's delegates to these two programs, a worthwhile experience. And, like all worthwhile experiences, it took a great deal of time, thought and effort on each girl's part.



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Campaign Climax Arrives With Victory Party



President Franc L. McCluer congratulates Sarah Kline upon the announcement of her election as student body president. Announcement of Sarah's election culminated an all school party on election night in Butler gym. Mrs. McCluer presented the new president with an orchid corsage.



Sarah; outgoing president Kathy Taylor; dean of students, Miss Mary Lichliter; Mrs. McCluer; and Dr. McCluer informally discuss campus affairs after the official announcement of Sarah's victory.



"But, you guys!" When she returned to Sibley hall, Sarah found her room cheerfully decorated by ardent campaigners who thought it was still time to "do things up right!" Signs of victory were on doors and walls throughout the building.

Model UN Delegates Plan For Meeting March 26 to 30

A vivacious senior, Carole Krahn, is the head delegate at the annual meeting of the Midwest Model United Nations held this year from March 26-30 in the Chase Park Plaza Hotel. Other delegates from Lindenwood attending the meeting are: Anne Dana, Mary Sue Stockenberg, Mary Pat Tansey, Charlene Wisdom and alternate Barbara Rhodes. All are members of the International Relations Club.

Approximately 55-60 colleges and universities from all over the Midwest will be sending six representatives each to St. Louis. Each school represents one country which is a member of the United Nations in New York. Lindenwood, this year, is representing Syria.

The model UN is patterned exactly after the real UN. It has committees, in which each country is represented, a General Assembly in which the issues are finally voted on, and a Secretary-General.

The committees are: Trusteeship—Carol Krahn, representing Lindenwood; Mary Pat and Barbara are on the Social, Humanitarian, and Culture committee; Charlene is on the Special Political committee; and Anne is serving on the Eco-

nomie and Political committee.

For the past months this committee, under the direction of their advisor, Dr. Hood, have been intensely studying every aspect of their country so they will be able to intelligently discuss every issue presented.

The basic issues of the Model UN meeting are: Southwest Africa; Peaceful uses of Outer Space; Admission of Red China, and Unification of the Congo. Resolutions concerning these issues will be formed in the committees and voted upon in the General Assembly.

Dr. Hood, who is on the steering committee which organizes the meeting, has been advising these girls as to what Syria's stand should be on these issues.

Although these girls will be in session for about 12 hours a day, it is not all work. A dance, on the Starlight ballroom is planned for Saturday night.

By attending the Model UN these girls will not only learn how the actual UN is run, they will also gain experience by meeting and working with students who are interested and want to learn more about world affairs.

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areas outside their own specialty. Too many persons are being graduated from schools all over the country with a narrow kind of technical training. Although this "education" makes them competent to perform their special skill, it does not prepare them for a life in which they must meet and mix with persons who do not share their specialty.

Educators look upon such products of their institutions as actually dangerous to the society in which they live. Co-

SWIM AND STAY FIT

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tance before the end of school, the Physical Education Department will offer open pool more often during the week.

Swim and Stay Fit is a planned activity to encourage people to swim regularly and frequently. Why? To reduce tensions, improve circulation and control of body movements, promote deeper breathing, strengthen abdominal muscles, develop or maintain organic strength and vigor, and increase movement within the joints, thereby contributing to the physical and mental fitness of the individual.

If you have any questions about the program or are interested in beginning the fifty mile swim, see Marge Johnson.

lumbia College's Dean David B. Truman, as quoted in the Feb. 15 issue of *Time*, says, "The specialist who is trained but uneducated, technically skilled but culturally incompetent, is a menace."

In order to combat the increasing desire of the college students to specialize, schools have tried a variety of approaches. One proposed solution to the problem is the offering of honors courses in all areas. These courses are designed in such a way as to interest the students while giving them a broader liberal arts background. Other colleges make specific requirements; the student must acquire a certain number of hours of credit in specified departments or divisions in order to receive his degree.

Some colleges have attempted to meet the challenge by making no specific requirements, hoping that the students will choose a broad, less specialized course of study for themselves. Curricula have been revised in order to offer more courses of depth and interest in all areas at a lower level. This eliminates the often too general introductory or survey course which loses the students' interest because of its vagueness.

The trend away from specialization is apparent not only in the colleges and universities, but also in the military academies. Although Annapolis and West Point criticize them for it, instructors at the Air Force Academy are as intent upon producing graduates well-founded in the humanities as upon turning out men who have merely the essential vocational training. These men, it is believed, will prove of value as well-educated human beings, not only as persons with a high degree of vocational skill.

Cultural Opportunities On Display Board

The display board outside Miss Lichliter's office has, for the past few months, carried announcements of and information about cultural opportunities in the St. Louis area. All such items have been placed on the calendar which centers the board, which aims to focus attention on contemporary literature, student ideas and opinions, and topics of current interest to young people in college.

News of symphony concerts, art exhibits, musicals, ballets, and modern dance programs appears on the board whenever such programs are featured in St. Louis. It is hoped that students will make good use of the opportunity thus presented for them to participate in contemporary culture.

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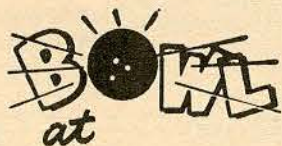
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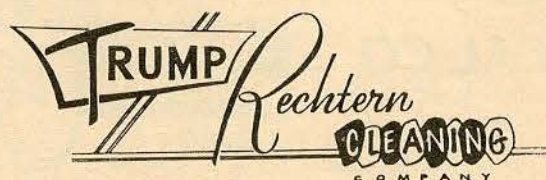


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