

Lindenwood College

BULLETIN



The leaves are flaming in scarlet on Lindenwood's campus. Alumnae will remember the old sassafras tree on Butler Way, which wears a coat of crimson. This tree was growing when the Sibleys came to St. Charles. It now measures eight feet, three inches in circumference and is one of the largest trees of its type anyone has seen.

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Education's Ultimate Goal

By DR. EUNICE C. ROBERTS
Dean of Faculty

A COLLEGE has several responsibilities to the students it permits to enroll in addition to the obvious and important obligation which is implicit in its existence as an institution of higher learning, the obligation to maintain academic standards which call for real achievement on the part of the student.

In the planning of curricula, in instruction within a given curriculum, and in the guidance of students, the building of character and strong moral fiber must be regarded as one central goal. The search for truth and the acquisition of new knowledge and skills cannot be divorced from moral implications of obligation for their use for the common good. The greater the learning of any member of society, the greater is his responsibility to all of society. It is the function of the college to instill an awareness of this fact in its students.

A college must do more than just teach courses. It must never lose sight of the ultimate aim of the creation of educated men and women. This aim must be central in the planning of its total program, the object of constant re-evaluation in discussion and meditation by its faculty and administrative officers.

What is an educated person?

An educated person knows his mother tongue and uses it well. For most of us, the English language is virtually the only means for communication of our ideas to other people and for understanding their ideas. It is our means of knowing what the great thinkers of history have said and thought.

The educated man knows something of the history of the world—not the dates of battles nor the order of succession of a reigning house but something of the dialectics of history, the movements of people, the development of culture, the influences of the world's great leaders.

He knows something of the physical world in which he lives—the importance of geography on the development of people, the obligation for the intelligent use and conservation of the world's resources, the marvels of nature and the miraculous inter-relationships of the universe. He has not merely an intellectual comprehension but an actual constant sincerity of realization that isolation of one part of the world from others is no longer possible.

He is acquainted with some of the great philosophies and religions of the world. He has a philosophy and a religion of his own developed through thought and study of the meaning of character and the importance of ethical stamina and strength of character.

He knows how to take care of his body and that it is important to do so.

He is able to think in abstract terms about ideas and concepts for which there is no concrete form.

He is aware of the solidarity and universality of the human race. He does not merely repeat the words but he understands their significance and sincerely believes that all men are created with equal rights to develop to their full capacities and he realizes that with rights goes responsibility.

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Alumnae Invited to Return To Campus For Founders' Day

Dr. Eunice Roberts Will Deliver Annual Founders' Day Address on October 21 — Luncheon for Alumnae and Concert are Other Highlights of Program

LINDENWOOD COLLEGE, now in its 122nd collegiate year, will honor its founders, Major George C. Sibley and his wife, Mary Easton Sibley, at the annual Founders' Day observance on Thursday, October 21. A cordial invitation is extended to all alumnae and former students of the college to return to the campus on that day.

A full day's program is planned. The annual Founders' Day address will be delivered by Dr. Eunice Roberts, Lindenwood's new Dean of the Faculty, at a convocation at 11 a.m. in Roemer Auditorium. Tribute will be paid to the college's founders by Miss Jo Ann O'Flynn, of Owensboro, Ky., a Senior and president of the Student Government Association.

There will be a luncheon for the alumnae at noon in Ayres Hall, after which an opportunity will be provided for alumnae who wish to visit the graves of Major and Mrs. Sibley on the campus. At 2 p.m. Dr. and Mrs. Franc L. McCluer will give a reception in their home for the alumnae. Following the reception there will be an informal get-together of the alumnae.

At 7 p.m. Miss Helen Kettner, concert pianist, and Miss Elizabeth Humphrey, lyric soprano, will give a joint concert in Roemer Auditorium.

Continuing a custom of many years, Lindenwood students will decorate the graves of the college's founders. It was in 1827, just six years after Missouri was admitted to the Union, that Major and Mrs. Sibley founded the first college for women west of the Mississippi River. Major Sibley died in 1863. His wife, who was affectionately known to her students as "Aunt Mary," died in 1878.

The institution they founded has grown from a small school in the wilderness with five pupils to one of the outstanding colleges for women in the nation.

Officers of the Lindenwood Alumnae Association who join with the college in inviting alumnae to return for Founders' Day are: Mrs. H. K. Stumberg, president; Miss Gladys Campbell, vice president; Mrs. Robert R. Wright, secretary and Mrs. George M. Null, treasurer.

In order to make plans for the entertainment of the alumnae, the college will appreciate it if those planning to attend will notify Miss Kathryn Hankins, Alumnae Secretary, in advance whenever possible.

Concert Artists



Miss Helen Kettner, left, and Miss Elizabeth Humphrey, who will give a joint recital on October 21 as one of the highlights of Founders' Day.

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Twenty-eight States and Nine Nations on Lindenwood Campus

Twenty-eight states, one territory and ten foreign countries are represented on Lindenwood's campus this fall. Missouri leads the list of states with 109 students enrolled. Illinois is second with 78. Iowa ranks third with 38, and Arkansas is fourth with 26. Both coasts are represented. There are four students from California, seven from New York, three from New Mexico, 24 from Texas, one from Massachusetts, two from New Jersey, and seven from Michigan. Other states represented include Pennsylvania, two; Ohio, ten, Texas, 24; Oklahoma, 19; Kentucky, 16; Kansas, 19; Indiana, 15; Colorado, three; Tennessee, four; Mississippi, six; Utah, two; Idaho, one; New Jersey, two; Nebraska, 15; Connecticut, one; Minnesota, one; Alabama, one; and Wisconsin, one.

There are six students this year from Hawaii. Foreign countries represented include: France, two; Lebanon, one; Bolivia, one; Denmark, one; Costa Rica, one; Mexico, one; Philippine Islands, one; Greece, one; Cuba, one, and China, one.

Lindenwood has two sets of twins this year. Beverly and Barbara Waltner are back from Mamaroneck, N.Y., and their sister, Roberta Lee, is also a Lindenwood student this fall. To confuse the faculty there is also Catherine Cathey and Laura Louise Pope, twins from Osceola, Ark.

Second Installment of Roll Call of Class of 1935

By KATHRYN HANKINS, *Alumnae Secretary*

THIS MONTH we present the second installment of the roll call of the Class of 1935. The following members have responded to the request for news about themselves and their activities:

Allie Mae Bornman (Mrs. William Lewis McColgan), 1310 Olive St., Pine Bluff, Ark.: "In September after graduating I returned to Lindenwood as a piano instructor. In June 1936, I married Lewis McColgan who was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in St. Charles, L.C. was well represented at our wedding in Clarksdale, Miss., with Jean Kirkwood and Mary Morton as bridesmaids; Rachel Hinman, organist; Margaret Love, violinist; Alice Denton, vocalist; Kathrine Morton, Marjorie Hickman, and Anna Marie Kistner as guests. In July 1937, we moved to Clarksville, Tenn., and we were there until October 1947, when we moved to Pine Bluff, where Lewis accepted the call to the First Presbyterian church. We have three children: Mary Allie, 9; Bill, 6; Eddie, 3. With three healthy children, being a minister's wife, attending to regular household duties, my musical energy is spent for the most part supervising my daughter's piano practice. We are looking forward to the time when we can again visit the campus and can have the added pleasure of visiting with Lindenwood's new president, Dr. McCluer, an old friend of my husband."

Virginia Sodemann, 3242 Copelin Ave., St. Louis: "After four grand years at Lindenwood, I graduated in June, 1935. The world seemed a bright and shiny place, for I had my diploma, a teaching position for the fall and plenty of social activities to keep me happy. That fall I started my teaching in the Home Economics department of John Burroughs school. It was fascinating and the "teen-agers" provided many interesting moments as well as problems. Deciding to further my education by working for a Master's degree, I enrolled at Wisconsin University at Madison the following fall. It was here, after extensive physical examinations, that it was decided I should return home for several months' bed rest. The rest proved beneficial, but my activities from that time on were rather limited. My teaching was ended, but I found plenty of interesting things to occupy my time. Church work, Red Cross, U.S.O. and Sorority kept me busy much of the time. I traveled with my family to many lovely vacation spots in the South, West and North. These trips always provided wonderful experiences and an education as well. Last spring, I began to get that tired feeling again, and after a thorough examination, it was decided that I should enter Koch Hospital,

which is located on the outskirts of St. Louis. I have been here almost ten months but can see a definite improvement in that time. Two operations have helped "put me on my feet," and if all goes well, I hope and pray that before long I shall again be able to lead a normal life. The prayers and loving encouragement of my devoted family, fiance, and friends have been a guiding hand in my recovery. I am eagerly looking forward to my discharge, for when I am well and strong again, we plan to be married and have our own home. With these happy thoughts and plans in view I feel more than fortunate, and know that I shall soon be well again. The time goes quickly down here, for I keep busy working on things for my hope chest, reading, writing and studying shorthand (to satisfy an old urge). My radio and a television set gives me a glimpse into the "outside" world, and my roommates and I are enthusiastic baseball fans. I shall be more than happy to hear from anyone in the class of 1935. My best to each one of them!"

Margaret McIntosh (Mrs. Judd Bishop Presley), 7448 Cromwell Drive, Clayton, Mo.: "After leaving Lindenwood in 1935 I worked for my dad. In 1938, I married Judd Bishop Presley of San Angelo, Texas. We have two children—both red-headed—Judy, 4, and Juddy, 8. My days are filled with taking care of the children, the house, and going to work at the dairy several days a week. Mr. Presley is with the Chapman Ice Cream Company—so we always have plenty of ice cream on hand and would enjoy having any Lindenwoodites drop in for some."

Blanche Edna Hestwood (Mrs. Carl F. Lischer), 21 Rockland Ave., Larchmont, N. Y.: "After graduation I continued teaching private piano pupils in St. Charles. That fall I returned to Lindenwood to study organ and to take some English courses. In September of 1936 I went to Bowling Green, Mo., to teach music in the grade and high schools and some English. A year later, Carl Lischer, a Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry, and I were married. We came to New York City to make our home. After five and a half years of apartment life in the city, it was wonderful to move to Larchmont. Our daughter, Joanne, has the usual interests of an active 9-year-old. My present P.T.A. job is chairman of a staff of mothers who operate our elementary school library of 3700 books. I have gained some knowledge of library techniques and find it most interesting. With church activities and a house to keep, time is all too short."

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KCLC, Lindenwood's New Radio Station Goes on The Air

Campus Station Is Completed During Summer and Holds Formal Opening with Variety of Daily Programs Sponsored by Students and Faculty

KCLC are the call letters assigned by the Federal Communications Commission to Lindenwood's new campus radio station, which went on the air September 27. Installation of the equipment for the new station was completed during the summer. The station is managed by a student staff under the direction of Miss Martha May Boyer, head of the Radio Department.

A number of St. Louis and St. Charles business firms have signed contracts to sponsor regular programs over KCLC. Programs now scheduled include at least one live music show a week, one dramatic show, round table discussions with students from other colleges in the St. Louis area with Dr. Homer Clevenger as moderator; a fashion program, and a weekly transcribed program on national events to be prepared each week in the nation's capital by Miss Lorraine Peck, Lindenwood Junior, who will spend the first semester at the American University in Washington, D. C.

Student manager of the station is Miss Pat Stull, of Ziegler, Ill., until recently continuity director of Station WSTL at Carbondale, Ill. Other staff members are Miss Sally Joy, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Miss Gretchen Schnurr, Otho, Iowa.; Miss Mary De Vries, Pella, Iowa, and Miss Ruth Ann Ball, Neosho, Mo.

Lindenwood's radio curriculum now includes courses in script writing, the composition, arrangement and performance of radio music, radio speech, radio production and advanced radio techniques. The college will continue this fall to offer the Lindenwood Children's Theater of the Air over Station KFUE in St. Louis.

Lindenwood Well Represented in State UNESCO Meeting

Lindenwood will be well represented at a meeting of the Missouri UNESCO meeting, to be held in St. Louis on October 8 and 9. Dr. Eunice C. Roberts, Dean of the Faculty, will speak at the opening session of the Missouri UNESCO Committee on Friday. Her subject will be: "Rehabilitation and Reconstruction." Dr. Roberts served during the last year as chairman of the New Mexico UNESCO Committee.

At the dinner meeting Friday night at the DeSoto Hotel, Dr. Franc L. McCluer, Lindenwood's presi-

dent, will be the toastmaster. Members of the delegation named to represent the college at the meeting in addition to Dr. McCluer and Dr. Roberts, will be Dr. Homer Clevenger, Dr. Elizabeth Dawson, Mrs. Lillian Swanson, and Dr. Alice Parker.

The committee will hold its regular meetings at Kiel Auditorium.

Miss Jennie Backhaus Appointed State Home Agent in Missouri

Miss Jennie A. Backhaus, who attended Lindenwood in 1939-40, has been promoted to State Home Agent in charge of supervising home demonstration work in twenty-six Northeast Missouri counties. She was previously in charge of this work in Franklin County, where she is president of the Franklin County Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Miss Mary Pottorf Now Dean of Women at Doane College

Miss Mary Potterorf, Assistant Director of Student Guidance and Personnel and head resident of Butler Hall last year, is now Dean of Women at Doane College at Crete, Nebr.

Represents College

Miss Alma Kinkade, Class of '18, of Los Angeles, was Lindenwood's representative at the inauguration of Dr. Fred D. Fagg, Jr., as president of the University of Southern California on June 11. Miss Kinkade, who received her master's degree from the university, is president of the High School Teachers' Association of Los Angeles.

Lindenwood Alumna Now Living in British West Indies

Mrs. W. H. Westray, who was Margaret C. Sandoe, writes that she and her husband are now living in Trinidad, British West Indies, where her husband, Lieut. W. H. Westray, is attached to the Naval Air Base. They have three children, Richard, 7; Barbara, 3, and Kenneth, 22 months old. On the trip to Trinidad, they visited with Mrs. Kito Ruiz and her family in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Mrs. Ruiz was Racquel Canino.

Girl of the Month

WE PRESENT as the girl of this month, Mary Elizabeth Sawtell Archerd, who obtained her A.B. Degree from Lindenwood in 1929, and her M.A. Degree from New York University, where her chief courses were sociology, psychology, personnel administration, vocational guidance, and English. Two years of experience were gained as a counselor for the YWCA. In 1933, she started working for the National Reemployment Service as an interviewer. From this position, she became an assistant manager and later manager of the Omaha office of the Nebraska State Employment Service, an office of fifty people, serving as many as nine countries. She was made Field Supervisor for the United States Employment Service in 1942 when the Nebraska State Employment Service was federalized; then she was promoted to State Supervisor of Special Services; and in 1943, she became USES Director of Chief of Placement. In 1944 she was appointed Acting State Director for the War Manpower Commission, a position which was filled temporarily only a portion of that year. On two occasions she was called to the Washington Headquarters office for a temporary assignment to assist in drafting procedure and training materials. She now holds the position of Chief of Technical Services, a staff division in the administrative office in Lincoln. This division is functionally responsible for staff training, testing, occupational analysis, counseling, and selective placement of the handicapped in the local employment offices throughout the state.

A member of the International Association of Public Employment Services since 1934, she has just completed a three year term as International executive committeewoman. She was the first person to fill the post. She is now serving a second term on the Inter-



Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Archerd

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national's Award of Merit Committee and was a member of the Association's first Institutes Committee, helping organize that phase of the program. This year she was elected president of the Nebraska Chapter of this Association.

In 1946 she married Frederic Stanton Archerd, who is assistant to the Chief of Advisement and Guidance in the Veterans Administration, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Among her civic activities are membership in the Chamber of Commerce, vice president of the Lincoln Social Service Club, and a director on the board of the Lincoln Altrusa Club. We congratulate Mary Elizabeth upon her achievements.

Roll Call of Class of 1935

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Barbara J. Bennett, Hurst, Ill.: "After graduating from Lindenwood, I went to work for my father and uncle in their real estate and insurance office in Herrin, and there I have been ever since. I still live in Hurst but it is only a ten or fifteen minute drive in the morning to the office. My duties are the usual secretarial ones plus anything else that needs to be done. I meet all types of people and the work is interesting, but I sometimes think the combined knowledge of a psychiatrist and lawyer should also be standard equipment for the job." (To be concluded next month)

Education's Goal

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He knows and can appreciate some of the world's

great masterpieces of painting, sculpture, architecture and music. He is aware of the significance of great literature and is well acquainted with much of the best literature of the world. He has developed a taste in this respect which makes him recognize the good and reject the inferior.

He can understand and get along with people. Our civilization has reached heights undreamed of a few generations back in our knowledge of the material things of the universe. We know how to do a great deal with *things*. We have made little progress since the time of Christ in our knowledge of people and how to handle our inter-relationships with each other. The educated man knows that we must learn to live in *one* world together.

The attainment of these ideals constitutes a part, at least, of the function of higher education.

ALUMNAE NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Derek S. Rooke, who have been living in England for the last four years, have returned to this country and are now living at Le Grange, Tenn. Mrs. Rooke was Louise Pankey and attended Lindenwood in 1941-43.

WEDDINGS

Miss Jeane Elizabeth Sebastian, member of the Class of '48 and president last year of the Student Government Association, chose August 31 as the date of her marriage to George McCrae Anderson in St. Charles. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva James Barnett, of Cuba, Mo.

A May bride was Miss Cyrilka Birdell Roseberry, who attended Lindenwood in 1944-46. She chose May 29 as the date of her marriage to Stanley Robert Mellor in Manhattan, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Mellor are now at home at 1517 Northlake Ave., Seattle, Wash.

On September 4 Miss Susan Jean Greer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Greer, of St. Louis, was married to John Harlow Hoppin in St. Louis. The bride is a member of the Class of '37.

Lindenwood Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Roland J. McIntyre posed for this picture after their marriage in Saginaw, Mich., on June 4. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1942-44. Miss Doris Burger, Manitowac, Wisc., and Mrs. William Voll, Saginaw, classmates of the bride, attended the wedding.

Former May Queen Weds



Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ritter Heilman, Jr., after their wedding on December 20 at Greenville, Tenn. The bride was Miss Marilyn Mangum, Class of '47 and Lindenwood's 1947 May Queen.

September 28 was the date chosen by Miss Barbara Ann Montgomery, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Montgomery, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., to the Rev. Earle Bailey Harris, Jr., at Sault Ste. Marie. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1945-46.

A June bride was Miss Sally Robertson, who attended Lindenwood in 1942-43. Miss Robertson selected June 12 as the date of her marriage to Winthrop L. Mauley at Kenilworth, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Mauley are now at home at Pacific Beach, Calif.

On September 3 at Monmouth, Ill., Miss Peggy Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard F. Johnson, of Monmouth, was married to Jack R. Anderson. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1946-47.

Another September bride was Miss Nadine Faris, daughter of Mrs. James Nicholas Faris, of Wolf Island, Mo. Miss Faris, who attended Lindenwood in 1926-27, chose September 6 as the date of her marriage to Charles Luter Howton at Wolf Island.

WEDDINGS

On September 12 at Carroll, Iowa, Miss Phyllis Lucille McConkie, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McConkie, of Carroll, was married to Billy Van McKinney. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1939-40.

May 2 was the date chosen by Miss Jane McConnell, of Albin, Iowa, as the date of her marriage to Kenneth Williams. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1946-47. She and her husband are now at home at 1704 Grove Ave., Boulder, Colo.

On September 5 at Columbus, Nebr., Miss Marilyn Jean Jourdan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Jourdan, of Columbus, was married to Vernon W. Trofholz. The bride attended Lindenwood in 1946-47.

BIRTHS

A son, who has been named Frederick Conradt, was born on August 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Conradt Atterberg, of 2800 Plank Road, Keokuk, Iowa. Mrs. Atterberg, who was Gracia Lou Arnold, attended Lindenwood in 1937.

Clarke Lewis is the name chosen for the son born on July 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewis Randall, of 2807 Erie St., S.E., Washington, D.C. Mrs. Randall was Betty Jeane Clarke and she attended Lindenwood in 1938-39.

A future Lindenwood girl is Georgia Hughes, who was born on August 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Fox, of 5130 Kenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Fox, who was Evelyn Hughes Cohen, is a member of the Class of '42.

A son, who has been named Myron East, Jr., was born on August 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Myron East, of 108 Westgay Dr., Akron, Ohio. His mother was Mary Aldrich, Class of '45.

Michael Deane is the name chosen for the son born on August 24 to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Erickson, of 911 Pleasant St., Oak Park, Ill. Mrs. Erickson was Mary Lou Weitz and she attended Lindenwood in 1941-43.

A daughter, who has been named Ann Woodson, was born on September 3 to Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Cameron, of 3423 Sixteenth St., N.W., Washington, D.C. Mrs. Cameron was Betty Woodson Forbes and she attended Lindenwood in 1934-35.

Sheridan Hale is the name chosen for the daughter born on August 24 to Capt. and Mrs. S. M. Wood-

Headed for Lindenwood



Introducing Jean and Bernadine, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Westcotts, of Oklahoma City, Okla. Their mother, who was Otha Cargill, is a member of the Class of '26.

ward, of Columbia, S. C. Mrs. Woodward was Clyde Lae Belle Atha and she attended Lindenwood in 1936-37.

A son, who has been named Robert Steven, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William W. Weeks, of 219 W. Thirteenth St., Kansas City, Mo., on September 13. Mrs. Weeks was Frances Metzger and she attended Lindenwood in 1936-37.

IN MEMORIAM

Lindenwood's alumnae and faculty extend their deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Wallace, of 341 N. Fourteenth St., Kansas City, Mo., whose son died on August 30 shortly after his birth. Mrs. Wallace was Adele Osborn and she attended Lindenwood in 1944-46.

The sincere condolences of Lindenwood's faculty and alumnae are extended to Mrs. Ruth Adel Myers, of 530 Harmony St., Neosho, Mo., whose husband, Dr. Victor C. Myers, was killed on July 30 in an automobile accident near Muskegon, Mich. Mrs. Myers was Ruth Adel Baldry and she attended Lindenwood in 1932-34.

The sympathy of Lindenwood's faculty and student body is extended to Miss Frances Claire Jones, Lindenwood Senior, whose father, Lee H. Jones, of Bloomfield, Ind., died on September 6.

Lindenwood's alumnae and faculty extend their sincere condolences to Mrs. Theodosia Runge, of St. Peters, Mo., whose husband, Edward Runge, died recently. Mrs. Runge was Theodosia Baits and she attended Lindenwood in 1918-19.