# Lindenwood College

BULLETIN



Historic Sibley Hall, around which many happy memories of undergraduate days are woven. Named for Lindenwood's founders, it is one of five modern residence halls on the campus, which will welcome back Lindenwood's students this fall.

By PRESIDENT GAGE

Years ago I was simply puzzled and now I am mildly amused when asked following commencement, How are you going to spend your time this summer? The implication is that doing nothing from the middle of June to the middle of September would be intolerably boresome and that filling the time will be an insoluble problem. I do not in fact have to face the summer as my friends see it. Whatever may be the possibility and advisability of a planned national economy, a college must plan its future. Otherwise it will have no future worth mentioning.

Summer is a time for planning. Then we get ready for September. Commencement marks the beginning of hard work for a new year. Endless details require attention. Preparing all buildings for occupancy is a major operation. It involves the use of money, men, and material; and daily use. Therefore, a time schedule is necessary. Brains and judgment are also needed. For these ingredients we are greatly in debt to our Bursar, Miss Cook, and to Dr. Stumberg and to Mr. Garrett, Chairman of the Board's Committee on Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Motley heads our reception line. He is our "Official greeter." If he ever gets an extended vacation it will not be during the summer. He is busy and happily so. In greater number than ever before our students are returning to college. Then applications for admission are numerous. The attractions of Lindenwood make a strong appeal throughout the middle areas of our country. The wide geographical distribution of students is remarkable. The gathering of students from so many widely separated places is an important educational influence and is a tribute to the drawing power which Lindenwood has.

The securing and organization of the staff for instruction and administration must be completed

during the summer. Changes are relatively few. Lindenwood is stable. It is the beneficiary of loyal and efficient life work. Nevertheless, the war has produced many dislocations throughout the country. This movement of population has been felt in small degree on the campus. The armed forces are taking some members of our staff who go on leave of absence for the duration. Vacancies so created are being filled by ad interim appointments. This is another important summer job for the President and the Dean.

Teachers and officers are chosen with respect to the needs of college women. Our whole program is for students. For teachers we provide aids to scholarship and for professional growth. Research is encouraged. The ultimate goal, however, of what we do for teachers is the development of student scholarship and the improvement of college life. Lindenwood is a teaching and not a research institution.

For teaching positions we select those who as teachers in a liberal arts college have a liberal education and personify the culture for which such an education stands. In addition we choose, of course, those who have competency in special fields and are familiar with the best teaching techniques in their fields. Teachers at Lindenwood have specialized knowledge and the institutional mind. They bring the whole weight of the institution to bear on each student at each point of contact. In the end we hope that each student will have a well integrated mind and character.

Among other things we are now planning to bring together a group of teachers on September 10 for conference with Dean A. J. Brumbaugh of The University of Chicago. At that time we shall make a special study of the techniques and procedures of student counseling. On September 13 our annual Faculty Conference will (Continued on page 6)

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## Challenge to "Rebuild Good Society" Presented to 1943 Graduates

Dr. Alice C. Lloyd Delivers Commencement Address at 116th Annual Commencement on June 7 — 111 Students Receive Degrees and Certificates

The traditional academic procession winding under the linden trees to Roemer Auditorium on June 7, opened Lindenwood College's second commencement of World War II, and the 116th in the college's history. Forty-seven Seniors received bachelor degrees and 51 other students were awarded certificates of associate in arts and diplomas.

When the academic procession, headed by Dr. Harry Morehouse Gage and the commencement speaker, Dr. Alice C. Lloyd, Dean of Women at the University of Michigan, had filed into the auditorium the invocation was given by the Rev. Dr. Harry Scherer, pastor of the Webster Groves Presbyterian Church and a newly elected member of the college's Board of Directors.

Two vocal solos were presented by Miss Pearl Walker, of the Fine Arts Faculty, accompanied by Paul Friess. The degrees and certificates were presented by Dr. Gage and Dr. Alice E. Gipson, academic dean, announced the college honors.

Speaking on the theme, "In the Time of Your Life," Dr. Lloyd presented a challenge to the graduates of 1943 to help "rebuild a good society." There never has been a time, she declared, "when women, especially well educated and well trained women, are so much in demand. Fate has decreed that you shall live your lives as Americans and that you shall live your life in a time of unprecedented opportunity.

"Education takes on a new importance and women have a new challenge," she continued. "Women must take on three tremendous tasks. They must carry on the liberal tradition, and must preserve and guard the heritage of culture which is in danger of destruction; the wisdom and learning of the past without which we cannot build our future civilization.

"The second task is that we must take a very active part in winning the war. Women are in demand in the armed services. Women are needed more than ever before in the great professions of healing—nursing, physical therapy, child care, dietetics and laboratory work. The health services will have tremendous significance in the period of reconstruction. Women are also needed in social service, in industry, in teaching in government service, and in war industries.

"Then there is a third responsibility for women. Women have always set the tone of society. Strange things are happening in our society. The tone needs to be set on a higher plane, freer from casual standards, from complacency, narrow living and prejudice. We need to stand from fear set free, and above all we need to hold our hands uplifted over the hates of our day.

"In the struggle that is ahead I believe the question of whether we have character will determine whether we are ignominiously defeated or whether we shall have a great rebirth of the Christian democracy in which we all believe.

"I choose to believe in the latter, but it will not come true unless we make it happen. Many generations have suffered and been re-born—ours is not the first to suffer bitterly. Our redemption through sacrifice will come in the strength of the spirit. What is education if it does not build that strength?

"This is a thrilling time to be alive. It is no time to be apathetic or defeated or paralyzed with fear. There are things for us to do. We must use our privileged position to stretch out a strong hand of courage and of compassion to those who need our help. We need intelligence and compassion if we are going to do our part in making our democracy a society which is founded on Christian principles and which is strong enough to meet the challenge of our day. Never have educated women had a greater chance to serve, to uphold, to rebuild a good society. Let us accept the challenge and walk into the future with faith and courage and friendship and compassion because we have found in an age of destruction the indestructible."

The baccalaureate sermon was preached on Sunday, June 6, by the Rev. Dr. George Arthur Frantz, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis, Ind., who chose for his sermon, "Blessed Advice" with the text taken from I Samuel 25:32-33.

"Blessed advice is advice that lays some restraint upon you and leads you to a hard way and honorable," Dr. Frantz said. "For the road does lead up-hill all the way, yes to the very end.

"The New Testament is more than good advice. It is Gospel. You are going out into a world where you will have many hurts. It is that kind of a world. But Christ has shown us that wrong can not only be endured, it can be used for redeeming the wrong doer. The cross is undeserved suffering, and Christ redeems."

## Five New Members are Elected to Lindenwood's Board of Directors

Thomas H. Cobbs Succeeds the Late Dr. David M. Skilling as Vice President With Dr. John W. MacIvor Continuing as President of the Board

FIVE new members have been elected to the Board of Directors of Lindenwood College. They are:

Russell L. Dearmont, St. Louis attorney, former State Senator and the father of Miss Sally Dearmont, newly elected president of the Student Government Association.

Walter H. Head, St. Louis, president of the General American Life Insurance Company, chairman of the War Finance Committee of the Eighth Federal Reserve District and president of the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

R. Wesley Mellow, of St. Louis, secretary of the Liberty Foundry Company.

The Rev. Dr. Harry Scherer, pastor of the Webster Groves Presbyterian Church.

Howard I. Young, of St. Louis, president of the American Zinc, Lead and Smelting Company.

The Rev. Dr. John W. MacIvor, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, continues as president of the Board of Directors. Thomas H. Cobbs, of St. Louis, counsel for the board, has been elected vice president to succeed the late Dr. David M. Skilling, who served as vice president of the board for many years.

## New Volume of Lindenwood Verse Now Off the Press

A new volume of Lindenwood verse is now off the press and available to alumnae. The poems were selected by a joint committee from Sigma Tau Delta and the Poetry Society, and are, we believe, the best that have been written by the members of these two organizations since the days when the Class of 1936 was on the campus.

The book opens with "Birdbath," by Evelyn Brown, '36, and ends with "White Man's Sin," by Dorothy Dickey, Class of '46. Many of the alumnae will find their Lindenwood friends represented in this new volume. The cover, an attractive design of linden leaves in blue against a dusty rose background, was created by Earlene Jones of the class in theory of design.

Orders for the volume at 75 cents a copy may be sent to Guy C. Motley's office during the summer vacation and to Miss Alice Parker of the English Department after next September.

#### Student President



Miss Sally Dearmont, of St. Louis, who has been elected president of the Student Government Association for next year, succeeding Doris Banta, who was graduated on June 7. She was Special Maid of Honor to this year's May Queen and was president of the Encore Club and secretary of the Y.W.C.A.

## Omaha Lindenwood Club Elects Officers for Next Year

Virginia Hansen has been elected president of the Omaha Lindenwood Club for the coming year to succeed Mrs. Lawrence S. Dayton. Other officers are Helen Merritt, vice president; Gloria Hughes, treasurer, and Clair Harte, secretary. The new president is a busy person. In addition to her duties at an Omaha bank she is serving as a nurse's aid in an Omaha hospital.

At the club's meetings in the fall it is planned to do war work. The club's last spring meeting will be a picnic to which all present Lindenwood students in the Omaha district are invited to attend.

## Seven More Stars in Lindenwood's Alumnae Service Flag

LINDENWOOD'S loyal daughters are now wearing the uniforms of all branches of the armed services. There are now twenty-one stars in the alumnae service flag. Lindenwood desires to record the war service of all its alumnae, regardless of whether it is in the armed forces or on the home front and we ask that news of war activities of the alumnae be sent to the editor of the Bulletin.

Lindenwood now has a First Officer in the WAACS. The rank, which is equivalent to a captain in the Army, has been earned by Miss Ida M. Perry, Class of '27, and daughter of Edward D. Perry of Dundee, Ill. She attended the Officers Candidate School at Fort Des Moines and was commissioned a Third Officer last October, and named Assistant Adjutant of the Second Regiment. On October 23, she was promoted to Second Officer and appointed Personnel Adjutant. She is now Adjutant of the Second Regiment, which is stationed in Des Moines. Before enlisting in the WAACS she was a legal secretary in Chicago.

Miss Verna M. Anderson, of Newton, Kan., a member of the Class of '29, has enlisted in the WAVES and is now in training at Northampton, Mass.

Miss Maurine Davidson, of Hastings, Neb., a



In Service Overseas



Miss Helen M. Thompson, a member of the Class of '32, who is now in England with the American Red Cross.

member of the Class of '33, who was one of the first recruits to enlist in the WAACS, is now a Second Officer and is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

Miss Betty Proctor, of Sullivan, Mo., president of this year's Senior Class and the 1943 Popularity Queen, enlisted in the WAACS before graduation and reported for active duty on graduation day. After two months of officer training she will be commissioned as a Second Officer and hopes to be assigned to foreign service.

Miss Helen M. Thompson, a member of the Class of '32, is now in England as a staff assistant with the American Red Cross. Her home is in Sugar Grove, Ill., but before joining the Red Cross she was a section manager for the Lord and Taylor department store in New York City.

Miss Laura Estelle Myer, of Moonville, Mo., Class of '23, expects to be graduated with the rank of lieutenant from the Women's Marine Corps Officers Training School at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., within the next few weeks.

Miss Abigail Pierce, a member of the Class of '37, joined the WAACS last March, and is now stationed at Long Beach, Cal.

## Miss Pearl Lammers is President of Lindenwood's Alumnae Association

Alumnae Day Is Feature of Commencement Week on the Campus— Mrs. James A. Reed Speaks and Class of '43 Is Inducted

M iss Pearl Lucille Lammers, of St. Charles, was elected president of the Lindenwood Alumnae Association at the annual meeting of the association at the college on Alumnae Day, June 5. She succeeds Mrs. Martha M. Cunningham, who has served as president for the last two years.

Other officers elected are: Mrs. Helen Bruns Jolly, of St. Charles, vice-president; Mrs. Marguerite Dallmeyer, of St. Charles, secretary, and Mrs. Earnest Baldwin, of Pattonville, Mo., treasurer.

The association's annual meeting was held following a buffet supper for the alumnae. Mrs. Cunningham conducted the formal induction of this year's Senior Class into the association and Miss Betty Proctor, president of the class, responded on behalf of her classmates. As the members of the class gathered in a circle around him, Dr. Gage made, as he said, his last speech to them.

The alumnae address was given by Mrs. James A. Reed, an alumna of Lindenwood, and the creator of the internationally famous Nelly Don dresses.

Mrs. Helen Weber Whalen, president of the St. Louis Lindenwood Evening Club, expressed the appreciation of the alumnae for Alumnae Day, a new feature of Commencement Week, in the following letter to Miss Kathryn Hankins, alumnae secretary:

"For all of the Evening Club girls and myself, I want to thank you and the college for the grand afternoon and evening we enjoyed at the college. Needless to say, we enjoyed the planned program, but I believe the girls enjoyed the afternoon as much as the evening. During the afternoon we again became students and had a wonderful time going over days gone by."

#### Current Comment

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begin a session of one week under the direction of the President and Dr. George A. Works, Director of Institutional Studies. Registration and reception of students will begin on September 20. Until then all of us on the campus will be very busy getting ready for the new year. Obviously we have no trouble deciding how to spend the summer.

As indicated college will open on September 20. Work will begin then. A nation in arms is a nation at work. Global war covers the earth. Total war in-

volves everyone in the war effort. Exceptions are not tolerable. Each person should be engaged in essential work. This is the nation's challenge to teachers and students. Education is America's fundamental enterprise. Farmers do not grind seed corn; they save it for future planting and crops. For a similar reason youth must be educated. The democracy for which we fight cannot function without education. Therefore, teaching is classified as an "essential occupation." Students are doing essential work. Idleness is never profitable. Next year more than ever shirking, "getting by," "going easy," and drifting will be failure in patriotic duty. Those of us who are exempt from armed service and war production are not exempt from work. We claim no exemption. Next year will be a year of hard work and of refreshing play which makes effective work

#### Beverly Wescott to Edit Next Year's Linden Leaves

Miss Beverly Wescott, of Omaha, Neb., Class of '44, has been appointed editor of the 1944 Linden Leaves. Lell Lewis, of Elizabethtown, Ky., will be the business manager and Emelyne Gumm, of Wichita, Kan., has been named advertising manager. Shirley Goodman, of Toledo, Ohio, will be the literary editor.

## Hope of Tomorrow



Introducing John Clinton Rea, III. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clinton Rea, of Evansville, Ind. His mother was Mary Frances Wertz, Class of '25.

## Doris Banta and Ruth Haines Win Fellowships for Graduate Study

Other Prizes and Awards Are Announced at Commencement— New Members Named to Alpha Sigma Tau and Mu Phi Epsilon

Two members of this year's Senior Class met the high standards of the Lindenwood Fellowship and in recognition of their achievement the college increased the amount of the fellowship for graduate study and it will be divided between Doris Jean Banta, of Jefferson City, Mo., and Miss Ruth Haines, of Tucson, Ariz. Both students received bachelor of arts degrees at the commencement on June 7.

The fellowship is based on distinguished work in the student's chosen field of concentration, high character, outstanding contribution in extra-curricular activities and the conviction that the student is capable of doing a high type of graduate work. Miss Banta, who was president of the Student Government Association, and has one of the best scholastic records ever achieved at Lindenwood, will study law at Cornell University. Miss Haines was editor of the Linden Leaves and is this year's May Queen. She will do graduate work in chemistry at Columbia University in New York City.

Miss Banta also received the Good Citizenship Award of \$25 given annually by the college and an anonymous alumna for intelligent citizenship on the campus. The citation for the award this year recognized "her social responsibility, broad tolerance and honest convictions."

The Sigma Iota Chi Scholarship, awarded for outstanding ability as a student and outstanding traits of character was given to Shirley Goodman, of Toledo, Ohio.

The Eta Upsilon Gamma Scholarship for outstanding ability as a student and outstanding traits of character was awarded to Lady Morgan, of Stanford, Ky.

Other honors and awards announced at commencement include:

Progress prizes to the students not specializing in music who made the most progress in music during the year: Organ, Geraldine Wrinkle, Oklahoma City, Okla., and Ruth Schroeder, Webster Groves, Mo., tied. Voice, Marian Hardtke, Barrington, Ill. Violin, Susan Blue, Flora, Ind. Piano, Betty Tabor, Checotah, Okla.

Upper Class Original Composition: Dorothy Isbell, Herculaneum, Mo.

Underclass Original Composition (Tie vote): Jerry Oppenheimer, Chariton, Iowa, and Dorothy Shaeffer, Herrin, Ill.

Poster Prize, awarded in the Art Department by the college: Joanne Seip, Plymouth, Ind. Honorable mention to Louise Wallerstedt, Waco, Texas, and Mary Pate, Sulphur Springs, Texas.

Mary Easton Sibley Art Scholarship, awarded to the Freshman majoring in art who has done the best all-around work in the Art Department for the year and who has met the campus requirement of general desirability as a student: Delores Thomure, Bonne Terre, Mo.

Freshman Bible Memory Contest: First prize, Ruby Wilson, Valley Center, Kan.; second prize, Joan Emons, Alton, Ill.; third prize, Betty Daneman, Dayton, Ohio.

Nelly Don Costume Design Prizes, awarded by Mrs. James A. Reed: Advanced Costume Design, Polly Woolsey, Lakewood, Ohio; honorable mention, Patricia Bartlett, Ottumwa, Iowa, and Louise Pankey Rooke, La Grange, Tenn. Elementary Costume Design: first prize, Eileen Murphy, Mt. Vernon, Ill.; second prize, Ada Waelder, Wichita Falls, Texas; third prize, Marie Van Ostveen, Owensboro, Ky.; honorable mention, Celia Tucker, Texarkana, Texas, Jacqueline Schwab, Oklahoma City, Okla., and Ruthe Meyer, Houston, Texas.

Nelly Don Completed Dress Prizes: First prize, Jo Cleta Simpson, Oklahoma City, Okla.; second prize, Patricia Waldron, Oak Park, Ill.; third prize, Patricia Latherow, Quincy, Ill.; honorable mention, Ann Leverenz, Michigan City, Ind.; Ruthe Meyer, Houston, Texas, and Honey Donohue, Manitowac, Wis.

The prize of \$10 for outstanding work in the Sociology Department offered by the St. Louis Lindenwood Club: Shirley Goodman, Toledo, Ohio.

New members of Alpha Sigma Tau, honorary society of the liberal arts college, are: Dixie Poynter, North Kansas City, Mo.; Mary Lee Campbell, Galveston, Texas, and Carol Bindley, Chicago Heights, Ill.

Pledges to Mu Phi Epsilon, national honorary musical sorority for upperclassmen, are: Betty Gierse, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Harriet Taylor, Sidney, Neb.; Lady Morgan, Stanford, Ky.; Jerry Oppenheimer, Chariton, Iowa, and Jo Ann Person, Hugo, Okla.

New members of Alpha Psi Omega are Minota (Continued on page 8)

## News From and About Members of The Class of 1900

By KATHRYN HANKINS, Alumnae Secretary

The following graduates of the Class of 1900 have responded to the inquiry from the Alumnae Office for news about themselves and their activities:

Esther Anderson (Mrs. V. H. Burtmer), 103 Cole Street, Osceola Mills, Pa.: "In addition to running our household, I manage my husband's office, and still find a little time to devote to my music."

Elva Huffaker (Mrs. Elva Cooper), St. Catherine, Mo.: "I divide my time pleasantly with my two daughters, Helen, now Mrs. E. J. Lane, and Martha, Mrs. S. M. Barker."

Mary E. Jacobs (Mrs. D. B. Fant), 2062 Vallecito Drive, Puente, Cal.: "My chief interest is being a grandmother to 20-months-old Mary Gayle—a future Lindenwooder, also our life on a California citrus ranch."

Helene Joanne Stumberg is at her home in St. Charles, Mo.

Florence Woolfolk lives in St. Charles, Mo. Naomi Foristell is deceased.

Eva Frank Lemmon (Mrs. Geo. Player) is deceased.

We would appreciate the address of Mable Noggle (Mrs. T. T. Crenshaw) and of Sarah Brachmann (Mrs. E. Brittingham).

The following letter of a member of the Class of 1927 arrived too late to be included in last month's issue:

Louise Moffett (Mrs. S. H. Cole), 20 High Street, Littleton, N. H.: "There is little doubt as to my profession as I am definitely a home-maker with a large size home and three sons to care for. Our boys are Sanford, 11 years of age, John D., 8, Peter, 4."

## Awards Announced at Commencement

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Bayliss, Wauwatosa, Wis., and Peggy Proctor, Sullivan, Mo.

In a pre-commencement announcement of other student honors and awards, it was announced that the Residence Hall Award for the highest standards for a college dormitory in regard to housekeeping and good citizenship went this year to Irwin Hall.

Winners of the Sigma Tau Delta freshman literary contest are: First, Barbara Aronoff, Highland Park, Ill.; second, Mary Celeste Hirsch, Jefferson City, Mo.; third, Carolyn Trimble, Hope, Ark.; first honorable mention, Marion Erlandson, Shaker Heights, Ohio; second honorable mention, Betty Tabor, Checotah, Okla.; third honorable mention, Margaret E. B. Overmyer, Pine Bluff, Ark. Special commendation of the judges went to Carol Chamberlain, Omaha, Neb.; Jane Murphy, Northboro, Iowa; Frances Lewis, Benton, Neb., and Jo Ann Butters, Des Moines, Iowa.

#### PEOPLE YOU KNOW

From England comes the news of the marriage of the daughter of Mrs. H. R. Mather, of Bude, Cornwall, who was Katharine Kennedy and attended Lindenwood from 1909 to 1911. Her daughter, Miss Marion Alice Mather, was married to Hugh Chetwood Henderson of the Royal Air Force on March 18. Mrs. Mather went to Africa as a missionary and met her husband, the late Capt. Mather who was in service there.

A recent visitor to the campus was Mrs. Herman H. Reinisch, of Chicago. Mrs. Reinisch, who was Faye Pratt, Class of '02, is a charter member of the Chicago Lindenwood Club and has been active in its work for many years. While in St. Charles she also was a guest at the home of Dr. Alice Linnemann, professor emeritus of art.

Mrs. Harry M. Taliaferro, of Grand Rapids, Mich., visited the campus in May and was a luncheon guest of Dr. Linnemann. Mrs. Taliaferro, who was returning from a visit to Boonville, Mo., to help celebrate her mother's 88th birthday, was Mary Little Joy Williams, Class of '02.

Margaret "Cotton" Cannon, of Louisville, Ky., Class of '42, who conducted the "All Bark and No Bite" column in the Linden Bark for three years and was advertising manager of the Linden Leaves, visited the campus commencement week. She is now recovered from a serious attack of pneumonia.

Mary Sue Tallmann, Class of '41, is now bookkeeper and office manager for the Carl G. Stifel Realty Company of St. Louis. dow D. 5 m

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## ALUMNAE NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

#### MORE OR LESS PERSONAL

Mrs. L. D. Meadows (Harriet Jane Eichman, Class of '37) writes that after five years of traveling all over the country she and her husband have settled down in Oak Park, Ill. They have two children, Lewis D. Meadows, Jr., 5 years old, and Patricia Jo Ann, 5 months old.

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Norma Hazeltine writes that she is now an assistant editor with the Extension Service of Colorado State College at Fort Collins, Colo.

#### WEDDINGS

Miss Catherine Ann Lague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eugene Lague, of Monte Vista, Colo., and a member of the Class of '40, chose April 25 as the date for her marriage to Richard Spencer Woods, at Monte Vista.

A May bride was Miss Thelma Louise Neal, sister of Mr. and Mrs. William Harding Spicer, of Cleveland, Okla., and a member of the Class of '20, who was married to John Thomas Allin at Cleveland on May 24.

From Fresno, Cal., comes news of the marriage of Miss Rosemary Edminster, daughter of Mrs. Ida Edminster, of Joplin, Mo., and a member of the Class of '42, to Lieut. Charles William Duffy of the United States Army on February 6. They are now living at 1347 Linden Avenue, Fresno.

On May 14 at Macon, Ga., Miss Eileen Margaret Linsin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orvie Edward Linsin, of St. Louis, a member of the Class of '42, was married to Ward Martin Lefferdink of the United States Army Air Force. They are now living in Macon.

Miss Patricia R. Boomis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Boomis, of Wichita, Kan., and a member of the Class of '38, was married to Corporal Steve D. Xidis of the United States Army in Jacksonville, Fla., on February 7. They are now living at Atlantic Beach, Fla.

On April 19 at Kansas City, Mo., Miss Betty Jane Silcott, of Kansas City, Class of '38, was married to E. Gerald Hines, who is in the U. S. Navy. They are now living at 3808 Forty-fourth Avenue, S. W., Seattle, Wash.

A May bride was Miss Jewel Morrow Brandenberger, daughter of Mrs. Adolph Brandenberger, of Jefferson City, Mo., and a member of the Class of '31, who was married to Lieut. Marion Smith Francis of

the United States Army on May 26 at Jefferson City.

Miss Elizabeth Frances Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Murray Rowe, of Ottumwa, Iowa, and a member of the Class of '40, became the bride of John Lawrence Burress, an ensign in the United States Navy on June 5 at Ottumwa. They are now at home at 178 Vogel Street, Ottumwa.

## Headed for Lindenwood



This attractive miss is Barbara Ann Yoder, and she is the daughter of Lieut. and Mrs. Phillip D. Yoder, of Keystone Heights, Fla. Barbara Ann was born on November 30, 1942, and her mother was Wilda Marie Fisher. Her father is in the Army Air Corps.

Miss Eleanor Blair, daughter of Judge and Mrs. David E. Blair, of Chicago, Ill., and a member of the Class of '37, was married to Edward John O'Keefe on June 12 at Springfield, Mo. They are now at home at 11479 Church Street, Chicago.

On June 3 Miss Margaret Ann Meinecke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude T. Lokey, of Plainview, Texas and a member of the Class of '41, became the bride of John Will Speak, of the U. S. Army Air Corps, at Plainview.

Another June bride was Miss Virginia Rambo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Collett Rambo, of Mountain City, Tenn., and a member of the Class of '41, who was married on June 4 at Mountain City to Lieut. Ned Schramm, Jr., of the United States Army Air Corps.

#### WEDDINGS

Miss Donna Marie Halliday, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Halliday, of Denver, Colo., and a member of the Class of '42, chose June 3 as the date of her marriage to Richard Inglis Hopper at Denver.

Miss Jane Mauk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Virgil Mauk, of Portales, N. Mex., and a member of the Class of '42, was married to John Kent Hilliard on June 28 at Portales.

Miss Dorothy Straight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Halver Rufus Straight, of Adel, Iowa, and a member of the Class of '35, chose June 6 for her marriage to Erwin John Herman Bentz at Adel.

A May bride was Miss Gracia Lou Arnold, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Arnold, of Kahoka, Mo., and a member of the Class of '37, who was married to Keith Conradt Atterberg, of the United States Maritime Service on May 10 at Keokuk, Iowa.

Miss Carolee Burchard, who was graduated from Lindenwood on June 7, was married that afternoon to Lieut. Edward E. Ogden of the United States Army in the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church in St. Charles. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burchard, of Willow Springs, Mo.

Miss Nancy Fugate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. White Bales Fugate, of Middlesboro, Ky., and a member of the Class of '42, was married to Ensign Frank Tyree of the United States Navy on May 29 at Middlesboro.

On June 6 at Little Rock, Ark., Miss Betty Lou Kramer, daughter of Major and Mrs. Charles T. Kramer, of Little Rock, became the bride of Richard Forrester Duncan, Jr.

## BIRTHS

A future Lindenwood girl is Rebecca Speer Stegall, who was born to Major and Mrs. Oscar Stegall, Jr., of Sallisaw, Okla., on April 20. Mrs. Stegall is now living with her parents in Sallisaw while her husband is stationed in California. She was Julia Speer Johnston, Class of '37.

A new arrival in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Crowe, of 130 Oakwood Avenue, Hot Springs, Ark., is Thomas Nicholas, who was born on May 15. His mother, who was Wilma Burnett, was a member of the Class of '34. Mr. and Mrs. Crowe also have a daughter, Rodney Anne, who is now 6.

David Michael is the name of the son born on May 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox, of Decatur, Ill. Mrs. Fox was Virginia Patterson, Class of '37.

Another future Lindenwood student is Alice Anne, who was born on May 21 to Capt. and Mrs. Barney A. Tucker, of Winamac, Ind. Mrs. Tucker, who was Shirley J. Keplar, was a member of the Class of '39.

A son, who has been named George William, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Keith G. Novinger, of 2627 East Fifteenth Street, Tulsa, Okla., on May 2. Mrs. Novinger was Arametha McFadden, Class of '33.

A daughter, who has been named Marilyn Dee, was born on April 27 to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Heltzel, of San Diego, Cal. Mrs. Heltzel, who was Eleanor Harsh, was a member of the Class of '38.

Myra Jane is the name of the daughter born on November 1, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Myron A. Cocking, of 165 Linden Place, Decatur, Ill. Myra Jane's mother was Dorothy Jane Fogwell, Class of '29.

Another future Lindenwood girl is Susan Murfee, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Murfee, Jr., in Long Beach, Cal., on September 3, 1942. Mrs. Murfee was La Wanda Sherrod, Class of '39. She and her husband are now living at 2812 Twenty-fifth Street Northwest, Oklahoma City, Okla.

## IN MEMORIAM

Lindenwood records with deep regret the death of Mrs. William C. Lyons on April 15, in Birmingham, Ala. Mrs. Lyons, who was Elizabeth Aphra Martin, received a collegiate diploma in 1884 and a bachelor of science degree in 1916. Her father was formerly pastor of the Jefferson Street Presbyterian Church in St. Charles and Mrs. Lyons taught in the St. Charles Public Schools from 1884 to 1898. In 1924 she went to the Soulie Compton Seminary, Birmingham, as associate principal in 1924. Lindenwood extends its sincere condolences to her family and friends.

With deep regret Lindenwood records the death of Miss Theo McDearmon, of St. Charles, on June 5. She received her seminary diploma from Lindenwood in 1898 and a bachelor of science degree in education in 1932. She had been a teacher in the St. Charles public schools since 1901 and at the time of her death was principal of the Benton School. To the members of her family and her many friends, Lindenwood extends its sincere condolences.