

# Lindenwood College

BULLETIN



Lindenwood's 1943 May Queen and her Court of Honor. From the left are: Kathryn Barngrover, Betty Waters, Doris Banta, Florence Barry, Sally Dearmont (Special Maid of Honor), Jennie Sue Garnett, Ann Clevenger, Ruth Haines (the May Queen), Sara Ray Garnett, Joyce Burge, Virginia Donovan, Jacqueline Schwab and Sophia Anne Russell.

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# Current Comment

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By PRESIDENT GAGE

A TRAVELER, who could read figures on signs but not letters, said he always knew how far but couldn't just tell where to. One who tries to read the signs of the times today has a reverse difficulty. It is quite impossible to say when certain goals will be reached. It is, however, possible to say what our goals are. Also we can say with confidence that our goals will be reached. That is because persons differ from things. Persons have purposes. People without purpose have human form but are not persons. They lack the distinguishing mark of personality which is possession of a purpose. Such people have the qualities of things and at most of the higher type of animals.

We have at our disposal the lessons of 5,000 years of history. One lesson is clear. It is that purposes are realized.

*"As our dreams are, so are we.  
Our dreams are but the mirror of our-  
selves.  
We shape in thought what soon we dress  
in deeds.  
What we daily do in the heart we grow  
to be."*

This point of view requires some clarification and amplification. I recall a remark made by a man of vast common sense when he appointed a modest little man, who was not brilliant, to a position of great responsibility. On making the appointment he said, "Any man can realize an intelligently conceived purpose if he has good health, politeness, and persistence." That is sound common sense. Success is as simple as that. It is clear that good health contributes much to happy and successful living. Poor health is a handicap that in exceptional cases has been overcome by very

great people. In pursuit of most purposes physical fitness is absolutely essential. As to politeness and persistence the combination is somewhat rare and always irresistible. Ultra polite people frequently lack initiative but never offend others. Persistent people are frequently rude and may be an offensive pest. But when a politely persistent person starts in pursuit of a purpose, one may as well say at the start, "He will get what he wants; if not now, eventually." The purpose pursued must, of course, be "intelligently conceived."

This little essay on purpose applies to institutional purpose to which Lindenwood has for two years been giving attention. When one views Lindenwood today one may well apply canons for criticism of a work of art. They are in the form of questions. What did you try to do? Was it worth doing? Was it well done? In reply to those questions one can say the founders of Lindenwood and their successors projected a Christian institution on a "broad and liberal foundation" to prepare youth for "useful living" and for citizenship by developing in them the "national mind." That work was certainly worth doing. Lindenwood today is proof the work was well done. If one doubts that, the obvious reply is, meet the alumnae. If that be too large a task when travel about the world is so difficult, we then say, Attend Commencement on June 7 and meet the Seniors. With finality they attest the well being and well doing of Lindenwood.

Facing the future in 1943 we realize the value of a past is to get a future out of it. The future to us is rich in prospect because the past is rich in resources. Lindenwood today is qualified to realize its purposes. Those purposes were intelligently conceived. The institution is in good health. Its physical fitness is excellent. Visit the campus. See for yourself. Its

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# Lindenwood to Hold 116th Annual Commencement on June 7

*One Hundred and Eleven Students in This Year's Graduating Class  
— Dr. Alice C. Lloyd, Dean of Women at University of Michigan to Give Commencement Address*

**D**EGREES, certificates and diplomas will be awarded to 111 Lindenwood students at the college's 116th annual commencement on June 7. Of this year's graduating class, 47 are Seniors and will receive bachelor degrees. Certificates will be awarded to 51 students and diplomas to 15 students. Three of the students who will receive diplomas will also be awarded degrees or certificates.

The commencement program will begin in accordance to Lindenwood tradition, with an academic procession headed by Dr. Harry Morehouse Gage, president of the college, under the linden trees to Roemer Auditorium where the commencement address will be delivered by Dr. Alice C. Lloyd, dean of women at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Lloyd was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1916. After teaching for two years in a private school, she enrolled in the St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing in New York City. On her graduation in 1921 she served as a probation officer for the Juvenile Court in Detroit. In 1926 she became Adviser of Women at the University of Michigan and in 1930 was appointed Dean of Women, the position she now holds.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached on Sunday, June 6, by Dr. George Arthur Frantz, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis, Ind.

Saturday, June 5, will be Alumnae Day, a new feature of Commencement Week at Lindenwood. Mrs. James A. Reed, an alumna of the college and creator of the internationally famous Nelly Don dresses, will be the alumnae speaker. Members of this year's Senior Class will be formally inducted into the Lindenwood Alumnae Association by Mrs. Martha M. Cunningham, Class of '05, president of the association. Officers of the association for the coming year will be elected. In addition to Mrs. Cunningham, the present officers are: Miss Gladys Campbell, of St. Louis, vice president; Mrs. Lois Margaret Lane, of St. Charles, secretary, and Mrs. Elsie Porth Baldwin, of St. Louis County, treasurer. Lindenwood alumnae clubs in all parts of the country have been asked to send greetings. There will be a buffet supper for the alumnae that night and a program in Roemer Auditorium.

The commencement play, "Letters to Lucerne" will be presented by members of Alpha Psi Omega on Saturday, May 29. Pre-commencement honors and awards will be announced at a special convocation on May 26, and the following day will be Senior Class Day.

## Commencement Speaker



*Dr. Alice C. Lloyd, Dean of Women at the University of Michigan, who will deliver the commencement address.*

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## Candidates for Graduation

To the members of the 1943 graduating class the alumnae extend a cordial welcome. The candidate for degrees are:

### SENIORS

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS

Doris Jean Banta, Jefferson City, Mo.  
Virginia Jean Bauske, Des Plaines, Ill.  
Barbara Bickle, Chicago, Ill.  
Carol Hamilton Bindley, Chicago Heights, Ill.  
Estelle G. Blumeyer, St. Louis, Mo.  
Adelaide Caraker, Olmstead, Ill.  
Charlotte Chiang, Honolulu, Hawaii  
Kathryn Anderson Corl, Fort Worth, Texas  
Phyllis Marie Gambill, Centralia, Ill.  
Jean K. Graham, Lincoln Park, Mich.  
Doris Gruer, St. Charles, Mo.  
Ruth Margot Haines, Rivermines, Mo.  
Dorothy Jeanne Harmon, St. Charles, Mo.  
Bertha Jauch, St. Charles, Mo.  
Margaret Elizabeth Lindsay, Foreman, Ark.  
Erva Mart, Elsa, Neb.  
Jane Laverre Meredith, Orlando, Fla.  
Betty Brittain Myers, Kirksville, Mo.

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# Dr. George Arthur Frantz to Preach Baccalaureate Sermon

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Louise Olson, Joplin, Mo.  
Roena Ott, St. Charles, Mo.  
Adah Louise Parkinson, Mt. Carmel, Ill.  
Betty Gray Proctor, Sullivan, Mo.  
Mary Jean Ream, Peru, Ill.  
Virginia Rose, LaGrange, Ill.  
Harriet Helen Sage, Augusta, Kan.  
Gloria Stunkel, Owensville, Ind.  
Virginia Veach, Vienna, Ill.  
Alice Louise Wonder, Marshalltown, Iowa

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Lois Anderson, Bartlesville, Okla.  
Coralee, Burchard, Willow Springs, Mo.  
Rena Elaine Eberspacher, Pana, Ill.  
Esther Marrion Farrill, Taylorville, Ill.  
Marie Elizabeth Gierse, Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
Margaret E. Greer, Hazard, Ky.  
Dorothy Helen Isbell, Herculaneum, Mo.  
Frances Shudde, San Diego, Calif.

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Lorraine Frances Allen, Vandalia, Ill.  
Mona Joyce Burge, St. Charles, Mo.  
Juanita Ruth Cook, Bismarck, Mo.  
Gloria Crosby, Batesville, Ark.  
Mimi Hanna, Independence, Kan.  
Jerre Virginia Lewis, Grand Island, Neb.  
Gloria Omohundro Palmer, Elsberry, Mo.  
Owanna Post, Detroit, Mich.  
Betty Anne Schoen, Blairstown, Iowa  
Mary Jane Tarling, St. Louis, Mo.  
Janet Llewellyn Thomas, Omaha, Neb.

## CERTIFICATE OF ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Carolyn Boerstler, Henryetta, Okla.  
Virginia Frances Brown, Texarkana, Tex.  
Mary Lee Campbell, Galveston, Texas  
Sarah Lee Dearmont, St. Louis, Mo.  
Alice Gabbert, Ashland, Kan.  
Dorothy H. Heimrod, Omaha, Neb.  
Dorothy Mae Hess, Sioux City, Iowa  
Margaret Janice Hohtanz, Des Moines, Iowa  
Mary Lynn Jackson, Blytheville, Ark.  
Mary Lee Johns, Metropolis, Ill.  
Marian Kinney, Houston, Texas  
Clara Mae Landberg, Fort Thomas, Ky.  
Nancy Moore, Rison, Ark.  
Elnor Ritter, St. Charles, Mo.  
Ruth Ritter, St. Charles, Mo.  
Shirley Ryder, Hibbing, Minn.  
Doris B. Smithson, Lake Bluff, Ill.  
Marjorie Stevenson, Holdenville, Okla.

## To Give Baccalaureate Sermon



*Dr. George Arthur Frantz, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis, Ind., who will preach the baccalaureate sermon.*

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Celia Louise Tucker, Texarkana, Texas  
Phyllis Joan Verploeg, Pella, Iowa  
Alyce Ward, Paintsville, Ky.  
Betty Jane Waters, Chicago, Ill.  
Mary Louise Weitz, Morris, Ill.  
Barbara Wertz, Evansville, Ind.

## CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC SCHOOL ART

Hellen Boyd, Marion, Ill.  
Mary Lollar Pate, Sulphur Springs, Texas  
Dixie Margery Poynter, N. Kansas City, Mo.  
Joanne Seip, Plymouth, Ind.

## CERTIFICATE IN BUSINESS

Catherine Bishop, Winona, Kan.  
Mary Lynn Darby, Essex, Mo.  
Jean McMurry, Oklahoma City, Okla.  
Dorothy Rose May, Evanston, Ill.  
Alice Eloise Rowland, Caruthersville, Mo.

## CERTIFICATE IN COSTUME DESIGN

Patricia Bartlett, Ottumwa, Iowa  
Shirley Dunker, St. Louis, Mo.  
Earlene Jones, Brownsfield, Texas  
Charlotte Anne Leverenz, Michigan City, Ind.

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## More Stars Are Added to Lindenwood's Alumnae Service Flag

EACH month brings news of Lindenwood alumnae who are wearing the uniforms of all branches of the nation's armed services. On this page is the college's alumnae service flag, recording the number of alumnae in service. Undoubtedly there are others and the editor of the Bulletin asks that news be sent of them so that they may be added to the stars on the service flag.

Miss Grace Stevenson, of Holdenville, Okla, a member of the Class of '28, who became a licensed air pilot after graduation, is now serving in the Airplane Transport Auxiliary in England. She has been stationed there for nearly a year and her address is White Waltham Field, Maidenhead, England, care of A.T.A. Her sister, Marjorie, is a Sophomore at Lindenwood this year, and another sister plans to enter Lindenwood next fall.

Mrs. Sarah Davis Hedgecock, of St. Louis, Class of '27, resigned her position with the American Red Cross in St. Louis and reported on May 8 at Smith College for officer's training in the Spars.

Miss Irene Tsvetkov, Class of '39, is now a corporal in the WAACs and is attached to the United States Army Recruiting office at Waco, Texas.

Miss Helen S. Larkin, of Los Angeles, Calif., a member of the Class of '29, has enlisted in the United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve, and is now in training at South Hadley, Mass.

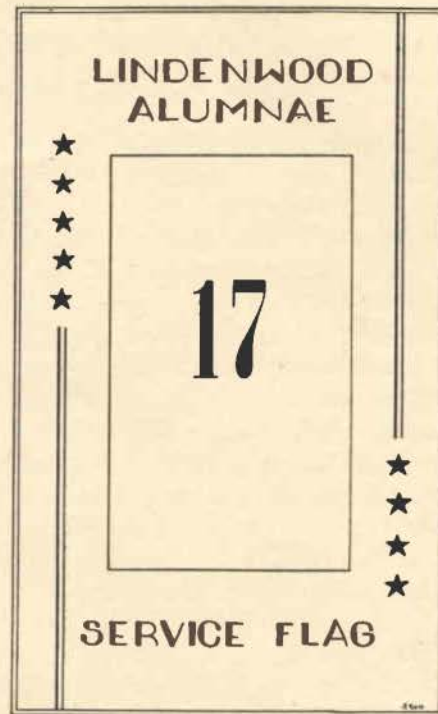
Miss Ruth Kelsey, of Lakeview, Mich, a member of the Class of '28, is now in service with the American Red Cross in Hawaii.

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### St. Louis Evening Club Holds May Meeting

Ensign Betty Bauer of the United States Coast Guard Reserves and the ranking officer in St. Louis was the guest of the St. Louis Lindenwood Evening Club at its meeting on May 4 at the Camille Tea Room, 4378 Lindell Boulevard. She told of her work in recruiting women for the Spars and recounted her experiences in escaping from Paris just ahead of the Nazis in 1940.

The next meeting of the club will be held on October 5. Any Lindenwood alumnae in the St. Louis area interested in attending the club's dinner programs may have her name added to the mailing list by contacting Miss Kathryn Hansbrough, 14 South Court, St. Louis, or Miss Helen Whalen, 526 E. Monroe Avenue, Kirkwood.



### Lindenwood Alumna Recalls Campus of Forty Years Ago

This interesting letter, which speaks for itself, was received recently from Mrs. H. C. Holderman, of Afton, Okla. Mrs. Holderman, who was Maude A. Bennett, was a member of the Class of 1899. Her letter follows:

"I wish to thank you for the Bulletin, which has come to me for so many years. It has been so interesting to watch through it the growth of this wonderful school and to know of the blessings that have come to many dear girls, and through them, to so many homes.

"When I was at Lindenwood there was only the one large stone building, a small gymnasium, a laundry house and the barn. Now I cannot keep track of the new buildings, even through the Bulletin.

"May rich blessings ever come to Lindenwood, her faculty, her girls, and the country she is helping to build."

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### Dr. Gregg Elected President of Historical Society

Dr. Kate L. Gregg, a member of Lindenwood's faculty, was elected president of the Historical Association of Greater St. Louis at the recent annual meeting of the association at Webster College.

# Ruth Haines Crowned as Lindenwood's 1943 May Queen in Colorful Ceremony

*Editor of the Linden Leaves Reigns as 25th Queen in Traditional May Fete Held on the Campus Since 1918—  
Sally Dearmont Is Maid of Honor*

IN A sylvan setting on the campus east of Irwin Hall, Miss Ruth Haines, a Senior, of Rivermines, Mo., was crowned as Lindenwood's 1943 May Queen on May 15. Her Special Maid of Honor was Miss Sally Dearmont, a Junior, and president-elect of the Student Government Association.

Members of the Sophomore Class formed two evergreen chains through which the members of the Queen's Court passed in the coronation procession. First came the two Freshman Maids, Miss Kathryn Barngrover and Miss Sophia Anne Russell, followed by the Sophomore Maids, Miss Jacqueline Schwab and Miss Betty Waters. The Junior Maids were Miss Florence Barry and Miss Virginia Donovan and the Senior Maids, Miss Joyce Burge and Miss Doris Banta.

Jennie Sue and Sara Ray Garnett, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Garnett, were the flower girls and Ann Clevenger, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Homer Clevenger was the crown bearer. They were followed by the Maid of Honor and then the new queen, gowned in regal white ascended the throne. The crown was placed on her head by the Maid of Honor. The new Queen and her Court presided over the entertainment of the afternoon which included the annual May Pole Dance, class songs and a special dance presentation, "Plantation Memories."

A formal dinner in honor of the queen was held at 6:30 p. m. in Ayres Hall, and that night a dance recital was given by members of Tau Sigma, honorary dance fraternity with the theme, "America in Dance."

## Two Members of Senior Class Awarded Graduate Scholarships

Two members of this year's Senior Class have been awarded scholarships for graduate study. Miss Doris Banta, of Jefferson City, was offered full tuition scholarships from the Schools of Law of both Northwestern University and Cornell University. She has accepted the scholarship at Cornell and will begin her graduate work in law there this fall.

Miss Ruth Haines, of Rivermines, Mo., editor of the Linden Leaves and this year's May Queen, has accepted a scholarship at Columbia University in New York and will begin her graduate work in chemistry there in September.

## In Hall of Fame



*Miss Rena Eberspacher, of Pana, Ill., a member of the Senior Class, who has been nominated for the campus Hall of Fame by the Linden Bark. A Music major, she is the representative of the Senior Hall on the Residence Council, is corresponding secretary of Mu Phi Epsilon, and is a member of Alpha Mu Mu and the Poetry Society.*

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## Lindenwood to Have Victory Garden This Year

Cooperating with the government's request to raise as much food as possible, Lindenwood will have a Victory Garden this year. Approximately eight acres of the college campus will be put into production. One acre has been planted in beets, carrots, onions and turnips. There have been liberal plantings of beans, broccoli and other vegetables and several acres are being devoted to potatoes and sweet corn.

Every available fence post is being utilized for tomatoes—even the fence along the golf course will serve a utilitarian purpose this summer. Tomatoes are high on the rationed list of foods and the college plans to raise as large a crop as possible.

The Home Economics kitchen will be busy this summer canning the crops from the Victory Garden for use next winter. Last year the college canned 644 quarts of tomatoes and several hundred quarts of beets and beans. This summer the canning program will be greatly expanded.

# Alpha Sigma Tau Provides Scholarship For School of the Ozarks

*Honorary Society Aids Betty Lord This Year at Co-operative High School for Ozark Young People Near Hollister, Mo.*

ALPHA Sigma Tau, honorary society of the Liberal Arts College, has supported a student at the School of the Ozarks for three semesters. The cost was \$225, of which \$25 given as an anonymous gift from a faculty member. This year the girl aided by the society is Betty Lord.

The School of the Ozarks is a high school near Hollister, Mo., where boys and girls without money are given a Christian education. The fee is \$75.00 a semester plus the work each student does for the school in the fields, the dairy, the kitchen, and the laundry. Boys and girls in the Ozark region who live far from a public high school, and have no means of transportation to high school are selected for the school. Each student, in addition to academic work, is given vocational training so that later he may be able to make his way through college, or get a start in life if he cannot go to college.

Alpha Sigma Tau sponsored a movie showing the School of the Ozarks at work. The proceeds went toward the scholarship fund. The school sent many pictures and posters and also samples of beautiful hand weaving done in the school. Many of the students and faculty ordered lunch cloths and towels so that a substantial order for the School of the Ozarks was received.

No work in education has a greater value than giving underprivileged boys and girls a start in life, and Alpha Sigma Tau is proud to have had this very small part in the wonderful work of the School of the Ozarks.

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## Lindenwood Alumna Fills Unusual War Position

Lindenwood alumnae are serving their country in many ways in this war. Mrs. J. R. Williams, who was Willa Waters, Class of '32, in a recent letter to the college tells of her work with the Radio Navigational Instrument Corporation in New York City.

"Normally I would tell you of my fine position," she wrote. "But I don't have a position—I have a job, punching a time clock to the tune of 72 hours a week sometimes. I'm in the production engineering (procurement) department. It seems a little funny to think of Miss Isidor and my degree recital in violin away back in 1932. Now I worry about locating a good machine shop for sub-contract work, worry about under or over ordering when I figure bills of material,

**Aided by Lindenwood**



*Betty Lord*

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worry about the chemical analysis of a bit of nickel silver—a far cry from trying to get a Bach passage even and clear. My office is on the thirty-third floor of a mid-Manhattan skyscraper, looking straight down Fifth Avenue. On clear days I look over the harbor to the Statue of Liberty and watch the ships go by. I wonder if all Lindenwood girls' lives have been changed as much as mine."

Recently when Mrs. Williams was trying to find a secretary, two Lindenwood alumnae were sent to her by an employment agency. Since they had no engineering experience they were not eligible for the job, but Mrs. Williams adds "it was so very nice to chat with them of Lindenwood and people we knew."

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## Dr. Bernard Is Co-Author of New Sociology Book

Dr. Jessie S. Bernard, of Lindenwood's Sociology Department, is co-author with her husband, Dr. L. L. Bernard of Washington University, of a new book, "Origins of American Sociology," which is the only volume ever published on the origins and development of sociology in this country. Dr. Bernard and her husband worked for fifteen years in gathering material for the book. Last year Dr. Jessie Bernard's textbook, "American Family Behavior," was published.

## Lindenwood Goes Over the Top in Second War Loan Drive

Lindenwood's contribution to the nation's Second War Loan Drive amounted to \$18,335, or more than nine times the original goal set by the Student Government Association of \$2,000. Several contests were arranged among the students to boost the sale of bonds and stamps. In the contest between the states represented on the campus, Iowa ranked first, followed in order by New Mexico and Kansas. The Juniors turned in the best class record with sales totaling \$2,375 on the day they had charge of the bond booth.

In addition to the subscriptions of the students and faculty, the college purchased \$10,000 worth of bonds, which were credited to the campaign on the campus.

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## Current Comment

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financial foundations are sound. Read our financial statement. On the campus is spiritual and intellectual health; intellectual strength and spiritual cleanliness. Tenaciously we pursue our purposes. In a changing world we "hold fast to that which is good." We live at peace among ourselves and in self-respect and friendly respect for others in the family of American colleges. In that situation there is every reason to believe that our institutional purposes will be realized in the future as they have been in the past.

The new Lindenwood will be the old Lindenwood in flowerage that is becoming and in fruitage that is useful for living in 1943 and the year beyond. There will be no break from the past. There will be a development of it. By our institutional research we shall apply our ancient purpose unchanged to the needs of youth today and shall adapt administrative procedure and curricular offerings to their present future welfare.

It was not idly said that, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." That is one of the most profound sentences in the philosophy of Christianity. Facts are not the truth. Technical training is not the truth. The truth can be found only in the wide horizon, the high vision, the noble purpose that comes from men and women who study the contemplative sciences, who know the humanities, the great literatures, the great organizers of learning, the great philosophies. Only as this country is able to keep alive the fires of culture will our democracy be saved. This is a clarion call to our patriotism. It marks clearly the path of duty in 1943, which in 1827 was projected, to develop "the national mind" along with the realization of other institutional purposes.

## Alma Kinkade Is President of Los Angeles Lindenwood Club

Miss Alma Kinkade, Class of 1918, was elected president of the Lindenwood Club of Los Angeles at the May meeting of the club at the home of Dean Pearle Aiken Smith. Miss Hazel Dean was elected secretary-treasurer. The club was entertained with a tea-musical following the business meeting. The guest artist was Mauricette Melbourne, a soloist for the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, who has one of the leading roles in the forthcoming film "Green Mansions."

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## Lindenwood's 116th Commencement on June 7

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Louise Pankey, LaGrange, Tenn.

Polly Elise Woolsey, Lakewood, Ohio

### CERTIFICATE IN HOME ECONOMICS

Jessie Lee Bean, Golconda, Ill.

Jacqueline Schwab, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Nancy Ann Tapp, Denver, Colo.

Donalee Shields Wehrle, Eureka, Mo.

### CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC SCHOOL MUSIC

Virginia Donovan, Omaha, Neb.

Marian Gudder, Centralia, Ill.

Jo Ann Person, Hugo, Okla.

Dorothy Shaeffer, Herrin, Ill.

### DIPLOMA IN ORGAN

Margaret Greer, Hazard, Ky.

Lady Lavenia Morgan, Stanford, Ky.

### DIPLOMA IN PIANO

Lois Anderson, Bartlesville, Okla.

Coralee Burchard, Willow Springs, Mo.

Marie Elizabeth Gierse, Poplar Bluffs, Mo.

Jerry Oppenheimer, Chariton, Iowa

### CERTIFICATE IN SPEECH AND DRAMATICS

Minota Bayliss, Wauwatosa, Wis.

Helen Jean Bowsby, Waterloo, Iowa

Florence Clair, Rothville, Mo.

Marjorie Irwin, Pueblo, Colo.

Peggy Atwater Proctor, Sullivan, Mo.

### CERTIFICATE IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Katherine Davis, Charleston, Mo.

Patricia Silkwood, Centralia, Ill.

### CERTIFICATE IN INTERIOR DECORATION

Mina Lea Alexander, Dallas, Texas

### DIPLOMA IN VIOLIN

Harriet Taylor, Sidney, Neb.

### CERTIFICATE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Mary Elizabeth Blackhurst, St. Charles, Mo.

Frances Eleanor Fellows, Elmhurst, Ill.

Mary Lou Gillette, St. Peters, Mo.

Virginia Gilreath, Kellogg, Iowa

Mary Willena Mayes, Elsberry, Mo.



# News From and About Members of The Class of 1915

By KATHRYN HANKINS, *Alumnae Secretary*

A CARD was sent from the Alumnae Office to each graduate of the class of 1915. The following graduates have responded:

Margaret Gray Martin (Mrs. James Edward Travis, Jr.), St. Charles, Mo. "I am a home-maker and have two children. Anne, 17, will graduate from high school in June. Eddie is 9 years old."

Florence Esther Degen (Mrs. Isadore Samuels), 1795 Grape Street, Denver, Colo. "I am a home-maker. We try to entertain a group of soldiers two or three times a week because we have two soldier boys of our own, both in camps in California. We have a daughter, Joan, 13.

Ruby Deal Conover (Mrs. John Thomas Potts), 4006 Perry Street, Jacksonville, Fla. "We have two children, a daughter JoAnne, 19, and a son, 14. My husband is with the Air Force and I work in the Filter Center, and keep house."

Ruth M. Hampton (Mrs. F. H. Washburn), Carterville, Ill. "Since my husband's death in 1939, I have been managing our drug store. In my spare time I sell life and accident insurance."

Marguerite Russell (Mrs. James E. Churchill), Mt. Carmel, Ill. "I am a home-maker. We have one daughter, Mary Etta, who is a college student."

Ione Epstein (Mrs. Harry Sandperl), 6912 Waterman Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. "I am a home-maker. My husband is a surgeon and we have two children, a daughter, 22, doing O. C. D. Nursery School work; and a son, 20, completing his second year at Stanford University."

Mary Louise Scroggin (Mrs. Harry S. Martin), Mt. Pulaski, Ill. "My husband is a farmer, and we have lived on the farm for 26 years. I shall be very busy with my part of the production, chickens and gardening during the summer. We have two sons, one married and the other in the army."

Marian Henley (Mrs. Harold Herliby), 105 N. Oakland Avenue, Pasadena, Calif. "My husband is a major in the Army Air Forces. Our oldest son is in the army; our daughter, Jean, is training for war work at Boston School of Occupational Therapy; our younger son, John, is attending school."

Kitty Cecil Tandy (Mrs. James L. McIntire), deceased.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mueller (Mrs. B. V. Skov), deceased.

We would appreciate knowing the address of Alice M. Grainger, Mrs. James J. O'Malley.

News of the following members of the Class of 1927 arrived too late to be included in last month's issue:

Loraine Lyster (Mrs. Leon J. Coker) Naples, Texas. "I am a full time home-maker. We have two fine youngsters, Tommy, 14, and Jackie, 10. My activities outside the home are in civic and church organizations and with the Red Cross."

Peggy Denise (Mrs. Gilbert Broking), 3241 Percival Avenue, Cocoanut Grove, Fla. "I was married in 1927 to Henry B. Betts who died in 1935. In 1939 I married Mr. Broking. I have two children, Henry Betts, 15, and Marguerite Denise Betts, 13. I spend 12 hours a week as an airplane spotter."

Agnes Boschert (Mrs. Cecil Thorn), Barron Road, Poplar Bluff, Mo. "We have three children, August Grant, 4, Mary Jo, 3, and Frances Ann, 2. My husband is Rural Rehabilitation Farm Supervisor of Butler County."

Audrey Weinberg (Mrs. Richard Wilson Cary), 8737 Minnehaha Lane, Kansas City, Mo. "I am a home-maker. We have two sons, John Wilson, 4, and Charles Douglas, 13 months."

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## Active on the Campus



Introducing Miss Marilou Rutledge, of Dallas, Texas, the first Freshman ever nominated for the Linden Bark's Hall of Fame. She is vice-president of the Freshman Class, president of Niccolls Hall, a member of Tau Sigma and is active in all college athletics.

## Columbus Lindenwood Club Aids in War Bond Drive

Lindenwood alumnae in Columbus, Ohio will have charge of the sale of War Bonds in the Columbus Victory Corner on June 25 and 26. The April meeting of the club was held on April 14 at the Southern Hotel. Mrs. Oliver Porter Stark, Jr. (Helen Roper, Class of '28) who sent the news of the club, writes that the next meeting is planned to be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph G. Reesman and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Reesman.

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## Sarah Lee Dearmont Is New Student Government President

Miss Sarah Lee Dearmont, of St. Louis, has been elected president of the Student Government Association for the 1943-'44 college year. She will succeed Miss Doris Banta, of Jefferson City. Miss Dearmont, a Junior, was Special Maid of Honor to this year's May Queen and was a member of the Popularity Court. She is secretary of the Y.W.C.A. and president of the Encore Club.

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## Art Department Head Wins Another Art Prize

Prof. Gail Martin, head of Lindenwood's Art Department, has been winning prizes for his paintings with remarkable regularity this year. His latest prize is the Clark McAdams Memorial Prize, for the outstanding entry in the thirtieth annual exhibit of the St. Louis Artists' Guild. His winning painting was a still life.

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## In Who's Who



*Miss Jeanne Harmon, daughter of Dr. Lloyd B. Harmon of Lindenwood's faculty, who is one of the college's representatives in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities this year. She is vice-president of Alpha Sigma Tau, and Beta Pi Theta, is secretary-treasurer of the day students, and is business manager of the Linden Leaves.*

## Headed for Lindenwood



*Introducing Mary Ayleen, 15-months-old, at left, and Bonnie Baker Wallace, 2 years-old, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wallace, of 808 North Crockett Street, Sherman, Texas. Their mother, who was Ayleen Baker, was a member of the Class of '27.*

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## Lindenwood Student Wins Prize in National Essay Contest

A Lindenwood student, Miss Ida Frances Lewis, of Benton, Ill., won \$10 in war stamps for her essay, "Meat As a Weapon of War," entered in the Fourth National Meat Essay Contest sponsored by the National Livestock and Meat Board in Chicago, Ill. The contest was a project of the Home Economic Department with the cooperation of the English Department.

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## MORE OR LESS PERSONAL

Mrs. Israel J. Beaudoin, of 1043 Eastlawn Avenue, Detroit, Mich., who was Irene Isabelle McArthur and attended Lindenwood in 1892-'93, visited the campus on April 20. She was amazed at the growth of the college since her school days.

Miss Mary Jean Lauvetz, of Wahoo, Neb., Class of '39, recently received her Master of Arts degree in educational psychology at the University of Nebraska. She has also been elected to membership in the professional honorary society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Miss Lenore Schierding has been elected president of the St. Charles Lindenwood Club.

## ALUMNAE NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

### WEDDINGS

An April bride was Miss Lucile Irene Vosburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Vosburg, of Gilman, Iowa, and a member of the Class of '40, who was married to John Korf; an Ensign in the United States Navy, at Coral Gables, Fla., on April 10.

Miss Mary Alice Hudson, daughter of Walter Cole Hudson, of Pine Bluff, Ark., and a member of the Class of '39, chose March 20 for her marriage to George Townes Weaver at Dallas, Texas. They are now living at 3426 Southwestern Boulevard in Dallas.

On December 23 at Nashville, Tenn., Miss Billie Hobson Vance, daughter of Mrs. Leslie Milton Vance, of Louisville, Ky., and a member of the Class of '40, was married to William Meville Pennycook, Jr.

Miss Jeanette Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Collier Lee, of Pine Bluff, Ark., and a member of the Class of '41, was married to Claude Joseph Wood on May 7 at Pine Bluff.

On April 29 in the chapel of the University of Chicago, Miss Marian Irene Ohlsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Olsen, of Valparaiso, Ind., and a member of the Class of '40, was married to Lieut. Warren Onken.

Miss Shirley Crooke, a member of the Class of '39, was married to Lieut. Charles P. Kelsey of the United States Army on October 4, 1942. Lieut. Kelsey is now stationed at Mitchell Field in New York and they are living at 36 Hamilton Place, Garden City, Long Island.

A May bride was Miss Helen Rose Bruns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin G. Bruns and a member of the Class of '40, who was married to James Munford Jolly on May 23 at St. Charles. Miss Bruns served as secretary to the Academic Dean, Dr. Gipson, since her graduation.

On May 14, Miss Martha Laney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Arthur Laney, of Camden, Ark., and a member of the Class of '42, was married to Dr. Charles Dick Rollins, a Captain in the United States Army Air Force, at Walla Walla, Wash. They are now living at 401 South Agee St., Camden. Two aunts of the bride and two sisters have attended Lindenwood. One sister, Carrie Lee Laney is now a student.

A May bride was Miss Elizabeth Laird, daughter of Mrs. Warren Laird, of Des Moines, Iowa, and a member of the Class of '40, who was married to Louis Francis Kurtz, an Ensign in the United States Navy, on May 8 at Des Moines.

An April bride was Miss Nancy Jean Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Smith, of Farmington, Mo., who was married to Staff Sergeant Veline Cunningham, of the United States Army on April 3 at Farmington. She is a member of the Class of '41.

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### Hope of Tomorrow



*This picture of Mike and his dog Buttons was taken on Mike's first birthday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hart, of 3103 White Avenue, Baltimore, Md.*

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On May 1, Miss Mary Nell McSpadden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Raymond McSpadden, of Nowata, Okla., and a member of the Class of '39, was married to Lieut. George Weston Warlick of the United States Army, at Fort Sill, Okla.

An April bride was Miss Jacqueline Morrison, daughter of Col. and Mrs. William Francis Morrison, of Riverside, Ill., who was married on April 17 at Hinsdale, Ill., to Lieut. John Lathrop Slade of the United States Navy.

Miss Gertrude Ann Taylor, daughter of Mrs. J. R. Taylor, of Sidney, Neb., and a member of the Class of '42, was married to Eldred B. Merrick at Sidney recently.

Miss Evelyn Mead, daughter of Alfred Grant Mead, of Beckley, W. Va., and a member of the Class of '41, was married to Lieut. Russell Parsons of the United States Army on April 3 at Beckley.

## WEDDINGS

Miss Helen Nance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde B. Nance, of Webb City, Mo., and a member of the Class of '36, was married to Sherman Loren Stines, on September 18, 1942, at Norfolk, Va.

Another May bride was Miss Ellen Ann Schachner, daughter of Mrs. Ross Hayes Schachner, of New York City, and a member of the Class of '36, who was married to Sergeant Elliott Blum, of the United States Army, on May 2 at Hollywood, Cal.

Miss Helen Mary McLatchey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George William McLatchey, of Kansas City, Mo., and a member of the Class of '34, chose April 29 for her marriage to Lieut. Ernest N. Varnevich, of the United States Army at Kansas City.

In the Cadet Chapel at the United States Military Academy at West Point, Miss Mary Morrison, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Morrison, of Ellsworth, Kansas, became the bride of Lieut. Arthur Joseph Sebesta on May 2. They are now living in Tullahoma, Tenn., where Lieut. Sebesta is stationed.

On May 15 at La Grange, Ill., Miss Grace Quebbeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quebbeman of Western Springs, Ill., was married to Lieut. David Brown Galt of the United States Army Air Corps. The bride was graduated from Lindenwood in 1942.

## BIRTHS

A future Lindenwood girl is Judith Dean Ludwig, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ludwig, of St. Charles, on April 21. Her mother was Thelma Riske, Class of '37.

Another April arrival is Howard James Hoffman, who was born on April 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Hoffman, of 10640 South Oakley Avenue, Chicago, Ill. His mother, who was Jean Achelpohl, was a member of the Class of '30.

"It's a boy" is the news from Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Monson, of Osceola, Neb., telling of the birth of Louis Paul on April 19. Mrs. Monson was Louise Thygeson, Class of '34.

Mary Patricia is the name of the new daughter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard E. Coffey, of 1466 W. Forty-fifth Street, Los Angeles, Cal. She was born on April 24. Her mother, who was Malvina Olcott, was a member of the Class of '29.

A daughter, who has been named Linda Ann, was born on April 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schnitker,

of Union Star, Mo. Mrs. Schnitker, who was Ethelda Gross, was a member of the Class of '33.

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey August Lammers, Jr., of St. Charles, on April 29, has been named Ramsey August Lammers, III. His mother, who was Dorothy Keyes, was a member of the Class of '41.

Michael Vernon is the name of the son born on May 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mullen, of Billings, Mont. Mrs. Mullen, who was Mildred Deibler, was a member of the Class of '29. Michael has a brother Jerry, 12, and a sister, Patricia, 10.

A son, who has been named Gregori, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Yurii Lebedeff, of Metuchen, N. J., on April 1. His mother was Elice Holovtchiner, Class of '24.

Lieut. and Mrs. E. B. Nyquist, of 5225 Woodland Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, announce the birth of a daughter, Janet, on March 24. Mrs. Nyquist is remembered at Lindenwood at Janet Winnett.

Another future Lindenwood girl is Diana Lee, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bar Hoover, of 5130 N. Bernard Street, Chicago, Ill. Her mother was Mary Virginia Lay, Class of '41.

A son, who has been named Thomas Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Childress, of St. Charles, on May 5. Mrs. Childress, who was Alda Schierding, was a member of the Class of '34.

Another future Lindenwood student is Mary Kezia Carrothers, who was born on April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Omer L. Carrothers, of 401 Bellaire Place, Carthage, Mo. Her mother, who was Gertrude Webb, was a member of the Class of '28.

David McKim is the name chosen for the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Glenn, of 7739 Arthur Ave., Richmond Heights, Mo., on February 18. Mrs. Glenn, who was Jean Tiffany Thompson, was a member of the Class of '34.

## IN MEMORIAM

Lindenwood records with deep regret the death of one of its oldest alumnae, Mrs. Amanda C. Shrader, of Moberly, Mo., on April 24. Mrs. Shrader, who was 98, attended Lindenwood in the 1860s. For the last eight years she had made her home with her son, Dr. E. W. Shrader in Moberly. The Alumnae and faculty extend their sincere condolences to all the members of her family.