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## Betty Jack Littleton Is Pop Queen

### Students From Four Colleges Participate In Dating And Marriage Conference On Campus

By Birgit Johansson

Male students from four schools joined Lindenwood students for the conference on dating and marriage on February 24 and 25. About 50 guests from Rolla, Westminster, Parks and Washington U. attended the discussion; approximately 35 of them stayed at Ayres Hall overnight.

After invocation by the Rev. James R. Blackwood and greetings from Betty Jack Littleton there was a pair panel with Arno J. Haack, Dean of Students, Washington U., and Mrs. Thomas L. Croft, Department of Psychology, Lindenwood. They gave the background for the conference and there was also opportunity for questions from the students.

After lunch the big panel and open discussion entitled "Marriage As I See It" gave different views on marriage. The speakers were: Mr. Kenneth Teasdale, attorney, St. Louis; the Rev. G. Ernest Lynch, Trinity Episcopal Church, Hannibal Mo.; Dr. S. F. Beam, physician, St. Louis; Mr. Walter Beattie, Department of Sociology, Westminster College; Miss Elisabeth Watts, Lindenwood; Dr. Sigmund A. E. Betz, Lindenwood; Mrs. Walter A. Baumgarten Jr., and Dr. Franc L. McCluer.

#### Group Discussions

After a pause for cokes and coffee the participants of the conference went to different group discussions. Each student attended two of these meetings. The first hour the different subjects were: "Mixed Marriages," leader Rev. Rollyn K. Moseson, St. Louis; resource persons Mr. Elmer Hilpert,

Washington U., Dr. Eugene Conover, Lindenwood, and Miss Rachel Morris, Lindenwood; "In-laws," leader Dean Eunice C. Roberts; resource persons Mrs. Franc L. McCluer, Mrs. Sidney M. Studt, St. Louis, and Mr. John Middents; "Family Planning," leader Mrs. Arthur Stockstrom, St. Louis; resource persons Mrs. Walter A. Baumgarten, Jr., St. Louis, and the Rev. James R. Blackwood, St. Charles.

The next hour the three subjects were: "Money," leader Mrs. Robert Colson, St. Charles; resource persons Mrs. S. F. Beam, St. Louis, Mrs. Walter Houston, Lindenwood College, and Dr. John B. Moore, Lindenwood; "Working Wives," leader Mr. Robert Schmidt, Lindenwood; resource persons Mrs. Elmer Hilpert, St. Louis, Mrs. Charles Rea, St. Louis, and Miss Mary Lichtler, Lindenwood; "The War," leader Thomas L. Croft, St. Louis; resource persons Dr. S. F. Beam, St. Louis, and Mrs. John Middents, St. Charles.

To give all the participants an idea of what had been discussed in the different groups there were reports from each of them after dinner. One woman and one man student briefly told the main points. The "Mixed Marriage" group reported different opinions. Some thought it impossible to have a successful marriage between a Protestant and a Catholic; others said: Love conquers everything. The conclusion was that if possible the best thing is to avoid a mixed marriage. The discussion on in-laws agreed that the new married couple was best on its own, but it was possible to make adjustments and to take (Continued on Page 5)

### In The Spring A Young Maid's Fancy Lightly Turns To Housecleaning

By Marilee Darnall

Spring has sprung, the grass is riz, I wonder where the birdies is, oh well why worry about them, you couldn't see them through your dirty windows anyway. Has your housemother been hinting to you lately that spring is here? Well if so, she isn't really worrying about spring, it's your room that's getting her down. You think so what . . . it's looked this way since you moved in last fall so why let it get the best of you now. But wait a minute, you do have a guilty conscience about this mess you are hibernating in don't you, so you decide to do something about it.

To follow the customary procedure up come the rugs, and out the window they go, leaving behind them a trail of dust, cigarette butts, hairpins, clothespins, hat pins, safety pins and fraternity pins. My, but you're worn out after that, so you sit down and have a cigarette, and since you are preparing to mop

the floor why not just use it as an ash tray. But now back to work, —beds, dressers, desks and what have you are gently pushed out into the hall. Your floor doesn't look as bad as you thought it would, why bother to mop it, just get a wash cloth full of water and splash it around, then run the mop over the floor . . . There now, who would guess you didn't actually get down on your hands and knees and scrub it.

Now to get that furniture dusted and get it back into the room, just don't know what you will dust it with, used a sweater last year and it never did come clean. Ah, the shower curtains, they are a little big but will be better than using your hands.

After another two hours of such goings on, you have your room back in shape and looking like a million, but look the sun isn't shining anymore. Oh mercy yes it is,

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### Carol Greer Is First Maid Of Honor

There was a breathless pause, a polite craning of necks, and then—the spotlight revealed the Popularity Queen of 1951—Miss Betty Jack Littleton! Bee Gee was crowned as Queen of the Pop Court last Wednesday night in a setting of candlelight and palms in Ayres Hall.

Bee Gee was the last member of the court to enter. Applause and spotlight followed her up to the platform, where she took her place between the Maids of Honor, Jennifer Sullivan and Carol Greer.

Polly Allen as editor of the Linden Leaves was mistress of ceremonies, introducing each member of the court as they entered and began their long march down the aisle. The first to enter was "Grett" Bartenbach wearing a black taffeta and lace formal . . . she looked as though she did this sort of thing every day. Mel Bemis, giving the audience that broad grin that they all know so well, made her way between the tables next. She wore a brown velvet and lace formal and carried yellow carnations. Alice Mack, who must have been feeling quite uncomfortable in the role of a court member, was greeted by a roar of applause and even some shouting. Mack wore a strapless gown of red velvet and white net.

Helen Parks proceeded through the blinding spotlight at a record speed. She wore a filmy net formal of dusty rose. Joy Helwig in ivory satin trimmed with deep green velvet was poised and charming. She carried ivory and pink variegated carnations. Patricia Underwood wore a pale green satin and net dress. As president of the Senior Class, Pat carried off her

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### Grid Is Hot For Press Club Dinner

Campus politicians, pundits (learned members of the faculty to the ignorant) plutocrats and predatory females will face the sizzling gridiron tomorrow night at 6 o'clock in Ayres Dining Hall for the eighth annual Gridiron Dinner.

This year marks a break in tradition as a full three-act play will be presented for the first time at a Gridiron Dinner. All those faculty members and students fearless and brave enough to appear are most cordially invited to see themselves as others see them! It may be a shock and it may be a trifle exaggerated—but it's all in fun!

Jean Robb, president of Press Club, will be the roastmaster and Dr. Eugene Conover will give the invocation.

The members of the faculty have (Continued on page 3)

### Crawford Harris Named Counselor

Crawford Harris has been appointed as new admissions counselor for the midwestern territory. Mr. Harris has been at Lindenwood for a week familiarizing himself with the college and faculty. A conference for admissions counselors was held here February 28.

Mr. Harris will travel a midwestern territory but he will continue to make his home in Fulton, Mo.

### Sophomores Win Song Contest; Council Buys

Student Council members are already digging barbecue pits to accommodate the huge picnic they are planning for the Sophomores.

They find themselves wondering why the petite Senior Class couldn't have won the song contest instead of the hulking Sophomores that number almost seventy. Hot dogs for seventy . . . that's almost two days work!

### Seniors Take It On The Lam To Paint St. Louis Violent Vermillion

By Mary Lou Matthews

The 870,000 inhabitants of the village across the bridge steered themselves on February 22 for the biggest event of the year. Not exactly George Washington's birthday caused this concern. We must come back across the bridge to find the cause.

Dawn broke and 35 cherubs rose from their downy beds to prepare for the lost . . . er . . . long week-end. Warming up their cars after the fashion of the Shelton gang, getting ready for the take-off, the deadline was met. Upon arriving in the city the Seniors immediately composed a collect telegram for Dr. McCluer et al. It read:

"We're the seniors of Lindenwood college Who are tired of seeking for knowledge So we've gone away

To play and play And we can't see the woods for the foliage."

Several hours later, the Seniors received the following wire from the "Lindenwood Family": (collect) "We too are tired. Come back and teach us to play. Bring the foliage with you."

Thursday night the entire Senior Class had dinner with the class sponsors, Miss Margo Ver Kruzen and Douglas Hume, as guests. Thursday night also many of the Seniors invaded the American to see "Mister Roberts."

The rest of the week-end was spent in delving into the "cultural" aspects of the city. And it was a tired and strangely reluctant group that entered the gates of L.C. Sunday night. In fact, it was suggested that we contact our congressman to introduce a bill for a skip day once a month!

## 'Learn To Know People'

What is dating? According to a booklet given to foreign students entering schools in the United States and describing American customs, it is supposed to give opportunities to men and women to understand each other's interests and points of view. But—how much do we really learn about each other when we go to a dance or a movie, dressed up and trying to show just the best part of ourselves? Lindenwood acknowledged the seriousness in dating and marriage by arranging the marriage conference.

However, not even the outstanding speakers at the conference could give any real rules about how to be successful in marriage or how to prepare for it. There was one point that seems important to stress. Someone said: Learn to know people. This is something for girls who are not going to co-ed schools to remember. It is too easy for us to consider a man just as a date or a representative of the male species. But if we are associated with both men and women, young and old, and are interested in them, we will "learn about people" and it will be easier to make adjustments in later life.

## Austerity

During World War II, Winston Churchill had nothing to offer his people but blood, sweat and tears. The situation in the United States is not quite that bad yet, but in a recent speech, President Truman said that to keep the United States out of a similar situation, the American citizen will have to sacrifice and sacrifice a great deal. This speech didn't seem to affect the average Lindenwood student. She seems to think she is living in a little world of her own here on the campus, and what pertains to the outside world doesn't affect her one way or the other.

Maybe you haven't felt the pinch in your allowance yet; but your father has. His income tax this year is much higher, taxes on all purchases are higher, and in general his dollar is worth less. It is the duty of the Lindenwood student to realize this situation and to try to meet it by narrowing down her spending as much as possible. Would you rather have everything now, and blood, sweat and tears later, or save a little now and look forward to better times later?

## Hail The Sophomores

The Linden Bark staff wishes to congratulate the Sophomore Class on their winning the class song contest. That barbecue will taste grand, come spring.

However, the response of all the different classes to the contest was wonderful. The Bark staff, showing no preference, wishes to congratulate all four classes on the fine showing of class and school spirit. The music was grand, the words were fine, but it's too bad that we all couldn't get in on the food. Better luck some other time!

## Bark Barometer Of Campus Opinion

L.C. STUDENTS HAVE DEFINITE IDEAS ON HOW TO SNARE ELUSIVE MALES; BELIEVE GIRL SHOULD POP THE QUESTION IF BOY FRIEND IS BASHFUL.

The questions asked by your Bark Barometer this week were directly inspired by the Marriage Conference, held February 24.

The first question asked was: Should you marry a man smarter than you?

Ninety per cent of those interviewed said "yes," and the other 10 thought the couple should be equally intelligent.

The second question has to do with controlling the purse strings in the family. Do you think the man or woman should control the purse strings?

Eighty per cent wanted both to control the money, many offering

suggestions for a double checking account. The other 20 per cent were divided equally—having the man or the woman control the money.

The third question was: Should the girl propose if the man doesn't?

Most of the campus seems to feel that this is a man's job but the girl should give the necessary encouragement, or give the man a shove in the right direction. Among the outstanding answers received to this question were: "The girl should propose to the man if she feels she can support him!" And, "Yes, a girl should propose—if necessary!"

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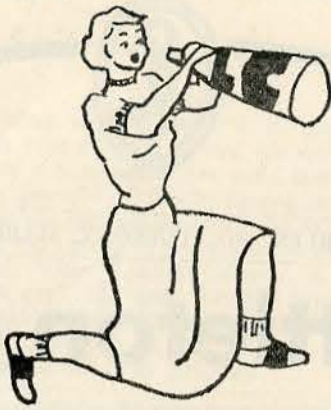
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## Elsie Says:



Elsie is just making big plans for the spring. There will be many things going on . . . In the first place she hopes that at least one of her pictures will have luck in the contest for Romeo. Then there is the Pop Court. But she might not have been nice enough to have a chance . . . The Gridiron Dinner is in the air and then pretty soon Easter is here. Coming so far in the calendar Elsie thinks she had better go back to her studies. For there are nine-weeks tests, and far away but yet soon, finals again. And if she wants to be able to enjoy the spring and its pleasure it sure isn't a good idea to save her studies until the last minute . . .

## OF ALL THINGS

By Kathryn Shaddock

Your humor columnist is having a hard time seeing any humor in anything. The Gridiron Dinner has just about taken all the humor out of everything. But here goes nothing!

Did you hear what happened in one of our classes a couple of days ago?

Prof: "You missed my class yesterday, didn't you?"

Student: "Not in the least, sir, not in the least."

Some friendly advice from The Kentucky Kernel:

You can cure your roommate from snoring by good advice, co-operation, kindness, and by stuffing an old shirt in her mouth.

"I shall illustrate what I have in mind," said one of our illustrious professors, as she erased the blackboard.

How's about some "Daffynitions?"

Political Berth: Something to sleep in.

College Bred: A four-year loaf made from the flavor of youth and the old man's dough.

Moron: That which in winter women wouldn't have as many colds if they put.

The following item was snagged from the Varsity News:

Nylon hose are made of coal, water, and air. When a girl gets a hole in her stocking, she doesn't know whether the coal is chipping, the water is leaking, or it's a blow-out of air.

A small boy was hurrying to school and as he hurried, he prayed. "Dear God, don't let me be late." Suddenly he stumbled and said, "You don't have to shove."

Policeman: "How did the accident happen?"

Motorist: "My wife fell asleep in the back seat."

A well-known French professor came to teach in an American university. When he plugged in the portable radio he had brought with him, his little girl, Charmaine, listened with amazement.

"Father," she cried, "listen how quickly the radio learned to speak English."

## ALL BARK AND NO BITE

By Mary Lou Matthews

While waiting for the next cold front to arrive, the campus and its inhabitants are both permeated with a kind of lethargic seasonal disease. A non-productive haze drifts over class-rooms and dorm-rooms alike and the only lacking evidence of spring is green leaves and grass and cotton dresses and vacation.

The second-biggest event of the Seniors' college career is past (the biggest being graduation) but Senior Skip "day" demands not to be forgotten. While never forgetting to conduct themselves in the manner of Lindenwood ladies, some of the experiences of the ladies were unfortunately unexpected. For instance: Corky Darnall relates that she swung her car around a busy St. Louis intersection, and who was the unsuspecting pedestrian who was almost her victim. None other than Dr. Franc L. McCluer! Talk about busmen's holidays!

It is the fervent prayer of the members of the Press Club that the student body gets as much of a bang out of seeing the Gridiron dinner as the Press Club has had in rehearsing for it. But remember: the Gridiron dinner's comments are never to be taken seriously. The presentation is more of a release of tension and authorized sarcasm than anything else.

With the WSSF drive here, and the auction just two days off, you have probably been approached concerning your contribution of time and money. For the benefit of those who may never have participated in the auction, here are some ideas: Last year four girls

offered to take four friends of the highest bidder to dinner in St. Louis and a show afterwards. The auctioneer states this prize, the audience bids to see who will get it. The highest bidder then chooses three others to go with her, they all split the price, and give the money to the WSSF.

Two other girls offered to serve breakfast in bed for two Saturdays. The highest bidders for this contribution swear it's the best way to spend money, for not only did they receive breakfast in bed, but they were helping WSSF, too!

Or you could offer to shine shoes, or clean someone's room for a week, and the wages you are paid, you donate to WSSF.

Can you remember (if you can take the time to remember) the good old days when the period from February to Spring vacation was a slack "season"? When we said, "Gee, it'll be good to get home to a round of parties and dates and general going. It'll be wonderful not to sit with nothing to do, and not be bored with inactivity?" Well, this year the general comment is: "Gee it'll be good to get home and COLLAPSE in the bosom of my family!" With the activities of February taking up every day except the 9th and the 12th, and March all filled except the 5th (according to the school calendar), no one can decide which is better . . . sleep and boredom, or productivity and mental paralysis? Because there seems to be no happy medium.

Congratulations to the members of the Pop Court for 1950-1951. It was one of the most beautiful courts we can remember, individuals and gowns included.

## Listening In

KCLC GETS NEW SPONSOR FOR SPORTS PROGRAM—STAFF HELPS RECORD LINDENWOOD'S DATING AND MARRIAGE.

Business is picking up . . . KCLC has a new sponsor! Sharlene Agerter, who clinched the sale, is KCLC's new sales manager, now that she's back from Washington. Our newest sponsor is the sporting goods shop on North Main St. in St. Charles. The show that they are taking over is the P. E. Department's program "Time Out." "Time Out" is a weekly feature on KCLC each Thursday at 8 p. m. So from now on if you want to know what the teams are doing as well as the best kind of bowling shoe to buy, take time out to listen to Pat Thomas and "Time Out For Sports."

During the Marriage Conference KCLC did a bit to help foster matches. A prepared panel on "Marriage and the War" led by Mr.

Croft was recorded at KCLC and copies were sent to ten commercial stations in the area.

KCLC, that's the organization that brought Lindenwood the Andrews Sisters . . . well it's also the organization that beats out its brains each night to bring you what we like to think is listening pleasure. Dust us off one night soon, will you?

Speaking of the Andrews Sisters . . . KCLC's public relations director is scanning the field of celebrities for someone whom you would all like to meet . . . It won't be Jerry Lewis or Doris Day, but we guarantee it will be someone who isn't tied down to a contract so that they can't perform.

## KCLC Presents

MONDAY

4:30 Picked Platter Parade  
5 Who's Who  
5:15 Dinner Music  
7 Starrey Eyed  
7:15 These Great Americans  
7:30 News  
7:45 Piano Play Time

TUESDAY

7 Picked Platter Parade  
7:30 Quiz Show  
8:00 Lighter Side of the News  
8:15 Party Line  
8:30 Show Time

WEDNESDAY

4:30 Picked Platter Parade  
5 After a Fashion  
5:15 Dinner Music  
7 Dramatically Yours  
7:30 Concert Gems

THURSDAY

7 Picked Platter Parade  
7:30 Let's Talk It Over  
8 Time Out  
8:15 Album of Success  
8:30 Concert

WEDNESDAY

4 King Arthur's Turntable  
4:45 Magazine Round Up  
5 Wendy Carson Show  
5:15 Dinner Music

## Know Your Clubs

*Future Teachers Of America Is Nationally And Locally Affiliated With Professional Groups*

Future Teachers of America is affiliated nationally with the National Education Association, a professional organization for teachers and educators, and locally with the Missouri State Teachers Association. The membership of F. T. A. includes young men and young women who plan to enter the teaching profession.

Lindenwood's own branch of this group, Sibley chapter, has about 30 members. To be eligible for membership, a student must be enrolled in at least one education class.



The officers of Sibley chapter of F. T. A. this year are: President, Kathryn Shaddock; vice president, Elizabeth Bates, secretary, Caroline England; treasurer, Virginia Ratcliff. The faculty sponsor of this group is Dr. Donn W. Hayes, Education Department supervisor.

At the December initiation meeting of this group, honor guests who administered the oath to the initiates were Paul Hutchings, principal of McKinley School in St. Charles, and Fred Burger, principal of the St. Charles Public High School.

On Thursday, March 8, at an F. T. A. meeting in the Library Club Room, Dr. Frank L. Wright, head of the Education Department at Washington University in St. Louis, and Mrs. Wright will be the honor guests. Dr. Wright who toured Europe this summer with Sherwood Eddy, will speak on "Educational Reconstruction in Europe," and he will illustrate his talk with colored slides which he took on his trip abroad.

Sibley chapter is also planning its annual spring tea which will be held late in April. This tea honors all the teachers in the St. Charles schools.

Tentative plans are being made concerning a joint conference with the F. T. A. chapter of Harris Teachers College in St. Louis. The conference will be held on the Lindenwood campus and will include group meetings, a dinner, and an informal dance for the club members and the guests.

### GRID IS HOT

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all been invited and former alumnae of the Press Club such as Lorraine Peck, '50, Mrs. Caroline Gillette, '46, Linda Blakey, '48, Jane Faust, '49 and Janet Brown, '48 will be out for the gala event.

Still unconfirmed as we go to press is the report that a sizzled rebuttal is being planned secretly by a rebel segment of the faculty led by S.A.E. Betz.

## Griffin To Be Off The Press Soon With Prize Stories

The spring issue of the Griffin will make its debut sometime in April. The Griffin is the literary magazine of the English Department which contains the best prose and poetry written by students and faculty during the current year, as well as articles written by former members.

The editor of this issue is Jane Ewing, a Sophomore from Nevada, Mo. Last year, Jane won the Sigma Tau Delta gold medal for outstanding literary work.

Patricia Thomas, a Sophomore from Traer, Iowa, is the business manager. Pat was also a winner of a Sigma Tau Delta prize last year.

The art editor is Delores Hawkins, a sophomore from Cabool, Mo., and a winner of the Nelly Don award for costume design.

Members of the staff are: Peggy Pennel, Laurie Bowman, and June DeWees. At present the staff is in the process of judging manuscripts and anyone who has not yet submitted her work should give it to the editor.

## Sherry Armijo Candidate For Flower Queen



Miss Sherrill Armijo will represent Lindenwood at the annual Flower Show to be held in St. Louis March 10-16. She was chosen by the Biology Department as a candidate to the Flower Court.

Each year colleges and universities in the surrounding area send candidates which make up the Flower Court. A queen is chosen from among these representatives and she is crowned on the final night of the Flower Show.

"Sherry," whose home is in Las Vegas, New Mex., will appear before the judges with other members of the court from the contending colleges on March 10. The winning candidate will be crowned March 16. On this night there will be a bus leaving from Lindenwood for all who wish to attend.

## Lindenwood Choir Takes Off Saturday On Its Annual Tour

About 35 Lindenwood girls will board the bus with suitcases galore Saturday morning, as they prepare to take off on the annual choir trip. They will return to the campus Tuesday evening, March 13, after having sung in Effingham, Springfield, Mattoon, and Paris, Ill., and in Terre Haute, Ind.

Accompanying the choir will be Milton F. Rehg, director, and Mrs. Betty Winter as chaperone.

Members of the choir are: Jane Allen, Elizabeth Bates, Rosemary Boles, Nancy Boergerhoff, Sheron

Brown, Barbara Burcham, Lavon Burton, Patricia Casey, Jean Callis, Marilyn Crow, Nell Culver, Barbara Ebeling, Patsy Fields, Ann Frazier, Pat Gleason, Delores Hawkins, Phyllis Heyssel, Ju Rhea Jensen, Rhea Kahre, Marcia Lazarus, Sue Null, Rita McGee, Avia Mueller, Betsy Nevins, Prudence Palmer, Mary Pickney, Virginia Ratcliff, Julia Richards, Winnie Ross, Sara Sahli, Eunice Shelley, Charlene Smith, Carolyn Smith, Beverly Stukenbrocker, and Suzanne Wessel.

## Students To See Austrian Exhibit

The Austrian masterpieces which now are on exhibit at the Art Museum in St. Louis have been the subject for two explanatory lectures at Lindenwood. Harry Hendren, instructor in the Art Department, gave an instructive explanation of some of the pieces and told the story behind the exhibit. The exhibit will continue to April 22. Several groups will be organized at Lindenwood for trips to the museum during this time.

### BETTY JACK LITTLETON

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part in the court as beautifully as she planned Skip Day.

The last four members of the court to enter were Marty Reid, Nancy Starzl, Carol Romann, and Sarah Hilliard. Marty wore a light green satin dress . . . and although courts are nothing new to Marty she was as excited as the rest. Sarah Hilliard highlighted her dark complexion with a smooth black formal trimmed in embroidered white daisies. Carol Romann, regal as always, wore a pure white satin and net gown and carried brilliant red carnations. Nancy Starzl, on the court for a second time, wore black set off by the vermilion flowers she carried.

The Second Maid of Honor, Jennifer Sullivan, tripped up the aisle in a full-skirted dress of pale aqua. She carried a spray of yellow carnations. Jinny is vice president of the Student Council, an active member of the Triangle Club, Poetry Society, and Alpha Sigma Tau.

The First Maid of Honor was Carol Greer. She wore a gray taffeta formal trimmed in orchid satin. Her flowers were orchid tinted carnations mixed with deep white carnations.

All eyes turned to the door as the Queen entered. "Bee Gee" walked slowly toward the platform amid cheers that crowned her one of the finest Student Body presidents. She was given the crown by Carol Greer and the Pop Court dinner was over except for the congratulations and the shouting.

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## Jean Lou Has Print On Exhibit At Artist Guild Show

Miss Jean Lou, an art student at Lindenwood, has one of her prints selected for exhibition in the St. Louis Artists' Guild exhibition for artists 25 years old and younger. Out of 157 entries, Jean's was one of the 55 accepted for exhibition.

The Art Department of Lindenwood is sponsoring Saturday morning art classes for the children of the community. Mr. Middents of the art faculty is supervising student teachers Martha Reid, Carolyn Furnish and Beverly Pannell, who are teaching the children. These girls are planning to take public school teaching positions after graduation and are receiving valuable experience in working with the group of children.

## Alice Walthall Is St. Pat Queen



Miss Alice Walthall, a Sophomore at Lindenwood, has been chosen to reign as queen at the St. Patrick's Day festival at Rolla School of Mines in Rolla, Mo., on March 17. Alice is from Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

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## The Campus Hall of Fame



The occupant of the Hall of Fame this issue is Sarah Hilliard, a Senior from Miami, Okla. Sarah's cheerful smile and winning personality have made her one of the greatest assets on the Lindenwood campus. Besides her adventures in practice teaching, Sarah is kept busy with her job of being secretary of the Student Council. She is a member of Future Teachers of America, Pi Alpha Mu, and maintains a high scholastic average. Another thing that keeps her pretty busy is Lou (they plan to be married this summer). Welcome to the Hall of Fame, Sarah!

## STRAND

Tues.-Wed. Mar. 6-7

Eleanor Parker in THREE SECRETS with Patricia Neal Ruth Roman

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat. Mar. 8-9-10

Two Features Maureen O'Hara John Payne in TRIPOLI

Also Penny Singleton in BEWARE OF BLONDIE with Arthur Lake

Sun.-Mon. Mar. 11-12

Donald O'Connor in THE MILKMAN with Jimmy Durante

Tues.-Wed. Mar. 13-14

Jane Wyman in THE GLASS MENAGERIE with Kirk Douglas

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat. Mar. 15-16-17

Two Features Dick Powell in MRS. MIKE with Evelyn Keyes Gene Autry in RIDERS OF THE SKY Also Walt Disney's BEAVER SANITARY

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**THEM WE**  
**BUILD LET**  
**WE THEM**  
**SHALL DOWN**

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## The Linden Leaves Are Whispering

Carol Greer

Sunshine on the water looks so warm and clear,  
We need no Dr. Betz to tell us Spring is near.  
The Gridiron's going to cause a huge sensation  
We want a school without any administration!  
The Marriage Conference makes us wonder  
If mating isn't just a blunder.  
What with WSSF, parties, games and fun  
There's no time to get work done . . .  
Skip day was fun, but that's over now,  
All that's left is to plow . . . plow . . . plow

The marriage conference did one thing  
It made a couple of girls' hearts to sing  
Seems as though quite a few  
Found a fellow to see them through.  
What they didn't learn in meetings  
Was picked up later in good night greetings.  
All greetings's tears and fears  
Can be fixed up by several beers.

I've just heard that Katherine Hayes  
Has a pin that she displays.  
There's nothing like a fraternity pin  
To show the state of love you're in.

Rumor has it that the glowing faces  
Are not from love or happy chases.  
There's no doubt that their blushing skin  
Is not from embarrassment or too much gin.  
It's the product of an electrical sun  
They'll be Florida specials before they're done.

### IN THE SPRING A YOUNG

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I just forgot to wash the windows.  
So in comes a pail of water and down go the shower curtains again.  
When you have finished you feel like a new person, and now it's time for your suite mate to come barging in, exclaiming, oh we're having a party tonight and since your room is so clean, let's have it in here. Next morning you wake up once again, wade through cigarette butts, stumble over coke bottles and manage to get dressed for class.

The truth told by an unsuspecting student who wasn't such a good speller:  
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## La Mode For Spring Dictates Feminine Furbelows, Madame Helene Lyolene Predicts

By Jean Robb

"The styles will be feminine from now on, with the war in the air," predicted Mme. Helene Lyolene, internationally known couturier and visiting style consultant at Lindenwood. "When men are together in a group," she added, "they want to see a real woman."  
In predicting the fashions for spring, Mme. Lyolene stated she thought the most important colors would be honey tones from champagne to toast. She forecasts that startling contrast colors of black and white, and navy and white will still be good.  
The skirt length, Mme. Lyolene

said, will be completely up to the individual. "The skirt should stop at the thick part of the calf, so the leg looks slim," she added, "and each person should adjust her skirts to the proper length." She feels that short girls often make a bad mistake by thinking they will create the illusion of height by lengthening their skirts, when they should be adjusted at the proper calf level.  
"Full skirts will be as good as the slim ones, and there will probably be more full skirts in the date dresses this year." Mme. Lyolene added that she was against the slit skirt. In Paris, she said, they al-

ways overlap the skirt to form a pocket that will not kick out or tear when one walks.  
"Because of the importance of scarves and stoles this year, I think the cardigan neckline will be important," she said. "Also the double-breasted look."  
Mme. Lyolene predicts that the coat dresses with side buttoning will be most fashionable, and added that all spring clothes will look well with the very popular and feminine chignon hair style.  
So girls, for that "ou la la" look, heed the madame's predictions when you go shopping for your spring wardrobe.

### STUDENTS FROM FOUR

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advice from parents. In the "Family Planning" discussion the historical background of birth control was given. It was stressed that these new medical achievements are aimed to help parents to space their children and to make adjustments to health and the economic situation. From the "Money" group it was reported that cooperation and planning together were considered important; each family should have a budget. On the question about "Working Wives" no real objections had been heard but all considered the family more important than a career; if the wife wanted a career there had to be an agreement about it between the wife and husband. In the discussion of the war and its meaning for marriage it was stressed that nobody should get married just because of the war. But if the two partners were mature for marriage they should not fear to go ahead and get married.

Dr. Franc L. McCluer finished the formal discussions of the conference. Afterwards there was a square dance in Butler Gym.  
Sunday morning a service was held in Roemer Auditorium with Rev. Charles D. Kean, rector Grace Episcopal Church, Kirkwood, Mo., as speaker.

### Madame Lyolene



Madame Helene Lyolene, internationally known couturier and visiting style consultant at Lindenwood from Kansas City, where she is a designer at the Donnelly Dress Co., makers of Nelly Don dresses.

### Nothing To Do?

It seems that many L.C. students thought that second semester was going to be a breeze—they'd go flying through with plenty of time to play. Disillusionment is a hard thing to take but, it's come; they've discovered that there's always plenty to do. Here's what Beth Blue of Berne, Ind., has to say on the subject:  
Wearily I slump down in my chair  
At the end of a rainy day,  
My mind a ruttled thoroughfare  
For thoughts in dull array.  
While papers that my desk bestrew  
Make it plain to see  
I don't run out of things to do—  
I just run out of me.

## Poetry Society Has As Guest Prof. Clyde Tull

The Poetry Society of Lindenwood, under the direction of Dr. Elizabeth Dawson, had as its guest and speaker last week Professor Clyde Tull. Professor Tull is the former head of the English Department at Cornell College at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, and is now retired. Dr. Dawson was a student of his.  
For years interested in promoting young poets and encouraging them to publish their work, Professor Tull is the editor of the "Husk," the Cornell quarterly publication of poetry. Contributors to the "Husk" are not necessarily students at Cornell. Betty Jack Littleton, a Senior at Lindenwood, has appeared in the magazine several times. Professor Tull's associate on the "Husk" is Miss Betty Isaacs, formerly on the Lindenwood faculty, and now on the faculty at Cornell. Professor Tull also publishes "chap books" of poetry by high school students.  
In a meeting of the Poetry Society last Wednesday night, Professor Tull criticized poetry submitted by the members of the club, and read some poetry by his wife, a well-known poet who has appeared in several anthologies and national magazines.  
A tea and reception was held for Professor Tull in the Library Club Rooms Thursday afternoon by the members of the Poetry Society.

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### Sports 'n Skirts

By Jean Robb

The L.C. basketball team has played five games—winning the Monticello game and losing to Maryville, Webster, and Harris by close margins.

There will be five more games played, two each week and one on Saturday. So, there's still time to get out and cheer for the team.

Basketball intramurals have been delayed until after Spring vacation because of the heavy game schedule. But that doesn't mean you can't start getting your practice hours in.

Terrapin has been practicing for the annual water pageant to be held sometime in April. The theme is a secret, so a surprise will be in store for all!

### L.C. Models To Be In Fashion Show

Several girls from the Home Economics Department at Lindenwood will model in the Lindenwood College Evening Club fashion show and tea to be held Saturday in St. Louis and the proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Scholarship Fund. The fashion show will be presented by William H. Stamm.

The loveliest of spring and summer fashions from leading New York designers will be modeled. Mr. Stamm, especially talented as a hat designer, will show several of his hats with the costumes.

Mrs. Grace Gordon Hay of St. Louis is in charge of arrangements for the show.

Ruth Beutler, Joyce Fleet, Alice Mack and Shirley Falls will go in to Washington U. on March 10 to take their Practical Basketball ratings.

### Music Recital By Students

Three students of the Music Department presented a piano recital in Roemer Auditorium February 27.

Beverly Trescott played Mendelssohn's Concerto in D Minor. Barbara Sutton presented Haydn's Concerto in D Major. Orchestral parts were played on a second piano by Avis Muller and Carolyn Furnish.

Monika Deinhardt played the Concerto No. 3 in C Minor by Beethoven. Orchestral parts in this selection were played on second piano by Dr. John Thomas.

### Delta Theta Gives Music Recital

A recital by members of Delta Theta was given at Lindenwood February 20. The program included solos in piano by Avis Muller, voice by Sue Ann Null, organ by Emily Terry, piano by Suzanne Wessel and violin by Bonnie Gay Rowe. The vocal ensemble includes Beverly Stukenbroeker, Barbara Burcham, Virginia Ratcliff, Barbara Sutton, Caroline England, and Carol Roman, with Carolyn Furnish as accompanist.

When a teacher asked her sixth-graders to name words beginning with the prefix "semi," here are the answers she received: Semi-sweet, semi-colon, cemetery.

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