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Romeo, Oh  
Where Art  
Thou Romeo?

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## "Brief Music" Satirizes College Life



This scene is taken from the hit play, "Brief Music," presented at Lindenwood on December 9 and 10. It was presented again at the Little Theater in St. Louis on January 14, for a crowd of 200. The St. Louis performance was under the sponsorship of the Lindenwood Alumnae Club there. From left to right the girls are Folsta Bailey, Suzanne Campbell, Fritzie Ballard, Jeanne Gross, Dorothy Frye, Jo Ann Cox, and Eve Carpenter.

## Operation Exams Launches Blitzkrieg On Campus But Lighter Moments In View

Operation Exams began yesterday at 8 a. m. Monday was a deep gloomy blue thought to be black by some. The early hour mentioned is traditional for executions, and marked the beginning of first-semester examinations. These will continue through the week, ending at noon Friday.

Exam schedules have been posted on the bulletin board across from the Dean's office, and in the dorms. Gnashing of teeth and tearing of hair have become a matter of course as many students discover "that last exam" is scheduled at the same time that their plane leaves.

Relaxation and recreation are among the lighter events scheduled

during exam week as usual. Miss Leah Mae Williams is in charge of this program.

Robert C. Colson has announced that students should have started signing class cards yesterday, January 24, through 26, from 1 to 4 in the afternoon. The new semester will begin January 31.

One new course has been announced that was not scheduled at the beginning of the year. "Crime and Delinquency" will be offered by the Sociology Department.

Mr. Motley's office reports that approximately six or eight new students and those now attending the Washington semester are to be here January 31.

## Ole Man Winter Slips Silently In As L.C. Students Slip Off To Classes

"Lousy weather we're having" is rapidly replacing the time-worn greetings of "Good morning" and "Nice weather" around campus. Moreover, letters from the deep south to the frozen north extolling "pure April weather" and fishing trips only intensify the conviction that perhaps home is where the heart is, after all. And some of these little southern gals had never even seen snow fall before y'all.

Yep, it looks like a long, hard winter. Snow and ice cover all and the terra is not any firma for it.

Mr. Harry P. Ordelheide, superintendent of grounds, however, was

prepared to meet any emergencies that might have arisen as a result of what is said to be the worse ice storm of its kind in this area in several years. The staff was alerted, preparations were made to stoke the furnaces by hand, and lanterns were furnaces up for use in the event that the electricity failed. If this had happened, we would have been without heat, water, lights, or a way of preparing food, for all this is electrically run.

Little damage is reported to the trees. Mr. Ordelheide says that the limbs broken by the sleet were for the most part ones already decayed.

## Men, Men! Who Will Be Our Romeo?

Wherefore art thou, Romeo? Just two more days before the contest is closed and still not half enough Romeos! But! You've still got two days to do your duty and turn in that picture sitting on your desk, your bulletin board, or just anywhere. The Linden Bark would hate to see someone miss a chance of being Romeo.

Last year's winner in the Romeo contest was a very cute entry of Carol Brower's. His name is Fred McCollum and he definitely deserved the title of Romeo. The other winners in the contest last year were also the kind that you want to look at more than just once.

Last year saw a great turnout of Romeos, and some "mighty fine" winners. Let us do it again this year, everybody, and even have some cuter winners than we did last year.

Remember the winners are not only selected for a Romeo, but also as the most marriageable, the most athletic, the most intellectual, and the most kissable.

So! Come one and all. Don't take a chance of missing out on the winner. Enter your Romeo, NOW!

## Contract Let For New Dormitory To Be Erected On West Side Of Campus

### Religious Emphasis Week To Be Feb. 6-10

"One World, One God" is the theme to be stressed by Dr. Sweacey, member of the Board of Foreign Missions, and principal speaker at Lindenwood's Religious Emphasis Week, February 6-10.

The main convocation will be held in Roemer Auditorium and there will be informal meetings in the dormitories. Student conferences can be arranged with Dr. Sweacey and they will be held in Ayres' small parlor.

Chairman for the Religious Emphasis Week is Nancy Bailey and the students on the Organization Board are Dolores Thomas, Marjorie Marcellus, Laurie Bowman, Marsha Fisher, Eloise Batts.

### Sales Completed For 1949 Linden Leaves

Annual sales were completed January 20, with members of the Linden Leaves staff receiving payment on first floor Roemer. It will be remembered that one dollar toward payment for the annuals was included in the price of pictures taken by Bizelli for the yearbook during the fall. The price of the annuals this year is \$6.00. There were approximately 400 sold.

## Once Upon A Midnight Dreary A Student Studied Weak And Weary

By Betty Joy Haas

There are only three occasions when an L. C. girl is likely to refuse a date; (1) she's sick, (2) she's pinned and true blue, or (3) final exams.

This third, and most crucial state of affairs, is about to descend upon us with the force and fury of a block-buster, (No pun intended). Exam time—a state of perpetual motion in which you attempt to integrate so much "bla," and cram it neatly in the newly-created crevices of the frontal lobe. This gray matter should be kept fresh, and be made available during a one or two hour period from January 24 to the 28th.

It usually runs something like this—

There are the neurons coming out of the huddle. The center, Cerebral Cortex, is calling the signals. Den Drite does a deceptive man in motion play behind the line. There it is Ladies and Gentlemen, a hard hitting line drive, but End doesn't meet Brush, so the play is foiled. It has been like this all day, the field is muddy and in bad shape. There is only one thing we can really count on—the unconstant variable—"I don't know!"

Then there's the case of mistaken

### Building To Be Ready When School Opens Next Year

Contracts have been let for the building of a new dormitory. This building will be erected between Niccolls Hall and Irwin Hall on the west side of the campus. No name has yet been selected.

Date for completion of the building has been set for September 15, 1949, in time for the opening of school next fall. The cost is estimated from \$250,000 to \$300,000. There will be three stories and a ground floor.

Tentative plans have been made to have a sandwich room for campus use located on the ground floor. Other rooms will be a large recreation room, kitchen, game rooms, an outside terrace, and offices.

Forty-two bedrooms arranged in suites with connecting bathrooms will fill the upper floors. There will also be a large sun deck over the living room on the west side of the building.

Land for the new dorm was secured by an exchange of ground with the city of St. Charles.

This new dormitory is a part of the college expansion program.

Editor Jane Foust reports that work is coming along satisfactorily on the yearbook and that the students will receive their annuals in the early part of May.



## Concerning You And Many Things

Someone once said that you can take the smallest of incidents and make a great manuscript. Perhaps this is true, but in the endeavor to find out, I will choose the smallest of frequent happenings and attempt to procure your interest.

If the expression will be not overlooked, but pardoned, perhaps the results of these words (in black and white) will be blessed by fate, for at the time of writing, the smallest subject is YOU. You the reader are the topic of much discussion and you the reader are the cause of much dissatisfaction. Yet unless you the reader will maintain an open mind, the ball will not hit home.

Did you ever stop to think that we grow tired of listening to your grave troubles? Did you ever stop to think that we have a few of our own and did you ever stop to think that all in all, we're simply sick of your lack of that stuff some call "School Spirit?" Oh, you're in love, you're far from home, you'll never pass your finals, you're sick of this place, the food is horrid, St. Charles weather isn't what you prefer, too much homework, nothing to do but scream in the halls, you've got family troubles, you're tired of looking at just girls; why you poor kid (and it not only sounds sarcastic but is.) Personally we don't care to hear of your misfortune, so why not hide in the closet until you feel a bit better, then come out when the storm's blown over.

This world is made up of individuals, true, but as far as some individuals hearing others' grievous tales of woe, well "Life's too short." "Take it back to the Indians" and from you, we request a smile or two. Would you say we expect too much of little you? Oh, and since you're a college woman, persuade yourself that not only must you grow in mind (through books,) but likewise in character (through living.)

## The State Of The Union

How do you feel about admitting a new state to the Union? President Truman included the blueprints of this 49th state in his traditional "State of the Union" message. However, it differs in its organization from old-fashioned California, Iowa, or Missouri. Doctor bills will eventually be on the house, money will give way to the barter system, millions will go for tribute and not one cent for the defense of the individual. It doesn't sound exactly Jeffersonian, does it?

Girls who complain about the discreet faculty interference and control should be vitally interested in President Truman's new "State of the Union."

The new national budget will be inflated, to say nothing of the private individual's personal budget. Truman asked Congress to raise \$5,960,000,000 of additional taxes through new and HIGHER levies on corporations and INDIVIDUALS. Mr. Truman said in his budget message that the funds would be required to prevent a deficit to pay off national debt and to pay for expanded social security and health program.

We were born into a union of forty-eight states. Let's keep them that way; and in doing so, we will be preserving the individual liberty that FREE peoples have dreamed, fought, and worked for, for their children.

## Hello, Second Semester

With the new semester classes beginning January 31 we come to the realization that half of this school year has gone by. Looking back over the past months we think to ourselves, "I wonder how I ever passed." and "gee, time sure flies past fast." Now is the time to test our New Year's resolutions and good intentions. Remember, good studying makes for good grades.

Let's start the New Year right!!

## Honor System—To Be Or Not To Be

When the honor system was first introduced, L. C.-ites were most enthusiastic. There are still those who recognize the benefits of this system of campus government. What exactly are these benefits?

It may as well be stated in the beginning that our new method of self-government will not be a state of anarchy. There will be laws, but they will be such as we make ourselves, out of real need, and not for pure disciplinary purposes.

This will of necessity put the burden of enforcement on the shoulders of every girl on this campus. The Student Council, too long hampered by its duties of police nature, will be able to devote more time to really constructive activities.

Finally, we come to the point of honor, the real core of the matter. Is it desirable for a college woman to be her own keeper as well as her sister's? Are we not mature enough to see the advantages in avowing our dislike of cheating, disturbance, and submission to law because of the punishment?

All these things we must ask ourselves honestly. If the answer is yes, it must be said vigorously, with the intent of being heard.

You will soon be asked to choose between the present system and honor government. Choose well, for your decision will affect all of us.

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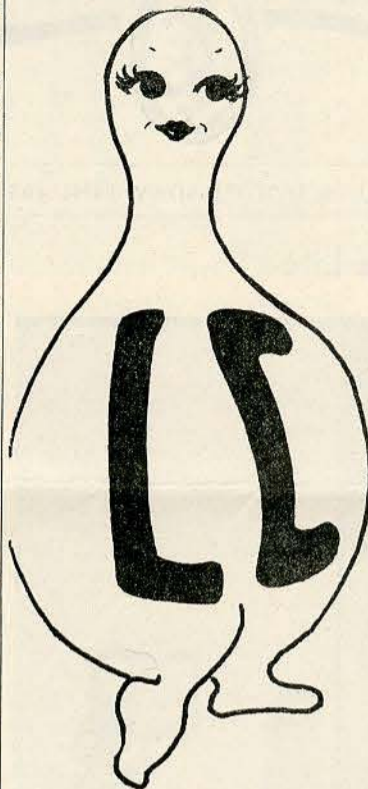
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## Schmoo's Schmoothies



With the thought of final exams pulling the corners of your mouth down, I am reminded of previous years fraught with burning the midnight oil. Cramming may pull you through, but with what anguish of mind? Take it from a Schmoo who knows, there's also inflation in the price of oil.

Searching for our campus romeo should be quite a hunt. Judging from the smoothies this Susie has seen, there are reproductions of gorgeous hunks of male pulchritude on L. C. campus. Get busy and enter those pictures! After all, who among you wouldn't love to have a glamorous movie star drooling over your very own property?

## THE SOAP BOX

To the Editor:

It is my opinion that our dances can be more fun with just a little change and variety. Every dance has a different theme and has different decorations but the dances on the whole are all alike. Quite a few of the girls have blind dates and I know that all the girls or fellows haven't the "gift of conversation" to entertain their dates with all evening.

Why not try to break the ice and liven things up at these dances by trying to get as many people as possible acquainted? I know you can't get all the people acquainted and as usual there are a few who are uncooperative but on the whole I believe the students will really go for something different.

Why not a grand march at the beginning of the dance and then have program dances? It's a great way to mix and meet new people and have a grand time. If all the girls here at school cooperate, I'm pretty sure the fellows will follow because most of the men at our dances belong to some social fraternity where they are used to doing things that promote more fun and enlivening a dance.

Come on students, let's get on the bandwagon for better dances and more fun!

R. H. K.

## "Brief Music" Given In St. Louis

"Brief Music" has proved to be quite a success! Remember how much we here at L. C. liked it when it was presented on campus before the Christmas holidays? It seems that we weren't the only ones who shared this opinion. The cast was asked to present it again at the St. Louis Little Theatre and did so on Friday evening, January 14.



By Sally Joy

LOST—Several night sleep, a pleasant disposition, love of college life, and three hours credit! Anyone finding these items please return them to Lindenwood student body!

That's right, exams. But since you know this is exam week, and I know this is exam week, there's little need to carry on such a gloomy one-sided conversation. Just a word of cheer to the Freshmen: Look around you at the upperclassmen, and remember they passed the same exams you're now struggling over. So there's still hope—huh? And nuff said.

Ran into "Pop" the other day and, like many others have done, started razzing him about The Lake. The renowned Lindenwood Lake (alas, as yet it has no name) would be the garden spot of St. Charles except for one minor difficulty—there's no water in it. But as I laughingly joked about it, Pop's big blue eyes (or are they brown?) looked sadly into mine and this is the tale he told.

One day last fall, after weeks of digging, the lake bed was filled with water. The following morning Pop sleepily rubbed his eyes, then looked for his lake, but it had disappeared, leaving no traces except for a large muddy hole. He was confident that one million gallons of water couldn't swim away during the night, so a hurried investigation ensued, resulting in the discovery of a spring in the bottom of the lake bed. This temperamental spring, however, instead of adding its water to that put into the lake bed, merely served as a drain! Seems that's the state of affairs right now, but there are engineers looking into the situation and before long Pop hopes to find a way to force the spring water into the lake bed and also keep the lake water from escaping into the spring. When it's finished

we'll have a grand lake, one acre large, complete with a log cabin built on the shore. One end of The Lake will be 14 feet deep, which means plenty of room for swimming and boating, and of course it will be well stocked with fish for the benefit of everyone who loves rods and reels. I'm sorry, Pop, and now that I understand the situation, a coke toast to The Lake!

Halleluiah Department—Already January has slipped by without one night convo being held! Dozens of roses and a couple orchids to whoever is responsible, and many thanks for remembering that the weeks before exams are mighty busy ones. Congratulations to the Nicolls gals for subduing the favored Butler team and walking off with the Volleyball Intramural championship. Looks like the race for the Intramural Plaque is going to be a hot one.

With a mere 29 special issue or "commemorating" stamps being issued last year by the United States Post Office, the Lindenwood P. O. slipped up by dealing out only 16 of these government stickers. With envelopes formerly plastered in petal pink, bold blue, and daring yellow, it's certainly novel to once again see that plain ole' purple and white stamp in the upper right hand corner.

Course it was nice to have one printed just for L. C. gals—you remember—the one picturing Will Rogers with the following quote on it, "I never met a man I didn't like."

The first semester's over now and what's happened to:—Senior Skip Day?—the fire drills that were predicted at the beginning of the year?—participants for "Ply'ke and Win?" (7:00 every Monday night at KCLC!)—Everyone's New Year's resolutions about studying?

## Fashions To Be Presented At Dinner Hour

Outstanding creations of the French design class will be presented to the student body in a style show during the dinner hour on January 31. Girls in Madame Helene Lyolene's classes will model their own creations, which are all original designs.

Casual sport clothes, evening dresses, day and afternoon dresses, and lounging clothes will be shown. Unusual among the collection is an evening dress which will be modeled by Shirley Hair. This dress has a skirt of upholstery material in beige and pale yellow. The matching beige blouse gives the dress an air of extreme delicacy. This heavy skirt hangs in folds as soft as that of crepe and gives a fine illusion of slimmness.

Another outstanding creation which will be modeled is a black lace dress which has been sewn completely by hand.

Joan Reed will act as commentator. Ann Parker is in charge of the lighting.

The performance was sponsored by the St. Louis Lindenwood College Afternoon Club and the St. Louis Lindenwood College Evening Club. The same cast that presented it previously was in the second performance. This includes Jeanne Gross, Folsta Bailey, Suzanne Campbell, Eve Carpenter, Joanne Cox, Audrey Ballard, and Dorothy Frye. The stage hands, who heretofore have been forgotten, deserve a note for their outstanding part in this. Carol Greer, stage manager, and other members of the staff,

## Auction For W. S. S. F. Drive Raises \$927

The Student Christian Association sponsored by an auction for the World Student Service Fund January 13 in the auditorium. The drive is a part of a world-wide work by the students of America for students of foreign countries. The totals so far collected are \$927.75.

Attraction of the auction was an original Parisian dress designed and draped by Madame Lyolene and made by Dolores Thomas and was bought for \$90 by Marion Shelton. A bike hike and steak fry were bought by Suzie Martin, JoAnn O'Flynn, Betty Bishop and Eloise Macy for \$60. Dinner and play on the Showboat were bought by Joey Choisser for \$65. Snack for six by Joan Cargill for \$60. Dinner with President McCluer was bought by Sandra Dieker for \$60. Mayor of St. Charles for one day was bought by Evelyn Yoffie for \$39.

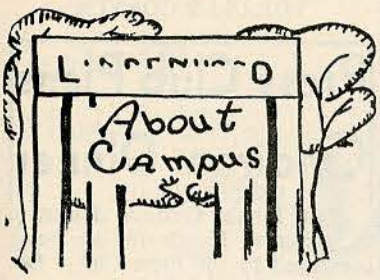
Although some of the money will be sent to the national headquarters some will also be used for a scholarship for a foreign student at Lindenwood next year. Miss Roberta Walters was chairman for the drive.

Jean Meyerhoff, Helen Parks, Ann Parker, and Mollie Carr. Another note of appreciation goes to Mr. Robert Hume, director, for the fine job he did in "Brief Music."

Flattery is telling the other girl what she thinks of herself.

Good old days: The time when gals dressed true to form.





By Nancy Bailey

"Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow," "Gee, I hope the lights go out," and "I've never seen anything so gorgeous as all this ice on the trees" are a few of the profound remarks which floated and froze around campus last week. Concerning the first, it did and enough on the golf course to maim several parts of the anatomy while speeding down on a board with two runners. Musn't take the fun out of it though, because it was worth all the limps. This snow even brought out the snipes (someone told me—being most gullible) and provided many a merry chase through the woods with a gunnysack for a companion. They must be cute lil creatures with emphasis on the "lil." Hoping the lights would go out for a long time led to bloodshed in many classes when excitement ran too high at the prospect of not studying or having class, to suit certain of the faculty, who promptly retorted, "You all flunk for that and a couple of lashes to each of you." A small exaggeration there but the main principle was brought out. Let us be coy about this and stay on the good side.

Nuff has been said concerning the two- and one-hour frolics this week but all who have been here before and perhaps all by now know that even the "Torture Period" has its lighter moments, you know when you get to the point of laughing hysterically at nothing.

It's cheers to all of us for this week. I'll see you in the graveyard minus my brains.

"Talk is cheap but not over long distance."

### Campus Speaker



Archibald MacLeish, who will speak here January 31, is a distinguished statesman and poet from Illinois. Throughout his life he has written poetry and essays and received word-wide recognition. He recently resigned as United States representative on the executive board of UNESCO.

### Outstanding Speakers To Appear In February

Archibald MacLeish, Dr. George Sweazey and Dr. Harry Schaer are three of the outstanding guest speakers scheduled to speak at Lindenwood in the next two months. Harry Farbman and Edith Schiller of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra will appear here during February.

Mr. MacLeish, Pulitzer Prize winning author and former Assistant Secretary of State, will speak January 31. He was born in Glencoe, Ill., in 1892 and is of Scottish parentage. He was active in school athletics and was also an outstanding scholar, earning a Phi Beta Kappa key. He studied law at Harvard and served with the field artillery during World War I. He has worked with the government as Librarian of Congress and Assistant Secretary of State. He has also worked with UNESCO. His prize-winning essays and poems have made him famous throughout the world.

### THE LINDEN LEAVES ARE WHISPERING

By Dot Steiner

Well I'll try, but there is so much gossip around here, besides the griping, that all my efforts to get everyone in may be futile. At any rate, here we are back from vacation and just between us girls, I don't like the idea either. Make the most of time and before you know it, spring term will be here and those sunbaths are divine.

To start the ball rolling, I'll mention a few engagements. Oh how single can one be? Congratulations to Nancy Starzl. Nancy is wearing a beautiful ring, looks too happy and plans to get married sometime next summer. We wish you great happiness, Nancy.

All of you have heard the wonderful news about Mary Marlin. It won't be so wonderful seeing Mary leave in February, but of course, the U. of Arkansas (with a husband) sounds mighty fine. All the happiness in the world to you, Mary—and to him.

Another gal hears the wedding bells, and her name is Marian Hall. I've met her husband to be and I can see why she's doing what she is. We'll miss you, Hall, but here's a toast to a wonderful and beautiful marriage.

Aha, so I find that Mac McCors-tin is also engaged and will be married, possibly in June. Good gal, Mac, we're proud of you. Tuffy is a cutie so you're in the clear. Lots of luck to both of you.

Joan Kircherr is really in a fix. After a visit with Margie Eagleson this Xmas, Joan's heart changed its mind. You see, Margie has a darling brother so you see that—Two and two make four and Joan now has a class ring on her finger and a happy glow from ear to ear. Nice going.

## Annual Radio Conference And Community Leadership Meeting To Be Held In April

April 29 has been announced as the date of Lindenwood's third Annual Radio Conference and first Community Leadership Conference. Programs for the two conferences will be run simultaneously with several joint meetings being held.

Tentative program for the Radio Conference includes a demonstration by a prominent producer of rehearsing and presenting a dramatic production over the air, discussion groups on careers in radio, demonstrations of radio techniques over the campus radio station, KCLC, and a speech by a leading figure in radio. Both Wayne Coy, chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, and Judith Waller, educational-director for the Central Division of the National Broadcasters, have been invited as speakers. The radio conference is under the direction of Miss Martha May Boyer, head of the Radio Department.

Tentative program for the Community Leadership Conference has not been announced. Paul Greer, state editor of the Post-Dispatch, is arranging the schedule.

The various sessions of both conferences are open to all interested listeners. Colleges, universities and high schools in the St. Louis area will send student and faculty representatives from their Radio and Sociology Departments. The meetings are planned to stimulate interest in radio and the community as well as strengthen Lindenwood's ties with other institutions.

### Faculty To Be Guests Of Home Ec. Dept. At Spring Breakfast

Breakfast will be served Sunday morning, February 27, to the Home Economics Club members and honor guests to welcome in the spring semester. The Library Club Room will be the scene of this annual event sponsored by the club.

Honor guests will include the administration, house mothers. Miss Foster, the dietitian, the student nurse and the Home Economics Department faculty. Muriel Jacobson is in charge of the food with Jemabella West arranging the table and taking care of the clean-up. Ruth Wilkie is in charge of the decorations with Babs Cargill as chairman of the waitresses. These chairmen have complete charge of the breakfast.

### McCluers Attend Truman's Inauguration

Dr. and Mrs. Franc L. McCluer attended the inaugural of President Harry S. Truman in Washington last Thursday. They also attended the Inaugural Ball. They were personal guests of Major General Harry Vaughan, military aide to the President.

The professor who sent his wife to the bank and kissed his money goodbye was not absent-minded.

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LINDENWOOD OLYMPIADS

Call Issued For Basketball Team

By Dorothy Steiner

For all of you girls interested in coming out for basketball practice, the following is a list of the practice hours for both the regular and color teams. Look for the time you may have free, and come down to the gym for your dorm's sake. Let's keep up or even improve our school spirit by attending the games regardless of the part we play.

The practice hours for color teams are: February 1, 2, 3, and 4, and in the gym from 4 p. m.-5:45 p. m. For the regular team the practice hours are every Monday from 4 p. m.-5:45 p. m. and every Wednesday and Thursday from 6:30 p. m.-7:30 p. m.

The regular team games as listed on the calendar are:

February 18, Harris at L. C.—2 games, 8 p. m.; February 22, Maryville at L. C., 8 p. m.; February 25, Washington U. at L. C., 4 p. m.; February 28, Fontbonne at L. C., 8 p. m.; March 4, Le Clerc at L. C., 8 p. m. March 12, Principia at L. C.—basketball and volleyball, 10 a. m.; March 15, L. C. at Maryville, 8 p. m.; March 19, L. C. at Washington U.—basketball and volleyball, 2 p. m.; March 25, Webster at L. C., 8 p. m.

We'll be expecting to see all of you out for these games to cheer Lindenwood on to victory. See you there.

STATION STATIC

KCLC, which is not on the air this week because of exams, will return to the 600 spot on your dial following the opening of the second semester. A change in the schedule will be made at that time and many new programs will be added to the lineup.

Among the new programs will be one for all bridge advocates. Ruth Ann Ball and Miss Leah Mae Williams, Sibley Hall housemother, will be in the charge of the program which will give hints and rules for playing bridge.

Mary DeVries has charge of a new record program to be aired on Thursday nights at 8:30. It will feature spot announcements as well as one-minute advertisements by various stores and companies well known to Lindenwood girls.

Students And Faculty To Roast On Gridiron At Press Club Dinner

The annual Gridiron Dinner will be held in Ayres Dining Room on March 16. This event, sponsored by the Press Club, is not a football banquet, but the student body and faculty will probably think they are attending a football game by the way they are being pushed and kicked around.

Good sportsmanship is the rule of the day, so don't let your "feelings get hurt." Just come with your chin up high and your mood humorous. It's always great fun, so be ready to laugh both at the others and at yourself.

Impersonations are the highlight of the dinner. If you see and hear yourself on the stage, don't be shocked. This imitation is for the entertainment of the group, so just watch and see how you appear to others.

Yes, your personality, poise and pep will not be too politely picked apart by the pointed prodding of the pitchfork wielded by the puissant pen-pushers of the Press Club. Think you can wait? We can't.

Gym Warmed For Barn Dance

"Swing your partner and away you go." That was one of the sayings at the barn dance Friday night, January 16. Donned in jeans and plaid shirts and other comfy old clothes, the students really had a fine time at the party.

It all began with contests and games, one of which featured your very own state. Of course all this time you were sucking on the lollipop favors. Square dancing began and a good time followed. When you were just too tired you would find that the cokes and cakes really picked you up, then back to dancing and that wonderful caller.

THE METRONOME

Recitals Dominate Musical World As Semester Closes

Eight pupils of Miss Allegra Swingen presented a class recital in the rehearsal room of the Memorial Arts Building at 3 p. m. last Friday.

A series of four studio piano recitals were given by the students of John Thomas, January 19, 20, and 21, at 4:30 p. m.

Contraltos Barbara Watkins and Mary DeVries, pianists Jean Eiel and Katherine Pemberton, and violinist Mary Jo Sweeney presented a musical program for the St. Charles Lindenwood Club Monday evening, January 17, in the Library Club Room.

Regular students recitals were given in Sibley Chapel January 11 and January 18.

This year has seen the introduction of vocal ensemble numbers, and, at the recital on the 11th, Carolyn Furnish and Joyce Powell, sopranos, sang a duet, "Sull' Aria," from the "Marriage of Figaro," by Mozart.

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THE CAMPUS HALL OF FAME



We nominate for the Campus Hall of Fame—Jeanne Gross, St. Charles, Senior, who has accomplished many things at Lindenwood, Jeanne, a well known figure on campus for her vivacious personality and impish smile, was Freshman Council Representative, has been advertising manager for the Linden Bark for two years, was vice president of the Junior Class, vice president of the Press Club, secretary-treasurer of the Day Students Club. She is a member of the Terrapin Club, Encore Club, Athletic Association, El Circulo Espanol, was on the production staff of the "Cassilis Engagement" and "Brief Music." In academic honors, Jeanne received the El Circulo Espanol honorary award. She was Sophomore attendant for May Day, chosen to be on the Popularity Court and was Maid of Honor for the May Day fete last June.

Radio Students Visit KSD - See Show And Television Program

A bus load of Lindenwood radio students invaded the inner sanctum of St. Louis' KSD rehearsal of "The Land We Live In." The large studios for this program are located on the tenth floor of the Union Electric building. The control room and the sound effects desk were of particular interest to the members of the KCLC staff present. About two hours were spent in rehearsing the 30-minute story of David Rankin, Jr., of St. Louis. It was broadcast on January 16 at 6 p. m.

Next, the girls were invited to the television show, "It's A Hit," over KSD-VT. From the television booth, the audience could watch the show being filmed, and see it over a television set at the same time.

Following the show, Alan Post of KSD took the group on a tour of inspection through the modern new KSD and KSD-VT station located in the Post-Dispatch building.

Major Speech Recital Given By Junior

Miss Joan Reed gave her major speech recital of the year last Thursday. She read from John Steinbeck's "The Pearl," a story of greed. The setting of the story was one that made Joan feel at home, since she is from Mexico. The reading was very good for Joan because she understood the accents that were present in the story due to her contact with them. All who heard Joan's recital will agree that she did an excellent job on her major recital of the year.

Attend Meetings In New York

Dr. Franc L. McCluer attended meetings of the American Colleges and Presbyterian College Union, at the Hotel Commodore in New York recently.

While in New York, Mrs. McCluer attended the meeting of Presidents' wives.

Dr. Eunice Roberts attended the meeting of Deans, in connection with the meeting of Association of American Colleges.

Dr. and Mrs. McCuer and Dean Roberts attended the meeting of New York alumnae, in New York, on January 14, at which Dr. McCluer and Dr. Roberts spoke. Dr. and Mrs. McCluer also attended the meeting of Washington Alumnae on January 18.

As a representative of Silliman University, Dr. Pedro Rio, visiting professor of Education at Lindenwood, attended the meeting of Association of American Colleges.

THE CLUB CORNER

Press Club Plans Gridiron Dinner

Plans for the Gridiron dinner, to be presented March 16, are being completed by the Press Club. Dot Steiner is the chairman.

The Rev. Mr. Elmer Knoerns child, program director, KFUO, spoke at the meeting of Alpha Epsilon Rho, Tuesday, Jan. 18.

Plans were completed for a UNESCO project at a joint meeting of Sigma Tau Delta and Poetry Society, Tuesday, Jan. 11. The clubs approved the committee's choice of books of modern American prose and poetry to be sent to a seminar class in American civilization at Warsaw University, Warsaw, Poland.

Pat Schilb and Betty Joy Haas each read an Atlantic Monthly Prize Story for 1947.

Mu Phi Epsilon made plans for initiation of the three new pledges at the beginning of second semester, and also for the patrons' party, to be given March 22.

Informal and formal invitations into Alpha Psi Omega will be conducted, Thursday, Jan. 20, and Friday, Jan. 21, respectively.

L. C. Senior: "What did you do with my white long-sleeve blouse?" L. C. Sophomore: "I sent it to the laundry."

L. C. Senior: "Ye Gods! The whole history of England was written on the cuffs."

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