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Lindenwood's Festivities

Restful Season and Thanksgiving Intermission.

The "first six weeks" all over, anxiety for "marks" ended for the present, Lindenwood students and faculty relaxed on Thanksgiving Day. There were no farmers coming over the hill with apples, potatoes, pumpkins and hams, as in the days of "hard times as were hard times" which were written about in Mrs. Sibley's lifetime. No, the students had plenty without importunity. The Thanksgiving dinner table abounded with all good things. There was turkey with oyster stuffing, garnished by all the vegetables of the season, salads and celery, peas and potatoes, with a first course of tomato juice cocktail, and side dishes of nuts and fruits, finishing up with pumpkin pie and whipped cream.

One had no obligation to "bells" on Thanksgiving Day, for it had been decided to give permission for absences for the day. Those who were near enough went home, taking others with them. Some of the girls went to St. Louis. But thrice happy those who elected to stay at Lindenwood!

Dr. and Mrs. Roemer were delightful hosts in the dining room, and later at a tea-dance, where guests from near and far were made welcome. An orchestra in Butler Gym made music for the after-

noon, pretty gowns were worn, and the tea-table was charmingly served.

In some of the years of the past a Thanksgiving play on Thanksgiving night has been presented. This year the Y. W. C. A. advanced this production to November 3, in Roemer Auditorium, so that all might be here. The play was the three-act comedy, "The Truth About Blayds", by A. A. Milne (produced by arrangement with Samuel French, New York), and never did Miss Cracraft show to better advantage than here as director. The actors were Emeline Lovellette, Florence Wilson, Alice McCauley, Lois Gene Sheetz, Virginia Spears, Kathryn Davis, Anita Davy and Nan Latham, with Betty Hooks as property manager.

The "Y" did its full duty at Halloween, too, when Mary Willis Heeren, from Brunswick, Mo., a freshman and a lovely blond, was crowned Halloween Queen by Dr. Roemer, who was her escort for the rest of the evening. Out of 150 freshmen, the class first selected 25 on whom to ballot, then the choice narrowed to nine, and on a third ballot Mary Willis gained the honor. But all of this was secret, and the queen was just as surprised as anyone else when she received the corsage of gardenias which

indicated her honor. Eight attendants, Betsy Sherman, Marjorie Hickman, Reba Showalter, Olive Diez, Margaret Barber, Mary Nell Patterson, Elma Cook and Louise McCulloch, escorted her to the throne, where she was crowned and received congratulations. And after that, there was dancing, but the new queen was scarcely allowed to dance long enough to get in step with one partner before another "cut in". Her final distinction will be a full-page portrait in the students' annual, *Linden Leaves*, for 1934.

After hard work for weeks in the classrooms, pre-Thanksgiving parties came, two in one week. The freshmen gave their annual dinner-dance, Friday night, November 17, for which, with the aid and counsel of Miss Hankins, their sponsor from the faculty, they achieved beautiful decorations, a la Japanese,—such a lovely background that on the succeeding night, when the Student Council gave the first party of the year to which young men were invited, they just kept all the freshman decorations—didn't change a pin!

The freshman officers at the head of their party were Suzanne Perrin, Annabel Duffy, Betty Butler and Helen Datesman. Dr. and Mrs. Roemer and Dean Gipson assisted in the receiving line.

Jane Tobin as head of the Student Council was chairman of arrangements for the Saturday night dance. Assisting were the other Student Council members, Mary K. Dewey, Helen Lightholder, Dorothy McCulloch, Rachel Snider, Lucile Chappel, Carolyn Hoffman and Jane Laughlin, the last five being heads of halls. Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, Dr. and Mrs. Dewey and Dr. and Mrs. Case, of the faculty, were chaperones. The party

brought young men from Westminster College, from the Western Military Institute, and from universities in St. Louis as well as other points.

A touch of description comes from the St. Louis Lindenwood College Club, concerning Founder's Day and the members' appreciation of being here on that occasion: "The campus was beautiful in the fall, as it ever is. The great oaks were flaming torches, the lindens golden fairy-tale trees, the grass a thick green carpet laid especially for the occasion. Although rain had streamed down in the morning, the sun came out in the afternoon as though smiling with satisfaction at the fact that, rain or shine, the Lindenwood girls would turn out in great numbers if it were to honor their Alma Mater".

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Mrs. J. Maynard (Cora Sherwood, 1888-89), of South Orange, N. J., has been visiting with Mrs. W. Berger (Viola Richards), a Lindenwood College classmate, and other friends, in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. G. E. Simpson (Eleanor Brown, 1922-26, A.B.), writes from her new home, 2440 78th Ave., West Oak Lane, Philadelphia, that she and her family, including their one-year-old son Jon, enjoy living "almost in the country", out in the northwest limits of Philadelphia. "We like especially living in a house", she says, "since spending three years in an apartment". She "enjoys the Bulletin and misses a great deal" when she does not get it.

Paul Friess, teacher of organ, gave a much-appreciated recital Tuesday, November 21, in the late afternoon, in Sibley Chapel.

Miss Allyn's Girls

"Believe it or not", writes Miss Betty Hosmer (1929-31) to her former teacher, Miss Allyn, "I had a \$15 raise in July, and was told the position was mine as long as I wanted it." She is with Buell, Herndon & Co., Inc., in Tulsa, Okla., her home address being 1316 South Carson. There is a reason, it will be seen, for the appreciation of her work, for Betty is not standing still in achievement, but is going to night school in a university extension course, "taking Oil and Gas Law". She is taking this toward a degree, "hoping that some day she can come back to Lindenwood and get that diploma". She is the only girl in the class.

In her very brief vacation Miss Hosmer went to see Miss Sarah Young, a former Lindenwood girl living 20 miles away, for a week-end.

Two of Miss Allyn's girls who have been living in the East, and who were friends in business department studies here in 1925-27, were guests at luncheon following the assembly on November 16. Mrs. E. R. Darling (Irene Hall), lives in Auburn, Maine, and Mrs. S. H. Cole (Louise Moffett), formerly of Massachusetts, is now in Webster Groves, Mo.

Miss Helen Sweeney (1927-28) writes of an active business life in Kansas City with the Bell Telephone Co. She says: "Employee selling is part of our work, and some of our operators are anything but salesmen. In order to try and encourage them, we have been writing them personal letters, impressing them with the importance of each one 'doing his part'. The big boss gave me a list of

200 to write all by myself. I was to report only to him; in other words, I wrote these right over the head of even the sales manager. It was quite a job to write 200 letters and have each one different, but it was very interesting and certainly an invaluable experience." She tells of "about a million conferences on the NRA".

Miss Madeline Noon (1931-32) is one of Lindenwood's business girls who has landed a position despite the depression. She is in a physician's office in her home town, Nogales, Ariz., where the work interests her "and every day she learns something new". She visited the Chicago Exposition of Progress, with her sister.

One of the girls active in Miss Allyn's business classes last year, Miss Marion Goran of Pacific, Mo., sends a greeting to every one in the Commercial Club of Lindenwood, saying, "I really do think it is the nicest of all the clubs". She is taking special work in St. Louis, and hopes to come out soon to visit the college.

Miss Sarah Levine (1920-22), who has been for several years accountant with a large electrical contracting company in New York City, writes to Miss Allyn of a delightful trip down the coast of South America, "stopping at the most interesting places", which she could not have accomplished if it had not been for her financial rewards in her business. True, like others, she has sustained a few "cuts", she says, but her salary was such a generous one that she does not feel any deprivation. She "likes her work better and better".

Former Dean Honored

Press dispatches from Roswell, N. Mex., give a full account of an address made in late October by Lindenwood's former Dean, Dr. Lucinda De Leftwich Templin, now principal of the Radford School for Girls in El Paso, Tex., before the Business and Professional Women's Club of Roswell, on "A New Deal for Women". Dr. Templin was Dean at Lindenwood eight years.

Mrs. Max W. Coll (Lillian Hinkle), of Rosworth, writes that she and several other old Lindenwood girls, among whom were Mrs. Arthur L. Farnsworth (Vera Hinkle) and Miss Faybelle Cummins, were special guests at this club meeting. Mrs. James F. Hinkle represented the D.A.R. Dinner was served to more than 100.

Mrs. Coll says: "Dr. Templin gave us such an inspiring lecture, and made us recall our Lindenwood days. She is enjoying good health and is making a real name for herself as well as her school in the Southwest." Mrs. Coll adds a line about her 19-months-old son, and also the "two prospective L. C. girls, aged 10 and 12", who are Mrs. Farnsworth's daughters.

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Mrs. Cleon Hodges (Helen Lysaght, 1923-24) writes of a change in residence from Joplin to Kansas City, Mo., where her home is at 4203 Baltimore. She says she "thoroughly enjoys the atmosphere she receives from reading the Bulletin".

The "Bulletin" is grateful for renewal of addresses of Mrs. Frederick Edwards (Virginia Rhorer, 1927-28) at Lorraine Apartments, Springfield, Mo., and Mrs. James F. Smith (Ruth Cameron, 1929), at 605 Ninth St., N., Great Falls, Mont.

Englishwoman Admires Lindenwood

Mrs. Diana Watts, of Netherbury, Dorset, England, spent the first week of November at Lindenwood, after which she went out to other points to give lectures, as she had done at Lindenwood, on "Beauty in Movement as a Living Art."

The Englishwoman's appreciation of Lindenwood's environment was outstanding. "I have lectured in every country in the world almost", she said, "I have visited schools in the British Empire and in South America, and never have I seen a setting more beautiful, nor have I experienced a hospitality more generous and genuine."

Mrs. Watts demonstrated some of the most beautiful Greek statues "in movement". People are coming to realize, she said, "that one's mental machinery and the control of one's life depends very much upon perfecting the physical condition and the law of balance".

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Dr. Terhune's Brother

The many friends of Dr. Mary Terhune of the faculty gave a doubly cordial greeting to her distinguished brother, Dr. Thornton P. Terhune of Centre College, Danville, Ky., who spoke at the Lindenwood assembly, November 9, on "Causes of the Gathering Storm", in which, with a historian's exactness, he pointed out the great likelihood of war all over again, in Europe.

Dr. Terhune teaches in the history department of Centre College, which is not only his alma mater, but also the alma mater of his and his sister's father, a well-known Presbyterian clergyman.

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Generous Alumnae

It is welcome news, always, to hear of the planting of new awards for excellence in the student body. Such a "planting" brings a multifold harvest. It is now the Lindenwood Alumnae Association which comes forward with two gifts, one of them a prize, the other a memorial.

The sum of \$25 is bestowed upon Music Hall, so that something that is needed or desired, which has not yet been placed therein, may be added. Discretion as to the selection of this memorial is left to Mr. John Thomas, head of the music department.

The prize, which is a \$10 award, is something which would have delighted Mrs. Sibley's heart, for she was always devoted to good citizenship. The alumnae's \$10 will go to that girl through the year who shows "best citizenship on the campus". One may predict that this will do much to help in maintaining the morale of the school.

Announcement of these gifts was made by Mrs. George M. Null, president of Lindenwood's Alumnae Association.

Another gift of \$25 came just as the Bulletin was going to press, to be devoted to student aid. The donors are the girls of the St. Louis Lindenwood College Club. Thank you!

"Service Institutions"

Lindenwood makes a bow to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for a pleasant mention at the head of the list when the editor called attention to several other colleges for women which should be "placed before a public which needs only to be informed", at the time when the heads of seven Eastern colleges were in St. Louis to "inform" the public. The Post-Dispatch editor says there is a great difference between the financial condition of educational institutions for men and those for women. He continues:

"This is a subject which can be raised without hesitation or apology. Women's colleges have made great forward strides during the last half century, but they have done so against heavy odds and in the face of numerous hindrances. Generally speaking, women's colleges are service institutions. As Alice Bagley pointed out in a recent article in the New York Herald Tribune Magazine, their graduates become teachers, social workers and other doers of good. They do not amass fortunes in business, part of which can be settled on their alma maters for endowments and new buildings."

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Among many telegrams of congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer on Founder's Day and the dedication of Music Hall was a greeting from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tweedie, of Jefferson City, Mo., who sent "Best Wishes" and regrets that they could not be present. Mr. Tweedie is a member of Lindenwood's Board of Directors.

Deaths

A great shock was sustained by Lindenwood friends in the death by an auto accident of a clergyman known so many years and so well beloved at the college,—Rev. Robert W. Ely, D.D., whose car was struck by a railroad train just outside St. Charles as he was on his way home from visiting some families of his mission churches in the country, on October 6. This faithful task, visiting and comforting, advising and sympathizing, was characteristic of Dr. Ely's long life in the Presbyterian ministry. His term of such service had passed the fiftieth anniversary, last May. Still robust in spirit, still strong in ability to help those about him, Dr. Ely's life, while mourned in its passing, yet leaves a sense of peace and an inspiration of hope to those who pattern their lives after the high Christian ideals which were his.

He was for more than half his ministry, pastor of the Jefferson Street Presbyterian Church in St. Charles. He was often the preacher at Lindenwood's vesper services. His four daughters were all students at Lindenwood, three of them being graduates. They and their mother have the full sympathy of the present students and faculty, and of the alumnae.

Lindenwood sympathizes with the bereaved widow and daughters, all of whom were Lindenwood girls, in the death, November 11, of Rev. E. W. McClusky, at his home in Lebanon, Ill., where he had been pastor of the Presbyterian Church, following an eight years' pastorate in St. Louis. Dr. McClusky had been in the ministry more than 40 years, in pastorates in Missouri and Illinois. He has spoken at Lindenwood assemblies. His widow was Sarah Irwin, daughter of Dr.

Robert Irwin, president of Lindenwood from 1880 to 1893. Three daughters and a son survive. Dr. McClusky had been ill with heart trouble for a year, and this was the cause of his death.

Mrs. Ida Cunningham Pendleton, one of Lindenwood's oldest students, died July 20, just ten days before her 76th birthday, at her home in Boonville, Mo. She attended Lindenwood in Mrs. Sibley's time. She was the daughter of John W. and Ellen Spencer Cunningham, of St. Charles County, and was married at the age of 20 to Dr. Thomas Owen Pendleton. In 1872 she came with her parents to Cooper County. Prior to that time she had attended Lindenwood. She continued her studies at an academy in Boonville. Her daughter, Miss Gertrude O. Pendleton, of Boonville, writes: "She was ever a booster for Lindenwood, was interested in every item of news concerning the college, and eagerly read the Bulletin, in which she frequently saw news of some of her former classmates or schoolmates."

Lindenwood extends sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

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Prof. John W. Mueller, of the University of Oregon, now on a year's sabbatical leave, gave an informing address on Russia, where he recently spent several months, before the assembly a few weeks ago. Later he spoke at a Thanksgiving social of the faculty. Prof. Mueller predicted what has since come to pass, the recognition by this country of Soviet Russia. A phrase of his remains in the memory: "The Communist Party in Russia is the gang that gets things done. It is what Tammany is in New York".

Weddings

Mr. Cyril Clemens, whose lectures on literary subjects at Lindenwood have afforded pleasure, is now a bridegroom. Announcement cards for his marriage, October 18, to Miss Nan Butler Shallcross were received from the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Shallcross, of Kirkwood, Mo.

Mrs. James W. Teter has sent cards announcing the marriage of her daughter Helen B. (1930-31) to Mr. Robert A. Zebold, Jr., on Wednesday, October 18, at El Dorado, Kans.

The marriage of their daughter Catherine (1925-27) is announced by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrew Tynan of Stella, Neb., to Mr. Clarence Evan Nutter, on Saturday, October 28, at Falls City, Neb. At Home announcements are included for Falls City.

Mr. and Mrs. William I. Paulson, of Leavenworth, Kans., have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Doris Ina (1928-30) to Mr. Harry L. Hasler, on Wednesday, November 23.

Mr. and Mrs. William Grover send cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Agnes Mae (1929-31) to Mr. Monroe Landers on Friday, September 1. Their residence is announced to be 531 East Eighth St., Bartlesville, Okla.

The marriage of Miss Virginia Elizabeth Evans (1928-29) to Mr. Lambert Nystal Ladd on November 11, at Dodge City, Kans., is announced in cards from the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Evans. At Home cards are included, for Eureka, Kans.

Miss Evelyn Watkins (1927-28), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Watkins, was married in Kansas City, to Mr. Brant Miller, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller, at the Riverside Christian Church, Friday, September 29. This was an elaborate social ceremony at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the altar being beautifully decorated with cathedral tapers, chrysanthemums and greenery. There were three bridesmaids, whose gowns of wisteria, fuchsia and larkspur blue made a lovely setting for the smart white crepe gown of the bride with which she wore a small hat of rough crepe petals and carried an arm bouquet of white roses and lilies. After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Miller are residing at 607 North Belmont Ave., Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Bach have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Katherine (1927-29) to Mr. Ted W. Keller, on Saturday, November 4, at her parents' home in Chicago.

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Engaged

A delightful luncheon to announce the engagement of Miss Anne Russell Hoefler (1928-29), daughter of Col. and Mrs. William C. Hoefler of Jefferson City, Mo., to Mr. Marvin A. McClelland was given October 5 by her cousin Miss Louise Dallmeyer in Jefferson City. Many former Lindenwood girls and others were guests.

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Dr. R. Calvin Dobson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, preached at a Thanksgiving service held in Roemer Auditorium, Sunday evening, November 26.

Southern California Club

On Saturday, October 21, Mrs. Viola R. Berger entertained the Lindenwood Club of Southern California, in honor of Mrs. Cora Sherwood Maynard. The luncheon was served in the old Berger residence which is now the Old Home Inn. The table was decorated with pen and ink sketches for place cards, and noisy Halloween favors. Amid gales of laughter and "rah, rah, rah's" for the hostess, the guests proceeded to Mrs. Berger's home.

It was the birthday of Mrs. C. H. Baker (Nellie Ingram) and her classmate, Dean Pearle Aiken Smith of the University of Southern California, gave two readings in her honor.

Miss Harp was welcomed into the club and she favored the members with two piano numbers.

Mrs. Berger gave a sketch of the life of her brother-in-law, the late Dr. James Main Dixon, and told of his work in Tokio, at Washington University, at Lindenwood, and his thirty years at the University of Southern California. Messages were read from the Emperor of Japan and Mr. Satow, Japanese Consul in Los Angeles, expressing appreciation of Dr. Dixon's work and love for their people.

Word was received of the passing of Mr. E. A. Peifer, husband of Gertrude Powers Peifer.

Mrs. James Van Arsdale was elected president, Mrs. C. H. Baker, vice president, and Miss Kinkade continues as secretary and treasurer.

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Mrs. Ernest H. Zierenberg (Evelyn Kippenberg, A.B. 1933) writes from Chesterfield, Mo., where they have established their new home.

Dr. William G. Lampe, former moderator of the St. Louis Presbytery, in a Lindenwood assembly address on October 12, pointed out the fault in certain kinds of college education, due to the "complete separation of education and religion". The fault lies, he said, in "going out with knowledge, without power of character that will control the use of that knowledge". It would be well for young people about to go to college to consult their minister, he said.

Miss Alice Parker, teacher in Lindenwood's department of English, was one of the guests, through an old friendship with the Governor's family, at the wedding of Miss Henrietta Park, daughter of Gov. and Mrs. Park, and Mr. Marvin Krause, at Jefferson City, Mo., November 16.

Mrs. L. T. Chapman (Dorothy Corbin, 1928-30) writes from Oklahoma City, saying that she and her husband have a new address, 315½ North Walnut, Apt. B. "I always look forward to each issue of the Bulletin", she says, "as it is practically my only source of information and news about my old friends."

Theta Xi chapter of Beta Pi Theta appeared at its best October 12, with a reception in the college club room, at which the newly elected officers were hostesses as follows: Dorothea McCulloh, Betty Hart, Mary Erwin, Margaret Ringer, and Nancy Watson, with Miss Anna Wurster as sponsor. Dorothy Martin, who is president of Lindenwood's choir, sang a solo.

Defining Education

Something worth remembering are the views on education expressed by Rev. Joseph P. Hicks, of Los Angeles, Calif., as expressed by him when a candidate, recently, for membership on the Board of Education in his home city. He held up the slogan, "To Educate is to economize". The publication, "Supreme Council, 33rd Degree, Bulletin", comments as follows:

"This position cannot be successfully refuted. It is borne out by the experience of both the individual and society over many years of struggle. The sacrifices of parents that their children may have greater advantages than they had, is the finest kind of domestic economy. Provisions for the assessment of taxes from all the people, directly or indirectly, that all may have education is the most constructive kind of social or political economy.

"A short definition of 'educate' is 'to teach and discipline, so as to develop the natural powers; develop and train for some special pursuit.' A short definition of 'economize' is to practice 'systematic management of the affairs of a household, of society or of a state.'

"In the opinion of Rev. Mr. Hicks the infinitive phrases 'to educate' and 'to economize' may be used as either subject or predicate with equal force and effect.

"It ought not to be necessary in these years of enlightenment to raise a question the answer to which is so obvious, but a casual survey of the treatment now being accorded public education in some places, on the plea of economy, shows that we are doing some false thinking—or rather no thinking.

"Putting off matters of education until tomorrow that we should do today is

fatal to our national system of economy. It likewise affects the progress and welfare of our people as a whole."

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The Athletic Association has started out vigorously for the year, with its new heads of sports, who are: hockey, Edna Buenger; tennis, Frances McPherson; dancing, Mildred Rhoton; golf, Anita Dewey; basketball, Louise Paine; swimming, Peggy McKeel; hiking, Helen Foster; and posture, Ella Margaret Williams. Peggy Blough remains from last year as the president, and other officers are: vice-president, Geraldine Robertson; secretary, Nancy Montgomery; treasurer, Emeline Lovellette; and reporter, Wilma Hoen.

Miss Emily Lavelock (1929-30) of Richmond, Mo., writes an appreciation of the "Bulletin", which somehow she has not been receiving for a little time but which will be sent to her now. She and Alice Rice Davis, who was at Lindenwood last year, often see each other.

A community leadership training school opened October 23 in the Bible class room at Lindenwood, with Dr. Case teaching "Junior Materials and Methods", and Rev. John C. Inglis teaching the New Testament. The sessions were held on Monday nights up to November 27.

Among the guests around Thanksgiving, coming from a distance, was Mrs. J. L. Greer, of Denison, Tex., mother of the president of the senior class. She was an honored guest at the Student Council dancing party and at other festivities.

Chicago on Armistice Day

The Chicago Lindenwood College Club started the season with a fine meeting at Mandel's Pink Room on November 11. After the delightful luncheon, at which Mrs. Lucius Fritze and Mrs. Lyman Huff were hostesses, a general business session was held, at which a fall program and an outline of the winter's activities were planned.

Because of the Century of Progress Exposition the club's regular meetings were postponed until it had closed, but during the Exposition there were various small meetings of former Lindenwood students.

The club hopes now to have a general round-up of old and new members residing in this region. The place of meeting is central, and convenient to everyone. The program for the winter promises to be interesting.

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Mrs. Martha Richards Becker (1889-90) sent a card while at the Chicago Exposition of a Century's Progress, regretting that she missed "the good visit on Founder's Day", and saying she sat right down, in her new home in Gary, Ind., to read "a bunch of Bulletins she had missed".

About fifty girls studying art under Dr. Linnemann enjoyed a trip to the St. Louis Art Museum October 21, to view paintings in a visiting collection of American artists. Dr. Linnemann accompanied the group, giving explanation and guidance. Kappa Pi, honorary art sorority, has named as pledges of the season: Isabel Orr, Elaine Slothower, Louise Snyder, Louise Alewel, Virginia Sodeman and Peggy McKeel.

Letters received from former Lindenwood teachers now in the east tell of a pleasant luncheon given by Mrs. George O. Bjerko (Dr. Eleanor Tupper, former head of the history department), in her home at Bellaire, Long Island, honoring Mrs. Foster Gambrell (Miss Lydia Jahn, formerly of the biology department), of Geneva, N. Y., and Miss Marion Mitchell, who is studying doing graduate work at Columbia University on a year's leave of absence from Lindenwood, having taught with Dr. Tupper for several years in the history department.

Lindenwood's sextette, composed of Dorothy Ball, Ruth Bewley, Frances McPherson, Dorothy Ann Martin, Virginia Jaeger, and Ruthelaine Smith, sang at College Night exercises in the St. Louis Odeon Theater. They had seats in Dr. and Mrs. Roemer's box. In their singing at Lindenwood, Allie May Mae Bornman is accompanist.

Miss Marjorie Moffett, as a "disease", of New York, gave most delightful impersonations at chapel assembly on the morning of November 23.

Following Lindenwood tradition, the first sorority tea of the season was given October 10 by Alpha Psi Omega, and was a charming affair, sponsored by Miss Mary Gordon and Miss Lucile Cracraft of the faculty, with student officers in charge, consisting of Dorothy Holcomb, Evelyn Brown and Elizabeth McSpadden. Dean Gipson poured.

Kansas City "In Touch"

"Certainly there is no better way to keep in touch with dear old Lindenwood", writes the correspondent of the Kansas City Lindenwood College Club, in an account of this Club's October meeting at the Woman's City Club in Kansas City, and its subsequent November meeting at Miss Anthony's.

The same fine spirit of enthusiasm and the same loyalty to both the College and the Club were in evidence as is usual, at these meetings.

History seemed to be repeating itself, for in an emergency Mrs. Edward B. Gray (Martha Miller) accepted the presidency, and Miss Lenore Anthony, at whose home the Kansas City Club was organized in 1911, offered her home as a place of meeting. This is more than a home, it being the "Lenore Anthony Theatre Craft School". The dining rooms and "Little Theatre" make it an ideal arrangement, and Miss Anthony has offered to give a book review following the luncheon.

The meeting on Monday, November 6, was delightful. Thirty-five attended, and it was a pleasure to see so many of the younger Lindenwood girls present. After the business meeting and luncheon, Miss Anthony gave a splendid dramatic review of "Anthony Adverse". This was much enjoyed.

All the members derive so much pleasure from the Club, the friendships, the meetings, the activities both social and charitable, that they are inviting every Lindenwood girl in or near Kansas City to attend the meetings on the first Monday of every month.

Births

It is not often that Lindenwood hears of twins, but here comes the card-picture, in pink and blue, of little sister and brother, Jean Frances, who weighs six pounds, and Harry Claxton, Jr., who weighs five and one-half pounds, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Claxton McCray (Jeanette Asbury, 1919-1921), who arrived on October 25. The McCrays live in Kansas City, at 4311 Roanoke Parkway.

Mrs. Paul Ellis (Marian Titus, 1920-23, B.M.) writes to Mrs. Roemer from Kansas City of "another future Lindenwood girl", who was born August 31, "her daddy's birthday", and whose name is Jane Ellen. "You can imagine", she says, "how proud Eleanor is of her baby sister". Mrs. Ellis tells also of another mother. "Ferol Gillette De Mars (1921-22) is back in Kansas City and has three little boys, the youngest five months old."

A little daughter Kathryn, of date October 10, is announced in a charming pink card from Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Runkwitz, Jr., (Georgana Moody, 1926-27) of Marissa, Ill.

"Have you heard the latest news?" say the pretty kitten-cards by which Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Kuehner (Helen Elizabeth Daugherty, 1922-23) of St. Louis announce the coming of their daughter Karen Jane, on October 29, "weighing 8 pounds, 9 ounces".

"Our Baby" swings from a tree-hammock, telling the birth of little Jean Elaine, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elgaard (June Hinds, 1927-28) on October 21, at their home in Maryville, Mo.