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Moonlit Group of Lindenwood Girls, Starting Out to One of the Lovely Dinner-Dances



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## “Peace Be Upon Thy Palaces”

### Dr. Roemer Gave Armistice Day Address, and Students Gave Orations

If the decision were left to Lindenwood College, there would be no more wars, any place, ever. In classroom and in platform speeches, the sentiment has steadily grown. Dr. Roemer, besides his brief talk on Armistice Day at the college chapel, filled an Armistice Day engagement for the American Legion, speaking before the St. Charles Legionnaires in the afternoon at the St. Charles High School. Just before the anniversary, four bright young Lindenwood orators gave competitive orations on “Peace” at an auditorium program, and Maxine Elsner gained the distinction of being sent with her oration to Columbia, Mo., for an inter-collegiate peace oratory contest, November 15 and 16. The International Relations Club talks peace in its corner of The Linden Bark, and so does the Lindenwood Y. W. C. A.

But the President of the college expressed this unanimous peace outlook best of all in his speech to the Legionnaires, in which he said:

“The war, after four years of fighting, passed into history. It was a war to end war. Never again, we hoped, would nations be so foolish as to engage in sanguinary conflict to settle differences. Disputes hereafter would

be before world tribunals, not on battle-fields.

“Reviewing our losses, we remember that 126,000 of our boys were killed; 240,000 were wounded and missing. An army of 4,000,000 was mobilized in the United States! 2,000,000 were sent over seas. It cost us \$43,000,000,000. It has been well spent, we said, if our dollars and man power have forever stopped the ravages of war.

“It was a war, as we conceived it, to make the world safe for democracy. Hereafter the will of the common people, not of their rulers, would determine policies of government.

“But today behold the spectacle! Every nation in the world is war-minded. Every nation is arming against an imaginary foe. Dictators have risen up, to make people do their will. Blindly the masses rally around some self-appointed sovereign. Nationalism has supplanted the spirit of Internationalism. World brotherhood is missing today. Well did Benjamin Franklin say, ‘There never was a good war or a bad peace.’

“There are other means than war, of adjusting national difficulties.

“Wars, we are told, most generally arise because of maldistribution of



population. Fixed boundary lines are no insurance against changing conditions. The national problem may change tomorrow. No peace pact is a solution of future contingencies.

“The charge that munition-makers are the makers of war may be greatly overdrawn. Wars are the makers of munition-makers, who feed on the folly of nations and people. For profits they are willing to encourage fighting. They don't make wars, but they manufacture munitions to feed the hungry war spirit.

“Overcrowded populations and consequent economic conditions are not to be overlooked among the causes of war. To care for the congested population and their economic poverty, nations are not slow to pick a quarrel. This is the solution of the problem, they say: take, if you can, by force, the other fellow's property. War is organized highway-manship.

“How to adjust the real needs of nations at different times of their history, is a real problem of peace. It is not for one nation to solve alone, but for all in a cooperative spirit. But the purpose of the strong nations seems to be to increase their own power, not to use their strength to assist weakness.

“In this day of expecting immediate results, we forget that peace must be a growth, a long, slow growth. Beverly Nichols, in a recent magazine article on ‘Stopping Wars and Starting Gardens’, says: ‘The Kaiser since the war is spending much of his time in chopping logs in his Dutch garden. If he had spent an equal amount of time chopping logs before the war, there might not have been a war at all.’

“Economic supremacy is a *casus belli*. To dominate world trade we

build large navies and arm ourselves by land and air, to protect our own interests. This world is large, and varied enough in its possibilities for the nations to share with each other, each taking the part best suited to itself.

“In days gone by we looked upon certain lands as best suited to furnish our requirements, while we in turn were best equipped to furnish what we could best produce. An interchange of trade was the ideal. The wheat market was supposed to belong to us, and we were called the ‘bread-basket’ of the world. Other nations were favored with our trade for what we thought they naturally ought to supply us with. Cobden thought free trade with the world would encourage a world-spirit, but England found out that tariffs, revenue, were most wanted, and England came into the fold of nations placing barriers about imports. Differences in cost of production and prices called for self-preservation. The desire to shut the other fellow out developed. Every nation now is out for itself. Wheat is no longer an emblem of America's Bread Basket. Everybody raises wheat. Manufacturers in every possible item of commerce are encouraged. ‘Every nation for itself’ is the slogan of the day.

“All want peace, yet with economic conditions as they are, war may be easily evoked. The first Peace Society in this country was organized in 1815. We have talked peace and yet there is no peace. We have been engaged in war from the beginning of our history. Today we have hundreds of Peace Societies discussing some phases of how to bring about amicable world relations. Endowed organizations are sending out constantly tons of literature and holding hundreds of meetings of



every kind to promote peace and yet we are told we are not in a post-war but a pre-war period.

"It is always darkest just before the dawn. We may be in that darkest period now. The voices of 36,000,000 of the world war total losses of life, and those wounded and missing, of the Allies and the Central Powers, will not permit the world much longer to drown out the chorus against war. War is all losses and no gains. The winner of war is a loser.

"Who is the Patriot? Only he  
 "Whose business is the general good,  
 "Whose keenest sword is Sympathy,  
 "Whose dearest flag is Brotherhood."

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### Lindenwood's Representative

Miss Jane Tomlinson (A. B. 1932), who teaches in the schools of Chillicothe, Ohio, was the worthy representative of Lindenwood College, duly accredited and honored (with her name on the Front Page of the daily newspaper of Athens, Ohio) at the inauguration on November 15 of Dr. Herman C. James as the new president of Ohio University. Jane was editor of *Linden Leaves* when at Lindenwood, and was qualified by this and other distinctions here to hold up her head right nobly as she walked, shoulder to shoulder with college and university presidents and various dignitaries from 37 states.

"It was indeed an experience," she wrote to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, her life-long friends (for they knew her parents long before Jane was born—in fact Dr. Roemer officiated at Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson's wedding). She was a guest at the home of Prof. McQuiston, of the Ohio University department of English, and Mrs. McQuiston, who were "lovely

to her." After she had looked over the venerable line in the long processional, Jane says, "I decided that I needed one of two things—either a bright-colored velvet hood, or white hair and whiskers.

"In spite of my lack of degrees or age, I was proud to represent Lindenwood, and especially proud to think I was given a front-row seat because of the age of Lindenwood." At the big reception of the new university president and his wife Jane was introduced as Lindenwood's delegate. "It seems they were all expecting the delegates to have white hair and nose-glasses," she says, "and my host and hostess, after hearing so many remarks of that kind, finally admitted that they, too, had expected an elderly woman. In spite of the fact that they were surprised at my age, they all took it for granted that I was a college professor. I got a big kick out of it."

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One of the delightful opportunities, musically, of the winter at Lindenwood was the concert which Elda Vettori, dramatic soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, gave in Roemer Auditorium, Monday night, November 18. One of her gracious acts was to dedicate the little song, "Shoes," to Mrs. Roemer. Among her selections (a full program) were some arias from "Carmen" (Bizet) which she sang in costume. Her repertoire ranged from "Zweignung" of Strauss to Hughes' "Hush-a-bye, Baby." Mr. Paul Friess, of the Lindenwood music faculty, was Miss Vettori's accompanist. After the concert, Miss Vettori was a charming guest of honor at a reception in the college club rooms.



## What the Class of 1935 is Doing

Edited by Kathryn Hankins

Lillian Moore Willson, winner of the Lindenwood fellowship, of the class of 1935, is working toward her Master's Degree at Washington University.

Lucille Lorena Dillingham is teaching in the Junior High School at Staunton, Ill. She teaches all eighth grade literature, science, and clothing classes as well as two 7-A geography classes.

Marion Carlson is attending Creighton University, Omaha, Neb., continuing her study of pharmacy. She expects to get a B. S. in pharmacy in June, 1936.

Marie Brink is teaching in a rural school near Weldon Spring, Mo.

Chloe Neal Willson teaches in the high school at Augusta, Mo. Her subjects are English, hygiene, and biology.

Sara Crews is a student in the Katharine Gibbs School, New York.

Susan Olmstead is working toward her Master's Degree at Washington

University.

Mary K. Dewey is teaching in an elementary school at Cairo, Ill.

Nancy Montgomery is teaching in the high school at Ash Grove, Mo.

Virginia Krome is attending Rubicam Business College in St. Louis.

Blanche Hestwood is taking special work at Lindenwood in English and working toward a diploma in organ.

Allie Mae Bornman is also back in Lindenwood, but as a teacher of piano instead of a student.

Evelyn Fox is doing part time teaching at the Academy of the Sacred Heart and also going to business school.

Virginia Sodemann is an assistant teacher in the home economics department at the John Burroughs School in Clayton, Mo.

This is a partial list made from the questionnaires which have been returned.

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Mrs. C. R. Yauger (Fay McCormick, 1920-22), is achieving success as a poet, and is in demand for lecture-recitals, in which she reads her own poems, in Wichita Falls, Texas. Her book, "Planter's Charm," won first place award in the recent annual book contest conducted by the Kaleidograph Press in Dallas, Texas, and in 1933 the poem of hers, "Planter's Charm," from which her book takes its title, won first place nationally in the Poetry Association of America contest. The book contains 43 poems. It was the basis of a recent program given by her in the First Presbyterian Church of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Yauger's poems have appeared in many current periodicals.

Mrs. Yurii Lebedeff (Elice Holovtchiner, 1923-24) writes that she "looks back on Lindenwood with only the pleasantest memories," and expresses pleasure in the growth of the college. Her father, too, she says, "remembers a very pleasant weekend visit at Lindenwood."

Mrs. Nellie Drury Hardy (1874-76) of Waterloo, Ill., was an honored alumna at the Founders' Day ceremonies. Her daughter accompanied her, and Mrs. Hardy said she had not thought it would be possible for her to come, but "her children wanted her to come," and so she did.



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### *Thankfulness at Lindenwood*

Everybody is thankful at Lindenwood College. Not for a long time has the school year started so smoothly, with all the college in good health, almost all the students making good marks, the annual freshman party topping the social season, and honors coming from without as well as within, to the college. Weddings are a barometer of prosperity, it is said, and Dr. Roemer was surely "the marrying parson" on Thanksgiving Day, as old friends sought his services at several hours of that day. He performed the marriage ceremony and gave the nuptial blessing to several happy pairs.

The students were thankful for the Thanksgiving vacation, by which they went home or were the guests of students living near. There was of course a Thanksgiving dinner for the few who remained on campus, and for them, too, it was a pleasant interval, giving a chance to visit St. Louis theatres and the Art Museum.

The Board of Directors was thankful at its recent meeting, for Lindenwood's "excellent financial condition" as well as for the good work going on in all departments. The weather has been benign, so that class and campus

activities have gone on joyfully. Peace reigns, and Lindenwood students and faculty are now-a-days intently declaring, for all nations to hear: "We are 100 per cent for peace."

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The members of the Student Council appeared as delightful hostesses at the first "date-dance" of the college year, with Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, Dr. and Mrs. Case, and Dr. and Mrs. Dewey as patrons and patronesses. Besides Jean Kirkwood, president of the Student Council, already chronicled, the members are: Katherine Morton, St. Joseph, Mo., vice-president; Betty Clark, Coffeyville, Kan., secretary; Margaret Taylor, St. Louis, treasurer; and the house presidents, Juanita Jones, of Johnston City, Ill., Sibley Hall; Peggy Moore, of Hinsdale, Ill., Nicolls; Wilma Hoen, also of Hinsdale, Butler Hall; Constance Osgood, Kansas City, Mo., Ayres Hall; and Margaret Meyers, East St. Louis, Ill., Irwin Hall.

As an instance of how much the singer, Elda Vettori, was appreciated, a note from an alumna of Lindenwood, Miss Kathryn M. Linneman, to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, says: "The concert was delightful, and I think your generosity in including the town people as your guests was most gracious. I, as one of the many, want you to know how very much I enjoyed it."

Miss Katharine W. Davidson (1930-32), whose home has been in Marshalltown, Iowa, writes, giving her new address in Little Rock, Ark., at 419 East Eighth St.



## Our Alumnae in Graduate Work

Edited by Kathryn Hankins

Continuing the work started in the October number of the Bulletin, we wish to present in this number information concerning the graduate work of some of our students. We quote directly from their letters.

The following letter comes from Mary E. Mason of the class of 1930:

"All of my graduate work was completed the year following my graduation from Lindenwood College. In June of 1931 I received a Master of Arts degree from New York University, New York City. My thesis was written in the department of Personnel Administration and Vocational Guidance under Dr. Anna Y. Reed. Besides the courses in this curriculum, I did graduate work in psychological testing and in psychiatry under Dr. Bruce Robinson, head of the Child Guidance Clinic, Newark, New Jersey.

Mary E. Ambler, the fellowship student of the class of 1930, writes:

"I was at Columbia University in the School of Library Service for one year (1930-1931) after graduating from Lindenwood. I took the regular first year course in library science which gives a B. S. at the end of the first year.

"For two years I was a cataloger at Northwestern University. For the past year I have been at Alabama College, Montevalle, Alabama, doing cataloging mostly, but a little bit of every other kind of library work. This is a state school for girls and has about eight hundred enrolled. Miss Russell, formerly of Lindenwood, is the head of the library here."

Lois Gene Sheetz of the class of 1934 sends the following report of her work this year:

"I am in the school of Social Service Administration of the University of Chicago working toward a Master's degree in that department. At the present the degree looks very far distant and appears elusive, but I still have hopes of sometime securing it.

"I am doing field work in a district office of the Cook County Bureau of Public Welfare, besides my academic courses. It is all very fascinating. There is, I believe, no more interesting and inspiring profession than that of Social Service."

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### Chicago Club Activities

The girls of the Chicago Lindenwood College Club, they write, were regretful not to be able to accept Dr. and Mrs. Roemer's invitation for Founders' Day.

The Chicago Club's meeting Friday, October 11, was a splendid one, with 20 members present. The November meeting took the form of a card party at the Palmer House for Lindenwood girls and their friends, the proceeds going to the club's scholarship fund.

Miss Ada Belle Files (1922-23), a talented entertainer, is giving a number of concerts at colleges this season, the Chicago secretary writes. Lindenwood appreciates the fact Miss Files says openly, "A teacher at Lindenwood discovered my voice," and she gives much credit to her study at the college.

Martha Malcolmson, daughter of one of the members, is a student here.



## Weddings

Mrs. Guy B. Neas (Mary Sue Wisdom, A. B. 1930), whose marriage, through some unintentional omission, was not recorded, it seems, in the Bulletin, is domiciled with her husband at 5455 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis. She was principal of the Green Ridge, (Mo.) consolidated district schools for three and one-half years, and was urged to keep on teaching with an increase of salary, but she preferred matrimony, and says now, "I liked school-teaching, but am ever so much happier as a housewife." Mary Sue was senior class president and head of the Student Council while at Lindenwood, and in a letter to Dr. Schaper she says her benefits from her years at Lindenwood, as felt in her life since then, cannot be estimated. Being now so near, she hopes to run out often to events at the college.

The marriage of Miss Frances Gierse (1928-30 Certificate in Business), of Poplar Bluff, Mo., to Mr. Carl W. Bell, on January 2 of this year, somehow escaped chronicling, due perhaps to a failure of the mail. Mrs. Bell writes from her new home in Detroit, Mich., at 2800 West Grand Blvd. She would like to get in touch, she says, with any Lindenwood former students in the neighborhood of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Groves sent cards of invitation to the marriage of their daughter, Esther Elizabeth (1930-32), to Mr. William Webb Wheeler, III, on Monday, November 25, at 4 P. M., at the First Baptist Church of St. Joseph, Mo.

Cards of invitation were received from Mrs. Mary Jane Hansen for the marriage of her daughter, Madeleine Dorothy (B. S. Home Economics, 1935) to Mr. John Albert Paap, on Thursday evening, November 14, at 8 o'clock at the First Congregational Church, Long Beach, Calif. This bride is well remembered as a frequent prize-winner in the department at Lindenwood to which she was particularly devoted. Even her beautiful wedding gown perhaps was not greatly superior in design to some of the charming dresses which she thought out while at Lindenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Tripodi of Okmulgee, Okla., have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Mary (1925-27, Certificate in Physical Education) to Mr. John Ward Durbrow, on Tuesday, October 29, at her parents' home.

Invitations were received from Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Mulnix for the marriage of their daughter, Julian Audine (1929-31), to Mr. Robert Edward Griffith, on November 24, at 4 P. M., in Trinity Episcopal Church, El Dorado, Kan.

Dr. Gladys Osborne, of Canton, N. C., a student of several years ago who became a physician, was married August 3, to Dr. Dudley W. Smith. For three years before her marriage she was house officer in surgery at the Children's Hospital, San Francisco, Calif. She and her husband are planning to practice medicine together in North Carolina.



Dr. and Mrs. John P. Leibrock have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Kathryn (A. B. 1933) to Mr. Rayhill B. Hagist, on Thursday, November 7, at Nashville, Ill.

A number of present Lindenwood students were guests in Laddonia, Mo., at the wedding announced in cards from the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Archibald Rex Hancock, of their daughter Louise Klein (1934-35) to Mr. Harper W. Reed, on Friday, November 8. It was a beautiful wedding, these guests say, who were with Louise in college here last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simon Henry have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Iola (1928-30) to Mr. Eldor Cassens, Saturday, November 2, at Edwardsville, Ill.

Announcement cards from Mr. and Mrs. John C. Donaldson tell of the marriage of their daughter Permelin (1924-26) to Dr. Clifford Oral McCreedy, Thursday, October 24, Monmouth, Ill. At Home cards are included. Dr. and Mrs. McCreedy are residing in Aleda, Ill., since November 1.

Announcement has been made by Mrs. T. S. Chapman, Sr., of the marriage of her daughter, Mary Chapman (1924-26) to Mr. Walter J. Dell, on August 22, in Washington, D. C. After a honeymoon in Washington, they visited Mr. Dell's sister in Chicago, going early in September to McAlester, Okla., where they will reside at 602 East Comanche Ave. The bride was society editor of the McAlester News-Capital, and this paper, speaking of her

many friendships, says, "There is no more charming nor popular young woman in the city." Mr. Dell is a laboratory technician, and studied this summer for two months at the University of Vienna. He is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Dell, of Cresco, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edward French have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Elizabeth (B. S. Social Science, 1932) to Mr. Frank Edward James, Tuesday, November 19, at their home in Roswell, N. Mex. At Home announcements are for Santa Fe, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Raleigh Franklin have announced the marriage of their daughter June Eleanor (1934-35) to Mr. Jimmie Minter, on November 17, at Shawnee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller (Anna Miller, 1892-96), of Berkshire Hills, Cleveland, Ohio, sent invitations for the wedding of their daughter Marjorie, on November 16, at Cleveland.

### Kansas City Honors a Bride

Something out of the ordinary in honors to a bride was the luncheon of the Kansas City Lindenwood College Club, Thursday, November 7, at the Woman's City Club. The long table was most attractive with yellow and white chrysanthemums, and in the center was a beautifully decorated wedding cake, topped by a most correct bride and groom. The honored guest was no other than Miss Lilian Krauthoff, now Mrs. George E. Reese of 4008 Oak St., Kansas City. She was indeed surprised when Mrs. Goffe presented her with the



cake, and the other members offered their gifts, which could only in a measure express their love and best wishes.

This was a splendid meeting of the club, with 22 members present. Mrs. W. K. Roth of St. Louis was a welcome guest.

The club joins with the college in extending sincere and heartfelt sympathy to Miss Louise Dickey in the loss of another brother.

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### Appreciative Alumnae

The joy of Founders' Day was renewed and lived again in a delightful letter received by Dr. and Mrs. Roemer from Mrs. G. M. Null (Florence Bloebaum, 1902-05), in which she says:

"For the many Lindenwood girls who spent such a delightful day at the college, I want to say, 'Thank you' to you both. Those who were unable to be there appreciate the kind invitation and for them I want to say, 'Thank you,' too.

"Those pleasant occasions when we can be together to renew old acquaintances, make new friends, see the enthusiasm and hear the singing of the new girls, are bright spots in the lives of those of us who are of the 'past.'

"Founders' Day was particularly enjoyable. The weather was fine, the food was so good, and everyone seemed so happy to be back, particularly the members of the Lindenwood College Evening Club. And the hospitality extended throughout the entire day was unbeatable.

"Personally I want to say a big 'Thank you' because you both are always so ready to co-operate in the working out of plans and suggestions.

My hope is that through the Alumnae Association and the College Clubs a very definite benefit to the school will be felt."

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Miss Grace L. Ritter (1930-34, A. B.) of St. Louis, sent a letter to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, voicing her appreciation of Founders' Day and the opportunity of meeting old friends and classmates. "The short time there," she says, "brought back many pleasant memories of the time when I was a student at Lindenwood."

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Miss Anna Louise Kelley, president of the Lindenwood College Evening Club of St. Louis, sent Dr. and Mrs. Roemer a letter of thanks "for the lovely time at Lindenwood on Founders' Day," both for herself and for her club. "The girls," she said, "enjoyed every minute of it, and they do enjoy going back so much."

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Mrs. J. B. Wampler (Helen Light, class of 1911), of the Goodhue Hotel, Port Arthur, Texas, was a campus visitor on Hallowe'en.

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Mrs. Helen Holmes Mullineux, in a letter to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, says: "The years, 1922-24, when I was at Lindenwood, I recall as the two that held an element of perfection. I shall never forget the kindness of both of you that weekend when it seemed a matter of life and death to me that I go to St. Louis unchaperoned, and you allowed me to do it, reminding me only that I was a Lindenwood girl, and as such represented a very definite something and should conduct myself accordingly."



### His Lindenwood "Kin"

There is an amusing part to the "heredity" which links closely to Lindenwood Dr. Edmund F. Miller, pastor of Tyler Place Presbyterian Church in St. Louis. When Dr. Miller recently gave one of the opening Assembly addresses of the season at Lindenwood, he hinted at it.

"Not only did my mother and my aunt attend Lindenwood," he said, "but I have an uncle who is a graduate at Lindenwood. At least, that is what he claims."

This solitary man "graduate," it seems, is Dr. F. S. Haeberle, a physician now practicing in St. Louis. The story is, his sister, Miss Huldah Haeberle (now Mrs. S. Bettes), had accomplished the necessary studies at Lindenwood and was entitled to receive the sheepskin, when her indulgent father, the late Dr. Louis Haeberle, long president of Eden Seminary, offered his daughters a trip to Europe. They must start a short time before the Lindenwood commencement. The young brother had the courage, at his sister's behest, to appear among the throng of young girls, and receive a diploma, which Dr. Irwin, who then was president, gave him in the name of his sister. Dr. Miller's mother was Miss Thelma Haeberle, also a Lindenwood student, who became the wife of Dr. Theophile Miller, a distinguished minister of the Evangelical Church, with whom she enjoyed, recently, the celebration of his fiftieth anniversary in the ministry.

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Mrs. Clara Meysenburg Plank (1903-04), of Chicago, stopped at the campus for a little chat, with a party of friends, on a motor tour, in late October.

### Lindenwood Evening Club

The St. Louis Lindenwood College Evening Club idea is spreading to other cities. Chicago, at least, expects to have such a club soon.

The Evening Club in St. Louis held its first fall meeting Monday evening, October 28, at the Foodcraft Shop in the Town Club. Forty-one members were present and enjoyed an excellent dinner, followed by bridge. The Foodcraft Shop, under the management of Bessie McNary Coolidge (B. S., 1927), gave many guest prizes, the largest being three \$10 certificates towards dinner services. All the foods served were given complimentary by the various business concerns which are advertised by the Shop.

Each bridge player was assured of a prize, in fact was given one before the play began. "High" at each table took first choice of the four prizes, and retained this selection until it was claimed by a player with a higher score.

Miss Doris Force (A. B. 1931), of Chicago, was a guest. She is with the University of Chicago Press. It is her hope that the employed girls of the former Lindenwood students now in Chicago may come together in a club. She would be glad, at the address cited, to come in touch with such possible members.

A later meeting of the club in St. Louis was held at the Busy Bee, on the evening of November 25.

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Dr. Roemer preached the silver jubilee sermon in St. Louis for Grace Presbyterian Church, at its recent celebration, giving an effective discourse from the text, "Go Forward."



Following a meeting October 21 of the Presbyterian ministers' society, Alpha Tau Epsilon, as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, at Lindenwood, Dr. George Wales King says of this organization, in his church bulletin, "Alpha Tau Epsilon was founded at Lindenwood College, and in its current meeting some charter members felt their feet were on their native heath again." Dr. King was a speaker at the college chapel, just before Thanksgiving.

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### Births

From Richmond, Texas, comes the clever tinted picture of the baby in his car, Frank Duncan Salmons, Jr., who says, "My Mother and Daddy are Margaret (Margaret Andrus, 1928-30) and Frank Salmons." He arrived October 13, at Memorial Hospital, Houston, Texas, weighing seven and three-fourths pounds.

Eugenia Basquin (with her own personal card, white-ribboned on the big one, of date October 18) is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Guthrie Basquin (Eugenia Whittington, 1924-26), who are resident in Chicago. A new Lindenwood girl, some few years from now?

In a rice-paper booklet comes the life record of William Forgey Patton, II, beginning October 16, of Mr. and Mrs. Hendley K. Patton (Katharine Tinsman, B. S. 1924), who live in Oklahoma City, Okla., at 220 N. W. 34th St.

Judith Ann is the name of the new baby so prettily announced in silvered cards of pink and blue, from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shelton

(Miriam Runnenberger, B. S., Home Economics, 1932) of Harrisonville, Mo. This "New Addition," as the cards announce, is of date November 7, and on first arrival she weighed eight pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart A. Lambert (Melba Garrett, A. B., 1933), of Stella, Neb., send an unusually pretty card in a novel circle, announcing the arrival, October 28, of their son, George Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Duncan (Lilyan Bowman, (1921, A. A.), of Cape Girardeau, Mo., have sent cards for their little son, Ray Bowman, "introducing" him in silver script, with the date, November 19. His weight is eight pounds, 10 ounces.

"Guess Who" says another big boy (eight pounds, seven and three-quarter ounces), whose name is Ivan Orlando, of date November 14, the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Poe (Emma Rankin Prather, 1924-26), of Kansas City, Mo. A cunning picture adorns his card.

The twins, a boy and a girl, whose second birthday, October 25, has just passed, write a word through their grandmother to say they have not been "written up" in this column. They are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCray (Jeanette Asbury, 1919-21), of 4329 Roanoke Parkway, Kansas City, Mo.

"We've a gem of a baby," says a cunning jewel-box card in blue from Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Benton (Lucille Ross, 1925-26), of Central City, Neb., concerning the little son, Robert Eugene, who arrived October 29.