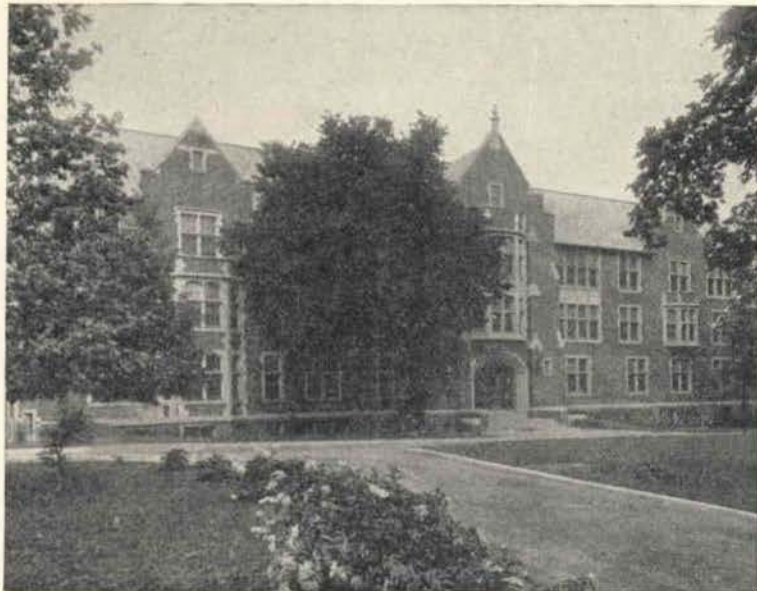


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THE picture above shows a leaf from the book of Founders' Day, when everyone competed in some sport or other. This scene is hop-scotch, with Dorothy Hamacher hopping best, and Dean Gipson counting time or whatever they count in hop-scotch, while the face of Mrs. Arthur J. Krueger smiles between the two. On the extreme left are Mrs. Hattie W. Boetticher, Dr. Alice Linneman and Mrs. John Gerard Vogt, resting from their own hop-scotching. Miss Stookey, head of the physical education department, is in the background.



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Wit and Wisdom at a Banquet

Dr. and Mrs. Roemer Hosts to Many Teachers

Friday, November 13, proved a lucky (not unlucky) day for the Lindenwood alumnae teachers who were attending the state teachers' convention in St. Louis, when they met at the Missouri Athletic Association for a one-o'clock luncheon with Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, members of the faculty, and former Lindenwood students who are living in St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, with Dean Gipson and Secretary Motley stationed themselves early in the reception rooms of the club to welcome all the "old girls" and to make them feel at home until the number grew so large it was necessary to go to the luncheon room.

There an immense table had been laid for approximately forty guests. The centerpiece was of lovely yellow and small henna (Spanish tile, perhaps) crysanthemums.

Mrs. Roemer was seated at one end of the table with Dr. J. H. Coursault of the University of Missouri Education Department, and Dr. Roemer was seated at the other; they both were kept busy answering inquiries concerning all the "old girls" they knew about now, what they were doing, where they were living, and numerous other things.

After a delicious four course luncheon which was made much more delightful by the friendly conversations in which every one indulged, Dr. Roemer expressed his pleasure at seeing so many in attendance. He then introduced Dr. Coursault, who said he was more than happy to have been able to attend the luncheon.

Because of the short time between the sessions of the convention, the meeting was necessarily short.

Those in attendance were: Mrs. Peter J. Lane (Kap Fleming, 1919-23); Mrs. James Donahue (Eva Fleming, 1918-22); Pauline Scherer (1925-29), who is teaching in Wellston; Kathrine Perry (1925-29), teaching in Moberly, Mo.; Margaretha Clark (1927-29), teaching in Mexico, Mo.; Marion C. Kaiser (1927-29), teaching in St. Louis; Helen Dougherty Kuehner (1923), St. Louis; Helen Lee Maupin (1920-26), teaching in Moberly, Mo.; Mary Louise Blocher (1923-27), teaching in Mexico, Mo.; Dorothy Alley (1926-28), St. Louis; Helen Wisdom (1924-28), teaching in Lincoln, Mo.; Edna May Stubbins Davison (1923-27), St. Louis; teachers from St. Charles, Viola Karrenbrock (1921-25), Arlie Schnedler (1923-27), Estelle Pfaff (1927), and Mildred Heye (1928); Virginia Foristell (1923-26),

teaching in University City; Helen Riordan (1923), teaching in Hannibal, Mo.; Euneva Lynn Goodall (1924-28), St. Louis; and Iris Fleischaker Meyerhardt (1926-30), St. Louis.

Other members of the faculty attending, besides those mentioned, were Dr. Alice A. Linneman, Dr. Joseph C. Dewey, Misses Ada Tucker, Ruth Anderson, Margaret Sheldrick and Blanche Criswell, with two of Lindenwood's field representatives, Miss Benson Butts and Mr. R. C. Colson. Dorothy Hamacher, a student, was also present from the journalism department.

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Hail, Lindenwood Founders!

A feeling of venerableness was enjoyed by all, even the youngest freshman, when the Lindenwood College community met on October 22, with songs and speech, prayers of remembrance, and flowers and flags, to do honor to those "who made Lindenwood possible." The St. Louis Lindenwood College Club and other alumnae near by had looked forward to this anniversary through weeks beforehand. They came in cohorts, and never did Lindenwood have a gayer luncheon, nor one with more sustenance. There were games in the afternoon, notably baseball in which the faculty won the game (with what qualms next day!). There was a charming concert of cello, violin and piano, at night by the Steindel Trio. A complete holiday, from 11 o'clock on, was filled with pleasant ceremonies.

Down from 105 years came the faces of Major George C. Sibley and Mrs. Mary Easton Sibley, his wife, for the 11 o'clock program in Roemer Auditorium. These portraits, life-size, at

one end of the stage, faced portraits of similar size, at the other end, showing Col. James Gay Butler and Margaret Leggat Butler, his wife. Both groups were patriotically draped with the American flag, whose gracious folds made a background to the stage, and there were huge baskets of dahlias.

Dr. Roemer recalled to his hearers' minds the fact that the building in which they sat was on the land which Major Sibley purchased when he came out of the war of 1812. "Major Sibley said in a letter written at that time," said Dr. Roemer, "that the best thing a soldier could do was to acquire land. So he came to St. Charles and bought 120 acres, and later more." Dr. Roemer told of Mrs. Sibley's continuous teaching, first at Fort Osage, after she had been married to Major Sibley in 1816, then when Fort Osage was disbanded and they returned to St. Charles in 1827 she began teaching at "Linden Wood." Her slogan, "Education for a Useful Life," cannot be excelled today, Dr. Roemer said, as a slogan for the school.

Tribute was paid as well to Col. and Mrs. Butler, who made "the newer Lindenwood" by their gifts and endowments; also to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Watson, who "collaborated with the Sibleys and gave the first endowment that the institution ever had, which is known as the Watson Fund.

"There have been a host who participated," said Dr. Roemer, "and we are only sorry we cannot have all their pictures on this platform."

Mr. Richard Spamer, of St. Louis, who had known Col. Butler, made the anniversary address.

The processional for this service was "Onward, Christian Soldiers," with the

white-vested choir leading on, and the recessional was, "School of Our Mothers," Lindenwood's own hymn.

A splendid luncheon was served, and there was room for all the guests, 75 or more, besides the students and faculty, in the big dining room. Afterwards they sang. In the interval before the games began, many of those present went down to the graves of Major and Mrs. Sibley, which had been decorated with flowers by students of the art department.

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Among letters received after Founders' Day was one to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer from Mrs. Lenore Mittelbach Durland (1905-09), of Boonville, Mo., who said: "It was indeed a pleasure to meet both of you and my classmates, also to see the happy faces of the girls of today."

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Something New in May Day

A new May Day idea has just been adopted at Lindenwood, having been endorsed at a joint meeting of senior and junior classes, with Mrs. Roemer presiding and other teachers and class sponsors present. The new plan involves a distinct change from any followed before. This year, the crowning of the May Queen will take place as an activity separate from the Spring Pageant, which is presented by the Physical Education Department. Previously these two features have been combined in a celebration at the end of the school year, but it was decided that since the two did not go well together, two events should take place in order that justice could be done both. In the celebration in honor of the crowning of the May Queen, which will take place sometime around the first of

May, the Senior and Junior Classes, only, will participate and it will follow the program of the traditional May Day, featuring the Maypole dance. The Spring Pageant will take place the same as usual, with the Sophomores and Freshmen participating. Mrs. Roemer opened the meeting for a free discussion and members of both classes were heartily in favor of the plan.

After its adoption, Miss Schaper explained that the entire idea was an original one of Mrs. Roemer's, and had been discussed at a Student Activities Committee meeting, prior to its presentation to the classes.

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Mrs. Will Gray (Fannie J. Meyer, a former home economics student here) has recently been visiting her parents in St. Charles. She has the pleasure of many trips over the country with her husband, who is traveling representative of a New York newspaper.

Miss Lillian Rasmussen, who in 1929 received a certificate in Public School Art at Lindenwood, is showing evidence of how well she used the time (only two years) which she spent here. Having been Assistant Supervisor of Art in the public schools of Omaha, Neb., last year, she has now been promoted to teach art in four schools of Omaha. Eleven hundred children come under her teaching every week. She has written to Miss Linnemann, telling of her work.

Mrs. Hartley G. Banks (Eugenia Owen, 1925-27) who is a bride of last June, is now settled in Columbia, Mo., residing with her husband at 1100 Mores boulevard.

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Be Careful of Money

"Go home and tell your parents," said Judge Charles W. Holtcamp of the St. Louis Probate Court, to the girls at Lindenwood, in an address on November 5, so it is likely that parents may more than once receive caution at Christmas time about judicious investments, their daughters being now so well informed. Seldom has a speaker received more applause than did Judge Holtcamp. He was amusing as well as a good counsellor, in telling students of cases that came under his notice of foolish women, widows and children, who lost substantial inheritances because of the persuasions of unscrupulous agents. The sum of \$700,000,000, Judge Holtcamp said, is lost annually by women who receive inheritances from their husbands; "lost, I say," he repeated, "not spent foolishly."

Judge Holtcamp renewed his prizes in the Bible Department, in memory of his daughter, the late Dorothy Holtcamp Badgett, who was a Lindenwood graduate in 1911.

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A beautifully illustrated article in the Library Journal of September 1, a national publication, describes Lindenwood's Margaret Leggat Library. It is written by Miss Miriam Kutz, a former librarian, here.

Death of Miss Pullis

Well known among Lindenwood's loyal alumnae for 54 years, Miss Clara C. Pullis, of Kirkwood, passed away at her home, September 27. She had suffered since June from Bright's disease, and steadily grew worse. Her funeral took place, with many friends present, on Tuesday, September 29, Dr. Roemer officiating. Mrs. George Meeks, a friend of Miss Pullis in the Fortnightly Club of Kirkwood, sang, "Face to Face."

Memorials to others which Miss Pullis was a leader in erecting will now be memorials of her, too. Chief among these is the bronze tablet in Sibley Hall, in memory of former presidents of the college, of which her niece says, "Aunt Clara did work very hard on that enterprise, but dearly loved doing it."

She later presented to the college a valued book of memory, beautifully illuminated, containing the names of those who contributed to the tablet of presidents, and an account of the ceremonies of presentation.

In the following autumn Miss Pullis was instrumental in presenting a portrait of Miss Jewell, former college head, which now hangs in Sibley Hall.

Miss Pullis greeted many friends here at the time of Lindenwood's Centennial, as well as at less formal gatherings in other years. She was a student from 1874 to 1877. Several of her sisters also attended Lindenwood.

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Mrs. E. F. James, of Tulsa, Okla. (Mildred Read, 1923-24) sends her new address at 1948 South Wheeling, saying that she doesn't wish to miss a number of the Bulletin, as she "enjoys it so much."

How Lindenwood Girls Earn Their Living

Edited by Kathryn Hankins

I cannot tell you how interesting this new page in the bulletin has been to me. It is such fun to learn how the girls make their work at Lindenwood practical and useful to themselves as well as others.

Since graduating in the Centennial Class of '27, I have taught privately in Kansas City. My class in piano averages between twenty and twenty-five students. I have been fortunate in having unusually bright children to present in my two annual recitals which are given in the spring and fall.

Last November I changed my name and have been very happy in my own home. My piano work has not interfered with my home responsibilities in the least. Some day I hope to visit the college and see all of you again.

Lavena Morrison Reynolds,
2813 Parkwood Blvd.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Lindenwood:

I am earning my living away out here in Hollywood by working in a bank. The bank is on the corner of Hollywood Blvd. and Cahuenga Ave., and is right in the heart of Hollywood. Our customers include such people as Janet Gaynor, Norma Shearer, Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Poli Negri, Frederic March and loads of other movie people. I am a lowly bank clerk—even as Allan Hoover, who was recently employed by one of our other branches.

I live in Hollywood, too, at 1315 $\frac{3}{4}$ N. Catalina Street. A friend and I have an apartment there where we get our

own meals, and, believe me, I have come to the conclusion that it's no small job trying to work in an office and keep house at the same time. About four months ago, I attended the wedding of a former Lindenwood girl, Mildred Aylor, who was married to Mr. Paul Beck. She was married at Oceanside at five o'clock in the afternoon on the lawn of their home which overlooks the ocean.

I would certainly enjoy seeing any of my old classmates should they ever be in Hollywood.

Margaret W. Mitchell (1926-'27).

Perhaps this should be in the form of a business letter, but we'll just not call it that. I have been wanting to write to you for the new section in the bulletin for some time, but I have just neglected it until the last bulletin came as a reminder.

This year I have the loveliest work. I am teaching English in the new one hundred fifty thousand dollar high school of Hope, Arkansas. It is one of the best equipped buildings in the South, and we are all elated over it. As extra-curricular work, I shall be sponsor of the Journalism Club and have charge of editing the school paper, "The Bobcat."

Of course, Lindenwood this year is just as nice as possible—so nice, in fact, that I always want to come back. If they would only put in a graduate school.

Margaret Bell,
Class of '31.

Weddings

Lindenwood's honor fellowship student of 1929, Miss Elizabeth Tracy of St. Charles, was married on October 27 to Mr. Dalton W. Schreiber. Announcements were sent by her mother, Mrs. Marion P. Tracy. It will be remembered that the bride spent her year of graduate study (provided by Lindenwood's recognition of her excellent work through the four years), at the Sorbonne in France.

Miss Mary Catherine Craven (B. M. 1930) was married on Thursday, October 29, at California, Mo., to Mr. J. H. Unser, of Colorado Springs, Colo. Since leaving Lindenwood, where she gave so much pleasure with her music, she has been a highly successful teacher of music in the California schools. Mr. and Mrs. Unser will reside in Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard Abraham have announced the marriage, on October 17, of their daughter, Ethelyn (1923-24), to Mr. Fremont Bernard Thomson. The bride for the last three years has held a position as editor in the publishing department of A. C. McClurg and Company. The bridegroom is president of the B. A. L. Thomson Service Company, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kramer have sent cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Leona (A. B. 1927), to Mr. Steven Arthur Kostakos, on Saturday, October 31, at Evanston, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Kostakos will live in Chicago, and their At Home cards give their residence at 2641 Estes avenue, after December 15.

Cards from Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orville Dixon, of Tulsa, Okla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Louise (1923-25), to Mr. Lee Byron Armstrong, on Wednesday, April 1.

Announcement cards were received from Mrs. Edward G. Meriwether for the marriage of her daughter, Sarah Davis, who is a niece of Miss Clement, manager of Lindenwood's Tea Room. The bridegroom was Mr. James Sinclair Lightle, and the ceremony took place on November 7, at Fayetteville, Ark. They will reside in Searcy, Ark.

Cards were received from Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Prip, of St. Louis, announcing the marriage of their daughter Elsie (B. S. 1931) to Mr. William J. Hey, Jr., on October 25. Mr. and Mrs. Hey will live at 4249a Arco avenue.

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"When Ghosts Do Walk"

The annual Hallowe'en masquerade was held in Butler Gym on Friday night, October 30. The early part of the evening was spent in dancing. At nine o'clock the grand march was led by Dr. Roemer and Madeline Johnson, President of Y. W. From a wild conglomeration of ridiculous costumes, prizes were awarded to Virginia Baker of Falls City, Nebraska, who appeared as a Mexican; Elizabeth French of Roswell, New Mexico, a "Wash Line"; Maude Dorsett of Paris, Illinois, a "baby"; Billy Wallace of Chicago and Helen Thompson of Aurora, Illinois, "Ladies of the Bath"; and Helen Everett of Oelwein, Iowa, a "Wild Man."

Members of the faculty and administrative staff who were outstanding in their costumes were Miss Torrence, "A Nigger Boy"; Miss Reichert, a "Carpenter"; Miss Anderson, a nurse; Dr. Terhune, a Spaniard, and Miss Gehlbach as "Mary Sunshine."

Following the award of prizes by Dr. Roemer, a program was presented by the Physical Education department, composed of a number of group tap dances by students in that department. The most important announcement of the evening was made after the program, the presentation of the Halloween Queen, Addys Brown of Stamps, Arkansas. Addys was elected by the entire student body to be queen from a group of ten freshmen nominated by the freshman class. She was gorgeous in a brown and white formal. Her beauty has been called of the "Delineator cover" variety, tall, slender, cool, and poised.

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An amusing story comes from Toledo, Ohio, through that vigilant young newspaper woman and former May Queen, Betty Birch, which goes to show how psychologically people spell their words, even in this day of universal education and truant officers. Mrs. Robert Coerver of Toledo, who was Miss Elizabeth Caldwell of Pine Bluff, Ark. (Lindenwood, 1927-28) had her recent wedding duly chronicled in the Bulletin, apropos of which, besides the congratulations to which she was entitled, she has been receiving letters—so many as to make her friends laugh and consider it quite a joke—which were meant for Miss Elizabeth Colwell, of Pawnee City, Neb., a student of just a year before. Many friends of the latter saw the announcement and for-

got how Elizabeth of 1926-27 spelled her name, and thought that she was surely the bride. Almost as bad as Barry's "Brother Henry," isn't it?

Lois McKeehan, of Hot Springs, Ark., has been elected by the seniors again to be the president of her class. The juniors conferred similar honor upon Elizabeth England, of Kirkwood, Mo.

In the first student recital of the college year, on the morning of November 3, there were piano numbers by Alice Belding, Dorothy Marie Wetzel, Allie Mae Bornman, Jane Thomas, and Albertina Flach; songs by Kathryn Burkhardt, Jane Warner, Georgia Wise, and Vida Patten; and a violin number by Edith Knotts.

Mrs. Anna May Lloyd, of St. Louis, in a pleasant letter telling of a successful, quick recovery from an operation of her daughter Marion Lloyd, who was a Lindenwood student last year, says: "Mr. Lloyd and I hold a great regard for Lindenwood College, and hope to send our younger daughter Alice, that she may enjoy the advantages of the college and its marvelous natural setting among the linden trees.

Miss Linneman has started her Christmas art class, meeting on Saturdays, with indications that a good many people are going to be made happy over gifts wrought in Lindenwood's art studio. The general art class has elected officers as follows: President, Winifred Bainbridge, Marion, Ill.; vice-president, Ruth Farmiloe, Elgin, Ill.; secretary, Caroline Frasher, Des Moines, Iowa; treasurer, Esther Groves, St. Joseph, Mo.

Senior's Diary at L. C.

Oct. 19, Monday:

Variety is the spice of life—so I think, too. We're changing the May Day program. Instead of having the Queen and the pageant together, the Juniors and Seniors are to celebrate with an old fashioned May Day with the crowning of the Queen the big event, and the Sophs and Frosh will have the pageant later on. Pretty keen, I think. They can laugh at us first Maypoling, but we'll get it back at the end of school and that's the best laugh!

Oct. 20, Tuesday:

Oh, to be a Soph again! The Freshies were herded to the gym tonight and made to perform. Speaking of 12-ring circuses—that was nothing to this. What with quartets, orchestra, dogs, race horses, reciters, dancers, airplanes, all a la Frosh, we certainly got our money's worth.

Oct. 22, Thursday:

I feel so unnecessary when I think that Lindenwood is 104 years old. Wonder what I'd feel like if I were a school that old. Classes were cut short for the Founders' Day program—Seniors were hostesses. Mr. Spamer talked and then we had a "wunnerful" lunch—and I'm dieting, or rather I was. This afternoon the A. A. conducted playday. All kinds of games and to top it off, the faculty-student baseball game was a wow! The faculty certainly walked off with the score—what will tomorrow bring! And so the day ended—with the Steindel quartet. What'll I do about lessons tomorrow? Glad I'm not conscientious!

Oct. 23, Friday:

Ohhhh! Do I have terrible breaks—an exam today in one of the subjects I know nothing about and after yester-

day! Ain't there no justice?! Let a few moths out of the purse by going off to dinner, just to make myself feel better about the flunk I did. Guess I'll open a book tonight.

Oct. 26, Monday:

Am I getting inspired or am I finally taking my weight seriously? The point is I went out for hockey today. Anyway I can't be much sorer than the faculty after baseballing.

Oct. 27, Tuesday:

Just as I thought, I can scarcely move. I can get Betty to get all my stuff from town. I didn't know how to manage before. Rouge, shoes, soap flakes—ummm—what else??? Oh yeah, some cookies.

Oct. 31, Friday:

I just love school. We had the grandest meal for Hallowe'en with cute pumpkins on each table lit by candles and the rest of the lights were turned off. And the dance—Y'know, diary, I think this year was better than the last—everyone dressed up. And what costumes! Addys Brown looked so nice—she was an awful pretty queen. Wonder what everyone would do if tomorrow weren't Saturday.

Nov. 2, Monday:

Some day I'm gonna have a law against 8 o'clock college classes, 'cause wouldn't I have one every morning? What do we go to school for, anyway? Wish I could get some mail once in a while. Sophs are getting mightier with the Freshmen—had 'em over in the auditorium and gave them caps and capes and instructions. I'll bet none of the Frosh ever forget "Before thee now I humbly bow, obviously green, I trow." Gee, I must have been awful green when I was a Freshman—guess I'll bury the past, though.

Nov. 3, Tuesday:

Speaking of bells, I just hate all kinds—had to get up at 6 o'clock this morning to the dinging of an alarm clock and screams of Freshmen. Sophomore Day!!! Sure was cute, and am I tired! At the dinner dance we had the traditional red rose, class songs and sister class songs. Why do I always get sentimental at those times and practically bawl?

Nov. 6, Thursday:

Alpha Sigma Tau Tea—and I've felt like a drug store cowboy making sandwiches all morning. We made a lot of extra ones—guess I'll not go to dinner tonight.

Nov. 7, Friday:

It's wonderful to have friends who get boxes plus. Chicken and everything that goes along with it. I always gorge and then feel sorry for myself in more ways than one later. Anyway I'm happy right now.

Nov. 7, Saturday:

Went to a breakfast bridge this morning and do I ever feel ritzy. Since I couldn't afford to calm down any that day, we all went out for dinner—that of the Weekly Friday night club, only tonight it just happened to be on Saturday.

Nov. 9, Monday:

Went by Mrs. Roemer's office this morning and I've never seen so many flowers. Today's her birthday, and she got so many pretty things. Which means that the Freshman party won't be so far off!!

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Enrolling From Russia

Miss Wilma G. Hoen writes to "Dear Lindenwood Friends" from Moscow, Russia, under date of October 6. This Michigan girl is "way over here in

Russia," she says, instead of coming to Lindenwood as she had planned, but she has the chance of traveling for a year "with Dad." The winter months they are spending in Russia, and she was looking forward to seeing the Russian holidays celebrated in November. She is studying German and music over there, and after her travels are ended she hopes to enroll next September as a Lindenwood student. No doubt she will have much to tell.

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Sophomore Day at L. C.

Freshmen, BEWARE! Any girl who has attended Lindenwood will immediately recognize those words as symbolic of Sophomore Day. On the morning of November 3, all of the Freshmen were ordered onto the quadrangle at 6:30. They were decked out in green Freshie caps and capes. Even the Freshman President, Marye Priest of Oklahoma City, was shivering from fright. Then came the Sophomores! Led by their President, Helen Morgan of Granite City, Illinois, they advanced slowly, singing in low voices, a song which sounded like a funeral dirge. They all wore the new Sophomore jackets, which were of white corduroy. The Freshmen were given orders for the day. On Campus the Freshmen performed all day; bowing to the Sophomores, carrying books, singing songs, and dancing. After dinner, a dance was held in the Gym and there was a great making peace between the Sophomores and Freshmen. However, it will be a long time before the Freshmen forget the threats and horrors of Sophomore Day.

"Woe to you is our decree,
We're the Sophomores!"

New Members at K. C.

A delightful meeting was enjoyed November 3 by the Kansas City Lindenwood College Club at the Park Lane. The members felt very much at home to be met by Fredericka Priesmeyer (now Mrs. Joe Cook), whose husband is manager of "the lovely Park Lane."

"She had planned a delicious meal, and what a happy table it was! Twenty-seven gay, friendly Lindenwood faces, and many of them new faces! That always makes us happy, to have new Lindenwood girls. After we had finished the thoroughly satisfying luncheon, a new guest was announced, Mrs. C. F. Barnly (Mildred Howard, 1916-17), who played two numbers which were greatly enjoyed, and then she played her Lindenwood selection. Its familiar strains sent thrills through the group, and brought back happy memories.

"Afterward we were escorted to a very pleasant room, and had the rest of the program, which was most interesting. Mrs. J. H. Todd gave a splendid review of the book, 'A White Bird Flying.'

"It was a most satisfactory meeting in every way, and we are enthusiastic about the new members who are attending the meetings."

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"Even if I didn't make a newspaper woman, I married a newspaper man," writes Helen Oliver Hume (A. B., 1929), whose home is 1428 Massachusetts avenue, Washington, D. C. She finds Washington life especially to her liking, "being so close to things." She encloses some of her husband's Washington work, which is syndicated over a large number of New England newspapers.

Southern California Meets

The Lindenwood College Club of Southern California enjoyed its first meeting of the fall, with a tea at the residence of Mrs. May Stelle, 512 South Park View street. Eleven members attended. After the business of the club was transacted, the members were delightfully entertained with readings by Miss Besselle David.

Hospitality is unstinted and this club has a prospect of numerous meetings in the coming winter, in the homes of various members who have asked the privilege of entertaining the club.

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Miss Tom Johnson (A. B., 1923) is teaching in the high school at Mangum, Okla. Her younger sister Joan hopes to come to Lindenwood next year.

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Births

"Hello, Everybody!" says the little pink-and-blue baby chariot from Camden, Ark., announcing the arrival on October 14, "to stay with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wilkin" (Dorothy Mae Rumph, 1923-25) of Charles Robert, Jr.

"Two future girls for Lindenwood," writes their grandmother, Mrs. Blanche S. Foster, of Bartlesville, Okla., telling of the advent of Carolyn and Cathryn, on July 5—twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Coxwell (Bernice Foster, 1923-24), of Bartlesville.

Mrs. Clarence Allen Good, Jr., (Virginia McClure, 1926-28) of 4945 Buckingham Court, St. Louis, writes of the coming of her son, Clarence Allen Good III on August 7—"a fine boy, and almost big enough to go to Lindenwood for dates now."