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DR. GAGE IS LINDENWOOD'S NEW PRESIDENT

Popularity Queen To Reign at Dance Saturday Night

Who will be Lindenwood's Popularity Queen? One girl has been selected to reign over her court at the dance where she will be presented on Feb. 28. There are ten nominees and out of these, one girl will be queen and the remaining nine girls will make up her court. The ten nominees are: Ruth Dayton, Grace Quebbeman, Dorothy Rhea, Mary Jean DuHadway, Margaret Chapman, Ruth Faucett, Sara Jefferson, Peggy Turcott, Evelyn Bradley, and Rebecca Rath. The popularity queen is chosen from the upperclassmen and is an annual event.

Lindenwood Faculty Members Speak at Conventions

A delegation consisting of Dr. Raymond L. Garnett, Dr. Kate Gregg, Dr. Alice Parker, and Dr. Jessie Bernard represented Lindenwood College at a meeting on the contribution of liberal arts colleges to teacher training, held at Springfield, Mo., February 14 and 15. The conference was under the auspices of the North Central Association.

Dr. Gregg, in the section on languages and literature, described her course on American Literature, which is considered one of the outstanding courses on the subject in this part of the country. Dr. Bernard, serving as proxy for Dr. Schaper, described the American Contemporary Civilization course in the section on the social sciences. Dr. Garnett participated in the section Personnel and Dr. Parker in the section on languages and literature.

Dr. Lloyd B. Harmon attended The National Association of Biblical Instructors at the Oriental Institute in Chicago, Ill., February 10. At this time Bible instructors from all over the country met to share experiences in college teaching. This conference consisted of a series of talks which started February 9, and was concluded with a panel discussion on "Resources in the Bible to Undergird Our Democratic Civilization and How to Use Them."

Prof. Stine Writes For Speech Magazine

Prof. John Stine of the Speech Department, is one of the contributing editors of *Speech* magazine. He has written articles on the methods of teaching different phases of dramatics such as pantomime, how a teacher organizes material, and the fundamentals of teaching speech.

Introducing the Members of Dr. Gage's Family

The Linden Bark would like to introduce Dr. Gage's family to the Lindenwood students. Avery Gage, is a flying cadet at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Mrs. George Harless (Mary Gage) lives in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and the twins, Bill and Betty, are juniors at Coe College where they will be graduated next year.

The youngest daughter, Louise, attends Cedar Rapids High School where she is a junior. The family will move to St. Charles in June.

Two One-Act Plays Given In Little Theatre

The Dramatic Art department of Lindenwood College presented two one-act plays, February 12, 1941, in the Little Theatre. They were: "I Know George Washington," by Pauline Phelps, and "The China Pig," by Evelyn Emig.

The characters in "I Know George Washington" were taken by Shirley Gardener, Ellen Marie Gallagher, Sara Jefferson, Phyllis Drake, Marion Wettstone, Mable Buhner, and Bernice Clark.

Bobbie Hill, Sue Riley, and Martha Robbins made up the cast of "The China Pig."

The productions were under the direction of Miss Mary McKenzie Gordon. Stage managers were Helen Dondanville and Phyllis Drake. The costume crew consisted of Helen Dondanville, Sara Jefferson, and Dorothy Simonsen.

The scenery and stage crew was made up of Mary Ingersoll, Dore Johnson, Sue Riley, Martha Robbins, Helen Dondanville, Phyllis Drake, Rosemary Edminster, Bobbie Hill, and Jeanie Swarr.

Lindenwood Review Is Hilarious Satire of College Life

With Mr. Motley as master of ceremonies, the Lindenwood Revue, about which there has been much whispering on the campus the last few days, came into being Friday night. Mr. Motley began the show, among hilarious hoots and squeals from the audience, with a side-splitting announcement of the wonders to be seen.

The freshmen, who enacted "Impressions," gave a clever skit, depicting the trials and tribulations of the timid freshman. The sophomore skit "Traditions," gave us an idea of Lindenwood in the good old days of chafing dishes and oil lamps. The juniors presented "A Morning in Mr. Motley's Office," in which anything could happen—and did.

OUR PRESIDENT



DR. HARRY MOREHOUSE GAGE

Students Contribute To Fund For Flying Mercy Ship

In accordance with the policy of our country to send aid to England to help them in their fight against Hitler, Lindenwood, with several other colleges, is sending money to the British-American Ambulance Corps to buy a flying mercy ship.

The flying mercy ship is designed to bring aid to ships which have been bombed and to planes which have been downed in the Atlantic during battle. The ambulance plane carries doctors and nurses, and is equipped to treat the injured.

Lindenwood's name as well as the name of other colleges who have contributed to the fund will be engraved on the ship. Contributions were made by students, the faculty, and administration.

Will Preside at Family Life Conference

Dr. Harry Morehouse Gage, the eleventh president of Lindenwood in 115 years, will arrive on the campus Sunday, March 2, to preside at Sunday night Vespers service, though Lindenwood may expect an informal visit at any time.

For the rest of the academic year Dr. Gage will divide his time between Lindenwood and Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Ia., living in the Gables while on the campus.

Some months will elapse before Dr. Gage's inauguration. The formal procession in which representatives from all adjoining colleges participate may not be held until next fall.

"In Dr. Gage," Dr. John W. MacIvor, president of the board of directors of the college stated, "Lindenwood will have a president rich in experience in Presbyterian colleges and also in public education. He brings to Lindenwood a record of service both to the educational institutions he has headed and in public affairs."

Dr. Gage was born in Franklin, Ohio, in 1878. He attended Grinnell Academy and later Wooster College. He taught Greek at Huron College before going to Columbia University in New York at a university fellow in philosophy. He received his M. A. degree from Columbia, and he has been honored with the degree of doctor of laws by Wooster College and Parson College. The honorary degree of doctor of divinity has been conferred on him by both Emporia College and Illinois College.

Dr. Gage has been president of Coe College since 1920.

Lindenwood is fortunate in having a president who is widely experienced in public education. Dr. Gage is one of the founders and a former president of the Association of American Colleges and Secondary Schools, served from 1928 to 1940 as chairman of the North Central Association Commission on Higher Education, and is a member of the North Central Association Commission on Preparation of School Teachers by Colleges.

Besides being the president of Coe College, he has been president of Huron College, Huron, S. Da., and for seven years was a professor of philosophy at Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa.

Dr. Gage has also been active in church affairs for many years, having been ordained to the Presbyterian ministry in 1913. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Chicago and was chairman of the board in 1935-37. He is

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1941

Our New President

Lindenwood expectantly awaits the arrival of its eleventh president after the memorable church service in which all of Lindenwood participated. The students listened carefully to his splendid address and are now looking forward to meeting him personally on the campus.

Dr. Gage brings to Lindenwood a rich experience in the problems of education. He has pioneered and taken part in some of the most important educational organizations in the country. The school looks to him for leadership toward higher educational achievement.

Beware The Ides of March

Beware the Ides of March!! This statement was designed to produce chills and trembling in the bravest of hearts, though none of you readers would probably give it another thought if we didn't bring it to mind.

For the benefit of those who have not dipped into Shakespeare's great literary gems (unfortunate souls!), or are not quite up on Roman history (perish the thought!) a bit of explanation is in order. It all came about because long ago an ambitious Roman named Caesar was stabbed any number of times in the right places by a jealous Roman named Brutus—or was it Mark Anthony—and his cohorts during the Ides of March.

But don't be unduly alarmed. Probably none of you will suffer the terrible injustice that Caesar did, but strange things can happen. If you're prone to sleeping through eight o'clock classes, you probably will. This really isn't so disastrous especially if you're tired, but remember that promiscuous cutting isn't condoned. Also be sure to get each lesson during this time because teachers are likely to spring "pop" tests on you from all sides, (not that they don't do it on all other occasions and at the least provocation at well.) Or perhaps you'll be subject to spells of falling down (or up) stairs, spilling things at the table, or slipping in the bathtub.

Any of these dire doings may happen and that's why we say, "Beware the Ides of March!" So whatever happens don't say we didn't warn you.

Don't Miss The Exhibits

Something new and of interest this year are the exhibits presented on the first floor of Roemer Hall. Already there have been exhibits in eight different departments of the school. These have been on Social Welfare, Botany, Mental Hygiene, Classical Languages, Dances, Hobbies, and displays from the Economics Department, Costume Class, and the French Department.

We have enjoyed these exhibits and are looking forward to the different ones from each department on Lindenwood campus.

A Cordial Welcome

Every year the League of Women Voters' Clubs of Missouri hold a state convention. This year Lindenwood is honored by being chosen as host to the convention.

These clubs are nation wide and exert a great deal of influence in politics and legislation in the United States. Its members are the intelligent, wide awake women in every community. The purpose of the organization is to educate women in voting and in politics (although it is strictly non-partisan), they support certain bills and legislation which are for the betterment of all citizens, and to work for civic improvement in their home communities.

Lindenwood—faculty, administration, and students—welcomes the state convention of the League of Women Voters, March 28-29. The convention will be of interest to all Lindenwood women, and we, in turn, hope to be perfect hosts to all the delegates.

ALL BARK and NO BITE

by
COTTON CANNON

The Lindenwood Revue has come and gone, but memories of Uncle Guy C. Motley as master of ceremonies live on forever . . . Lots has happened in the past two weeks which we had better get busy and clear off the record . . . Bob Hope selected Charlotte Bagley as a company beauty queen for the military ball at Wentworth Military Academy . . . Tis said Charlotte had a big week-end roaring at Bob Hope and dancing with Cadet Robert Hull . . .

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Some poor fellow being initiated into a fraternity at Washington U. certainly caused a riot at the last date dance here, and was Dorothy Rhea embarrassed! . . . He appeared at the door in a most disreputable outfit with the explanation that he had been sent out here for her autograph and had been chasing all over the campus looking for her. He finally tracked her down on the dance floor . . . P. S. He got the autograph . . . Quite a few more of our number passed the annual milestones last week—Congratulations Polly Gray, Posy Edminster, Frances Jo Susong, and Gerry Wachter . . .

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A bread and butter letter from us all goes to the freshman class for their swell dinner dance and side-splitting chapel program . . . this year's crop of freshmen sure are live wires . . . Gwen Halter got pinned and Jayne Brattsrom acquired a signet ring all on the same week-end . . . second-semester Freshie, Dorothy Lowe got a very unusual letter from her pals who are missing her already . . . It seems that all the gang were having dinner together, so they wrote her a letter on the tablecloth and bundled it off to L. C. That tablecloth was so crammed with writing there wasn't even a space left to spill anything in . . . Two seniors packed up and deserted us for the week-end . . . Mary Ekberg heading toward Arkansas to see Pierson and Martha Weber dashing to Wisconsin for a quick visit with Tom . . .

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From all reports our campus holiday was a big success . . . open house in every hall, and so nice to have our very good friends the faculty as our guests . . . Anybody who would like to act as bodyguard to Jean Swarr twice a day when she goes for her mail, please notify this column, as it certainly looks like she needs one . . . Last week the postman brought a charming letter from a very chummy guy in New Jersey that Jeanie never heard of, and the latest is a pleading note from the Church of the Rescued, wherever it may be, asking her to go on a lecture tour with them as a reformed individual . . . Looks like jobs aren't so hard to get after all these days, the way they just up and jump into her mailbox . . . Peg Turcott got a very original valentine from Roswell, New Mex. . . Ralph cut a recording of Stardust and Frenesi and talks to her against a background of soft music . . . Sorry, but Captain Hartmann's conversation is censored . . . Poor Dr. Garnett was really woofed recently . . . He taught five classes and then dashed down and helped to prepare and serve a church supper . . . Oh

Robert P. Coffin Delights Students With His Poetry

By Carol Robinson

Robert P. Tristram Coffin has recently finished a new novel, he revealed during a visit to Lindenwood recently. It is a new venture in the field of literature as he erases time but not space and deals with four generations of men. He has named it "Thomas, Thomas, Ancil, and Thomas," and explains with a chuckle and a merry twinkle in his eyes, "it is a wild idea and very probably a wild book."

Mr. Coffin teaches English literature at Bowdoin, a boys' college, although he formerly taught at Wells, a girls' school. He remarked he would rather teach or talk to a group of girls than to boys because "girls react quicker—show their approval or displeasure of a thing" while boys merely sit quietly and seem rather indifferent.

To an audience of students and faculty Mr. Coffin read his poems in a low soothing monotone. He defined a poet as a man who "has his hands deep in life." His poetry concerns homely, common things such as a rocking chair, milking, maybaskets, and willow whistles.

The two men (one of whom was Edgar Taylor, head of Taylor school of St. Louis) who accompanied him attended Oxford with Mr. Coffin.

All Lindenwood students recognize Mr. Coffin's name in connection with two of his works, an essay, "Codfish Chowder and Sun," and a poem, "Strange Holiness," which are in the freshman anthology.

well, its all in a day's work . . .

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Semester Dirge

'Twas a sad and gloomy morning
Although the sun was shining
bright;
Forgotten were the thrills and joys
Of the preceding Friday night.

Tho Saturday's a day of fun,
This one was an exception;
For woe had spread through all
the dorms
Like some contagious infection.

It lingered in the minds of some
And disfigured others' faces;
It showed itself in students' words,
And prevailed in many phrases.

It began in our mailboxes,
Which usually radiate joy,
And often hold a letter from Dad,
Or Mother, or "sonny boy."

But that day they held no sunshine
No joy shone all about;
For the mailboxes revealed but one
sad thing:
"Semester grades were out!"

THE CLUB CORNER

By
MARY SUE TALLMAN

The International Relations Club held a meeting Thursday, February 20, in the Library Club Rooms. The Lend-Lease Bill and the Aid to Britain Campaign were the topics of discussion.

Sigma Tau Delta, national English society, will hold its next meeting Thursday, February 27. At this meeting new members will be considered and speakers for the following meetings will be decided upon.

The Triangle Club will meet Tuesday, February 25. This meeting promises to reveal some very interesting facts with regard to future plans of the club.

Dr. Chambers of the philosophy department of Washington University spoke to the Y. W. C. A. on Mohammedanism. Dr. Chambers has lived in Constantinople and taught Turkish girls for four years. This talk was one in a series of talks that will be given on different religions in the world today.

Miss Tucker sponsored the radio program Sunday, February 23. The discussion was on "Internationalism in Dress." Those taking part were Miss Barbara Taylor of York, Nebraska; Miss Ardathe Ruple of Knoxville, Iowa; Miss Peggy Cassell of Los Angeles, California; Miss Kay Anderson of Fort Worth, Texas; and Miss Ada Tucker of the home economics department of the college.

The League of Women Voters held a meeting Monday, February 17, in the Library Club Rooms. Miss Welsh, secretary of the State League, spoke on the part that each member plays in the National League, and the organization of the State League. Copies of the League's magazine will be placed in each dormitory and Dr. Schaper's office for students to read.

At a meeting of Alpha Psi Omega, the honorary dramatic sorority, Mary James, Betty Lillibrige and Phyllis Drake were initiated. After the meeting the members had dinner in the Tea House.

Mu Phi Epsilon gave a tea and musical program February 14, in honor of its National President, Mrs. Elizabeth Kidd. The Sorority entertained its patrons and patronesses at a dinner party preceding the recital of Mr. Francis Jones, February 17.

Pi Alpha Delta, at its meeting Monday, February 24, initiated Jacqueline Morrison and Grace Quebbeman. After the meeting refreshments were served.

The Home Economics Club held an open meeting February 19, at which Mrs. Franklin Meyers of St. Louis County spoke on porcelain and Meissen ware.

Wednesday Addresses Inaugurated

Lent begins Wednesday, Feb. 21. Dr. Sweazey's address that morning will be the first of a series of Wednesday morning addresses.

On Wednesday, March 5, Rosemary Edminster will be the speaker; March 12, the Rev. Kenneth Heim, Rector of the Episcopal Church of Ferguson, Missouri; March 19, Dr. Harry T. Scherer, Webster Groves Presbyterian Church; March 26, Evelyn Bradley; and April 2, Dr. B. F. Hall, Central Presbyterian Church, Clayton, Missouri.

HALL OF FAME



We nominate for the Hall of Fame, Jacqueline Morrison, because:

In her sophomore year she was vice-president of Beta Chi.

In her junior year she became secretary-treasurer of Beta Chi, associate member of Pi Alpha Delta, and a member of Beta Pi Theta and the Athletic Association.

Now, in her senior year, Jacqueline is president of Beta Chi, vice-president of Pi Alpha Delta, secretary of Beta Pi Theta, treasurer of the Poetry Society, treasurer of the International Relations Club, and a member of Alpha Sigma Tau, and on the Senior Class Council.

This petite, smartly-dressed Miss with the friendly "hello" can often be seen browsing around the library (she's read everything!) or chatting over a coke in the tearoom. "Jerk" lives down among the upperclassmen in Senior Hall.

Conference on Religion Begins

The college conference on religion began Monday morning and will end Friday of this week. Dr. George Sweazey of Tyler Place Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, will be the main speaker and leader of the conference.

Yesterday an informal reception was held in Ayres parlors and after dinner the Student Council, YWCA Cabinet, and the Vespers Council met with Dr. Sweazey to discuss the details of the week's program.

Today Dr. Sweazey addressed the student body on the subject, "The Thoughtful Person's Approach to Religion." From 2 until 5:15 Dr. Sweazey will hold individual conferences in the reception room in Roemer Hall, either by appointment or as you drop in. Today at 6:30 there will be an open forum in the library club rooms. Questions of the students, either handed in before hand or extemporaneous, will be answered informally by Dr. Sweazey.

Wednesday Dr. Sweazey will speak in chapel on "Christianity as Hero Worship." Conference in the afternoon and an open forum in the evening will follow in the same manner as those of Tuesday.

There will be no chapel address on Thursday, but Dr. Sweazey will hold individual conferences in the afternoon.

Dr. Harmon Writes Philosophy Paper

A philosophy paper, written by Dr. Harmon of the Bible and philosophy department, will come before the Philosophy Club of St. Louis, March 13. The meeting is to be held at Font Bonne College. His paper is entitled "The Triumph of Art over Life."

Prof. John Thomas Is This Week's Linden Bark Quiz Conductor

Prof. John Thomas has been selected as guest conductor of this week's quiz. He has chosen a series of questions on music. Test yourself and then check by the answers on page 4.

1. Name the world-famous pianist, composer, statesman, and scholar whose Golden Anniversary of his American concert debut is being celebrated this year.

2. Name a well-known Hollywood motion picture actress who majored in music during her college years.

3. Name a well-known Hollywood motion picture actor who is a very capable 'cellist.

4. He has been among the real leaders of "Jazz" and "Swing" for a number of years. He is now gaining an enviable reputation as an interpreter of Mozart, Debussy, and Bartok. He plays the clarinet in such a way that New York's music critics call him a great artist.

5. During the course of his recital in a famous European capital a celebrated pianist was faced with the difficult situation of having a broken key near the center of the keyboard. He transposed the key of an entire sonata, one-half tone, and completed the recital in triumph. His name, please?

6. Name the American composer recently elected to the Hall of Fame.

7. Give the full titles of the organizations known as A. S. C. A. P. and B. M. I.

8. Name the St. Louis soprano who, for many years, was a church soloist in that city, and is now one of the greatest operatic singers in the world. A member of the Metropolitan Opera Company, a much sought-after soloist with American Symphony Orchestras. Not many years ago she sang a recital in Roemer Auditorium.

Fashion Is Spinach

The latest Vogue tells us that complete costumes of one color, flower hats, sloping shoulders and red shoes are good for spring of 1941. And red shoes are exactly what Carol Bindley and Bette Tatum have. They're pumps and suede, and the kind that make girls who have feet that are either too big or too shy to appear in scarlet encasements very envious.

The nautical influence has really hit the Lindenwood campus. A few weeks ago an attempt to purchase anything resembling a middy blouse was met with practical defeat. Even so, this reporter is willing to bet that almost before St. Louis thought of it Doris Banta and Carol Hammerschmidt were sallying forth in crisp white blouses and flying collars with navy skirts.

But even though an early spring is predicted it hasn't come yet and there are still plenty of winter days ahead. Of the sweaters and skirts on campus one of the particularly good-looking sets is one owned by Betty Peck. It has a luscious blue-gray tweed skirt flecked with red and a matching sweater that carries the same tweed in the knit. And don't you like the sweater and sock set that Ann Held wears so beautifully with her auburn tresses. It's a rust cable-stitch sweater and knee socks worn with a shorter-than-average skirt.

This is the year for fur coats and also the year for spotted furs. Lois Watters has a black, loose-fitting double-breasted coat trimmed with leopard that has a hat to match. It has a youthful look about it and the

hat that sits pertly on the back of the head adds a dash of smartness.

January and February are without a doubt the dreariest of months. A closet that in September looked so bright and shiny looks dull and dreary after Christmas. But Jean James has just the dress to brighten spirits as well as wardrobes. It's a milky-beige flannel dress that buttons down the front and has long full sleeves. The skirt has a soft fullness that is drawn together easily by a belt at the waist.

Dr. Gage Is College's New President

a trustee of the Presbyterian College of Christian Education, secretary of the Presbyterian Union, a member of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, and was a member of the Permanent Judicial Commission of the Presbyterian Church.

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Students Attend Services At Second Presbyterian Church

Four hundred and fifty students, faculty members and administration officials of Lindenwood College attended the Second Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, Sunday, February 16 to pay tribute to the church for its continual support of the college and to Dr. MacIvor, president of the College Board.

"Power is based on a following of youth," said Dr. Gage, new president of Lindenwood College. "No leader can be dominant or all-powerful without the devotion of youth.

"Our age is characterized by the startling rise and influence of dominant leaders," Dr. Gage continued. "For some time we have been under the mistaken impression that the masses abroad have been held down by brute force. We have overlooked the fact that the leaders of these masses first were acclaimed with enthusiasm and followed by the blind devotion of youth.

"A number of names come to our minds today when we think of modern leaders — Gandhi, Kemal Pasha, first Lenin in Russia, now Stalin, Hitler, Mussolini, Baldwin, Chamberlain, now Churchill, Willkie and President Roosevelt. Youth must remember that the most conspicuous leaders are not, in many cases, the most effective ones. Often they are only figureheads. A real leader molds the plastic forces of life that lie about him and dictates the character of those who follow him. Disaster and lust have resulted from the beginning of time from incompetent leadership. Youth cannot avoid the choice of leadership.

"God," concluded Dr. Gage, "is the only leader to whom youth can give unflinching devotion and personal consecration."

Webster Groves High School Choir to Give Concert

The Webster Groves High School A Capella Choir, which gained national prominence recently by appearing on network radio programs, will give a concert at 4:45 p. m. today in Roemer Auditorium.

The choir, which is directed by Miss Esther Replogle, is recognized as one of the outstanding musical organizations of the middle west, according to Prof. John Thomas of the Music Department. A portion of the program will be devoted to a demonstration of vocal methods and procedure.

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Youth means a temperamental predominance of courage over timidity, of the appetite for adventure over love of ease. This often exists in a man of fifty more than in a boy of twenty.

Nobody grows old by merely living a number of years; people grow old only by deserting their ideals. Years wrinkle the skin, but to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul. Worry, doubt, self-distrust, fear and despair—these are the long, long years that bow the head and turn the growing spirit back to dust.

Whether seventy or sixteen, there is in every being's heart the love of wonder, the sweet amazement at the stars and the starlike things and thoughts, the undaunted challenge of events, the unflinching childlike appetite for what next, and the joy and the game of life.

You are as young as your faith, as old as your doubt; as young as your self-confidence, as old as your fear; as young as your hope, as old as your despair.

In the central place of your heart there is a wireless station; so long as it receives messages of beauty, hope, cheer, courage, grandeur, and power from the earth, from men and from the Infinite, so long are you young.

When the wires are all down and all the central place of your heart is covered with the snows of pessimism and the ice of cynicism, then are you grown old indeed and may God have mercy on your soul.

—Anonymous.

Answers to Bark Quiz

1. Paderewski.
2. Irene Dunne.
3. Charley Chaplin.
4. Benny Goodman.
5. Eugen d'Albert.
6. Stephen Foster.
7. American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers. Broadcast Music Incorporated.
8. Helen Traubel.

Freshmen Honored At Dinner Dances

Freshman Day on February 14 was carried out by the Valentine motif. During the day all Freshmen wore the new beige class jackets so they might distinguish themselves from the other students. An original skit was presented in chapel by a group of these girls. A formal dinner dance was held that night in honor of the class of '44. The tables were decorated in the Valentine theme and small glass dogs were given to each girl as favors.

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Sidelights of Society

Sara Jane Marfey, one of Lindenwood's students last year, returned last week for a short visit with old friends and places. She stayed with Marion Wettstone. Another week-end guest was Martine Brown of Russellville, Kentucky who stayed for a few days with Marion Barkman and Vivian Page.

Last week-end a number of Lindenwood girls went off to other schools and colleges to dances, but not all went with as much honor attached to it as did Charlotte Bagley. She was chosen to reign as one of a court of eight queens to reign over the Wentworth Military Ball.

Ruth Schrader returned to school February 13 after a week of the measles.

Geraldine Rasdal spoke at a meeting of the Presbyterian Westminster Guild on the evening of Wednesday, February 18.

Mary Jane Bender and Jean Hayes went home for the week-end. Mary Jane went to McAlester, Oklahoma, and Jean to Oklahoma City.

A number of girls went to Chicago for the week-end. Frances Phifer, Mary Zuercher and Marilo Lotts were invited to the Washington Prom, given by the University of Chicago at the Palmer House, February 21. Bobbie Cravens, Alla Jo Walter, Barbara Gray, and Jeanne Gray also journeyed to Chicago, to visit their parents. Audrey Phelps accompanied the latter group as far as Western Springs, Illinois. Gwen Smith visited her aunt in Chicago.

Madge Mullally headed for Notre

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Dorothy Sherard visited at Stephens and Martha Ann England was a guest at Missouri University.

Betty McKendrey gave a party in Sibley recreational room Saturday night a week ago. Mrs. O'Rear and Mrs. Stanley were honored guests.

Dorothy Moss, Lois Anderson and Patria Junell attended the Sophomore Hop at Kansas University. Jan Savitt's orchestra played for the big affair.

Ann Apperson and Margery Druif attended the United Daughters of the Confederacy ball given at the Jefferson hotel in St. Louis, February 14.

Elizabeth Crossman had as guest last week-end, Miss Mary Wayne of Edwardsville, Illinois.

Over the week-end of February 14-16, Carol Bindley's grandmother played hostess to suite No. 216-218 Irwin. Jean Martin's father payed her a visit as did Ginny Bauski's parents. Debby Higbee spent her usual two days in St. Louis.

Florence Barry and Bobby Burnett went calling on the former's brother at Western. Sue Rosenthal and Barbara Goldenberg spent the week-end in St. Louis as guests of the latter's parents.

Marilyn Applebaum had the pleasure of a visit from the notorious "My Brother."

Betty Beard excursioned to Purdue to be with Jack — and her sister, too.

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