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November A Merry Month

Anniversary Celebrations Enhanced by the Centennial

Even in the breathlessness of "Seventeen Days Till Christmas Vacation", the Lindenwood students and faculty found time to enjoy an overflowing November. Events for "memory books" occurred almost every day, but conspicuous above all were three anniversaries which Lindenwood always celebrates: Mrs. Roemer's Birthday; two days later, Armistice Day; and on November 25, Thanksgiving.

MRS. ROEMER'S BIRTHDAY

Colors of the Class of 1930 are green and yellow, so despite the cold rains and impending snows which came so early, Butler Gym was a vision of springtime to greet Mrs. Roemer on her birthday, November 9. Yellow chrysanthemums were the flower used, by dozens,-large chrysanthemums for the hall, and pretty button flowers for the tables in the dining-room, where nearly 100 guests added to the gaiety. The ceiling of the gym was hung with hundreds of fringed festoons of green and shaded yellow crepe paper, with a huge mirror globe in the center, played on by many lights, while at the place of honor for Mrs. Roemer, at the west end of the hall, a "Colonial porch" had been erected, a delicate way of expressing appreciation of the Dean of Students' fulfilled ideal in the New Sibley's long Colonial porch.

Mrs. Roemer wore a gown designed

by some one who knew the freshman colors, in green georgette veiled with gold lace. All the dresses were remarked as unusually beautiful, particularly those of the freshmen.

In the class, the officers, Dorothy Monier, Evelyn Manchester, Josephine Bowman, and Gwendolyn Golladay, were assisted by their class sponsor, Miss Florence Schaper, of the chair of sociology, and there were committees responsible for each detail, as follows: decoration, Joyce Bleck; entertainment, Helen Condon; invitation, Lala Rookh Varner; costume, Lenore Schofield; dance, Mary Dix.

There was an elaborate dinner, with the charming birthday feature of the candle-lit birthday cake, while the traditional birthday greeting was sung. At 8:20 o'clock, all went to the hall, Mrs. Roemer wearing the lovely corsage of Ophelia roses which was the gift of the freshman class; she led the grand march with the class president.

The dance programmes were a new idea in cardboard disks, bound with yellow silk cord. The title-page announced that this was "a Centennial Celebration in Honor of Mrs. John Lincoln Roemer".

Miss Betty Birch, an upperclassman, lent her talents to the freshmen by writing for them an original dance interpretation, "Progress of the Freshman", por-

traying the Lindenwood freshman class as it may have existed 100 years ago. Miss Lucia Hutchins, of the expression department, directed the production. There were five scenes, "The Freshman in 1827", "First Experience with Homesickness, Difficult Studies, Student Government, Examinations"; "The Sophomore Contact"; "Spirit of Lindenwood, Traditions of Loyalty, Sportsmanship, Ideals, Scholarships"; and "Unity in the Collegiate World". The last scene represented Lindenwood's standardization in the associations of four-year colleges. The play was one of the most pleasing ever seen at any of Lindenwood's informal entertainments.

Refreshments were served in ices and cake, in class colors.

ARMISTICE DAY

An address of value to prospective voters, "What is Your Citizenship Worth?" was given on Thursday morning, November 11, by Hon. Louis E. Miller, of St. Louis, a veteran of the World War. It so happened that two other men on the platform had given service in the war. Dr. B. Kurt Stumberg, presiding, was Captain M. R. C., and a member of T. B. Board, Camp Funsten, Kans. Mr. John Thomas, Director of Music, was Regimental Sergeant-Major, 161st Infantry, U. S. A. Overseas. Dr. Calder pronounced the invocation.

Mr. Miller's address presented the development of liberty as a priceless heritage, showing how greatly to be cherished are the privileges of American citizenship. He pointed out woman's duty, since she has "an equal participation in all affairs of the Government," comparing this relationship with that of a stockholder in a corporation, in which her vote is equal to that of the president himself.

The music of the day was notable, the choir singing in processional, under the direction of Miss Cora N. Edwards, "The Long, Long Trail". Also the hymns, "God Bless Our Native Land", and "My Country, "Tis of Thee", were sung. The Lindenwood Quartette rendered in beautiful harmony, Kiplings's "Lest We Forget".

Aline B. Davidson's reading, "Yellow Butterflies", by Andrews, was a touching idyll of "the Unknown Soldier" which seemed exactly suited to the day.

THANKSGIVING

A pleasing thing to remember on Thanksgiving Day was the annual offering for charity, half of which went to Markham Memorial Church, and half for the benefit of the old people in the Infirmary of St. Charles County. Further gifts will be made at Christmas time.

Dr. John H. Moorehead, of the Carondelet Presbyterian Church, was the Thanksgiving Day preacher. His sermon was of much interest, this being the first time he has served Lindenwood in this capacity. The students gave music numbers in keeping.

The hockey game verdict is not in, at the time of the Bulletin's going to press. It will be announced in the next issue, whether Missouri or Kansas prevailed. Squads of about 25 on each side were in active practice, long beforehand, and the players for the test game were not selected absolutely until Thanksgiving morning.

The Thanksgiving dinner was designed by Miss Walter, the dietitian, to be "just as good a dinner as any girl could have had at home", so of course the girls all stayed. The tea-dance by State clubs followed, and at night, the play.

The Thanksgiving play has come to be a definite part of Y. W. C. A. activities of the college year. Always a new and fresh play, this time it was "White Collars", a three-act comedy by Edith Ellis, which is built around the effort of the daughter of a "white collar" family to make her millionaire husband realize the worth of her family. In the end, he does appreciate them, and they learn to appreciate him in other ways apart from the money standpoint. The cast was composed of Marian Eldredge, Pauline Short, Dorothy Shirley, Elizabeth Tracy, Margaret Keesor, Elizabeth French, Martha Brinkerhoff, Harriet Collins, and Virginia Hoover.

Art Bazaar

Miss Linnemann's art students will hold a Christmas bazaar, Friday afternoon, December 10, in the art department, third floor of Roemer Auditorium. The proceeds will be given to the Mary Easton Sibley Fund. Many beautiful gifts have been prepared by weeks of advance work on Saturdays.

Attended State Convention

Dr. Roemer was obliged to leave for Kansas City, as soon as the birthday party ended, in order to attend several days' session there of the State Teachers' Association, in which he is at the head of the College and University section. Dean Gipson had gone the day before, and took part in the senior college section meetings.

Others in the delegation from Lindenwood were Secretary Motley and Mr. C. A. Blocher.

All enjoyed the hospitality of the Kansas City Lindenwood College Club, at a luncheon given at the Kansas City Club on Friday, November 12.

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The Kansas Club gave an enjoyable party in Butler Gym on the night of November 12.

Student Council Elected

With each succeeding year, the plan of student government seems to grow more successful. All the members of the Board this fall were elected by the students themselves. Hitherto, many of them have been appointed by the faculty. After the house presidents were chosen (their names being given below), there was a series of teas in each hall to help on a general acquaintance in the student body. Dr. and Mrs. Roemer and Dean Gipson assisted in receiving at these various affairs.

The Student Board as now constituted for the college year is as follows:

President, Mary Louise Blocher, of St. Charles, Mo.; vice-president, Harriet Liddle, of Des Moines, Iowa; secretary and treasurer, Virginia Miller, of St. Joseph, Mo.

House Presidents

Butler: Virginia Sue Campbell, of Bowling Green, Mo.

Jubilee: Euneva Lynn, of Sparta, Ill. Sibley: Ruth Bullion, of Little Rock, Arkansas.

Niccolls: Jenny Turnbull, of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Irwin: Lenore Lamb, of Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

REPRESENTATIVES

Butler: Virginia Hoover, of Kansas City, Mo.; Elizabeth Kuykendall, of Partridge, Kansas.

Jubilee: Viola May Miller, of Sparta, Ill.; Isabelle Boeheim, of Duquoin, Ill.

Sibley: Catherine Staley, of Denver, Colo.; Kathryn Tynan, of Stella, Nebr.

Niccolls: Margaret Warner, of St. Louis, Mo.; Marion Gibson, of Fort Smith, Ark.

Irwin: Marea Hempleman, of Washington, Mo.; Frances Fatout, of Indianapolis, Ind.

Sibley Greetings

Several telegrams were received and read by Dr. Roemer, in connection with the re-dedicatory exercises for Sibley Hall, Friday afternoon, October 22. Among these was a telegram from Eleanor Brown, a graduate of last year, who said:

"The Hutchinson Lindenwood Club sends heartiest congratulations. Sorry I can't be present for this particular celebration, but my best wishes for a most successful year are with you all."

Another message came from Miss Florence Jackson, of Wellesley, Mass., Lindenwood's vocational lecturer, as follows:

"Congratulations to all at Lindenwood, particularly to Mary Sibley."

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Sibley Song

Mrs. Cyrus F. Clark (Sophie Margaretha Roth, graduate 1890), wrote on Sibley dedication day, from her home in Mexico, Mo., expressing her regret at not being able to be present, and sending an original song as a "love offering." It is to be sung to the tune, "Beulah Land," as follows:

Thy campus with the linden trees,
Thy halls where girls delve like bees,
The highway and the river view
Are all a lovely part of you.

(Chorus)

Thy daughters over all the land In loving tribute have joined hands And loyally unite with thee To serve and bless eternally.

CHORUS

Oh, Lindenwood, dear Lindenwood, We sing thy praise to every good; Our hearts' deep love we give to thee, Assembled 'round old Sibley, And joyfully thy fame proclaim And sing again the glad refrain.

Mrs. Bassett in 1858

Mrs. Mary Evans Bassett, of 625 Oakwood avenue, Webster Groves, has honored the bulletin by sending some reminiscences of 68 years ago. She says:

"I attended Lindenwood College in 1858. There were only two buildings there at that time—the large brick building and the old frame Sibley Hall.

"The former was occupied by the teachers and students, and contained a chapel where we had religious services every day, by the president, Rev. A. C. Schenck, who was a very religious man, and a man of whom the girls were all very fond. There were 50 girls there at that time.

"The teachers whom I recall were Miss Anna Sneed, Miss Williams, and the Misses Caldwell.

"I have many pleasant recollections of my school days there, and am glad to hear of the wonderful growth and success of the college."

Will Represent Lindenwood

Virginia Sue Campbell, a junior from Bowling Green, Mo., has been chosen to represent Lindenwood at the second annual congress of the National Student Federation of America, which meets in Ann Arbor, Mich., December 2-4. Miss Campbell is house president of Butler Hall, and is not only an excellent student, but popular also in all the campus activities.

This will be the first time that Lindenwood has been represented at this Federation meeting.

Dr. Chester E. Jenney, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, preached a sermon, with the title, "The Old Time Religion," at vesper services, Sunday night, November 7.

Class Officers

Besides the freshman officers, mentioned elsewhere, the various classes have elected officers for the Centennial year as follows:

Seniors: Delta Neumann, Odem, Texas, president; Marguerite Mc-Nee, Cottonwood Falls, Kan., vicepresident; Elizabeth Goode, Magnolia, Ark., secretary; Ayleen Baker, Whitesboro, Texas, treasurer, and Miss Mary C. Olsen, sponsor.

Juniors: Virginia Sue Campbell, Bowling Green, Mo., president; Kathryn Walker, Aurora, Mo., vicepresident; Betty Birch, Toledo, Ohio, secretary; Harriet Collins, Oxford, Kan., treasurer; Euneva Lynn, Sparta, Ill., song leader; Miss Gene Gustavus, sponsor.

Sophomores: Ruth Bullion, Little Rock, Ark., president; Margaret Madden, Ottumwa, Iowa, vicepresident; Mary Newton, Marshall, Mo., secretary; Garnette Thompson, Beckley, W. Va., treasurer; Geraldine Schwartz, Quincy, Ill., song leader; Miss Harriet Diven, sponsor.

Will Come 3,000 Miles

It is welcome news from Mrs. Glenn C. Richardson (Peg Wilcox, 1921-22), of Long Beach, Calif., that despite the great distance from the Pacific Coast to St. Charles, she is planning to return for the Centennial celebration.

"Many, many congratulations," she writes to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer, "to you and the Board of Directors on the renewing of Old Sibley.

"Hardly a month passes but that that blessed Bulletin has word of some wonderful advancement for Lindenwood.

"It is hard to imagine the progress L. C. has made in the five years I have

been gone, but who can picture it in '43 when I bring our two-year-old Barbara back to enter as freshman?"

Is Writing Stories

Ione Epstein Sandperl, wife of Dr. H. Sandperl, of 6912 Waterman Avenue, St. Louis, writes back to Lindenwood, enclosing the pretty likenesses of "Betty and Buddy," her two children, the older of whom is almost seven. Although quite occupied with "household and babies and social activities," Mrs. Sandperl is writing syndicated newspaper short stories and articles, and "being remunerated for her pleasure."

Her Paintings Remain

Among the teachers of more than half a century ago was Miss Margaret A. Ross, who taught art, and whose paintings of flowers, done on some fabric similar to that used by the Japanese, are still to be seen at the St. Louis residence of her nephew, Mr. Allen Clark, of 2324 Tower Grove Avenue. Mr. Clark's daughter, Miss Hattie Clark, is secretary of the Sheldon Memorial in St. Louis. The collection of paintings, bound in blue ribbon, is preserved in a large book at the Clarks' residence.

Miss Ross afterward married Mr. William F. Allen, who was assistant editor of the old Missouri Republican, which then had its offices at Third and Chestnut streets.

The Lindenwood Players have elected the following officers: President, Betty Birch; vice-president, Dorothy Dunseth; secretary, Margaret Madden; treasurer, Adria Spielberger. They gave a clever play, "The Man with the Bowler Hat," early in the month, and a tea on November 4.

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Merry Christmas!

"After Christmas," many persons interested in Lindenwood are saying, they will get really to work carrying out their part in helping to advance the college. A sort of madness (of the best sort) seizes upon everyone in the last few days before Christmastide, but a great many are thinking of the programs they will give, the Centennial gifts they will promote, and the rare enjoyment of "L. C." which will come to them, "as the days begin to lengthen," in that comparative leisure which is ushered in with New Year's.

Lindenwood wishes each one a merry Christmas, at home or with friends, when old affections shall be remembered, and faith in all mankind restored. And after Christmas, in 1927, the year will be Lindenwood's. The sacredness of 100 years' memories will be continually about the college, and the year 1827 will be re-lived, day by day.

Found a New Flower

Mrs. W. B. Collom (Rose Wilson, 1889), of Payson, Ariz., stopped at the college for a brief visit on her way home from visiting relatives in South Carolina, going back to the mountains, where she will rejoin her husband, who is interested in copper mines. She uses her leisure hours for botany, co-operating with the University of Arizona. They are trying now to classify a new blossoming shrub which she has discovered.

His Mother's School

Col. Nicholas M. Bell, of St. Louis, has stated that he will soon present to the college a portrait of his mother, who was, before her marriage, Caroline Page Harvey. She attended in 1838.

Her son, when elected to the Missouri Legislature, at the commencement of his distinguished public career, remembers that his mother said to him, "Unless you do something that will be of benefit to the public, I shall be sorry they elected you." His outstanding achievements, such as the International Parcels Post System, the establishment in St. Louis of Forest Park, and other works, justify her admonition.

Colonel Bell has preserved a merit card which his mother received in 1838. It says. "No fault marks," and is prettily embossed. This will have a place in the corner of the portrait.

At Sibley's dedication, a hymn, "Our Flag," written by Colonel Bell and dedicated to the Sons of the World War, was read.

St. Charles Greetings

Pleasant greetings were received by Dr. and Mrs. Roemer from the St. Charles Chamber of Commerce, when Old Sibley was re-dedicated, October 22. President E. B. Bruns and Secretary Werner could not be present, because of two very urgent engagements with prospective industrial concerns, but they sent assurances that the St. Charles Chamber of Commerce is "behind all Lindenwood's efforts, and some day will try to reciprocate all the services Dr. Roemer and the college have rendered."

Alpha Mu Mu, the honorary music sorority, has elected Silva Snyder, president; Euneva Lynn, vice-president; and Helen Massey, secretary-treasurer.

Mary Easton Sibley Fund Notes

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An Enduring Monument

Someone has truly said, "There are no monuments more enduring than those that take the form of gifts to great institutions of learning, whereby the sacrifice, the wisdom and the foresight of the giver are written into the souls of men and women." This is the sort of monument that the alumnae and former students of Lindenwood College are now seeking to erect. A scholarship fund that will for all time honor the founder of the college Mary Easton Sibley-and at the same time will stand forever as a monument of generosity and of sacrifice to those who contribute to its founding and labor for its successful completion.

The outstanding fact connected with a gift to the Mary Easton Sibley Scholarship Fund is that the money thus given works on forever. Every dollar paid into this fund becomes a part of the permanent scholarship endowment and will never be spent. The income only will be used. As long as you live the money will keep on rendering good service to others for you; and after you have gone the money will still remain serving the girls of the future in your name. What greater return could one desire in the effort to help others than this permanent cumulative service throughout the years to come?

Your Class

We have been patiently and hopefully waiting to announce that some class had reached the one hundred per cent mark in its number of contributions; but up to the present time no class has attained that goal. Several of them are working hard to secure a subscription from each member and we are hopeful that it will not be long until we can make public a list of classes that are one hundred per cent subscribers.

Meanwhile it is hoped that each one who reads this will at once send in her card filled out for whatever amount she can afford, and by so doing help her class to be the first one to reach the desired end. It is the work of only a few minutes to fill out the subscription card and mail it, and when you have done that, you have helped your class in its efforts to be first, aided your college in its desire to serve, and assisted in making it possible for some girl in the future to secure a college education. Great returns upon a small investment. Why not do it now?

Christmas Time

The spirit of Christmas is in the air. Christmas time - a time of giving and rejoicing. The Christmas gift that brings the greatest joy is the one given to someone from whom we expect nothing in return. The true Christmas gift is the one given in memory of Him who gave His all for us. In this spirit why not make a gift at this time to the M. E. S. S. Fund, thus giving some girl of the future an opportunity to secure an education in a Christian college and to learn more the real meaning of service in Christ's name. May the Christmas time and the meaning of the Christmas spirit open many hearts to respond to this call for help from those who cannot now speak for themselves but who in the future years will have cause to bless the generosity of their benefactors.

Weddings

Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hohner, announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lucile (graduate music department, 1921), to Mr. Ted Guyer, on Saturday, October 16, at her parents' home, St. John, Kan. Their home will be in Corsicana, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Stuck sent invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Adelaide Durand Evans (Lindenwood, 1923-25), to Mr. Thomas Ross Hammerly, on Monday evening, November 22. The ceremony took place in the First Presbyterian Church of Jonesboro, Ark., at 7:30 o'clock.

Announcement cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank Scott, of Roodhouse, Ill., announcing their daughter, Miss Helen Louise Scott's marriage, Friday, October 29, to Mr. Carl Denman. The bride attended Lindenwood, 1921-23. Mr. and Mrs. Denman will reside in Chicago, at the Belland Hotel, 2256 Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Page, 4939 West Pine Boulevard, St. Louis, Mo., announce the marriage of their daughter, Catherine Ann (Lindenwood, 1920-21), October 9, to Mr. C. F. Betz, Mr. and Mrs. Betz are at home at 3438 Russell Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

A pretty church wedding was held for Miss Cecilia Miller (who graduated A. A., in 1922), on September 18, in Platte City, Mo., when she was married to Mr. Howard H. Fitch. This was followed by a reception at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Fitch will reside at 227 East Forty-sixth Street, Kansas City, Mo.

Poetry Published

A poem, "Love Rides the Old Trail," from the pen of Alvia Bartholomew Matthews, of Quincy, Ill., a Lindenwood student in 1915, appears in the November number of "College Humor." The poem follows:

If we could turn back Time tonight, my dear one,

For one last ride together, you and I.

If we could trail the milling herd at twilight,

Singing with joy, as in the days gone by. . . .

I wonder: would scent of sagebrush on the mesa,

Or ashes of the camp fire, turning blue,

Or stir of sap in twisted yucca branches,

Mean more than just "another spring" to you?

Circling the herd, with clinking spur and laughter,

Would Memory break you? . . . make you understand?

It wouldn't matter much what follows after,

If you and I were riding . . . hand in hand.

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Dr. E. T. Devine, an eminent publicist and lecturer, of the American University of Washington, D. C., spoke in the auditorium, November 4, to an interested, large audience, on "Mexico Today," giving an insight into the heritage and temper of the Mexican people, as well as an analysis of current anti-clerical legislation in that country. He gave a later address, the same day, to the current topics and history classes, on national politics. Dr. Devine comes annually to Lindenwood as a lecturer.

Miss Clement's Prize

Since home economics is such a popular study at Lindenwood, and since so many of the students find a destiny as home-makers, they will all be greatly interested in the recent culinary triumph of Miss Mabel D. Clement, head of the Tea Room.

On November 5, Miss Clement was announced as winner of the first prize, \$10, in the Globe-Democrat's weekly Food Page, where "Recipes from the 49th State" are announced, after they have been tested by the Home Service Department of the Laclede Gas Light Company, under the supervision of Miss Helen Wethrell. It so happened that Miss Elly Baack, of the Globe-Democrat staff, had visited the college and tasted Miss Clement's "tomato soy," whereupon she urged the Tea Room head to enter her recipe. Miss Clement did so, and won a prize. The recipe is as follows:

- 2 gallons sliced green tomatoes
- 12 large sliced onions
 - 2 quarts vinegar
 - 1 quart light-brown sugar
 - 2 tablespoons salt
 - 2 tablespoons pepper
 - 2 tablespoons mustard seed
 - 1 tablespoon allspice
 - tablespoon whole cloves Cook thirty minutes.

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A series of inter-class hockey games was hotly contested, as there are some champion players in this year's ranks, who won honors before coming to Lindenwood. Beginning November 3, the Upperclassmen whipped the Sophomores by a score of 3-1. Next day, the Upperclassmen met the Freshmen, defeating them by 4-0. On the third day, the Sophomores won from the Freshmen, 5-0.

Chicago's "Absorbing Topic"

The Lindenwood College Club of Chicago met November 12 with Mrs. Herman Reinsch (Fay Pratt) in the Prince of Wales room, Sovereign Hotel. Nineteen Lindenwood College girls and two guests were present.

A most delightful luncheon was served, and the meeting was called to order by Mrs. W. W. Seymour, After the business session, an address by Mrs. Grant Beebe, of the Illinois Federated Women's Clubs, was enjoyed.

The absorbing topic, the Mary Easton Sibley Scholarship Fund, was then discussed. The card party on November 2 was a success socially and financially, and plans were discussed and formed to increase the fund.

Adjournment was taken until December 10.

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Radio listeners-in will hear from KMOX, St. Louis, Lindenwood's vesper choir, on the night of December 11, singing Christmas carols.

Miss Thelma M. Tobin (1921-23), of De Queen, Ark., writes that "ropes and chains" could never keep her away from the Centennial in May, and she "can hardly wait." She has been in New York and Boston studying.

Misses Priscilla and Helen Calder, who received A. B. at Lindenwood in 1924 and 1925 respectively, are together at Chandler, Ariz. Helen is in high school work, her second year in the teaching profession, and she and her sister had leadership in an elaborate Arizona pageant recently presented.

California in Riddles

A clever narrative, containing names of the Southern California "girls," has been written by Mrs. Cora V. Hubbard, president of the Lindenwood College Club of Southern California, as follows:

Ever since 1859 we have been wanting MOORE holidays, so when, bright and early, dawned the 32nd day of August, boarded our Ford 1926. we MITCHELL chaperoned by cars. FAVOLA BRATTON and MRS. DIERKER, and started for the MAX-FIELD (POSTAL cards having been sent to all).

It was first thought that we would travel by the CLARK road, but MRS. FRASE assured us there was not the slightest danger of being caught in the BOGGS if we traveled over the McADAM roads to our journey's end, GRIFFITH Park.

The banners of yellow and white were purchased at MAYES. The joyous notes of the ROBBINS filled the air. MRS. F. H. COLBY was also busy caroling, but not too busy to notice that, although some distance inland, two coo-gulls (COOGLES) were perched on a branch of sweet BRIER.

There had been a suggestion that we stop at the HARVEY house for lunch, but a great protest was raised. It was finally decided that we should KEMP in the park; the MILLER, the BAKER and the KINGSBAKER assured us there would be an abundance of HUBBARD squash and sufficient PIEFER all.

Said the SODEMAN, "EYESELL, lemonade, orangeade and KINKADE," and had all the customers he could care for.

VIOLA BERGER was there with her two sons, LIM and HAM. LILLIAN HENNING, our recording secretary, was too busy rocking the KRIBS to be present.

MISS LINNEY said that perhaps the lock-SMITH could not HERL(I)HY, but we all HOLLER (ed), "EVE CUN-LIFF it, anyway."

MISS IRVIN GRACE(d) the occasion in her usual dignified manner.

LOUISE JOHNS remarked that with our BERGMAN, our SCHUREMAN, and McDEARMAN all present there was not the slightest excuse for the girls to complain that they were not OGG(led) at.

Said RUTH, not unto NAOMI, but unto DONNEGAN, "Why the discussion, 'Can the EASTLICK the West?"

Mesdames SKAGGS and IRVIN were supposed to be yell leaders but they relinquished their leadership when they heard CORYELL.

MILDRED HOGUE and MABEL SANDERS, the nurses provided for the occasion, reported at the close that all were in first-class condition with one exception: too much KINKADE had made FLORA MYERSICK.

It was unanimously voted that all MAY WRIGHT STELLE and tell her of the picnic.

Rather late in the afternoon MRS. PIRIE suggested that while we had been looking very SMART when we started early in the morning, the day was now about over and perhaps it would be wise to TRIPP homeward.

MRS. COLLINS suggested that we go by the way of the BOAL, and be sure to REED all the signs by the wayside.

The homeward journey brought to view the sunset with its radiant HUSE; the STEWART speedometer showed many miles traveled, yet no one was SOREY that the day had been so spent.

What Kansas City Girls Are Doing

The Lindenwood College Club of Kansas City gave a luncheon, Friday, November 12, at the Kansas City Club. The guests of honor were Dr. Roemer, Dean Gipson, Mr. Blocher, Mr. Motley and Dr. Lucinda Templin, who were in the city attending the meeting of the State Teachers' Association. A number of Lindenwood girls from St. Joseph were present and also former students who are now teaching in various towns over the state.

The table was beautifully decorated in yellow and bronze chrysanthemums and a delicious luncheon was served. Mrs. Donnelly, president of the Kansas City Lindenwood Club, presided, and presented the guests of honor, who responded with short speeches.

Miss Templin gave an interesting talk about Major and Mrs. Sibley and made a plea for every Lindenwood girl to believe in and then work for the scholarship fund.

Several other distinguished guests were present, who had come to Kansas City to attend the dedication of the memorial, which took place on Armistice Day. Dr. Roemer presented General Booth, Brigadier General Krauthoff and Lieutenant Batterson, of the United States Army, and Mr. Edwin A. Krauthoff, of Kansas City.

College songs were sung and the Lindenwood spirit was very much in evidence.

Instead of the regular monthly meeting on November 16, Mrs. Donnelly invited the members and their friends to a silver tea at her home, 431 Ward Parkway.

While in Europe last summer she had taken moving pictures of her trip and her guests were given the opportunity of seeing beautiful pictures of Rome and Venice and hearing her tell in an interesting way of her experiences. Dainty novelties which she purchased in Europe were offered for sale and added considerably to the M. E. S. S. Fund.

The tea table was presided over by Mrs. Kraft and Miss Litman, assisted by Mrs. Metzger and Miss Adele Herman. It was a lovely party and educational as well as profitable.

On the afternoon and evening of October 29, Mrs. Charles H. Kraft (Mildred Mayfield) gave benefit bridge parties at her home on Edgevale Road, at which she cleared \$67 for the Mary Easton Sibley Scholarship Fund.

On entering the door, one was given the impression of stepping into a brilliantly lighted spot of fairyland forest. Hallowe'en lanterns seemed to hang from everywhere, amid overhanging oak leaves. Branches of autumn leaves decorated doorways, windows and banisters. In the fireplace could be seen witches around the brewing kettle over a bright red firelight, all making a beautiful Hallowe'en picture.

At the end of the games, cards and covers were removed and lunch cloths laid as if by magic and dainty refreshments were served, carrying out the Hallowe'en idea. At the evening party, Mr. Kraft auctioned off a number of beautiful articles which had been donated.

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A story, "Kurt, the Dog Policeman," by Margarete Boles (1924-26), has a place in a grade school textbook, "The Doorway to English," by L. W. Rader and P. H. Defendall, as one of the models. Needless to say, this is Lindenwood's police dog, Kurt von Lindenholz, of distinguished heredity and habits.

Officers at St. Joseph

The St. Joseph Lindenwood College Club elected officers at a recent semiannual luncheon at the Highlands Golf and Country Club, as follows:

President, Mrs. Florence H. Duke (Florence Huston).

Vice-President, Miss Harriet Ridge. Recording Secretary, Mrs. E. C. Schroers (Hazelle Moran).

Corresponding Secretary, Miss Virginia Hund.

Treasurer, Mrs. Vern Meyers (Lena Gordon).

The outgoing president, Miss Esther Hund, made a last plea for the Mary Easton Sibley Scholarship Fund. Individual pledges were given, amounting to \$90.

Arrangements are now being made for a special meeting during the Christmas holidays at which the St. Joseph girls now at Lindenwood will be the guests of honor.

The following out-of-town members were present: Misses Mary and Laura Cross, from Lathrop, Mo., and Anne Starkes, from Gower, Mo.

Home Hospitality

Meetings at members' homes will be the order, all this year through, of the St. Louis Lindenwood College Club, in order to keep safe every dollar possible for the Sibley Memorial Scholarship. On November 1, Mrs. Loraine Bernero, of 5024 Vernon avenue, was hostess. The attendance was very large, and decidedly enthusiastic, the main discussion being in behalf of the scholarship fund.

Miss Linnemann was guest from the college. A daughter of Mrs. James Hill, who was a visitor, said on leaving, "I am not a Lindenwood girl, but I would like

to leave a silver offering for the Mary Easton Sibley Fund."

The next meeting, on December 6, will be at the residence of Mrs. George C. Dyer, 6334 Washington Boulevard. Others who have offered their homes are Mrs. Ella Koeneke, Mrs. Krueger, Miss Marguerite Urban, and Misses Aimee and Vivian Becker.

The club has a plan of important activities for the scholarship, to be entered upon after the holidays.

Dean John R. Effinger, of the University of Michigan, spent a recent Thursday at the college, representing a committee of the Association of American Universities.

Mrs. P. C. Agee (Dorothy Adams, 1922-23), of Louisiana, Mo., writes that she finds pleasure in reading the Bulletin, and that she hopes to be at Lindenwood in May, 1927, and will "never forget her wonderful year at Lindenwood."

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"Good News Within" announces a tiny blue and white card, for the little daughter, Janice Marie, of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer W. Hancock (Helen Masel, 1920-21), of Alton, Ill., who arrived October 25. The verse is unusual, telling that

"A most discerning baby liked both of us so well

That it left off chasing rainbows, and on the date below Arrived to live at our house."

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller, Jr. (Marian Knapp, 1919), of Kansas City, announce the arrival, with a charming pink picture, of little Marion Knapp, on November 4. Her weight is six pounds, nine and three-fourths ounces.