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Office of the Dean

Greetings to all the student body of Lindenwood college of the school year 1939-40. I am delighted to have you here with us, and hope that this present year will prove to be the happiest and most satisfactory one of your life, thus far. To the freshmen I would say I feel sure that you are going to prove a class of which Lindenwood college may be proud; that you have a sense of your responsibilities as college girls to society at large for this rare opportunity you have, to yourselves and to your families. To the students who have been here before, I would say that you know the high academic standard Lindenwood endeavors to hold, and that I feel sure that you are going to endeavor to sustain that standard. I am, of course, going to try to become acquainted with the freshmen as soon as possible, but I hope that you too will drop in at my office when you find time, let me know what sort of a vacation you had and how your work this year is progressing. Again I want to express my best wishes to you all for a thoroughly successful year.

ALICE E. GIPSON
Academic dean

New Dean of Residence Well Adapted to L. C.

Miss Mary Hooton, Lindenwood's new Dean of Residence, has had, to say the least, wide experience in helping and contacting young women. Although Miss Hooton considers herself a "Freshman" in the position of Dean, she has a deep understanding of the problems confronting college girls.

Miss Hooton attended Women's College in Montgomery, Ala., for four years, and her A. B. degree was conferred upon her by this school. She received her master's degree from the Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York. Later she took post-graduate work at Columbia.

During 1937 Miss Hooton worked with the Y. W. C. A. in Nashville, Tenn. Last year she served as general secretary of the Y. W. C. A. in Hot Springs, Ark. In addition to this, she took special interest in helping business girls.

Miss Hooton believes that the convocation address of 1939 presented to Lindenwood girls a challenge and a goal. Lindenwood traditions and standards should be placed above all else by the students, and, Miss Hooton maintains, should not only be preserved but should be added to. Miss Hooton is confident that this year at Lindenwood will be pleasant and beneficial for both students and faculty.

The following churches have sent invitations to each Lindenwood girl to attend services, the Jefferson Street Presbyterian Church, the First Presbyterian Church, the St. John's Evangelical Church, the Kingshighway Baptist Church, and the Fifth Street Methodist Church.

Lived in Vienna In Its Better Days

Prof. John Rath, new history instructor in the college, and head of the history department, comes with full experience. He has traveled widely and through his trips has spoken at various club and group meetings. Mrs. Rath has also spoken many times.

Prof. Rath grew up in St. Francis, Kans., and later attended the University of Kansas where he obtained his A. B. degree. His M. A. was received at the University of California, and graduate work on his Ph. D. was done at Columbia University. Before coming to Lindenwood he taught at the University of Arkansas in 1936-37, and at the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington, 1938-39.

The year from July, 1937 to May, 1938, Prof. Rath spent in Vienna on a Social Service Research Council fellowship. This work proved quite interesting both to him and to his wife. Some of the time was spent in traveling in France, Belgium, England, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Switzerland, and Italy.

He is very much pleased with his connection with Lindenwood College and thinks it is the grandest place he's ever been. He says that the atmosphere is "different from other schools" and he knows he will like his contacts.

Outstanding in Research

Dr. Jessie Bernard, wife of Dr. L. L. Bernard, head of the social science department at Washington University, comes to Lindenwood this week, to teach some of the advanced sociology students.

She is distinguished in the field of research and her articles appear in leading sociological journals. Dr. Bernard has had unusual experience in her research work, having spent one year and a half in the Department of Labor. At present, she is in collaboration in research articles and books with her husband. Increased enrollment and added interest in sociology bring the need for another teacher, and Lindenwood is fortunate to secure such an authority as Dr. Bernard.

Vesper Conference by Dr. Skilling

Dr. David M. Skilling, pastor-emeritus of Webster Groves Presbyterian Church, will hold a religious conference at Lindenwood College, Sunday evenings, October 8, 22, and 29. Dr. Skilling is vice-president of the college Board of Trustees.

Several changes have been made in the order of Sunday night vespers in the interest of a more impressive worship hour. The principal change is that the audience remains standing for the responsive reading and for the Gloria. While the recessional is being sung and the benediction given, the audience remains seated. The singing of the anthem is earlier in the service than previously. The choir now sings more of the responses.

Had Many Friends Here

Mr. Montgomery, An Honored
Member of the Board

Lindenwood was sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Lee Montgomery on Wednesday, September 20, at St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City, of a cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Montgomery, who has been an interested and active member of the board for a number of years, was a prominent Sedalia attorney and a member of one of Missouri's oldest law firms. He attended the Sedalia High School, Westminster College at Fulton, and graduated in 1893 from Princeton, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

It was at Princeton that he began his long years of friendship with the late Woodrow Wilson, former president of the United States. Mr. Wilson was an instructor at Princeton at that time.

Mr. Montgomery is survived by his wife and by four children: Mrs. Wallace Delafield, of Dallas, Texas; John Z. Montgomery, Sedalia; Lee S. Montgomery, New York City; and Mrs. Richard B. Fowler, Kansas City. Mrs. Fowler was Elinor C. Montgomery, a former Lindenwood girl.

Dr. Roemer, Dr. Stumberg, and Mr. Motley attended the funeral services held on Friday, September 22, at the Broadway Presbyterian church in Sedalia.

Woman Convocation Speaker First Time in History

How to Be "Builder" Told by
Mrs. Houghton

The 113th Convocation of Lindenwood College was held on Sunday night, September 17, in Roemer Auditorium. The speaker was Mrs. Hiram C. Houghton, Jr., of Red Oak, Iowa, who is a member of the State Board of Education of Iowa. Mrs. Houghton, the first woman to give the convocation address at Lindenwood, was introduced by Dr. Roemer, president of the college.

The college choir sang the processional hymn, after which Dr. Harmon, a member of the Lindenwood faculty, offered the invocation. Miss Walker, also a member of the faculty, sang "O Perfect and Eternal One". Dr. Roemer then welcomed the new and old students and introduced Mrs. Houghton.

Mrs. Houghton's address was entitled, "Builders". She said that all Lindenwood girls should be proud of their heritage and of their splendid opportunities. The cemetery, the beautiful campus, and the helpful and friendly people of the campus were mentioned as being of importance to all. She stressed four points as being necessary in any person: the joy of being, the joy of knowing, the joy of doing, and the joy of service. While repeating a pledge, she asked that all the girls try to think with her. The pledge

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Dr. Sam Higginbottom Founders' Day Speaker

Dedication of Mrs. Roemer's Memorial, with Academic
Procession

The Founders' Day program will begin at the 11 o'clock assembly, Thursday, October 26. The speaker will be Dr. Sam Higginbottom, moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly. He has done very distinguished missionary work in India by promoting the agricultural advance there. After the address, there will be an academic procession to the Lillie P. Roemer Memorial Fine Arts Building, with representatives in the line from other colleges and the alumnae. That night there will be a concert by the Simfonieta, an orchestra of St. Louis.

New Teacher of Speech

Miss Octavia K. Frees, of New York has come to teach speech at Lindenwood, due to the great demand for that department.

Miss Frees is a graduate of Adelphi College, Garden City, New York and received her Master's degree from Cornell University. She has taught speech in De Pauw University. She has had experience as an actor with a stock company in Long Island, New York, and in the American Children's Theatre.

Miss Frees is a specialist in dramatic production, theatrical, costuming stagecraft and stage lighting.

Nine Gifted Girls

Choice of Student Board
Commended By All

The Student Board selected this year is a group of girls prominent and active on the campus. All except one are either juniors or seniors and their years at Lindenwood have been successful and outstanding.

Kay Wagner, president of the Student Board, is from El Dorado, Kan. She was president of her class during her sophomore and junior years, acted as social secretary of the Y. W. C. A. and has worked on the Linden Leaves staff. Last year she was junior attendant to the May Queen, and served as secretary of the Student Board. She is a member of Pi Gamma Mu, El Circulo Espanol, and Alpha Sigma Tau.

Martha Weber, vice-president, comes from St. Louis, and has always maintained a very high scholastic record. She belongs to Alpha Sigma Tau, Sigma Tau Delta, Beta Pi Theta, El Circulo Espanol, and was a member of the sophomore council last year. She has been active in many school events.

Sara Jefferson, secretary, comes from Union City, Tenn., and is a member of the Sigma Tau Delta, Beta Pi Theta, and Alpha Psi Omega. Sara is very talented in dramatics, as any who have heard her can testify.

Betty Kelley, president of Irwin,

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The Linden Bark:

Pleasant summer's over,
And all the summer flowers,
The red fire glistens
The blue smoke towers.

Sing a song of seasons,
Something bright in all.
Flowers in the summer,
Fires in the fall.

Robert Louis Stevenson

What Lindenwood Means To Us In Her 113th Year

Much may be written about the beginning of a school year; about how one must avail herself of her opportunities, her advantages, and her abilities. Already Lindenwood students have been given excellent advice and inspiration for a worthwhile year. It is the duty of every girl not only to take stock of herself at the beginning of a term but to remember the dreams of the builders and the rich heritage which is ours.

Lindenwood begins its 113th year. What do those words mean to you? Do you see a student body arriving, greeting friends, conquering homesickness, and beginning a year of work; or do you sense a deeper meaning behind those words? Can you see Lindenwood as a tiny, insignificant academy, guided by two who had the power to visualize and to believe? Can you feel with those founders the heartbreaks and uncertainties that they must have experienced in an undertaking so unusual and then thought so unnecessary, as the education of young women? Can you feel a thrill when you think of how the founders and those who came after them worked and worried, undertook and overcame, and at last succeeded in building a school from which are graduated women who make a success of this difficult business of living? Historical atmosphere inspires most of us. Here at Lindenwood is something we "can get our teeth into." Here is a school whose roots go deep and nourish an institution that will not fail us.

Lindenwood begins its 113th year. With a beautiful campus, enduring buildings, an unsurpassable faculty, and a president whose twenty-five years of service give us a true example of loyalty, the outlook is one of bright, high hopes. The new Fine Arts Building might well be a symbol of that constructive future which lies ahead, and this present which now teaches, inspires, and gives us courage. Let us go ahead, girls, to build a better year, a lasting hope for the future and a higher type of American women.

Harvest Month—Mellow With Traditions

October has long been a month favored by the poets, for it seems to hold the culmination of autumn's beauty, perhaps the most beautiful of seasons. But to us at Lindenwood it is a favorite month for many reasons. The campus, with its many trees, reaches the height of its loveliness in a spectacle of color design unequalled throughout the year. More important, however, than external beauty is the rich tradition which we connect with October at Lindenwood.

Most important of these traditions is Founders' Day, October 26, when we honor Major George C. Sibley and Mary Easton Sibley, the founders of Lindenwood. This year we shall have Dr. Sam Higginbottom, moderator of the General Assembly, as our chapel speaker on that day, after which we shall march to the new Lillie P. Roemer Memorial Fine Arts Building.

Another big event which comes in October is the all-school picnic at the St. Charles Country Club. On this day the Country Club is turned over to Lindenwood, and the faculty, administration and students spend the afternoon there. A picnic supper is served at 6 o'clock, after which the school is taken back in cars furnished by the people of St. Charles.

The Veiled Prophet Parade and ceremonies also come in October and while this is not, of course, a Lindenwood event, it always arouses a great deal of excitement among the students. Busses are chartered and all who want to go are transported into St. Louis to see the parade. Additional excitement and much envy is caused by those students fortunate enough to have invitations to the ball where the crowning of the queen takes place.

Perhaps the most thrilling event which comes in October, however, is Hallowe'en Night, when the ghost of Mrs. Sibley comes back to play on the organ in Sibley Chapel. At midnight the sonorous tones of "Rock Of Ages" and "Nearer, My God To Thee" roll out over the campus.

And so the month of October comes to a close. Filled as it is with beauty, tradition and enjoyable times, we find ourselves thinking back to it with more pleasure than to any other month in the year.

CAMPUS DIARY

By G. S.

September 12—Old and new instructors met for Faculty Convocation. Many new students arrived on our beautiful campus, which seems to be even prettier than last year.

September 13—Loads and loads of freshmen met for conferences with their advisers. A delightful tea for the new girls and their mothers was given by the old girls.

September 14—Roemer Hall was simply a mass of inquiring girls. A few upperclassmen could have been mistaken for freshmen—they were having troubles galore with registration. A big jamboree that night with Uncle Guy urging one to eat more and more.

September 15—Registration of students continued. Big Sister party by Y. W. C. A. with plenty of swing and punch.

September 17—Informal gatherings in house parlors—found new friends by the dozen. Convocation with Mrs. Hiram C. Houghton, Jr., as the speaker, was extremely impressive.

September 18—First day of classes and our first assignments.

September 21—Dr. W. E. McClure of the Memorial Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, spoke at the 11 o'clock chapel.

September 24—Several dates were scattered over the balcony for vespers. Rev. Mr. Scarborough, St. Charles, was the speaker.

September 16—Arkansas Club met with Miss Dunaway, the sponsor.

September 28—Dr. W. B. Lampe, St. Louis, was the chapel speaker.

September 29—The Indiana Club started the ball rolling as usual by having a picnic that afternoon, but the Nebraska Club was not far behind. They had a hayride under the full moon.

October 1—Rev. L. V. McPherson was the visiting minister for vespers.

Quebbeman Elected Soph. Council Head

The sophomore class had its first meeting last week with Miss Tucker sponsor, and elected the chairman of its council and the representatives from each hall. Grace Quebbeman, an Irwin girl, was elected the chairman of the council.

Each hall has two representatives and the Irwin representatives are Margaret Chapman and Louise Maiander. The Butler representatives are Catherine Lague and Florence Vellenga. Helen Kanne and Lulagene Johnson are the representatives from Ayres. Sibley representatives are Barbara Cobbs Mailander. The Butler representatives from Senior Hall (Music Hall) is Celeste Karlstad, and the representative for the St. Charles girls is Marion Hanlon.

The sophomores will elect their their class officers in a few weeks, but until that time, the council will take care of the class business. The class is considering having a barbecue party sometime soon, one similar to the barbecue they had when they were freshmen.

New Junior Officers

At a junior class meeting September 20, the class elected its officers for the coming year. The new officers are: Martha Weber, St. Louis, president; Helen Celeste Dondanville, Ottawa, Ill., vice-president; Kathryn Salyer, Mt. Sterling, Ky., secretary and treasurer; Dr. Dawson, sponsor.

Fun and Master's Degree A Good Vacation

Miss Reichert spent her vacation, not only in pleasure, but also attending Columbia University. Soon after the close of the school term at Lindenwood last summer, she left on a very delightful motor trip through the New England states. Among the historical points that she visited and thoroughly enjoyed were Cape Cod, Plymouth, Boston, Lexington, Concord, and Salem.

At the conclusion of her motor trip she spent six weeks at Columbia University studying. The course Miss Reichert enjoyed the most was a course in Public Opinion and Education given by the well-known Clyde Miller, who is now the Secretary of the Institution for Propaganda. Miss Reichert said, "Dr. Miller is a most interesting and stimulating instructor". Her summer's work completed the work on a Master of Arts degree in Physical Education.

After receiving her Master's degree she visited the New York World's Fair several times and was very enthusiastic and pleased with the exhibits there. She stated that it was with pride that one visits the Missouri Building, which so cleverly displays and attracts the attention to the high points of Missouri. The thrill of the whole fair was to see the name of Lindenwood College at the top of the list of all the women's colleges.

Sights of the Northwest

Dean Gipson spent her summer vacation in the Northwest part of the United States. After staying about two weeks in Seattle with friends, she went to Vancouver to sail for Alaska. She was on the boat most of the time but stopped at Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert, and Juneau for a few hours. The trip was an inside passage and from the decks the passengers could see mountains and grassy plains. Dr. Gipson stopped at the Taku Glacier, and visited the Mendenhall Glacier, which is some miles from Juneau. She said that this was one of the most beautiful places that she saw. At Skagway, the town from which most of the people went to the gold rush many years ago, she stayed several days to see the interesting old buildings. One hotel, the Pullen House, was filled with relics of the gold rush days.

"The flowers up there are the most gorgeous things that I have ever seen, and I have been to some big flower shows," said Dr. Gipson. On the return journey, they stopped at some of the small towns that had been passed in the night on the trip out. She was gone nine or ten days, and spent about ten days in Seattle, before returning to Caldwell, Idaho, where she stayed the rest of her vacation with her family and friends.

She stopped at Payette Lakes for a while and saw the location of the movie camps for the filming of "Northwest Passage".

Mrs. Arends New Butler Hall Regent

Mrs. Minna Arends, the new regent of Butler Hall, was a former resident of St. Louis. Mrs. Arends attended the Iowa State Teachers' College, and taught the eighth grade in Aplington, Iowa. She has had a great deal of experience with young people as a state officer and a district officer for young people of the Presbyterian Church. She was also connected with the International Institute of Young People in St. Louis.

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is spending her fourth year in that hall. She is a member of the Home Economics Club and Pi Alpha Delta. Last year she was president of the junior class and maid of honor to the May Queen. She comes from Aurora, Ill.

Mary Kern, president of Ayres, is from Little Rock, Ark. This is her fourth year at Lindenwood, and she too has always lived in the hall of which she is president. She is a member of the Commercial Club, El Circulo Espanol, and was once on the staff of the **Linden Bark**.

The president of Butler Hall, Therese Larson, transferred last year from St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., as a junior. She is majoring in French, and is a member of the choir, the sextette, and the Commercial Club. She sings beautifully and her voice has often been a part of Lindenwood's musical programs.

Mary Helen St. Clair of Benton, Ill., is to be Sibley's president. The hall feels that Mary Helen is well qualified, having been active on the campus during her first two years of residence in the League of Women Voters, the orchestra, the National Relations Club, and the Athletic Association. She lived in Sibley last year.

Margaret Fischer, president of Nicolls, is from El Reno, Okla. She is the first freshman to be a member of the Board. Margaret enjoys riding, archery, swimming, and all kinds of music.

Marguerite Dearmont, president of the Y. W. C. A., is the ninth member of the Board. Marguerite comes from St. Louis, and her office shows her to be a girl of ability and character.

This group of girls is sure to work together for the good of the students, and for the preservation of Lindenwood's high standards.

Dr. Schaper in Great Demand

Dr. Schaper has accepted invitations to speak before the Business and Professional Women's clubs of Hannibal, Mo., and Alton, Ill. The clubs are both affiliated with national organizations and are to celebrate a week commemorating the progress of women during the last century. Dr. Schaper will speak in Hannibal on Thursday, October 12, at a dinner given by the club. Her address will be entitled "One Hundred Years of Woman's Progress". She will speak on the same subject at Alton on Tuesday, October 17.

Dr. Schaper will also speak before the Parent-Teachers Association of Warrenton, Mo., on Tuesday, October 10.

Nelson Eddy's Teacher Praises Maxine Bucklew

Maxine Bucklew who received her two-year diploma in voice from Lindenwood last June, is now living in Los Angeles where she is studying under Dr. L. F. Samoiloff, former teacher of Nelson Eddy and other celebrities. "You have a voice in a million . . . it's the kind they are searching the world for," said Dr. Samoiloff, after he had given her an audition in the Bel Canto Studio and Opera Academy in Los Angeles.

Maxine's outstanding achievement and wonderful opportunity make of her a graduate of whom Lindenwood can justly be proud. Without a doubt she is headed toward the grand opera stage, a goal many work toward and few attain. Hats off to Maxine!

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was one of complete absorption in one's work and giving one's all to it.

Mrs. Houghton, herself, gives the impression of being self confident and practical. She is enthusiastic and energetic.

Joan Houghton, her daughter, is a member of the sophomore class at Lindenwood.

Toured Atlantic Seaboard

Dr. Linnemann, head of the art department, and her sister, Miss Laura Linnemann, enjoyed a two-weeks' trip through the east this summer. At the Washington Hotel in Washington, D. C., Dr. Linnemann had as her dinner guests Dr. and Mrs. John Nuelsen (Frances Stumberg, A. B. 1928); her sister, Miss Mimi Stumberg, and Kurt Stumberg, Jr.

After five days in Washington, the Linnemanns, their St. Louis cousin, Miss Paula Fenske, and her mother, visited Mount Vernon, Lee's home at Arlington, and Annapolis, before going up the Potomac river and Chesapeake Bay to Norfolk from which they traveled by motor to Newport News, Jamestown, Old Point Comfort, Fortress Monroe, and the historic Williamsburg which has been restored by Rockefeller. By ocean steamer, they continued on to New York where they spent a week at the Waldorf-Astoria while enjoying the art museums, Asbury Park, and points of historical interest. At the Fair, Dr. Linnemann particularly enjoyed the art museums and the art exhibits in the foreign buildings. Having seen the sights of the Fair, they went to West Point and then up the Hudson river to Albany, on through the Mohawk Valley to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

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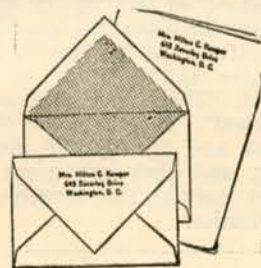
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**AHMANN'S
NEWS STAND**

Dr. Parker Sails to Fifteen Ports

Dr. Parker sailed on the Rotterdam, July 6, on a Good-Will cruise sponsored by the World Federation Education Association. She returned August 28, having visited 15 ports, a number of schools, and having done much sightseeing and shopping.

First, the tour included a visit to Nassau in the Bahamas; Havana, Cuba, with its beautiful harbor and Curacao in Jamaica. In Havana, they were entertained at a reception by acting President Bru. Curacao is similar to a Dutch city. The houses are gabled and immaculately clean and neat. They are usually green, yellow, blue, rose or buff, and made of stucco. Since the island is almost a desert, the front yards are of tile with growing potted plants. Another stop in Jamaica was La Guayra, Kingston. Here they saw huts made of palm leaves or bamboo, on stilts in the marshy places. In Venezuela, the group visited Caracas, a city completely surrounded by mountains. They also went to Buenos Aires with its fine buildings and parks.

According to Miss Parker, Rio de Janeiro was the most beautiful city that she visited. It is much like Paris. They heard a French company give the opera, "Werther". Miss Parker said she saw "Brazilian ladies blazing with diamonds" just as she had hoped. While in Rio, they were entertained at the National Conservatory of Music and heard Brazilian music, both piano and choruses. Near Santos, Sao Paulo, they visited a snake farm, where they watched an attendant extract venom from six-foot snakes. Other Brazilian towns visited were Bahia and Pernambuco. Dr. Parker said that the Brazilian government doesn't want pictures taken which reveal poverty. A person might be arrested for taking a picture of a barefoot child or a donkey boy. They only want the best side of life shown.

Other ports visited were Montevideo in Uruguay, Port of Spain, Trinidad, Barbados, St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands and San Juan, Puerto Rico. Here the group were pleasantly received and given a trip into the interior to see some projects of the United States Government for training the people in modern methods of agriculture and how to raise their standard of living. Miss Parker said, "Since there are 500 people to a square mile and the island swarms with brown babies, one can understand how grateful they are for being taught to make a living".

Throughout the cruise, everyone was much interested in the tropical vegetation, tasting fruits and seeing orchids grow wild. They saw quantities of bananas, bamboo and citrus fruit. All houses were built for hot weather with open lattice work for windows.

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WHO'S WHO

She is tall, dark, and the tried by true "handsome" can well be added. She is a senior, and this is her second year of living in Eastlick. She's interested in everything literary—Poetry Society, Sigma Tau Delta, and this year she is editor of the **Linden Leaves**. The tailored simplicity of her clothes is one of her most striking assets.

• All Bark and No Bite • —by— COTTON CANNON

IT CAN'T HAPPEN HERE

A chapel speaker who uses as his opening words, "Ladies and gentlemen." . . . Eileen Linsen spending a week-end on campus . . . bicycles with rumble seats for the roommate to help get the Irwin girls to class on time . . . dates during the week . . . or . . . just dates . . . a freshman mistaken for a senior . . . "Why can't you girls wait until after eleven to have your fun and make noise?" . . . Cotton (the four-legged one) not being late to chapel so as to amuse us with that disjointed slink down the aisle . . . Gerry Rasdell not getting two specials from Marshall . . . There will be no assignment for Monday . . .

It is alleged that Mary Jane Taring wouldn't mind catching anything if she could consult that young interne in the St. Louis City Hospital. She'll tell you, herself, that he's an awfully good doctor. Just ask her.

"Come Mickey, come Mickey." . . . Shirley Carlson's had that trap set for a week and the only catch she's made is a rubber mouse. Set it again, Shirley, and maybe you'll catch some cheese. Then we can have a feed.

"Is there a doctor in the house?" Get two, if possible, 'cause the Laney sisters are suffering from the same ailment.

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**AHMANN'S
NEWS STAND**

Dr. McClure Speaks at Opening Assembly

Dr. Walter E. McClure, pastor of the Memorial Presbyterian Church in St. Louis, gave the address at the opening student assembly September 21.

Dr. McClure's talk was about "a young man in the Old Testament". This young man, with three of his companions, was in the war of duty fought between Jerusalem and Babylon. These four men were taken prisoners and picked from the rest of the prisoners to be taken to the palace of the king to be taught the ways of Babylon. They were offered unusual food and drink, but Daniel, the leader of the four, refused because of his early teachings. The prince of the eunuchs gave them plain food and drink for ten days and at the end of that time found that they were much stronger and wiser than the men of his own kingdom who had eaten and drunk too much.

The moral of Dr. McClure's address was that people of today should be rugged individualists and should not follow the common herd. Don't be afraid to be original. "Dare to be a Daniel. Dare to have a purpose and dare to make it known. Know life and know it abundantly".

Miss Ostner Travels

Miss Ostner spent the first two weeks of her summer vacation in an interesting and thorough tour of the East. Leaving Lindenwood in June, she drove first to Cleveland, Ohio. From there she went east to New York State, and visited West Point. New York City was the next major stop, and while there Miss Ostner attended the Fair and enjoyed New York's many sights and thrills. Then to Philadelphia, Baltimore, and on to Washington, a drive which Miss Ostner says, she has never seen equaled in beauty. After leaving Washington she visited Annapolis, and from there traveled through the South to her home in Hot Springs, Ark. The remainder of her vacation was spent in Hot Springs.

Staff of the Bark

Editor-in-chief of the Linden Bark this year will be Mary Ekberg of Holdrege, Neb. Phyllis Carpenter of Ponca City, Okla., will be advertising manager. Those on the editorial staff include Ann Earickson of Hannibal, Mo.; Margaret Cannon, New Albany, Ind.; Lulagene Johnson, Brookfield, Mo.; Dorothy Jean Mathis, Long Beach, Michigan City, Ind.; Jacqueline Morrison, Riverside, Ill.; and Gloria Stunkel of Owensville, Ind.

Like A Professional's

Miss Stookey's pictures of an out-of-the-way part of Old Mexico were pictured in two full artgravure pages of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, September 3. One picture showed a Mexican mother carrying her papoose in a rebozo—a shawl for carrying a papoose. A man in another picture carried a basketful of orchids to market, each one to be sold for about 8 cents. These were all photographs taken by Miss Stookey.

Arkansas Elects

The Arkansas Club met last week and elected the following officers: Mary Kern, Little Rock, president; Phyllis Whitaker, Little Rock, secretary-treasurer. There are eighteen members of the club on the campus including Miss Ostner, Miss Hooton, and Miss Dunaway, the sponsor.

"Make Your Own Words"

(Modern Story)

Get on your nighties, Kiddies, and jump into bed and then I'll tell you your bedtime story before the lights go out. Once there was a knight of old named John who wished to become a NEUMANN. He had incurred the RATH of McQueen, because he was OWEN everybody. At one time, she even threatened to LOCKE him up, but he was able to BENDER will by giving her some CASEBIER. A wise old man in the village said he had an idea, which if it worked would be the chief factor ENABLING him to get back in her good GRACE. So he TOLLMAN to jump in his KARR and ride to the next town to see if he could elope with the fair ISBELL of the GOLDEN LOCKES. This maiden was some CHING which the queen had long desired in her kingdom because of her great wealth. "You won't have to BATTLE for her hand," said the old man, "and if it WORKS you can pay me a small sum."

"NIXON that stuff," said the knight, but at last he agreed. Once on the way, the task seemed simple enough. "Gee, this is the BEBBY'S," he thought, but just then he ran into a SANDSTORM. His car DODGED off the road just as he began to hit the BALL, and he crashed into a tree. He was seriously hurt and he BLEDSOE that he probably would have died had not his little dog come along WAGNER tail behind her. "I SHANK it is so nice of you to come," he said to the dog. "There is no PADDED on this ground and the SANDO gets in my eyes." The dog gave him some BRANDY which BUCKED him up quite a bit even though it did BURNHAM. In no time at all John was on his way and was soon seated on the DAVENPORT of the fair maiden.

"TARLING", he whispered, playing his TRUMP card, "I love you. WILLET be O. K. with your pa if I take you home as my bride?" "Aw HECK", she giggled, "I DOUTHAT very much, but I will go with you."

At last he stood successfully before his queen. She was really very pleased at what he had done, but all she said was "Goodjohn".

And that, Kiddies, is the end of my story. TANKE for listening.

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In New York

Miss Tucker did graduate work in the summer at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. When she had completed her studies, she went to New York City, and had a delightful time at the World's Fair.

Dinner for Teachers

Lindenwood plans to entertain the former Lindenwood girls who are teachers in Missouri, at a dinner on the evening of November 16, when the State Teachers' Association meets in St. Louis. It will be held at the Hotel Statler.

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Three Kinds of Hounds

Using as his subject, "Pursued By His Own Hounds", Rev. L. V. McPherson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of St. Charles, addressed the students at the college vespers, Sunday evening, October 1. The scripture text was Numbers 32:16-27, Psalms 23:1-6, and Revelation 14:13.

From each of these three scriptures Rev. McPherson extracted a line and based his subject on those lines. These were, "Be sure your sins will find you out", "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life", and "For their works follow with them."

"Our sins do follow us," he said, and suggested that one's hounds do follow them. The hounds of sin will overtake us, as we can't throw them off when we stand in the way of sinners. We may have a selfish satisfaction today, but we shall never be able to repossess it. The sins will overtake us.

"The hounds of goodness also pursue us," stated Mr. McPherson. "We are encouraged by the fact that goodness will catch up with us and that that is our one hope in life. We are repeating the rewards of life.

"Also, we are pursued by the hounds of labor. If we give service to the hounds of labor our goodness can't be shaken from them. Otherwise, they shall overtake us."

In conclusion Mr. McPherson said that in the Pursuit of the Hounds we can make our own choice of the trail—sin goodness, or labor; "But eventually the hound shall overtake us."

Prayer was offered by both Mr. McPherson and Dr. Harmon. The choir rendered the anthem, "God That Madest Earth and Heaven", by Harris, and the processional and recessional were, respectively; "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken," and "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind".

Entering Into Activities

Eight freshmen have been elected by the freshmen class, to constitute a Freshman Council, the members of which shall preside in turn over the class meetings, until all are acquainted and it seems time to elect officers.

In the meantime, the class is preparing for a "Merry Mixer" on Friday evening, October 13, to which 250 young men will be invited, for the freshmen class is just that large.

Those chosen on the Freshman Council are: from Niccolls Hall, Maurita Estes; Jean McPherson (a sister of the very popular Frances McPherson, of St. Joseph, Mo., B. M., 1934, so popular at Lindenwood); Virginia Feller and Elaine Anderson.

From Irwin Hall, Dorothy Norris; Butler Hall, Martina Wagner; Sibley Hall, Betty Runge; Ayres Hall, Jean McCulloch.

Miss Morris of the faculty is the freshman class sponsor.

Talent is being tried out for a "talent show" at the "Merry Mixer". The freshman class this year is unusually gifted, and is showing a fine co-operative spirit. Many of them have said, "There is no school like Lindenwood". They feel the college traditions and atmosphere are outstanding, and they are more than ready to uphold the standards of the institution.

Music Officers

Alpha Mu Mu met Friday, September 22, to elect officers and plan its program for the coming year. Officers are: president, Frances Shepard; vice-president, Evelyn Wahlgren; secretary-treasurer, Anne Taylor.

Come One, Come All

War's in Europe—a lot to read, a lot to talk about, and a lot to listen to! So, if you're wondering whether Hans or Pierre is going to win, join the International Relations Club. The first meeting will be held Thursday, October 5, at 5 p. m. in the library club rooms. Mr. R. John Rath is going to tell some of his personal experiences in the Nazi Revolution, and refreshments will be served. Everybody's welcome freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Come one, come all!

Linden Leaves Advisors

The advisors for the annual board for the coming year will be, Dr. Gipson, Mrs. Underwood, Dr. Linneman, Miss Rasmussen, and Miss Parker. It is very evident that the annual will be "tops" this year with the advisor group that it has at its right hand.

Kappa Pi Election

The Missouri Kappa, the Lindenwood chapter of Kappa Pi, national honorary art fraternity, has elected the following officers for the coming year: president—Jeanette Lee; treasurer—Peggy Dodge; acting secretary—Betty Burnham. Dr. Alice Linnemann is the sponsor of this chapter.

Vespers Speaker Asks Preparedness From All

Dr. W. L. Scarborough, minister of the Fifth Street Methodist Church, spoke at vespers, Sunday, September 24. Preceding the sermon, Dr. Harmon led the students in prayer, and the choir sang the anthem, "Open Your Eyes."

Dr. Scarborough based his sermon on Timothy II, 1:6. He spoke of the need of preparing one's self for a position in life; he also stressed the dangers of not understanding one's self. One should always be preparing himself for something better, even if that preparation takes the greater part of his lifetime.

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Honor the Student Board

Miss Hooton, Lindenwood's new Dean of Residence, spoke in chapel on Tuesday, September 19. She introduced the new house presidents and members of the Student Board. She emphasized the fact that these girls represent the student body and are capable of carrying out this responsibility. "It is the board's business to look after the interests and needs of the students", said Miss Hooton. "Live up to your very best self."

Last Saturday, September 30, was set aside at the New York World's Fair as a day honoring Presbyterian colleges and academies. Although Lindenwood had no delegates present, a pennant was sent and the many alumnae who live in and around New York were depended upon to represent the college.

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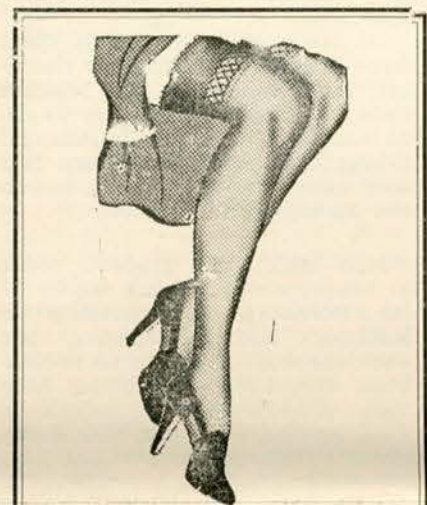
Dr. Terhune at Washington

Dr. Terhune attended the University of Washington at Seattle this summer. She had a delightful trip out, going by way of Banff, the Canadian Rockies, Vancouver and Victoria.

At the University, she studied under a visiting professor, Dr. W. F. Rice, who offered a course in the Literature of the Argentine Republic and of Uruguay. The course was of particular interest as Dr. Rice has lived, taught, and headed schools for many years in Argentina.

On week-ends, she took the excursions up the Skagit river in Washington and around the Olympic peninsula. After completing her work at the University, she visited at the home of Dr. Gregg in Chehalis, Wash., and then she and Dr. Gregg went on to Mt. Rainer.

Dr. Terhune concluded her summer by returning through Portland and then stopping in San Francisco to attend the Fair, before she continued on home by way of Los Angeles and the Grand Canyon.



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Miss Stookey In Guatemala
Sees Natives in Primitive Surroundings

Miss Stookey spent part of her summer in Guatemala. She traveled to Guatemala on a United Fruit Company boat that sailed from New Orleans. After a three-day cruise, she landed at Puerto Barrios. From Puerto Barrios she took a train to Guatemala City, a twelve-hour trip through banana farms, lush tropical growth and towering volcanic cones. After leaving Guatemala City, trips were taken into the highlands to Antigua, Chimaltenango, Lake Atitlan, Solola, and Chichicastenango.

Guatemala is 85 per cent Indian, of Mayan and Quiche descent, and is not contaminated by contact with modern civilization. "I know of no other place where the native costumes are as colorful and as varied," said Miss Stookey. The weaving and embroidery are entirely different in every village, and in every village the patterns are as beautiful and as different as in the other villages. These Indians live in a pleasant, primitive way. The women have a fine upright carriage and a rapid gliding walk, which comes from the traditional style of carrying burdens on the head. The men, their backs bent under unwieldy loads, human carriers, trot for miles along the mountain roads, going to native markets.

Everyone enjoys a "spot" of coffee every afternoon and it is considered by many the best coffee in the world. It was told to Miss Stookey that someone said Guatemala coffee should be "Hot as the hub of hell, and as strong as the love of a woman".

Huehuetenango is the home of the Quetzal bird, the national bird of Guatemala. The bird has a bright green plumage and extraordinary long tail feathers. The bird is very rare, seldom seen, and does not live in captivity.

The outstanding points of the trip were a visit to Dr. Popeno's house in Antiqua, the famous "House in Antiqua" written of by Louis Adamic, a ride across Lake Atitlan to San Antonio Palopo, and a sojourn at the Mayan Inn in Chichicastenango where it was possible to see Father Rossback's famous collection of Mayan jade.

A short visit was made at Tela, Honduras, where picturesque palm-thatched huts rested on the sand beneath the slanting palm trees. A visit was made to a banana plantation where "The United Fruit Company permits nature to manufacture bananas, to the ultimate enrichment of the stockholders".

Ruth Tillman and Margaret Fischer spent the week-end of September in St. Louis with Ruth's parents from Pawhuska, Okla.

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Society Sidelights

Dr. Roemer's Vacation

Dr. Roemer spent his vacation this summer, traveling in the east with Dr. Stumberg. With Frank at the wheel, they drove first to Morgantown, W. Va., Mrs. Roemer's girlhood home, where Dr. Roemer attended to some business. They then drove on to Cumberland, Md., and stayed with Dr. Roemer's sister for several days. From there they drove to New York to see the World's Fair and then on to Chautauqua where they spent the remainder of their vacation visiting many old friends.

Kramer-Wagner Nuptials

Sunday afternoon, September 17 at 3 o'clock, Miss Velda Wagner, former secretary to Dean Gipson, married Charles L. Kramer at St. Peter's Rectory. Father Behrmann read the ceremony.

The bride wore a cedar brown crepe dress with gold trim, a cameo pendant presented her by the groom, a brown felt hat, brown suede shoes, and carried a brown suede purse. Her corsage was of tailsman roses and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Kramer was attended by Mary Helen Gray of Topeka, Kans., a former Lindenwood student and a classmate of the bride's. She wore a dress of teal blue and brown and carried a corsage of tea roses.

A reception was given at 4:30 o'clock at the Forest Park Hotel in St. Louis.

Succeeds the Bride

The new secretary to Dean Gipson is a former student of Lindenwood College, having received her A. A. Degree last spring. She is Miss Jean Anderson of Las Animas, Colo. While here at school for four years, Miss Anderson was student assistant to Dr. Schaper. For a year and a half she worked in the department of Public Welfare in Las Animas, and for four months was assistant in the county treasurer's office also in Las Animas.

Miss Anderson finds Dean Gipson one of the grandest persons to work for, because she is so considerate. Miss Anderson also states that being a recent student in the college she knows the problems of the students and is at their service at all times.

Mrs. Le Master divided her vacation visiting her daughters; one in Columbia and the other in Boonville, Mo.

Mr. Friess spent the summer touring in the west. The high spots in his trip were San Francisco, and Lake Louise at Banff.

Miss Gieselman spent her vacation at her home in Macon, Mo.

Dr. Gregg's vacation was spent doing some research work in the court houses of Callaway, Boone, and Howard counties, Missouri, and in the Missouri Historical Society. She visited her home at Chehalis, Wash., where she continued writing. She went up and over Natchez Pass of the Cascade Mountains. Then she and Dr. Terhune visited Paradise Valley on Mt. Rainier.

Miss Hankins was "just at home in Webster Groves".

Miss Anderson said, "I practiced what I preach". She kept house in her home in Buda, Ill.

Bridal Tea

One of Lindenwood's former students, Miss Mary Roberts, of Pocatello, Idaho, who was married September 21, at her parents' home to Mr. William Crutchfield, was entertained at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Crutchfield, with a tea on Wednesday last. Many of Mrs. Crutchfield's friends among the faculty and students were guests. The decorations were in fall flowers. Christine McDonald, of Lindenwood, poured.

Miss Kohlstedt traveled east this summer for her vacation. She spent two weeks in Maine, then went to Boston for a short time, and later visited New York, where she attended the Fair. The remainder of the summer was spent at her home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Burkitt spent the first weeks of the summer attending the National School of Music Materials in Chicago. After finishing there, she spent the remainder of the vacation in Wisconsin. She returned to her home in St. Louis just before the opening of school.

Dr. Harmon and his family spent three weeks of the summer traveling; their destination was Niagara Falls. On their way east they traveled through Ohio, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania. On the return trip they came through Canada, Southern Michigan and Indiana.

Miss Bailey did graduate work in bio-chemistry for six weeks at the University of Wisconsin in Madison. After completing her work she went to her home in New York City. She visited the New York World's Fair several times. After leaving New York, Miss Bailey made a 2500-mile trip, stopping in Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Vincennes, Indiana, Chicago, and Oklahoma. Miss Bailey made the trip alone but saw many of her friends during the time.

Miss Dunaway spent her summer in Conway, Ark., her home town, and in Hot Springs.

Miss Rasmussen spent ten weeks of her summer vacation working on a degree in Art Education, at the University of Chicago. After completing her study she spent the remainder of her vacation visiting in Nebraska.

Miss Dawson spent her summer at the University of Iowa. She took courses in tragedy, poetry, and ballad. Tragedy, probably her most interesting subject, brought the plays from the Greeks to modern times. She said it was a most enjoyable summer all the way through.

Dr. Evers attended summer school at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. She took work in the Linguist Institute and in Latin-American Affairs. During her eight weeks in school, she attended the French club, and many of the important and interesting lectures. One of these was made by an American exchange teacher who had worked at the University of Algiers for a year. "It was a perfect summer," said Dr. Evers.

Miss Hirsh, of the post-office, spent the summer on a diversified trip East, visiting Washington, D. C.; the New York World's Fair, and various points in Canada.

Janet Goodjohn, Leavenworth, Kan., returns to school the first of this week after having an appendectomy September 11, the day she was to have left for school.

Honors at Home

Marie Smith, a sophomore from Fowler, Ind., is to be an official hostess at the 1939 Corn Festival of Indiana. She left school last Thursday and will return October 15. Among the people present at the festival will be Paul V. McNutt, Governor Townsend, June Travis, a movie star; and a M. G. M. talent scout. Some of the most important things Marie will do are: go to Chicago for three days with the queen and her court as guests of the Morrison Hotel in their penthouse and as guests of Johnnie "Scat" Davis at the Blackhawk; make two radio talks; and personally extend an invitation to the governor of Indiana.

Miss Gordon spent a busy and pleasant summer in the East. She traveled first to Cape May, New Jersey, and remained on the coast for two weeks. Accompanied by friends, she then went to New York where she spent the rest of the summer. Knowing Miss Gordon's love for drama, it is not surprising to discover that she saw every play showing in New York. The route she took on her return to Lindenwood brought her into the Shenandoah Valley, over the Sky Line Drive, and through the Smokey Mountains.

Along with his vacation, Dr. Betz spent five weeks in the Adirondacks helping a friend edit a text book. He spent the rest of the summer in Cincinnati, Ohio, doing some literary work.

Miss Walker spent seven weeks in New York this summer, enjoying the Fair and attending the Juillard School of Music and Columbia University. She gave an hour's concert which was a request program of Schubert opera at Columbia, and appeared in the Juillard Graduate School recitals. She also sang under the direction of the famous Viennese conductor and head of the orchestral department at Juillard, Fritz Mahler, who is the nephew of Gustave Mahler, Viennese conductor and composer.

Miss Mottinger said, when asked what she had done during her summer vacation, "Ask someone who did something". Nevertheless, she did have an enjoyable summer in her cottage in Laddonia, Mo. Her nephew, Lieut. Wm. I. Darnell, and his wife, visited her on their way to Washington, D. C., where he is to be with the Bureau of Aeronautics for three years. Mrs. LeMaster spent a week-end with her and, later Miss Mottinger spent a pleasant week-end with Mrs. LeMaster in Boonville.

A double-decker bed was the pride of third floor Butler, until Jackie Jopling proved the law of gravity by twice descending abruptly and unintentionally to lower and firmer levels.

Charlotte Ching tells the interesting Butlerites of her interesting summer in California, while Hyacinth Young is pumped for an account of her vacation in New York and Chicago.

Mrs. Hal C. Gardner, regent of Nicolls Hall, spent the summer at Washington University as house-mother in a girls' dormitory. She was there all of her vacation except three weeks, which she spent resting.

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Bride's Tea

Miss Culbertson gave a tea Saturday afternoon, September 16, in honor of Miss Velda Wagner, bride-to-be. The table decorations were white asters and pompoms and white candles. White cakes with lilies of the valley on the icing, and pastel mints were served. Dean Gipson and Dr. Dawson poured. Pastel-colored rice bags were presented each guest.

Miss Hough, regent at Irwin Hall, spent her summer vacation in her home town, Morgantown, W. Va. She had a delightful rest and visited in surrounding towns with close friends.

Irwin Hall held a delightful tea Sunday afternoon, September 17, in the parlors. Several rules of the campus were discussed and Betty Kelley was introduced as the new house president.

Miss Wurster spent ten weeks of her summer vacation doing graduate work at the University of Chicago. While in Chicago, Miss Wurster attended a tea given in honor of Dr. Reuter, now of Texas University and formerly of Lindenwood. The tea was given by a former Lindenwood student, Miss Doris Force. After Miss Wurster completed her summer studies she attended the New York World's Fair, and enjoyed the exhibits very much.

Dr. Talbot spent her summer at the Ohio State Lake Laboratory which is on an island in Lake Erie, studying the distribution of ants. She made two collecting trips, one into Michigan and one into the Smokey Mountains of Tennessee.

Miss Coulson spent the summer working on her Master's degree at the University of Kansas. In August she and her mother moved to St. Charles in preparation for the beginning of school.

Miss Allyn was at home in St. Louis working on textbooks and taking short trips.

Dean and Mrs. Thomas spent the latter part of the summer in Colorado visiting Colorado Springs, Estes Park, and Denver.

Miss Englehart remained in St. Charles this summer enjoying to the utmost her new piano.

Dr. Benson spent most of the summer visiting in the state of California with her family and friends. She also had a short vacation trip to Minnesota.

Besides visiting her family in Iowa most of the summer, Miss Karr took an enjoyable two weeks' motor trip to Yellowstone National Park. She also visited in Colorado, the Tenton Park, and the Black Hills.

Dr. Garnett spent his vacation teaching summer school at Rolla, where the University of Missouri holds one section of its summer session.

Dr. Gipson's Helpful Talk

Dr. Gipson gave an orientation talk to the freshmen on Tuesday morning, September 19, advising them how to become adjusted to life at college and relating the possibilities for the student there. After explaining to them the best methods of study and the budgeting of their time, she defined the honor societies on the campus and listed the qualifications for entrance.

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