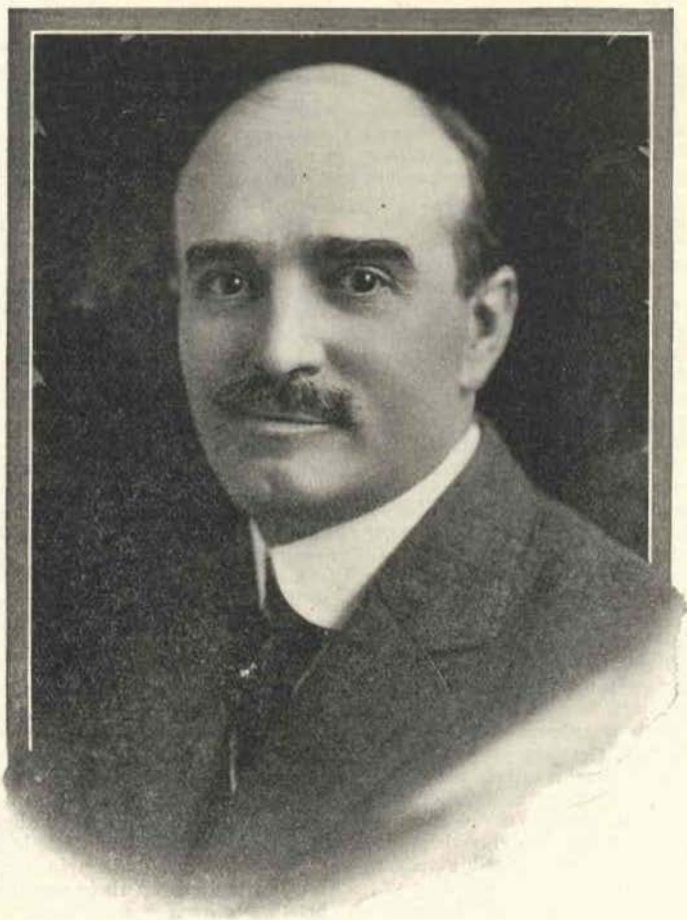


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President Lindenwood College

## SHE WAS JACKSON COUNTY'S FIRST BRIDE

(From the Kansas City Star)

Ten years before the first steamboat went puffing up the Missouri River the first bride in Jackson County, Mrs. George C. Sibley, came up the river in an old-fashioned keel boat to make her home just below Kansas City at Fort Clark, now the little town of Sibley, founded by and later named for her soldier-husband, Maj. George Sibley.

Her first glimpse of her new home came as she rounded the last bend in the river and saw Fort Clark. There on a bluff overlooking the river was a large grove of trees and a high log fence inclosing the fort. From her husband's diary we learn that "It was a fine day, crisp and invigorating." It was about sunset, too; and the soft colors of the evening sky gave an air of romance and enchantment to the scene, but down in the young woman's heart there must have been a feeling that it was all very different from the home she had left in St. Louis. She would miss her old friends and she wondered how her new ones at the fort would like her.

Meanwhile, that place was bubbling over with excitement over the coming of the bride.

"What do you suppose she will look like?" men asked.

"She's considered one of the 'belles of St. Louis', so she'll surely have elegant clothes", the women answered. "There won't be much chance for her to wear them though."

"What in the world will a city girl (St. Louis then had fourteen hundred inhabitants) do out here among the Indians?" inquired the men. "Bet she won't stay a year."

### Had Both Beauty And Sense

Rufus Easton, the first postmaster of St. Louis and second congressman from the state of Missouri was Mrs. Sibley's father. He was one of the wealthiest men in the city and his daughter had had all the luxuries it was possible to obtain. She was pretty, but that was not all. She had the courage and determination to accomplish things that were characteristic of our pioneer women.

"She won't stick it out a year" was the bet they made before she came, but after she had made herself loved by her

many acts of kindness to the people of the fort there was not a person who did not hope that she would stay always.

Mrs. Sibley was only 15 years old at the time of her marriage, but 106 years ago 15 was considered a very suitable age at which to wed. "Mary is a splendid woman, 15 years of age, in splendid health, and full of courage and determination. She has expressed her willingness and desire to accompany me anywhere so I have no compunction in taking her with me to live among the Indians", wrote Major Sibley to his brother in announcing his marriage.

### A Honeymoon of those Days

Mrs. Sibley did not spend her honeymoon on a transcontinental railroad train nor speeding about the country in a high-powered motor car, but she found happiness just as real in the keel boat ride from St. Louis and in her saddle horse which had been given her by her husband. There were no Paris gowns of soft, clinging satins and crepes in her trousseau, but Major Sibley mentioned in his diary that "she had several bright colored dresses of merino and cashmere that were extremely becoming." Her bungalow was not a bungalow at all, because the word never had been heard, but she had a nice, new log cabin with as many conveniences as could be accumulated in that day. It even contained a piano with orchestral attachments, the first piano west of the Mississippi River, and the bride spent many happy hours playing for her friends.

"You are always sure of a welcome at Sibley's", was the word early travelers passed to each other as they met on the road or in the taverns that were beginning to be scattered over this section of the country. The "right hand man of Gov. William (Red Head) Clark", as Major Sibley had come to be known, already had made himself famous through the part he played in creating Governor Clark's Indian peace policy. In consequence he had many friends who would drop in for a visit of a day or two on their way from one fort to another.

Mrs. Sibley's charm and hospitality made her famous and her culture and cordiality were mentioned in the diaries of such famous men as Thomas Jefferson. It was the custom of the Sibleys

to join their guests and go up the river for a distance in the boat they called Six Miles, and then float back down to the fort. All was not house parties and boat rides, though, and Major Sibley often was away from home on business for the government.

"Mary, I'm going on a business trip for a few days with Mather and Reeves," he said. "We're going to leave tonight for Council Grove, Kansas, with seven wagons, carrying \$800.00 worth of merchandise and we expect to come to some kind of an agreement with the Indians".

#### **Establishment of the Santa Fe Trail**

The Santa Fe trail was established as a result of that trip, white men negotiating a peace treaty that secured travel without Indian interference between Independence and Santa Fe.

"Another fine day. Nothing occurred worth notice," Major Sibley wrote in his diary, but during those days when "nothing occurred worth notice" Mrs. Sibley was planning something to keep her busy in her later years. She founded the first girls' school west of the Mississippi River, Lindenwood College, at St. Charles, Missouri, in 1827. St. Charles was chosen as a site for the school because Major Sibley had received a tract of land there in payment of a debt. Otherwise the school probably would have been founded at Sibley.

The town and the school both are monuments to the memory of one of Missouri's greatest pioneer women. Mrs. Sibley's importance in the history of the state and the country can be judged by the fact that she was represented by Mrs. A. H. Connelly of Kansas City in the patriotic pageant given by the Daughters of the American Revolution at their national convention in Washington last May, and also by Mrs. T. M. Overall in the recent centennial pageant in Penn Valley Park here.

Louise Child, '22.

#### **MESSAGES OF REGRET**

It is impossible to publish in an issue of the Bulletin the many messages of regret received at inability to be present at the dedication of Roemer Hall. Some were detained on account of other conflicting appointments, others by circum-

stances over which they had no control.

Happy felicitations were received from the heads of the following institutions of learning: Missouri University, West Virginia University (the alma mater of President Roemer), Washington University, University of Minnesota, Des Moines University, Kansas University, Kansas State Agricultural College, Western College for Women, Harvard University, University of Kentucky, William Jewell College, University of Southern California, Leland Stanford University, New York University, Wellesley College, James Milliken University, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Whitman College, University of Iowa, Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Omaha, Nebraska, Pennsylvania State College, Hobart College, College of Wooster, University of Pennsylvania, Missouri Valley College, Denison University, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Colorado State Normal School, De Pauw University, Smith College, Bryn Mawr, Mount Holyoke, Wells College.

Personal messages were received from many friends, alumnae and former students.

Superintendent Sam A. Baker said: "Your college is doing a great work for young women of the State."

Mrs. A. H. Donnelly, who represented Mrs. Sibley in Washington at the D. A. R. conference, wrote: "It is with great sorrow that I must send my regrets."

Mr. Campbell Richards of Wheeling, W. Va., "It will be such an occasion that I would very much like to be present and to see and to hear of the splendid work that has been crowned by the establishment of Roemer Hall."

Dr. John W. Million, President of Des Moines University: "Here is a hearty hand-shake and a warm-hearted wish for the continued growth and success of Lindenwood College."

Rexana H. Vivian of Wellesley College: "It has seemed to me that a College like Lindenwood was very much needed and that it had, with its progressive ideals, a splendid opportunity for the future."

The following are some of the telegrams received the morning of the dedication exercises:

Congratulations to the Board of Trustees and Faculty of Lindenwood Col-

lege and may Lindenwood's new era inaugurated by the dedication of Roemer Hall open a course of progress that will contribute to the second centennial of Missouri's history what her first century's service did toward the state's development and the noble purpose of Major and Mrs. Sibley, Colonel and Mrs. Butler find a memorial in the lives of countless numbers of women.

S. M. A. Clark, class of 1890.

Accept congratulations and best wishes for the continued success of Lindenwood, may the vision which you, your faculty and Board entertain be realized to the fullest. May the young womenhood, which Lindenwood is nurturing, realize their golden opportunities and be filled with great joy on this happy day.

A. L. Soule, of New Orleans, La.

I rejoice with you this day, wishing I could be with you other than in Spirit. May the future hold even greater success, is the wish of your most ardent admirer and friend. John Brandle.

The Lindenwood Club of Chicago sends greetings, congratulations and best wishes on the epoch marking day and regret we cannot all be with you. Yours with affection and loyalty to our Alma Mater.

Martha E. Flagan, Cor. Secy.

San Francisco Lindenwood College Club extends Greetings and congratulations to you and Mrs. Roemer, Faculty and Members of the Board of Directors of Lindenwood College on this happy day at the Dedication of Roemer Hall.

Mattie H. Hamilton, President.

Congratulations and best wishes upon this happy occasion. We rejoice with you that the dream of a bigger, better Lindenwood has come true. With best regards.

Margaret and Mrs. W. W. Seymour.

Exceedingly regret my inability to join the happy crowd in dedicating Roemer Hall, which has been so fittingly named. I often wish I could answer the roll call of dear Old Lindenwood. Our best love and good wishes to you both and the school. Dorothy Vinyard.

## MRS. ROEMER'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

The freshman class celebrated the birthday of Mrs. John L. Roemer, dean of students, with a dinner dance November 4.

The dining room was decorated in the freshman colors, blue and gold, a four course dinner was served.

Between courses the freshmen sang several songs of tribute to "Mother Roemer". The juniors showed their loyalty to their sister class by praising her in a number of songs.

Just before the room was darkened for the march with birthday cakes, Mrs. Roemer thanked the freshmen for their party, expressing her appreciation of the floor lamp presented to her by the student body, and of the orchid feather fan which was the gift of the senior class to its sponsor. "My present to you girls and to the faculty (I'm sorry I can't make the same gift to the townspeople) will be the privilege of sleeping in the morning," Mrs. Roemer concluded.

Dancing began in Butler gymnasium at 8. The guests found Mrs. Roemer seated on a throne of blue with a background representing a peacock's tail. The walls and ceiling of the gymnasium were draped in blue and gold.

After the fifth dance Miss Helen Calder read an ode to Mrs. Roemer. A series of scenes from the life of the college girl in 1821 and 1921 followed.

Pretty little maids served the guests with ice cream and bon bons.

Mrs. Roemer wore a white satin gown and carried pink rosebuds.

## MISSOURI COLLEGE UNION

The annual meeting of the Missouri College Union was held at Lindenwood College early in November. It was the first time the Union had met at Lindenwood and all the colleges of the Union were represented. A reception was held for the representatives the evening preceding which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Missouri University was represented by Professor F. M. Tisdell; Washington University by Dean G. O. James and Professor E. J. Swift; St. Louis University by Fathers Murphy and Foote; Missouri Valley by President

Wm. H. Black and Professor J. J. Dynes; *William Jewell* by Professor Smith; *Westminster* by President E. E. Reed and Professor G. B. Sweazy; *Culver-Stockton* by President J. H. Wood and Professor Isely; *Tarkio* by President Thompson; *Central Wesleyan* by President O. E. Kriege and Professor J. W. Chiles; *Missouri Wesleyan* by President Harmon; *Central* by Professor T. Berry Smith and Dean E. P. Puckett; *Lindenwood* by President Roemer, Dean Templin and Dr. Stumberg; *Park* by Professor W. F. Sanders; *Drury* by President T. W. Nadal and Dean Hall.

The Union is composed only of Standard A. colleges of Missouri.

### "A CHRISTMAS FANTASY"

Beatrice D. Creighton.

Story winning prize for best Christmas article for Bulletin.

It was Christmas eve and the spirits of Lindenwood held communion in the deserted chapel. They were a strange assembly in their long flowing robes and they seemed to create an atmosphere of awe in the silent auditorium. There was one spirit, taller and more dignified than any of the rest, who had taken her place on the platform. Now she rose from her throne and spoke to the expectant throng.

"Sister Spirits", she began, "This is our annual night of meeting and I have called you together, as usual, to hear of the work that you have accomplished among mortals during the past year. You will each make your report in response to the roll call."

The first on her record was the Spirit of Friendship, who promptly came forward and addressed the Chair.

"My work has been unusually heavy this year", she said, and she smiled reflectively. "I made my first appearance in the 'Little Sister' movement early in the fall and was welcomed most heartily by the old girls as well as by the new. I dispelled much of the homesickness and heartache of the first few weeks of school and have created much happiness ever since. I have been an invisible guest at every social affair of the College, and I've spent innumerable happy

hours after dinner in the "gym". I have hidden in all corners of the campus and have pervaded the rooms in every dormitory. I am responsible for the good fellowship and sympathy that exists between the students and the faculty; and truly, I believe that I represent the best, the finest and most inspiring phase of college life."

The Presiding Spirit nodded approvingly as the Spirit of Friendship finished her report. Then she read the next name on her roll and the Spirit of Loyalty approached.

"I'm afraid I can't give any definite example of work that I have accomplished", she began rather hesitatingly, "but I can feel myself growing stronger and more prominent every year. I express myself most effectively in the Lindenwood songs that the girls so love to sing; and in the enthusiasm that abounds in all athletics. But, best of all, I live in the hearts of the alumnae, long after they have forgotten the trivial incidents and even the friendships of their college days."

She had scarcely finished speaking and returned to her place when two small, impish little sprites, danced impudently on to the platform. They were the Spirits of Fun and Mischief and were never far apart. The Presiding Spirit smiled indulgently at them and waited their reports with interest.

"Everybody likes me", announced the Spirit of Fun, with an irresistible air of assurance. "The students greet me with the most flattering enthusiasm, and even the faculty occasionally welcomes me into the classroom. My greatest achievement this year has been the Ku Ku Klan. It has created much merriment for the students in general, and the mighty sophomores were so enchanted with the idea that they have been enlarging on it ever since."

The Spirit of Mischief had been obviously impatient for her turn and now she chimed in, as the Spirit of Fun paused for breath.

"I know you disapprove of me, but nevertheless you must admit that I am at least an interesting diversion. And the school year would be mighty dull and unexciting if I didn't furnish an occasional thrill. As for that splendid organization, the Student Council, but for me it would fade out of existence.

# Lindenwood College

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Address all communications to the President of the College, Dr. John L. Roemer, St. Charles, Mo.

To prevent such a catastrophe I find a susceptible student and suggest a midnight feast after lights, with canned beans and sardine sandwiches as the chief attraction. If that fails to bring about the desired result I begin water fights that invariably end in floods and the righteous wrath of the Dean, whose room is directly below that of the fighters. You could not crush me if you tried, for I am as inevitable a part of college life as the regular school curriculum."

The Spirit of Mischief concluded with a perceptible note of triumph. She was closely followed by a beautiful maiden with misty eyes and shining hair. She had about her a certain illusive charm that cast its spell over the entire chapel. She was the Spirit that thrives in boarding school and college and is as contagious as spring fever,—The Spirit of Romance.

"You know how intangible my influence is", she said, "and how seldom I am given credit for the real good that I accomplish. There are many who believe I am only a sensational dream, playing havoc with practical thoughts and ambitions. But if it were not for me mortals would miss the sweetest things in life. It is only when they shut me out that the days seem all dull and gray and monotonous with none of the sunshine and happiness that I always bring."

The next spirit who spoke was very young, very innocent, and fairly bubbling over with life and enthusiasm. Her hair was bound with ribbons of blue and gold and she wore a robe of brilliant green. Every one recognized her at once—the irrepressible Freshman Spirit.

"This is a banner year for me", she said; "and I have heard it whispered that in spite of my youth and inexperience, I am growing very prominent. It is only natural that I should be proud of the way I conducted Mrs. Roemer's

birthday party, and all the minor affairs that I have undertaken. Surely Lindenwood could not get along without me!"

The time was passing rapidly and the Presiding Spirit hurried the reports to a close. A number of the less important spirits spoke briefly and in quick succession, but there was one who seemed anxious to be heard. It was the Spirit of Rivalry.

"I am considered an unwholesome influence by many," she said. "But think how uninteresting the Thanksgiving hockey game would have been without me! I am indispensable to all athletics and a great incentive toward high scholarship. And now I am about to appear in a really worthy cause, the Y. W. C. A. contest for membership. Surely that is to be commended."

Just then the midnight hour arrived and a strange hush fell over the assembly. For, lo, a new spirit had entered at the stroke of twelve, and stood waiting for recognition. She was exquisitely lovely and there was about her something of the radiance and festivity that had permeated the College for the past fortnight. All the spirits rose with one accord and paid homage to the Spirit of "Christmas". She responded eagerly.

"I was afraid I should be too late, for I have been busy all day long, and even now I can stay just long enough to give my report and make my plea. My mission is a most precious one, for I enter the hearts of man everywhere and work miracles most wonderful. The people who are sad, forget their sorrow for a little while when I come. The tired business man who has been worried the whole year, feels again a little of the carefree joy of his boyhood; the people who are bored can't help catching some of my spirit and feeling a new incentive in life. And the ones who have borne grudges all the rest of the year, forget them the minute I come into sight. Best of all the children of rich and poor alike are happy as long as I am near. But the holiday season is so short that I am forgotten before I've more than begun to do my work. I can't help wishing that I could stay a little longer." And the Spirit of Christmas looked wistfully into the face of the Presiding Spirit.

Then the Spirit who presides over all looked down upon her and smiled.

"And so you shall," she said. "For surely you accomplish the greatest good and are needed more than any of the rest. It is you, Oh Spirit of Christmas, that makes it possible for the others to perform their work. Henceforth you shall live the whole long year and tonight I christen you anew "The Spirit of Love!"

## A MERRY CHRISTMAS

### Dr. Roemer's Christmas Message

The Christmas season is one of joy. If at no other time of the year we are filled with emotions of joy there is an impelling power at Christmas time that opens up our hearts as at no other time. We say that every day in our lives should be a Christmas day. And so it would be if we could have the "feeling" that comes over us about the twenty-fifth of December. There is a contagion of good feeling then that impels us to wish everybody we meet "A Merry Christmas". Enmities are forgotten, animosities pass into oblivion for the moment, "Good-Will" toward men is everywhere manifest. During the heat of battle there is a cessation of hostilities when the Joyous Season arrives. What is the secret of the day? It is the memory day of childhood. The mind goes back to the little town of Bethlehem and here we dwell with divine. The innocence of childhood woos us and we are unmindful of all else save the divine appeal of innocence and love. The beauty of the child is seen in the sequel of his earth life which it is our privilege to know. He grew up with the same appeal of innocence and love in all his ways and works. No one convicts him of sin. He is matchless in character, majestic in the simplicity of his power. Conscious of strength, yet always using it for the benefit, not of self-advancement, but mankind. His appeal in word and work and worth was always to the better self—the expression of the divine within us. It was the child of Bethlehem's manger that linked man with the throne of God and joined us in saying Our Father. If we could only live in the reality of His innocence and love it would make better men and women and bring to pass the present world-

wish for peace on earth. It is the divine child that appeals to the divinity within us and elicits the spirit of expressing love in gifts with the wish—A Merry Christmas.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Leatherman (Inez Ernest) announce the birth of Richard Ernest, November 11, 1921. Weight 8½ pounds.

Congratulations from Lindenwood to the father and mother and welcome to Master Richard Ernest.

We also wish to congratulate Dr. and Mrs. Frank Elwin Shelden of Kansas City upon the arrival of Master Dallmeyer on October 1st.

## MAIL BAG

My dear Miss Templin:

I am just compelled to "give thanks" and since you appear to be largely responsible for the cause thereof I am going to make you the recipient. I have just received "The Newer Lindenwood 1827-1921" and I feel great delight in the possession and am very grateful for the gift. It is beautifully put together and part nine with its pictures gives a wonderful history of the college. While I have no doubt you loved the work, it must have been quite a task nevertheless, but such a successful accomplishment must be exceedingly gratifying to you. I feel as if I should write to Dr. Roemer or Mr. Motley and congratulate the college on having such a historian as well as to congratulate you personally.

And one of the most captivating touches as well as one of the most endearing is the mention of the "Messrs. Bottani and Broeker"—dear "Aunt Tillie" and "John Gibson"—that is most graciously done. I could not but think as I read it how "Aunt Tillie" would have positively gloated over such a tribute.

Sara N. M. Sheldon.

My dear Dr. Roemer:

We hope you will approve of us since we feel that we did Lindenwood proud by being represented in the centennial parade in Kansas City. After this year they will have to wait a hundred years



### G A T E W A Y

Erected by Alumnae and Students, Completed Oct. 19, 1921

to better us. Mr. Franey sent us out a new Marmon car which we decorated with flags and on the sides with the large Lindenwood pennants Miss Templin sent us. Then I had printed on white muslin (6 ft.x14 in.) in black letters at the top, "Mary Easton Sibley" and beneath, "Lindenwood College, Founded 1827." We were in "The Pioneer Women" division and moved slowly enough so they could read with ease who we were—we could hear them just like some people read aloud at the movie show. Mrs. Dr. Overall dressed to represent the day of Mrs. Sibley created much applause by her beautiful costume especially a delicious poke bonnet 100 years old of straw lace and flowers. She took part in the pageant at the park and was introduced as the pioneer woman educator of Missouri, etc. Mrs. Donnelly and I rode in the car, Mrs. Donnelly looked "mighty nice" with white hair and plumed hat and I intended to represent a school girl of

1827, but missed out somewhere. I had a poke bonnet and curls and the "kids" called me "Auntie". I had always regretted my hair being straight up to now, but if curls aid in making me look *a la* Auntie I am somewhat consoled.

We have been able to get several interesting notices about Lindenwood and Mrs. Sibley in the different papers. You ask Mrs. Roemer, if notwithstanding everything, I have'nt written a regular school-girl letter. With kindest regards and the pleasantest of memories, I remain,

Sincerely,  
(Mrs. J. T.) Lida Franey.

Dear Dr. Roemer:

The College has been so good and thoughtful for all these years in sending all the old L. C. girls the Lindenwood Bulletin. I am writing this to tell you how greatly I appreciate and enjoy it.

I attended Lindenwood the winter of 1909 and 1910 and will never forget my



happy days I spent there, and the Bulletin helps me remember them.

Mrs. Rollie Purwines—Darnall.  
Dawson, Illinois.

Dear Miss Clements:

I am in receipt of a Book of Views of Lindenwood College, which I understand comes from you, and which I greatly appreciate. It gives me an excellent idea of how attractive the College is, with its many appointments in up-to-date buildings and impresses one with the great changes that Lindenwood has undergone along the line of improvements.

Of course my memory of the College is when there was but one main building of brick and a small frame building for a "school-room"; the two connected by means of a "board-walk". What is most gratifying about the College is the fact that the course of study has been so improved that the school now takes its proper College rank.

Alice E. John.

No account of dedication would be complete with comment on "The Newer Lindenwood" by Dean Templin. The following note from H. J. Waters of the Kansas City Star says it better than we can.

"I think I am indebted to you for the beautiful souvenir number of the Newer Lindenwood in commemoration of the dedication of Roemer Hall, which I

prize very highly, and shall read with great interest and pleasure. It is a strikingly beautiful booklet, full of interesting things about your college, and worthy of a place on the shelf of any library."

H. J. Waters.

My dear Miss Templin:

May I offer my very sincere congratulations on the piece of work which has been so admirably done.

I am very glad that I was on the mailing list and have an opportunity of knowing more intelligently the advantages of Lindenwood. You have one of our students there this year who is very enthusiastic about it and I was not surprised since I had the pleasure of meeting you three years ago in Chicago.

With good wishes for your success and thanking you again for the opportunity of seeing the book, I am,

Katharine S. Alvord,  
Dean of Women,  
DePauw University,  
Greencastle, Ind.

My dear Miss Templin:

I want to thank you very cordially for the booklet which you have sent me. It is indeed very beautifully done, and I appreciate your courtesy very much indeed. With my best wishes, I remain,

Yours most cordially,  
Grace Greenwood.

## LINDENWOOD CLUBS

### San Francisco

The San Francisco Lindenwood Club at its annual fall meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Mattie Hamilton  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Mary Barr McMullen  
Treasurer—Mrs. Eva Meek Hain

### Kansas City

The Kansas City Lindenwood Association met September 6th at the Ormond Hotel, with Mrs. Paul Donnelly and Mrs. Edward Gray as hostesses. After a delightful luncheon the regular

business meeting was held, deciding our plans, social, educational, and charitable, for the coming year.

We are to have a series of lectures by well-known men and women, have pledged ourselves to substantially assist a girl through the school year, beside our usual charities, and have planned most interesting worth-while meetings for the first Tuesday of each month.

The officers for the coming year:  
Mrs. H. T. Poindexter, President.  
Mrs. I. S. Flournoy, Vice President  
Mrs. Jesse Dumont, Rec. Secy.  
Mrs. James T. Franey, Cor. Secy.  
Mrs. J. H. Morris, Treas.

### Chicago

The Lindenwood College Club of Chicago met with Mrs. A. W. Schroeder (Estelle Nulsen) at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, September 9th, 1921.

Mrs. Schroeder had been absent a year and a half in California and we were all so happy to see her that this meeting was a most joyous one. The only regret was that she will not be with us at all our meetings this year.

There were twenty-six members and visitors present. After luncheon the business meeting was presided over by our new President, Mrs. Guy St. Clair, and it was voted to make application for membership in the Second District Federation of Women's Clubs of Ill.

Martha E. McD. Flanagan, Cor. Sec.

### Little Rock

The Lindenwood College Club of Little Rock, Arkansas, has been admitted to the Federation of College Women's Clubs.

Congratulations, to the L. C. Girls of Little Rock!

### St. Louis

The Lindenwood College Club of St. Louis has offered a prize of Ten Dollars for the Lindenwood College Art Department.

This prize will be awarded to the young lady doing the best work in the Costume Design Class.

The Lindenwood College Club of St. Louis gave a bazaar tea, November 22, at the home of Mrs. Roth, 2909 Accomac street. The proceeds of the tea will be used to start a fund for an alumnae house on the campus.

### MARRIED

Rollie Purwines, student 1909-1910, and La Rue H. Darnall at Pleasant Plains, Illinois, October 29, 1921. At home after December first, Dawson, Illinois.

Margaret Wilcox Conan and Herbert Golterman at St. Louis, Missouri, October 12, 1921.

Mary Edwina Peckham and Arthur

Lee Nims, Jr., at Lawrence Kansas, October 11, 1921. At home after November 1st, 2829 Classen Blvd., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mildred Scott and Joe Francis McPherson at Aurora, Missouri, September 6th, 1921. At home October 1st "The Parkwood Apartment 56, 1746 K Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Leona E. Stanford and Harold S. Williams at Flora, Illinois, October 8, 1921.

Juliet Price and John Guy Gibson at Jefferson City, Missouri, October 29, 1921. At home, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Jessie May Hurley and Milton E. Meyer at Clinton, Missouri, October 2th, 1921. At home after November 15th at 128 North 6th Street, St. Charles, Mo.

Ruth Stevenson and Paul H. Vinden at Chillicothe, Missouri, November 2nd, 1921.

Leatha Cross and William I. Dean at Wichita, Kansas, October 4, 1921.

Mercedes Weber, Class 1913, and T. Gardner Farmer at Owensboro, Ky., November 3, 1921. At home after December first, Adams, Tenn.

Marion Elizabeth Nicks and James K. Monteith at Saint Louis, Mo., November 22, 1921.

Phebe Van Horne and Earl M. Baker at Oklahoma City, Okla., November 24, 1921. At home after December first, 1410 Taylor St., Wichita Falls, Texas.

Hazel Elizabeth Crockett and George C. Bonecutter at Chouteau, Oklahoma, November 12, 1921.

Ruth Bray and Dr. George McArdle Powell at Salina, Kansas, October 22nd, 1921. At home after November 15th, Solomon, Kansas.

Theodosia Perkins Baits and Edward Roy Runge at St. Louis, Mo., November 26, 1921. At home after December 15, 3442a Utah St., St. Louis.

Dorothy Carolyn Keith and Chelsea O. Inman at Rivermines, Mo., October 15, 1921.

Margaret Soden and Charles Howard McLelland at Emporia, Kansas, October 19, 1921.

Mabel Elizabeth Catlin, Class 1917, and Lorin Wayne Robison at Augusta, Illinois, November 10, 1921.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Wm. Black of Missouri Valley College, Father Murphy of St. Louis University, President Nadal of Drury and President Thompson of Tarkio College addressed the students at chapel the morning of November second. The representatives of the Missouri College Union had seats on the platform and were represented before the student body by those speakers.

Dean Lucinda de L. Templin was one of sixty-eight delegates to the meeting of the National Council of Women held in Philadelphia, November 11 to 17. Miss Templin was one of the representatives of the National Federation of College Women. Though there were only two delegates from foreign countries, there were many messages from the women of Europe read at the Council. The women of the world, so the Council feels, demand disarmament.

Secretary Guy C. Motley represented Lindenwood College at the National Convention of Colleges and Universities on Disarmament which was held at Chicago, November 13 and 14.

Miss Alma Swope, Quincy, Illinois, a former Lindenwood girl visited the college this week-end. Miss Swope attended the school when Sibley was the only hall on the campus.

Mrs. J. P. Marshall (Therza Cheney), Maplewood, Mo., and Mrs. Hugh J. McKane (Nell Van Nort), Chicago, Ill., were recent visitors at the college.

Miss Lois Dale, attorney at law, Texarkana, Arkansas, was Dean Templin's guest over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Dale is the only graduate of Lindenwood who is a practicing attorney, and the only woman who has tried a case in the Supreme Court of Arkansas. She won the case, too. The Texarkana Lindenwood Club is fortunate in having Miss Dale for president.

Bernice Thomure, Edith Arcularius, Katherine Burch, Jeanette Asbury, and Miss Norman were College guests on their way to the Missouri-Washington football game at St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. George Wales King were guests November 3rd. Dr. King gave an excellent address at the Thursday Assembly of that date on "Social Welfare Work."

Many teachers availed themselves of the privilege of attending the State Teachers Association which convened in St. Louis in November.

Lansing F. Smith, a prominent Y. W. C. A. worker, gave an address on the life and works of Eugene Field at the Thursday assembly, November 10.

Dr. B. Kurt Stumberg gave a short talk on his experiences in the last three wars of the United States, at the Armistice day program, November 11.

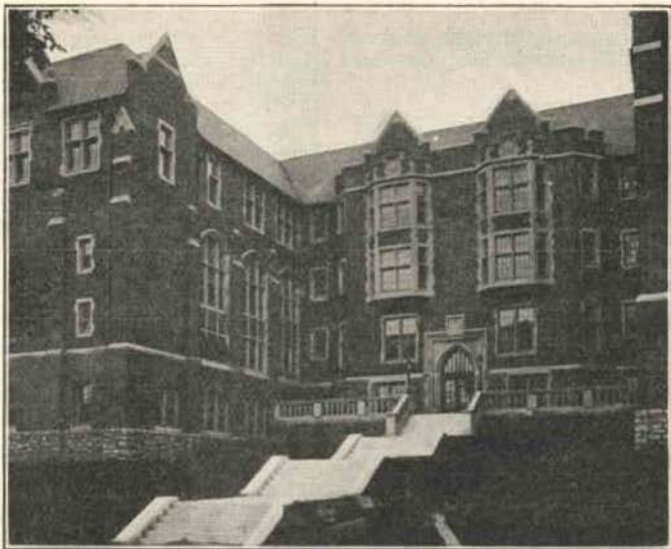
Dr. John Henry Muirhead, Birmingham University, London, lectured on International Relations, November 1.

The sociology class presented "Foolish Follies of 1921" Friday, November 18. About \$137 was cleared.

Miss Alice Linneman, head of the art department, took her classes to the St. Louis Art Museum, October 22, to see an exhibit of paintings by American artists.

### THE FIRST WEDDING IN ROEMER HALL

The first wedding to be performed in Roemer hall took place Saturday morning, October 29 at 9 o'clock, when Miss Helen A. Finger, Marissa, Illinois, of the class of 1918 was married to Dr. Walter W. Emonds, Alton, Illinois, by Dr.



Watson Street Entrance, Roemer Hall

John L. Roemer, president of Lindenwood College.

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Leontine Sheran and H. Handson.

During her two years at Lindenwood Mrs. Emonds was treasurer of the Y. W. C. A., president of the Dramatic Art Club, a member of the Shakespeare Club, the Hikers Club, and of Phi Theta Kappa.

Dr. and Mrs. Emonds will make their home in Alton.

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### STUDENT ACTIVITIES

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The Athletic Association is an organization whose purpose is to promote athletics at Lindenwood. It meets once every month to discuss the problems of athletics. The officers are: Julia Horner, president; Kathleen Fleming, vice-president; Eva Fleming, secretary; and Dorothy Ely, treasurer. The members of the executive board of the Athletic Association are: Madelyn Lasar, swimming; Helen Reardon, baseball; Ida Hoefflin, hockey; Lucile Spalding, track and field; Adelyn Ayres, basket ball; Helene Millsap, posture Marian Pohlman, dancing.

The Didaskalion Club is a club that was organized to interest the girls taking education in modern educational problems. The officers are: Florenz Smith, president; Helen Peyton, secretary and treasurer.

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A Euthenics Club has been organized at Lindenwood for the four year home economic pupils. The officers of the club are: Mildred Dial, president; Catherine Tinsman, vice-president, Margaret Hammel, secretary and treasurer. The Euthenics Club gave a silver tea on November 10.

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The "Ku Ku Klan" is an organization whose members are unknown to the student body as a whole. It is made up of two seniors, three juniors, and four sophomores. The purpose of the organization is to make the freshmen show the proper respect and deference to the faculty and upper class men. The Klan holds a meeting every two weeks on Tuesday nights. The members of the Klan come masked to the meetings where they try and sentence freshmen who have violated the rules of the organization.