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SOME "HOME-COMING" REPRESENTATIVES.

HOME COMING WEEK.

Home Coming Week at Lindenwood was a great success. Girls of yesterday came from California on the western boundary and from Pennsylvania on the eastern boundary; from Ohio and the extreme southern points of Texas. Thirty-nine classes of the Alumnae were represented, covering in time from the class of 1856 to the class of 1920. It was a notable gathering of loyal Lindenwood girls who came to see modern Lindenwood, to renew old acquaintances and express their devotion to Alma Mater. For three days the campus swarmed with the girls of yesterday mingling with the girls of today. For three days the girls of yesterday were domiciled in the "dorms" and lived over their college days. On the last night of the school year the old and young joined in the midnight frolic and added joy to the ghost parade.

Wednesday was a field day for all students, whether graduates or not, and hundreds came for the eventful occasion.

Everything was done for the visitors by faculty and students to make the visit long-to-be-remembered. Entertainments, receptions and banquets kept everybody busy watching the schedule for the next event. We append the names of the alumnae in order of the years of graduation:

THE HOME COMING GUESTS.

1856—Mrs. Rebecca Clark Hill, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Libby Edmondston Thompson, Columbia, Mo.

1861—Mrs. S. G. Orme, St. Charles, Mo.

1873—Mrs. Arthur Gale, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Louis K. Ambler, St. Louis, Mo.

1875—Mrs. Emma McElhinney, Creve Coeur, Mo.; Mrs. Clara Christy Mellor, St. Louis, Mo.

1876—Mrs. Nellie Drury Hardy, Waterloo, Ill.; Miss Mary W. Keith, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Mary Menown Powers, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Douglas Martin, St. Charles, Mo.

1877—Miss Clara C. Pullis, St. Louis, Mo.

1878—Miss Mary Irwin McDearmon, St. Louis, Mo.

1879. Miss Sarah McElhinney, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Minnie Mc D. Johns, Sappington, Mo.

1882—Mrs. V. E. Rhodes.

1883—Mrs. R. O. Deming.

1885—Mrs. Lulu D. Hynson, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. W. F. Jones, Carlinville, Ill.; Mrs. Paul Thomas, Webster Groves, Mo.;

Mrs. Annie L. Peyton, Portage des Sioux, Mo.

1886—Mrs. Alice S. Parr, Topeka, Kansas.

1887—Mrs. Mark Henson, Collinsville, Ill.

1888—Mrs. Gaston Duoy, St. Louis, Mo.;

Mrs. W. W. Johnston, Montgomery, Mo.;

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Pelton, St. Louis, Mo.

1890—Mrs. H. C. McCarrel, Kinderhook,

Ill.; Mrs. Cyrus F. Clark, Mexico, Mo.;

Mrs. W. A. Ferguson, Philadelphia, Pa.

1891—Mrs. W. K. Roth, St. Louis, Mo.;

Miss Ellen Mallinckrodt, St. Charles, Mo.

1892—Miss Alma Stumberg, St. Charles, Mo.

1893—Mrs. Irene B. Willbrand, St. Charles, Mo.; Mrs. Clara Warner Kooser, Webster Groves, Mo.

1895—Miss Esther M. Cousley, St. Louis,

Mo.; Mrs. Bertha Bown Trulock, St. Louis,

Mo.

1897—Mrs. L. E. Crandall, St. Louis, Mo.;

Mrs. Frank Middleton, Unionville, Mo.;

Miss Clara Jaspering, St. Louis, Mo.

1898—Miss Theo. McDearmon, St.

Charles, Mo.

1900—Miss Esther Anderson Burtner,

Osceola Mills, Pa.; Miss Helen Stumberg,

St. Charles, Mo.; Miss Florence Woolfolk,

St. Charles, Mo.; Miss Naomi N. Foristell,

Foristell, Mo.

1902—Mrs. Herman Reinsch, Chicago, Ill.

1903—Mrs. D. C. Durland, Boonville,

Mo.; Mrs. Leone Bechtold Fleischbein, Belle-

ville, Ill.; Mrs. E. A. Keithley, O'Fallon, Mo.;

Mrs. Paul Simpson, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mrs.

Marion Powell Tracy, St. Charles, Mo.;

Mrs. Virginia Mitchell Hawken, Nevada,

Mo.; Miss Vivian Becker, St. Charles, Mo.

1904—Miss Robena May Ming, Washing-

ton, Mo.; Miss Kathryn Linneman, St.

Charles, Mo.; Mrs. Hettiemay Wangelin

Schramm, Belleville, Ill.

1905—Mrs. L. Cunningham, Winchester,

Ill.; Mrs. Lucile Glover Johnston, Vincennes,

Ind.; Mrs. George Null, St. Charles, Mo.;

Mrs. Inez Gordon Henne, New Braunsfels,

Tex.

1906—Miss Nell Downing, St. Louis, Mo.;

Mrs. Lee House, Appleton City, Mo.; Mrs.

Pearl Finger Stewart, St. Louis, Mo.;

Mrs. F. H. Lohman, Warrenton, Mo.

1907—Mrs. Leone Trublood, Webster

Groves, Mo.

1908—Mrs. A. M. Curtis, Hartville, Mo.;

Mrs. P. E. Kaler, Edina, Mo.; Mrs. Lillian

Urban Straszler, Manchester, Mo.;

Miss Aimee Becker, St. Charles, Mo.

1909—Mrs. Nell Donnelly, Kansas City,

Mo.; Mrs. Rhea Moore Smiley, Augusta,

Kansas; Mrs. A. L. Fitzporter, St. Louis, Mo.

1910—Mrs. Ruth M. Balsley, Joplin,

Mo.; Mrs. Helen Howard Hudson, Fort

Scott, Kansas; Mrs. George Kreek, Lawrence,

Kansas; Miss Grace Miller, Cobden, Ill.;

Mrs. V. O. Standish, Larned, Kansas; Mrs.

Rex Wheatley, Artesia, New Mexico.

1911—Mrs. E. J. McNely, Wood River,

Ill.; Miss Mabel Nix, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Dorothy Evans Hays, Carbondale, Ill.; Mrs. M. H. Prill, Centralia, Ill.; Mrs. Rhea R. Welch, Winchester, Ill.

1912—Miss Agnes Adams, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Rebecca Hoult Dawson, Newman, Ill.; Mrs. R. E. Hamilton, Marissa, Ill.

1913—Mrs. Frank Bergmann, Evanston, Ill.; Mrs. F. K. Bezenberger, E. Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. A. Jackson Clay, Hoxie, Ark.; Miss Mercedes Weber, Owensboro, Ky.

1914—Miss Mildred Crow, Carrollton, Ill.; Mrs. Eunice Holman White, St. Louis, Mo.

1915—Miss Ruth M. Hampton, Carterville, Ill.; Mrs. C. A. Romaser, St. Charles, Mo.

1916—Miss Laura Lieber Craig, Maryville, Mo.; Miss Helen Craig, Woodson, Ill.; Miss Lavonne Hanna, Clay Center, Kans.; Miss Elsie Sue Porth, Jefferson City, Mo.; Mrs. Ross Reed, Mansfield, Mo.; Mrs. Wm. G. Williams, Bowling Green, Mo.; Mrs. Lois Ely Dinkmeyer, Chicago, Ill.; Miss Cornelia Hurst, St. Charles, Mo.

1917—Mrs. Dorothy Wetzel Grossman, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Beth Bryant, Dallas, Tex.; Miss Esther Middendorf, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Lucile Roberts, Higgins, Tex.; Miss Adalyn Faris, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Bessie D. Harvey, Parsons, Kansas; Miss Jessie Rankin, Idana, Kansas.

1918—Miss Helen Finger, Marissa, Ill.; Miss Marian Hoyt, Nokomis, Ill.; Miss Adrienne Jordan, Vincennes, Ind.; Miss Helen Weiner, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Lillian Pierson, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Alma Williams, Farmington, Mo.; Miss Eleanore Moehlenkamp, St. Charles, Mo.; Miss Marguerite Leopold, Belleville, Ill.; Miss Florence Schaper, Washington, Mo.; Miss Eledith Elliott, Fairfield, Ill.

1919—Miss Irene Friedman, Galesburg, Ill.; Miss Virginia Miller, Aurora, Mo.; Miss Sara Jane Murrel, Marshall, Mo.; Miss Dorothy Sodeman, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Dorothy Jones, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Mary Lee Faris, St. Louis, Mo.

Other Guests—Mrs. Emma Walton Bland, Jacksonville, Ill.; Mrs. May Dierker, Los Angeles, Cal.; Helen Chesbrough, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Charles R. Kiser, Madison, Ill.; Mrs. Nellie Emons Free, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Wm. M. Bowles, Perry, Okla.; Mrs. Ruby Pyle Walker, Butler, Mo.; Lillian Diekroeger, Wright City, Mo.; Anita Leopold, Belleville, Ill.; Mrs. W. H. Waddington, Rosemond, Ill.; Mrs. Lizzie M. Candy, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Hattie Wiebusch Boetticher, St. Louis, Mo.; Rebekah Alden Joyce, Chicago, Ill.; Bertha G. Schafferneck, St. Charles, Mo.; Mrs. B. F. Salyer, Navasota, Texas; Madge Fielding Martin, St. Charles, Mo.; Mrs. Kathleen Pieper Rauch, St. Charles, Mo.; Evelyn Lemly, Hot Springs, Arkansas; Mrs. Laura Pullis Henderson, Kirkwood, Mo.; A. H. Harrison and Mrs. A. H. Harrison, Steelville, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ruehl, Centralia, Ill.; Dr. Harry Clayton Rogers, Kansas City, Mo.; and Isabelle Underwood Fiscus, Pittsburg, Pa.

THE EIGHTY-NINTH COMMENCEMENT.

The 89th Commencement was held Thursday morning, May 27, in Butler Gymnasium. The Gymnasium could not comfortably seat all who desired to witness the ceremonies. Promptly at ten o'clock the march from Sibley Hall began, the Home-Coming girls leading the procession, followed by students, faculty, members of the Board of Directors, President of the College, and Speaker. Upon entering the gymnasium the College orchestra, under the direction of Miss Agnes Gray, played the Processional march while the ushers escorted all to their respective places. The Choral music of the program was conducted by Mrs. Alice W. Conant. Solos were rendered by Miss Pauline Doerr, Miss Marion Thompson, Miss Esther Saunders. The Violin Club played several selections. Prof. L. Ernest Walker, Director of Music, played the accompaniments. The work of the music department was highly commended by all present.

Dr. Hulbert of the Kingshighway Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, offered the invocation and Dr. S. C. Palmer, one of the oldest members of the Board of Directors, pronounced the benediction. Dr. Harry C. Rogers delivered the address to the graduating class, on "The Glory of the Christian Ideal of Life."

COMMENCEMENT PRIZES.

The following prizes were awarded Commencement day by President Roemer.

1. Class Scholarship—Open to Juniors and Seniors for the highest average scholarship as a class. \$10.00.

2. Pan-Hellenic Prize given by members of Beta Sigma Omicron, Sigma Iota Chi and Eta Upsilon Gamma. Open to all members of the student body who are carrying twelve hours of literary work. The student making the highest rank in Scholarship for the year will receive a Silver Loving Cup. Hortense Hood.

3. Prize Song—For the best Lindenwood Song, \$25. Velma Pierce.

4. Domestic Art Prize for the best sewing. Open to girls in the department. \$2.50. Elma Welborn.

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5. Best Cook—\$2.50. Edna Honeywell.

6. Prize Rooms—
Best single room in Butler Hall, \$2.50—Evelyn Brownlee.

Best double room in Butler Hall, \$2.50—Louise McCord, Nira Menas.

Best single room in Jubilee Hall, \$2.50—Jeanette Stine.

Best double room in Jubilee Hall, \$2.50—Olive Townsley, Bernice Thomure.

Best single room in Sibley Hall, \$2.50—Esperance Freeman.

Best single room in Niccolls Hall, \$2.50—Nadine Candler.

Best double room in Niccolls Hall, \$2.50—Loine Engle, Helene Sawyer.

7. Distinctive Work in Athletics—Misses Whitmarsh, McFann, Weber, Wylie, Swain, Kramer.

8. Best all-round athlete. White Spalding Sweater, with numerals—Helen Ruehl.

9. Honor Student in Physical Education Department, Gold Physical Education Pin—Elizabeth Erdman.

10. Alpha Mu Mu Prize. To the senior in music who makes the highest record, \$5.00—Helen Shepard.

11. Poster Prize, \$10.00—Clara Ehleb.

(Honorary Literary Organization.)

Burch, Kathryn; Ely, Dorothy; Harrison, Lillie; Hendy, Patti; Honeywell, Edna; Hood, Hortense; Katz, Odessa; Leady, Minerva; Rowland, Carabelle; McClain, Margaret; Peyton, Helen; Martin, Martha; Murphy, Alma; Salyer, Helen; Sumner, Ruth; Thomure, Bernice; Townsley, Olive; Whitmarsh, Zelle; Dial, Mildred.

MEMBERS OF ALPHA MU MU.

Allison, Lena; Bowles, Ellen; Howard, Gladys; Doerr, Pauline; Asbury, Jeanette; Keith, Roberta; Keith, Virginia; Pierce, Velma; Saunders, Esther; Swain, Elizabeth; Shepard, Helen; Sims, Lee.

MEMBERS OF DIDASKALION.

(Education Club).

Bowman, Lillian; Brownlee, Helen; Ely, Dorothy; Fleming, Eva; Gruenewald, Alice; Harrison, Lillie; Hendy, Patti; Leady, Minerva; Murphy, Alma; Nye, Mary; Peyton, Helen; Rallsback, Ruth; Reed, Agnes; Rowland, Corabelle.

MEMBERS THE EUTHENICS CLUB.

(Home Economics Club).

Rebecca Clarke, Eva Fleming, Pauline French, Edna Honeywell, Vesta Mudd, Marjorie Ross, Gladys Seaman, Leona Standford, Laura Mary Simpson, Elizabeth Templeton, Elma Welborn.

GRADUATES.

The following certificates, diplomas and degrees were conferred.

Certificates.

Academy—Frances Marquis Becker, Almeda Eugenia Bell, Mary Priscilla Calder, Frances Carlton, Ruby Frances Craighead, Isabel Doerr, Elizabeth Elliott Deming, Frances Louise Eads, Mary Claiborne Fray, Esperance Freeman, Georgia Blair Gibson, Irene Marie Hastings, Sara Jane Hindman, Melba Alice Jaspering, Mary Louise Keaton, Mary Alice McFann, Margaret Jessie McIntosh, Mary Opal McLennan, Helene Frances Millsap, Elinor Carr Montgomery, Dorothea Jane Montgomery, Thelma Louise Neal, Dannie Nelms, Margaret Louise Ogle, Mildred Ogle, Mary Elizabeth Patterson, Willella Pearson, Juanita Fae Pharis, Marion Playter, Inez E. Puckett, Lulu Renc, Gladys Schultz, Janet Ruth Steedman, Mary Tebbe, Helen Marguerite Waddington, Martha Lee Wilber, Susan Iola Woodfill, Dorothy Page Wright.

Home Maker's Certificate—Elva Jane Jennings, Viola E. Nehls.

Certificate in Expression—Mildred Alden, Helen Estelle Hydrick, Ida Sheppard.

Secretarial Certificate—Cornelia Achepohl, Viola E. Nehls, Liv Udstad.

Certificate in Playgrounds—Myra Chick, Helen Esther Hill.

State Certificate to Teach—Helen Brownlee, Lillie Harrison, Minerva Leady, Ruth Rallsback.

Public School Music—Emma Florence John.

Awarding of Diplomas.

Home Economics—Laura Mary Simpson, Diploma in Music—Pauline Pate Doerr (Voice.)

Normal Diploma Physical Education—Elizabeth Mae Erdmann, Marion Hardmann, Grace Anette Kramer, Helen Lloyd Ruehl.

Diploma in Library Science—Vera Ross

Carlisle, Erma Lucie Dunham, Rowena O. Gamber, Emily C. Sharp, Olive Townsley.

Diploma in Expression—Mary Lucille Cherry, Jessie Elgin Hamilton.

Degrees.

Bachelor of Music (Piano)—Lena Allison, Millye Detrick (Piano), Gladys Vivian Howard, Katherine Elizabeth Koch, Helen Imogene Shepard, Lee Sims.

Associate in Arts—Marguerite Bowers, Ellen Margaret Bowles, Helen Bruce Brownlee, Kathryn S. Burch, Vera Ross Carlisle, Elizabeth Holyoke Castle, Jeannette Clarkson, Gladys Evangeline Danielson, Margaret Catherine McClain, Helen Ruth Railsback, Agnes Lucile Reed, Helen Arnet Salyer, Janet Harper Stine, Mildred Otta Dial, Lillie Harrison, Patti Hendy, Helen Estelle Hydrick, Hortense Hood, Kathleen Lade, Minerva Leady, Jessie Lehman, Virginia Lewis, Ruth Sumner, Berenice Thomure, Zelle Whitmarsh, Hilda Wright.

THE GLORY OF THE CHRISTIAN IDEAL OF LIFE.

Commencement Address of Harry Clayton Rogers, Minister of Linwood Blvd. Presbyterian Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

"For me to live is Christ"—In these words St. Paul lays bare for us his ruling passion. He discloses the secret ideals that animated him—the controlling principle that guided him—and the dynamic that empowered him. What is your ruling passion? What is the inner principle that controls you? What is the dynamic of your power? Herein lies the analysis of your life that will determine your value to society and to God. It is a great and a solemn hour when anyone faces the deep inquiry; that takes stock of the inner and secret motives. Thomas Carlyle says, "It matters much how we are controlled from without, but it matters everything how we are controlled from within." The question, therefore, for us today is this—What is the inner control and purpose of my life? What am I living for? Really and honestly, what is my ruling passion? If I were to go along today and were to write down in one sentence the thing I would rather do and be than all the things that men and women may do and may be—what would that sentence reveal?

In an age not given to meditation, it

would be a refreshing-experience to us to witness at Lindenwood in the present Class of 1920 a willingness to have the experience of writing down in brief sentences our life's ambition and our secret goals. If you have not a definite purpose—a high and holy aim—a ruling passion, clear and pure—then go alone today and clarify your purposes, examine your course and fix your goal. You will then mark this day with a white stone of remembrance and glorify it with solemn splendor.

History proves the words of Carlyle to be true—"it matters everything how we are controlled from within." Richard H. Menifee was controlled by a secret purpose to go early to Congress. Cecil Rhodes desired to build a great railway system through the heart of Africa. Frederick the Great sacrificed all to be a soldier; and Pasteur spent thirty years in obscurity to unlock the secrets of medicine for the alleviation of the sufferings of mankind. John R. Mott desires to federate the student body of the world for missionary service. Samuel W. Twenier wants to preach the Cross of Christ in Mecca. And Paul desires to live Christ Jesus our Lord in his own life.

What is your secret purpose?

What is your ruling desire?

What is your life's ideal?

How are you controlled from within?

This, then, will determine how far you will go. This will prophecy today your future value to society and God. I bid you make it "for me to live is Christ." Even Renau had to say, "Beyond Him, we may never expect to reach."

And to graduates of Lindenwood, I say accept the obligation and privilege of your Christian education. For there is an obligation, for you, unto truth itself. You are obligated as one who holds the light—to hold it high and to advance it. Unto those who builded here with sacred funds, the ideals of Colonel and Mrs. Butler, for Christian education. You owe to them the noble duty of carrying forward their high hopes for you. Unto a needy world you owe the help and ministry of Christian service. And at last, in the presence of God himself, you should stand, and standing—"stand unashamed"

BACCALAUREATE SERMON.

(By Dr. MacIvor, Sunday, May 23, 1920)

Rev. John W. MacIvor, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church and president of the board of directors of Lindenwood College, delivered the baccalaureate address in the college gymnasium on Sunday, May 23.

He referred to the post-war spirit of advancement for women, saying the graduate of today finds all vocations open to her. "Like Esther of the beautiful story," he said, "you have 'come to the kingdom for such a time as this.'"

"Thinking of the new sphere that is opening for womanhood, we are surely impressed with the fact that great advantages are bestowed for special purposes. Let us hope that the tendency to give woman social equality with man will crystallize into a legislative idea of equality everywhere and will sweep away the old disgraceful attitude of which too many disgraceful remnants remain in our history, laying upon woman heavier burdens than upon man.

"Here is the crisis of opportunity. Woman today has come into her kingdom, where she has unusual opportunity. It is my firm conviction that the future of Christianity in the world depends largely upon the influence of woman. Of course we must not forget that no political or social emancipation can change the primal nature of woman. It is upon womanhood that the task devolves of repairing the awful wastage of the war.

New Spirit in Politics.

"Woman will bring to politics and industry a new spirit. Congress will become a more honest place and our legislation will set itself more thoroughly to antagonize those great evils of the world which have long held sway. If men alone were to have the guidance of the world in the future, one might well despair of any change in the old, dark diplomacy which has been at the root of so many conflicts. But women are primarily concerned with the nurture of human life, and they are primarily concerned that the lives they have nurtured should be preserved and not sacrificed to merciless war. The mother-

hood of the world should and will contrive that some other way be found for settling human disputes than that of the slaughtering of our sons and the starvation of our children.

"May we not believe that men will become more gentle and human, while women become more strong and influential, until each sex has added those qualities needed to round out their respective characters and bring them all to the perfection of Christ Jesus, in which there is "neither male nor female."

MAY DAY—MAY 15.

Fair weather and throngs of guests marked Lindenwood May Day on May 15. At four o'clock the opening strains of the college orchestra announced the beginning of the grand march from Butler Hall. Two diminutive flower girls, Clarice Bruere and Mary Elizabeth Null, sprinkled rose petals in the pathway of the queen, Miss Kathleen Lade, who was attended by two small pages, Billie and John Becker. Next came the maid of honor, Miss Laura Mary Simpson, and the eight attendants, Misses Helen Salyer, Elizabeth Castle, Minerva Leady, Lillie Harrison, Rowena Gamber, Elizabeth Erdmann, Gladys Howard and Pauline Doerr, followed by a long line of seniors.

After the crowning of the queen came the Maypole dance by the seniors in pastel shaded organdie dresses and hats, carrying old fashioned bouquets. Lindenwood college life was displayed in the program of dances which followed under the direction of Miss Lucy Proudfoot, director of physical education. There were three group dances of the Lindenwood girls of yesterday in hoops and curls and lace petticoats; a group dance of the girls of today; and individual dances by little Misses Marjorie Jean Lasar and Decima Jaspering of St. Louis, representing the girls of tomorrow.

College pep was illustrated by Miss Elizabeth Crockett in a vivid red costume; college dreams by Misses Stella Harris, Faith Kincaid, Florence Bartz and Irene Hastings; college sports by Miss Melba Jaspering; college loyalty by Misses Mar-



THE MAY QUEEN AND SENIOR CLASS.

tha Martin, Sibyl Mohrs, and Lillian Bowman. Group dancing in masquerade costume interpreted college entertainment, with a couple dance by Misses Kincaid and Crockett. The program concluded with Miss Madeline Lasar representing the call of the world and all the dancers answering.

MISS JACKSON OF WELLESLEY VISITS LINDENWOOD.

Miss Florence Jackson, vocational adviser to the students of Wellesley College, visited Lindenwood for several days in May and gave a most instructive talk on vocations for women at an assembly on May 18.

Miss Jackson emphasized above all that woman must be a producer in order to help others and in order to carry her responsibility out effectively. "A liberal and wise contribution to service is necessary; every woman should be a producer; and to live, the world must produce more and talk less. Those are the three texts which I wish you to remember," she said. "It is essential to have sufficient sympathy with your fellows and a wise and efficient knowl-

edge of economic laws. We must learn to do things professionally whether we are volunteer or paid workers."

She then dwelt on the fact that her student audience must realize that they are living life now and not "just waiting until after college to start." She urged them to be on time always, to learn to concentrate and to acquire the ability to change quickly from one task to another, and to train body, mind and soul constantly.

"Having learned these fundamentals and gained a general knowledge, then learn the things necessary for your particular job and take the courses that will train you. And, when you take your position, begin again as a freshman, take a small salary, and grow as you learn. Women are going more and more into work outside of the home, and no doubt will continue to do so in increasing numbers.

"The greatest calls seem to be for stenographic secretaries, domestic science workers and social service workers. In 1915 there were as many women secretaries as there were teachers; the number of women secretaries probably now ex-

ceeds. Positions are open for trained women not only in this field, but in others, as institutional managers, lunch room directors, superintendents, editors and writers, case workers, settlement workers, recreation leaders, hospital social service visitors, reform and night court workers, public and special librarians, and there are also opportunities now in the ministry, medicine, law, nursing, science, art, business and agriculture. The trained woman today is found in practically every field; to do her duty she must fill her position far more efficiently and produce to a far greater extent."

CAMPUS NOTES.

The last meeting of the Classics Club was held Wednesday afternoon, April 28. The committee to act as hostesses consisted of Martha Martin, Dorothy Weber and Elizabeth Castle from the Mythology class, and Rilye Nelson and Isabel Orr from the Caesar class. Margaret McClain of the class in Greek Art and Architecture, gave an interesting account of the manner of dressing the hair for men and women as shown in works of art, and Jean Hanna, of the same class, gave an excellent account of the dress of women; both used pictures to illustrate their talks.

The meeting closed with the singing of "The Song of the Classics," with Ellen Bowles accompanying.

Members of Phi Theta Kappa and Alpha Mu Mu and students in the sociology class entertained members of the faculty at a musical tea, in honor of Miss Florence Jackson of Wellesley College, at Margaret Hall on May 16. The following took part in the program: Misses Sibyl Mohrs, Lee Sims, Marian Thompson, Lena Allison, Esther Saunders, Gladys Howard, Pauline Doerr and Helen Shepard.

Forty members of the faculty were guests of the home economics students at a breakfast party on Saturday, May 1. The domestic science rooms were transformed into a garden of vines and flowers. The menu prepared and served by the students consisted of fruit cocktail, pressed

chicken, creamed peas in patties, stuffed sweet potatoes, hot rolls, peach pickles, radishes, tomato and cucumber salad, cheese straws, mousse in Marguerite shells, angel food balls, mints, coffee and salted nuts.

The following news item shows Lindenwood's progress:

In its new catalogue for 1920-21, just issued, Lindenwood College takes cognizance of the statistics shown at the recent meeting of the National Educational Association at Cleveland, Ohio, that "80 per cent of the college-bred women marry and become homemakers."

With this destiny before the college girl, Lindenwood, entering on its new plan of a four years' curriculum, intends definitely to teach every girl "how to run a home."

"The Family" is the title of a three-hour-a-week course in the new curriculum. Here the fact is recognized that women will play a part in civic life and in social affairs. Education is given concerning the duties of the wife and mother toward the state and the city, and how best as a voter she may be of benefit to her family.

Dr. A. E. Bostwick, librarian of the St. Louis Library, was one of the most delightful speakers at the Thursday assemblies in April. Dr. Bostwick spoke first of the function of the modern library and showed that it meant not only interest in books but interest in readers. The librarian, he said, must make more readers out of potential readers, must meet the needs of different kinds of readers and make them read as they had never read before. He then spoke more particularly of the library in St. Louis.

NEWS OF ALUMNAE.

Marguerite Adele Wobus, 1899, who is a missionary stationed at Raipur, C. P., East India, has written the following letter:

"When I received my last letter from Lindenwood, we were packing to go to a 'mela' (convention). Packing for this means tents, furniture, food, all that would

be necessary for twelve days. We took about sixty girls and women. After this I went to see a dentist, but this too is different than at home; going I went by mail and arrived after seven hours; the dentist finished in half an hour, and the same evening I returned by passenger, traveling twelve hours. Nineteen hours' railroad journey for half an hour's work! But life here is interesting and worth while, and the training I received at Lindenwood helps me a great deal."

Mrs. O. F. Middleton (Maude Taylor, class of 1907,) brought with her a memory book which she presented to the College Museum. We wish to acknowledge the gift with thanks, as it contains many programs and photographs which were not in the other collections.

Sadie Bell Henry of the class of 1910 wired this message, "Love to 1920 class. Precious little son prevents my attendance."

A wire from Alice Kellogg Carter of the class of 1890 read, "Distance and ill health compel my absence and impose this great disappointment. They cannot, however, sever my memories. Loving thoughts and earnest prayer for Lindenwood. May the same Christian spirit of '85 and '90 continue. God bless the Roemers as He did the dear Irwins in wisely guiding restless youth. Affectionately."

Mrs. Poindexter, who had planned to attend the Home Coming, found at the last moment that it would be impossible to come. She wired, "So sorry am unable to attend the reunion, but will surely be there in spirit and will think so kindly of you. Very unexpected affairs developed only today that will detain me until June 1. Greeting to all.

Mrs. Julia Adams Fish of the class of 1876 writes, "My heart turns to Lindenwood, where many of you are retracing old paths; and to many, who like myself, are only "remembering," for I am with you in spirit though my feet are chained to the bedside of my invalid son-in-law. I recall the day, when a little country girl, I entered great big Lindenwood. And it was

a big year at Lindenwood, for in the fall of '73, for the first time, the west end of the third floor of Sibley Hall was opened and every room in the building was occupied. In '76 was graduated a class of twelve members—the largest class the college had then known. * * * * * It is a long time since we graduated—forty-four years, June fourth. Did I hear some one say sh-h-h-h? Well, we've done one remarkable thing, we have all lived until today, and I prophecy that we will round out the fifty years and come back an unbroken class to celebrate our Golden Jubilee at Lindenwood."

From Helen Margaret Somerville of 1917, we hear, "It has certainly been hard for me to convince myself that I can't be back with you all for the Home Coming; but such is the life of a school teacher, as it comes at a time when I can't get away. I really thought I could come till I noticed that it would conflict with my work here. I know just how happy everyone is going to be and I certainly will be thinking 'powerfully' strong about you and all back at the Lindenwood homestead. Do give me just one little thought and remember that the never-ending flow of Helen Margaret's tears are this time because she can't be with you and not as they were years ago, because she had to be."

Helen Chalfant of the class of 1919 wired, "Greeting to Lindenwood, yourself and Mrs. Roemer, and especially to the class of 1919, from the girl who put Idaho on the map."

Pearl Aiken Smith of 1895 wired the message, "Greetings to dear old Lindenwood, the fairest Alma Mater in the world, and congratulation on the successful year just ended. Deeply regret that I cannot be with you today."

Margaret Steed Smith of 1919 writes for herself and for her mother, who graduated in 1889, "Mother and I very sincerely regret our inability to accept the kind invitation extended by the Lindenwood Faculty for the 'Home Coming.' This year would be especially an opportunity for enjoyment for me, since so many of my friends are still in school. I have had a very happy year teaching. But next fall I expect to enter Kansas Uni-

versity. I am hoping to see some of my old Lindenwood friends there."

Marie K. Betzler of the class of '13 says, "I regret indeed that I will not be able to visit Lindenwood. Assuring you that I shall always remain a true and loyal 'booster,' and wishing for dear old Lindenwood unbounded success in the coming year, I remain, very sincerely."

Wilhelmina Herwig of the class of 1916 writes that she cannot possibly come, and adds, "I swallowed the University whole last term by carrying seventeen hours, making E's and S's, and on top of that, teaching four hours a day. I envy the girls who are coming back and I shall be with you in spirit anyway. I notice you are to have Caroline Jessie with you next year. You are fortunate!"

Mrs. James Main Dixon of the class of '82 writes, "I have been wondering whether any of the great linden trees had to be hewn down to make way for these handsome buildings. I noticed how they had grown in size when I revisited Lindenwood after an absence of some years; although when I left the country they had seemed to me as if they could grow no more. You know the poem in which the writer, in comparing her dwelling and the large tree in which her pet squirrel lived, makes this statement:

It took the Lord a thousand years
To make his house, they say;
Mine's a cottage made by man
In three months and a day.

I do hope that at no distant period I shall revisit Lindenwood; but I fear I might get lost in its halls and corridors, it must be so changed."

Mrs. Elsie DeWolf Zellweger of '06 writes, "It would be real joy to get back to dear old Lindenwood once more and mingle with old friends again. Should any '06 girls inquire for me—tell them I send love and best wishes and I am well and happy living on a cattle ranch in the wonderful Southwest Arizona."

Mrs. W. H. Maclay says of the Homecoming, "I think it is one of the nicest things ever planned and am sure it will be a great success. I send greetings to the

girls both 'old' and 'new' and best wishes for the future success of Lindenwood.

ELEANOR ASDALE MACLAY,
Class of 1912."

"I want to thank you for the invitation to visit Lindenwood this May. There is nothing I would rather do than to come back again for a few days.

It will be impossible for me to come this year though, as I am just finishing my third year of law work here at Tulane, and hope to receive my degree in June.

LOIS DALE,
Class of 1909."

I have hesitated to answer your letter, hoping I might find it possible to attend the Home Coming, but I now find it, impossible.

Remember me to any and all my friends that will be there, and I shall be wishing to be with you.

I have been elected in the Kansas City school for next year and am sure I shall like the location.

I am always glad to hear from L. C. and hope your Home Coming is a huge success.

Sincerely yours,
ANNETTE SIMMONS, '17.

I want to thank you kindly for the invitation to attend the Home Coming. I think the idea is a very lovely one. It is a wonderful opportunity for the old girls to meet again and together witness the progress of the dear old school.

Nothing in the world would keep me from attending the Home Coming, but my approaching marriage, which is to be June 8th.

With most sincere wishes for the progress of the school, and personal regards to you and Mrs. Roemer, I am,

Sincerely,
FLORENCE DEGEN, '15.

Dear Dr. Roemer: Your letter about that great Home Coming week makes me *long* to be with you all again, but I've only been married five months and I just *can't* leave my hubby.

The memory of Lindenwood days will always be dear to me and I will be with you in heart, always.

With love,
CORINNE SOUTHARD HUTSELL, '17.

Adele Hackman of the class of 1917 sends her regrets and adds, "Since I have only recently come to Chicago and have only been with the Illinois Children's Home and Aid Society for a very short time, I feel that I cannot arrange to be present this year.

May I, nevertheless, wish you all possible success in Lindenwood's first Home Coming."

My Dear Dr. Roemer: I have just received the letters from you asking me to come back to Lindenwood in May for the Home Coming. I know it is going to be a great week and I regret very much that I will be unable to be there. I expect to be in California soon again and will be very busy getting ready to leave. I've been looking forward to the new Alumnae book, too, and suppose it will be out soon.

Sincerely,

ALICE SEBREE, '19.

Dear Mrs. Roemer: This note carries with it my deepest regrets at not being able to be at the Home Coming next month.

There is nothing I should like better than returning to dear old L. C. and seeing you and Dr. Roemer and the old girls.

Mr. Churchill and I are now settled on a large plantation in Alabama. We have been here since the first of the year. We are quite a distance from our old home, but expect to make our annual trip there.

I have heard from Ruth, Cornelia and Midge Crow, and all expect to be there, so I shall certainly be with you in thoughts.

With best wishes for a successful Home Coming, I remain

Sincerely,

MARGUERITE RUSSELL
CHURCHILL, '15.

My Dear Dr. Roemer: Your letter telling about Home Coming week made me homesick for Lindenwood and I certainly wish I could be there. It would be such a treat to see all the old girls again and enjoy the entertainment planned for us, and just to be back at school again; but Washington is so far away I am forced to give it up this year.

I have been reading and hearing so much about the wonderful success Linden-

wood is having and feel always so proud to claim my Alma Mater. As you may know, we are well represented here in Washington. Mary McIver is right in my office and we've often talked of organizing a club. The one obstacle in the way is that the girls are here, usually, just for a short time, and we ourselves have been so doubtful as to the length of our stay that we've never put it through. I often see Eileen Robinson, too, and we have long chats about the good old days at L. C.

I am planning now on teaching school in Panama next year. The appointments are made in May and I am very anxious to be one of the fortunate ones selected.

I know Home Coming will be a great success and hope the class of '16 will be the one to get the prize. I am,

Most sincerely,

JEAN STOPHLET.

MRS. GERTRUDE M. BRAY.

The death of Mrs. Frank Chapin Bray occurred in New York City on April 15. Mrs. Bray, who will be remembered by many Lindenwood girls as Gertrude McMillan, was a niece of the late Dr. S. J. Nicolls and a daughter of his sister, Mrs. McMillan, who at one time was lady principal of Lindenwood.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The marriage of Miss Mary Eva Hain, head of the expression department of Lindenwood College, and Dr. I. J. Harper, of Columbus, Ohio, will take place on June 15th at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hain, in St. Louis. Miss Hain, who was graduated from the expression department at Lindenwood in 1913, later was a student at the Morse School in St. Louis, and during the war assisted the Red Cross in entertainment work overseas.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ruth D. Crandall to Mr. Charles P. Watson on April 19 at Elkhart, Ind. Mrs. Watson was graduated from Lindenwood in 1911.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Macey Van Guilder announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Thornton, to Mr. James S. Neely, on April 28, in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Neely are at home at 912 East Thirty-ninth street, Kansas City.

Judge and Mrs. W. E. Hadley of Edwardsville announce the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Mr. Carl H. Helm on May first at Edwardsville. Mrs. Helm attended Lindenwood the first semester of this year.

ALUMNAE CLUBS.

New officers were elected at the annual luncheon and business meeting of the St. Louis Lindenwood College Club, at the Missouri Athletic Association, on May 19. Mrs. L. E. Crandall was elected president; Mrs. Lulu D. Hynson, first vice-president; Mrs. D. M. Hardy of Waterloo, Ill., second vice-president; Miss Agnes Adams, recording secretary; Mrs. Edgar Blankenmeister, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. C. Stewart, treasurer; Miss Mabel Nix, auditor.

To Mrs. William K. Roth, the retiring president, was presented a beautiful embroidered shopping bag.

Dr. Roemer emphasized the desire of Lindenwood College not to be a mere "finishing school," but to fit young women for "the useful life" advocated by Col. James Gay Butler, a leading benefactor—a phrase incorporated in the college charter of 1853. "We are not here to make money," Dr. Roemer said, "and if a girl is not inclined to make good use of her investment of time and money we send her home."

Dr. Roemer urged the honoring of some of the early benefactors of Lindenwood, among whom he named the Watson and Ridgely families. He said he intended to suggest to the board the propriety of changing the name of "Jubilee Hall" to "Ayres Hall," in memory of the former president, the late Dr. G. F. Ayres. This dormitory was built in Dr. Ayres' time and was a joint gift of Col. Butler, Andrew Carnegie (who gave \$10,000), John A. Holmes and Mrs. William L. McMillan.

"The girl of the future," said Dr. Roemer, "is going to be a magnificent girl and a girl that takes her place prominently in all the affairs of life because she has stood for high ideals."

Dean Templin, in a historical sketch, from researches made in old documents, said that the college property in 1827 was originally acquired by Maj. Geo. C. Sibley, the founder, as security for a loan that was forfeited. She read some of the strict "rules and regulations" of the '50s, when students boarding cost \$100 a year and the tuition from \$15 to \$32. Parents directed the correspondence of their daughters, and "all letters addressed to improper parties were destroyed." The rules mention "tattling" as a very great offense.

Other addresses were made by Mrs. Arthur J. Krueger, Mrs. Lulu D. Hynson, Mrs. A. H. Gale, Mrs. J. B. Brouster and Miss Alice Linneman. Mrs. John L. Roemer, wife of the president, was among the guests.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The New York Club held its spring meeting on Tuesday afternoon, May 4th, at the home of Mrs. Lewis Hopkins Rogers, 668 Riverside Drive. Seven members were present. The president, Mrs. William Carter, has been quite ill and had not sufficiently recovered to attend. Mrs. Rogers, the vice-president, presided.

Plans were discussed for a dinner in the fall and a committee was appointed to make arrangements for it.

Officers were elected for the coming year. They are as follows:

President—Mrs. William Carter (Alice Kellogg).

Vice-President—Mrs. L. H. Rogers (Ruth Wadsworth).

Treasurer—Mrs. H. W. Stelle (May Wright).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. V. W. Talley (Alma Mabrey).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. C. L. Thompson (Emma Simonds.)

After the business meeting, tea was served by the hostess.

ALMA MABREY TALLEY,
Corresponding Sec'y.