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MRS. J. L. ROEMER, DEAN OF STUDENTS.

Known to all the Lindenwood Girls as "Mother Roemer."

## THE FUTURE OF LINDENWOOD.

The press of the country in commenting upon the recent large bequests to Lindenwood predict that the future of the College is assured as the leading girls' school of the great West, and a co-equal of Vassar, Wellesley and Smith Colleges.

The press has been very kind and generous in its words of congratulation and prophecies for the future. The President of the College, the Faculty, the Board of Directors and all interested in the future welfare of Lindenwood are realizing a greater responsibility resting upon them, first to be true to Col. and Mrs. James Gay Butler in carrying out their wishes for a great school for young women, and second to measure up to the high expectation of a waiting public.

Early in the fall the Board of Directors will begin planning the work of the future. Steps will doubtless be taken looking to large physical equipment, such as the building of a new Administration building, new dormitories, etc. A prospective expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars in the next ten years will be outlined.

But what is of greater importance is the educational outline of future attainments. Lindenwood must be built upon broad educational lines that particularly fit its students for lives of usefulness to the world.

The beaten path of the old time curriculum must not be trodden exclusively. Lindenwood must and will lead the way in making a school in the Southwest that is world-wide, distinctive in its character, holding to all the best, not discarding tried ways because they are old, but accepting the better way whenever it appears. In vocational training, Lindenwood has been a leader among the colleges of the West and Southwest. In the efficiency of its work and training of students, no other school can boast of doing better. The future of Lindenwood is in the making. We must have the deeper sense of consecration born of faith and prayer to look into the future.

## THE CALL TO SERVICE.

A call has gone out for the registration of all men over eighteen and under forty-five years of age. This call will be answered from the office, the farm, the factory, and every walk of life. Already ten million men have been enrolled for war service in Europe. Of these perhaps one-half will in time be sent into the trenches. In Europe they will suffer incredible hardships, and many thousands of them will never come back. They will not die

in vain, for their cause is the greatest cause of righteousness since the Crusades.

Still another call has gone forth which though not sounded as loudly is just as insistent and just as important in helping bring about the results for which we are fighting.

This call is "What are we who stay at home to do which will help win the victory?" We want to feel that we have as direct a share in the conflict as the men in the trenches. More particularly this call is "How are we WOMEN going to do our share?" Of course we are busy with knitting and surgical dressings—in fact we are so busy we forget what we are busy about and fail to relate the details to the main object for which we are striving. The main object now is to win the war. Later it will be to undertake and carry on the work of reconstruction. The men are taking care of the fighting but upon the women of the coming generation will devolve a larger share in the reconstruction.

The woman of today who is worth of the title of "American" must give herself with enthusiasm to the defense of the higher and finer ideals of civilization and must be willing to give herself for a high ethical ideal. The college for women which does not help to make this possible is not worthy of the name.

It was the college man and woman who made the first response to the call of the government and it is the college woman of today that the world will look to carry on this great work.

In order to even begin life's work intelligently, preparation must be made. Ignorance at this time is inexcusable. But after all it "isn't ignorance so much as it is just knowing so many things that aint true," which is to be lamented.

Lindenwood College has many ways of doing her bit in this war. One of these is to see that the students who are enrolled have every opportunity to become prepared for life after they leave college. The student today must be physically fit, she must have scientific training so that she can do at least one thing well; she must have confidence in herself, the ability to think on her feet, and express herself logically and clearly. But greater than any of these she must have the larger vision and her heart must be filled with a love of humanity and a desire to serve.

The girl who has these qualities will lead a happy as well as USEFUL life. Lindenwood College has been so well taken care of financially that she has only one aim in existing—to fit young women to lead useful lives. The faculty

is unexcelled, the equipment is the best and better still—the very atmosphere of the college spells SERVICE.

The capacity for the coming year has been taxed to the utmost and it is the earnest desire of the faculty to aid every student in this year of her college life.

#### NEW MEDICAL COURSES.

The College Physician, Dr. B. Kurt Stumberg, will give courses in First Aid, Physiology and the Conservation of Health, for college credit.

The work in First Aid will cover the First Aid as required as a preliminary course for women who are in training as nurses. The first aid to the wounded, emergency treatment of poison cases, the application of dressings, splints, bandages, and the proper handling of sick or wounded person, will be taken up.

The Physiology course will consist of lectures and practical demonstrations, taking up the functions of the organs and tissues of the body. Practical demonstrations will be given wherever possible.

A three hour course in the Conservation of Health will embody hygiene, instruction in the proper methods of sanitation in the homes, schools, and communities; the manner of the prevention of epidemic, and occupational diseases.

#### FACULTY LECTURES.

During the registration period a series of free lectures will be given by members of the faculty which are designed to assist the student to get started at once in the college work. The following subjects will be discussed, and it is urgently requested that all students will enter promptly and take advantage of the entire series:

"The Use of the Library,"

Miss Findley, Librarian.

"How TO Study and Take Notes,"

Miss Pugh, Head of Dept. of English.

"The Conservation of Health,"

Dr. B. Kurt Stumberg College Physician.

"Women and Journalism,"

Miss McMahan, Dept. of Journalism.

"Women and Business,"

Miss Allyn, Secretarial Department.

"Conservation of Food,"

Miss Godfrey, Dept. of Home Economics.

"The Woman of Today,"

Dean Templin.

#### MAKE IT THE BEST.

The eighty-eighth school year of Lindenwood College will open for regular work September 12.

During this period of time the College has had high standing for most efficient

training of young women. We can point to the past with pride and rejoice in all good things that have been accomplished. But we are living in the present and the past will be of little value unless we in the present add glory to it by doing our best. There is more expected of us because of the past. There is still more expected of us because a greater future is before Lindenwood. Today the eyes of the educational world are upon us. Entrusted with large material possibilities for future development, it is all the more important that we should stress, as never before, the Spiritual values of education of our dear old school.

Early in the summer it was evident that we would have a "capacity school." Applications from all parts of the country came pouring in. Our only regret was that we did not have a room for every girl that wanted to enter. Some must be disappointed. Others looking ahead have already enrolled for 1919-20.

We are now about ready to open for 1918-19. Girls, teachers, board of directors, Mr. President, let us make this a record-breaking year for doing our best.

#### "FOODS IN WAR TIMES."

##### A Special Course in Home Economics.

The United States, for the first time in its history, has called upon the colleges to give a prescribed course. It not only asks that it be given, but that each student should avail herself of the opportunity to take the course.

Realizing the great importance of food in the winning of the war the government is asking each student to become intelligent users of food and intelligent carriers of this knowledge to others. The food question is a battle which Hoover cannot win alone. Every person in the United States must be lined up with him and must work in perfect harmony with him.

The Home Economic department will offer a course in "Foods in War Times." The course will deal with the economic conditions of the world, the nutritive needs of the body, and the best way in which these needs may be met from the foods which are available during war times. From time to time during the course speakers will be brought in to tell of their work in helping to meet the food needs of the country.

The course will be a one hour lecture course per week for which one hour of college credit will be given. While each student will not be required to take the course, it is believed that the government will not need to issue a second call, in order that each girl will do this bit that the government has asked of her.

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## FORM OF BEQUEST.

"I give and bequeath unto the Board of Directors of Lindenwood Female College, a corporation, St. Charles, Mo., the sum of.....dollars, to be used in such manner for the benefit of the College as they may decide.

## THE THING THAT TELLS.

It isn't enough to say in our hearts that we like a man for his ways;  
It isn't enough that we fill our minds with paens of silent praise;  
Nor is it enough that we honor a man, as our confidence upward mounts.  
It's going right up to the man himself and telling him so, that counts.

If a man does a work you really admire, don't leave a kind word unsaid,  
In fear that to do so might make him vain, and cause him to "lose his head;"  
But reach out your hand and tell him, "Well done!" and see how his gratitude swells.

It isn't the flowers we strow on the grave —it's the word to the living that tells.

## Y. W. C. A. MEETING.

Dear Miss Rauch:

The Y. W. C. A. conference was wonderful, not only the meetings but the friends we made and the places we visited.

Hollister is a picturesque little summer resort and Presbyterian Hill where the conference was held is only a mile and a half from there. At the foot of the Hill is the portion of the White River known as Lake Taneycoma, this is where we would swim and go boating during our recreation hours.

General assembly was called at 8:30 A. M. This was the time we had our devotional meeting, the announcements for the day were also given out. Classes began at 9, the first being Bible Study then World Citizenship classes. Technical councils

were held at eleven, these were very interesting because we discussed the needs of our different associations and made plans for the coming year.

We had our afternoons for recreation, except from 2 until 3 which time was quiet hour. I took a number of hikes and have some pictures we took of the different places which I am making into a snap shot book to put in the Y. W. rooms.

Give my love to Dr. and Mrs. Roemer and all the Lindenwood family.

Sincerely,

SUZAINÉ BRECHT.



**B. KURT STUMBERG, M. D.**

Appointed to Chair of Physiology and Hygiene at Lindenwood College.

The faculty of Lindenwood College is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of Dr. B. Kurt Stumberg who has been appointed to the chair of Physiology and Hygiene. The students of the College are to be congratulated also in having as an instructor one of the most eminently qualified men in the Country to direct their studies in Physiology and Hygiene and to supervise the work in the war courses, which have been outlined by the College for the coming year.

With the rapid strides the College is making in its standing with the best Colleges and Universities, the position will assume an ever growing part of the cur-

riculum. Women are being drafted into the profession of medicine and medical colleges are only anxious to have young ladies trained at Lindenwood. Full accrediting is given for entrance. The policy of the College is a sound one—to select the best qualified teachers for the heads of departments. The catalog for the present year presents a faculty with training second to none in the best colleges of the country.

Dr. Stumberg was born in St. Charles in 1875. He attended the local grade schools until 14 years of age and then entered the old St. Charles College for a period of two years. After two years spent at Concordia College in Fort Wayne, Ind., he returned to St. Charles and was graduated from the St. Charles College in 1896. Upon the completion of his college work he did special work in biology at the Missouri University before attending medical schools in St. Louis and Baltimore. He received his degree of M. D. from the medical department of the University of Maryland. He did post-graduate work abroad being under the most eminent world instructors of his day. As a practitioner in St. Charles he became one of the best known physicians in this part of the country.

During the Spanish-American War he served in the medical corps of the U. S. Army. For two years after he was professor of histology and pathology in the Maryland Medical College, when he returned to St. Charles. When the U. S. Army invaded Mexico in 1916, he was again commissioned by the government and sent to Havana, Cuba for duty.

When the war against Germany was declared he was ordered to the States and assigned to duty in Kansas. Contracting pneumonia in the Camps, he was disqualified for military service and honorably relieved from duty. The greatest disappointment that ever came to Dr. Stumberg was his inability to continue in the service of his country and join his relatives and friends overseas in fighting the Kaiser.

Although high in the rank of Service, Dr. Stumberg bore his disappointment bravely and gave his time and strength to furthering the work of the Red Cross and every activity at home engaged in helping win the war.

He is often called in counsel in regard to government plans for furthering his branch of service and is always ready to respond to every call for his counsel and advice.

The work he undertakes at Lindenwood will enable him to train young women for lives of usefulness when their country calls for service.

We congratulate Dr. Stumberg upon his acceptance of his new post of duty and know he will give a good account of himself.

—Cosmos Monitor.

### THE ALUMNAE DIRECTORY.

Lindenwood College Alumnae Directory, recently issued, is the first complete register ever issued of the graduates of Lindenwood College. It is the result of a year's work on the part of the dean, Miss Lucinda Templin, who has traced names as far as Dehra Doon, India, Guatamala, Central America, and the Isles of Pines. This college has been graduating girls for 80 years, but the first class, which has members still surviving, is that of 1869, which contains Mrs. J. C. Watkins and Mrs. Anna Rhodes of Denver, Colo. The volume is intended as an aid to alumnae clubs, which now exist, affiliated with Lindenwood, in Chicago, Kansas City, Joplin, St. Joseph and St. Louis. Referring to the late Col. James Gay Butler's expressed wish for the college which he endowed that the girls might lead "a useful life," this volume's foreword says: "The college is proud of what the old Lindenwood girls have done, and are doing, and feels that the wishes of the founders and benefactors are being carried out. Truly, Lindenwood girls are ministering to others."

St. Louis Republic.

### MUSIC AT LINDENWOOD.

The current number of the Lindenwood College Bulletin, a small magazine of eight pages, is devoted to Lindenwood's musical opportunities. A frontispiece portrait of Prof. Leo. C. Miller, the musical director, is shown, with a summing up of his training and talents. Other pictures and biographical sketches are those of Miss Frances Elizabeth Oldfield, voice; Miss Agnes Gray, violin; Miss Ariel Gross, first assistant piano; George Cibulka, pipe organ and piano; Miss Katherine Gaines, piano; Miss Mary Pero, voice; Miss Edna Schmitt, expression; Miss Willie Overton Minor, expression, and Miss Alice Linnemann, art. Studies will be resumed September 12. Concerts and recitals will be given in considerable number in the coming semester.

Globe-Democrat, Aug. 11.



**MISS LOUISE LAIPPLE, M. A.**

Miss Louise Laipple, M. A., has been selected as teacher of Botany in Lindenwood College.

Miss Laipple is a teacher of experience and has devoted herself to the study of the Sciences.

Believing that a teacher should have a broad foundation to build a specialty upon she applied herself to work in all collateral subjects leading to a more thorough understanding and appreciation of Botany. Her work in Zoology, Physiology, Chemistry has been of the highest grade. Supplementing her scientific work with the languages she became proficient in Latin, French and other modern languages. Miss Laipple received her A. B. degree at Ellsworth College, Iowa Falls, Iowa. After several years successful teaching she took her Master's degree at Columbia University, New York where she did most excellent work that commended her to Lindenwood College. We welcome her to our faculty family.

#### **COLLEGE GIRL DOING WAR WORK.**

Miss Ruth Keeling, a junior at Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo., has taken an appointment in Washington, D. C., for war work. She is in the surgeon general's office, having received the appointment as a result of civil service examination. Her home is in South Dakota.



**MISS LUCY SOUTH PROUDFOOT.**

We present to our readers this month, Miss Lucy South Proudfoot, head of the Physical Education department of Lindenwood College.

Miss Proudfoot comes to us from the Y. W. C. A. work of Springfield, Mo., where she has been most successful in the physical education work.

A native of North Dakota, she was graduated at the State High School. Her training after graduation from high school was in Columbia College of Expression, Chicago and Chicago Normal School of Physical Education, where she received diplomas for completing the work in each school.

She was Supervisor of Physical Education in the Public Schools of Munster, Ind., and the training School for Women, Chicago, before taking up her work at Springfield, Mo.

Miss Proudfoot succeeds Miss Frances H. Haire who, after three years at Lindenwood, voluntarily gave up her position to enter the Government Service during the War.

#### **LACK OF POWER.**

A visitor from another State came once through the State of Maine and, riding along a country road, he met a lad and said to him: "Is there no end to this hill? I have been riding up this hill for two hours." "Hill," said the lad, "no hill here; the trouble is you have lost your hind wheels." Rufus M. Jones.

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## DOROTHY MILLER.

The many friends and schoolmates of Miss Dorothy Miller of Aurora, Mo., who have not been made acquainted with the news of her death, will read this notice with great sorrow of heart. Dorothy attended Lindenwood College last year and made many friends while here. She was of a nature to win many friends and hold their friendship. She was known as one delicate but not seriously impaired in health. Up to within a few days of her passing away she was actively engaged in the social affairs of her home town. Her death came as a shock to the community and her home.

The day she was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery of Aurora a great concourse of people came to the home of her parents for the funeral services, which were conducted by Dr. Roemer.

The College and her many friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Virginia.

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## JOURNALISM.

The School of Journalism at Lindenwood College is accredited by the School of Journalism of the University of Missouri. It is of the very highest type and aims to fit young ladies for newspaper and magazine work or to give those who are not contemplating such careers a working knowledge of journalism. The coming year we have selected, as a head of this department, Miss Mary McMahan, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and for a number of years city editor of one of our large city papers. She comes to us with a bundle of experience which will be of great helpfulness to the students in the department. We regret that at this issue we haven't a picture of Miss McMahan to present her to you in a most formal way.

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## SECRETARIAL COURSE.

Lindenwood College, several years ago announced the beginning of vocational courses. Among the number was that of Secretarial work. We have been perfecting this particular branch until at last we have placed at the head of it one of the most efficient women that could be had for the work. Miss Lillian Allyn, who takes the head of the Business department of the School, is a lady of wide experience, a graduate of the best schools in the country and connected with large

business enterprises. She comes to us from the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis and will direct the course of study that will fit young ladies for a business or secretarial career if they should care to enter upon that kind of work. The Board of Directors are sparing no expense to provide for every department of Lindenwood the very best talent that the country affords.

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## LOS ANGELES LINDENWOOD COLLEGE CLUB.

The girls of Lindenwood residing at Los Angeles and surrounding country have organized a Lindenwood Club. Miss Alice A. Linneman, representing the College entertained the "old girls" and their friends at the Clark Hotel, August 15th and most interesting reports have been received of the entertainment.

Mr. Wilbur G. Smart, business manager of Occidental and his wife were guests of honor. Mr. Smart writes of the affair as follows:

"My dear Dr. Roemer:

Last evening my good wife and myself were royally entertained by your very able representative from Lindenwood, Miss Alice A. Linneman, at the Hotel Clark. Right here I want to say a word in praise of Miss Linneman's ability. I don't believe you could have sent one who could have arranged affairs better, or graced the occasion more beautifully than Miss Linneman.

There were about thirty present and such a nice looking and representative lot. She also received some regrets. From the people I saw present last night, I have no doubt but there could be a wide-awake Lindenwood Club of fifty or sixty to start with, that would put Lindenwood on the map on the Pacific Coast.

Cordially and sincerely,  
W. G. SMART."

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## NOT LOST, BUT GIVEN.

It is said of a returned English soldier that, when he was being commiserated on the loss of his arm in the trenches, he replied, proudly: "I didn't lose it; I gave it." Glorious reply. What a transformation of our stewardship if we could think of our tithe not as the payment of a debt, but as the offering of a gift! What a transfiguration of our service if we could list it as a heart-impulse instead of a conscience-pull! What an ennoblement of life if we could live it as a gift to the world! When a man gives his health or his time or his money—or his life—you can not talk to him about being robbed.

He has forestalled the comment. Jesus said: "No man taketh my life from me; I lay it down." Such ought to be the spirit of his disciples. It is very hard to defeat a man with such a spirit.

George Clarke Peck.

### THE LIBERTY LOANS.

The United States entered the war on April 6, 1917. Eighteen days later by a practically unanimous vote Congress passed the Liberty Loan Bond bill.

On May 2 the First Liberty Loan was announced, on May 14 the details were made public, and on the 15th the campaign began and closed one month later. The issue was for \$2,000,000,000, the bonds bearing 3½ per cent interest and running for 15-30 years. The bonds carried the conversion privilege, entitling the holder, if he chose, to convert them into bonds of a later issue bearing a higher rate of interest. Four and a half million subscribers from every section of the country, representing every condition, race, and class of citizens, subscribed for more than \$3,000,000,000 of the bonds. Only \$2,000,000,000 was allotted.

The outstanding features of the First Liberty Loan were the promptness with which it was arranged and conducted, the patriotism of the newspapers, banks, corporations, organizations, and people generally in working for its success, and the heavy oversubscription of more than 50 per cent. Another notable feature was that there was no interruption to the business of the country occasioned by the unprecedented demand upon its money resources.

The Second Liberty Loan campaign opened on October 1, 1917, and closed on October 27. The bonds of this issue bear 4 per cent interest and run for 10-25 years. They carry the conversion privilege. It was announced that 50 per cent of the oversubscription would be taken. Nine million subscribers to \$4,617,532,000 of the bonds, an oversubscription of 54 per cent. Only \$3,808,766,150 of the bonds was allotted.

This campaign was marked with the same enthusiastic support of the public as its predecessor. The labor and fraternal organizations were especially active in this campaign, and the women of the country did efficient organized work which greatly contributed to the success of the loan. The men in the Army and Navy worked for and subscribed largely to the loan.

The Third Liberty Loan campaign opened on April 6, 1918, one year exactly after our entrance into the war, and closed on May 4. The bonds of this issue bear 4¼ per cent interest and run for

10 years, are not subject to redemption prior to maturity, and carry no conversion privilege. The loan was announced for \$3,000,000,000, but the right was reserved to accept all additional subscriptions. Seventeen million subscribers subscribed for \$4,170,019,650 of the bonds, all of which was allotted.

A great feature of this loan was its very wide distribution among the people and throughout the Union and the fact that the country districts promptly and heavily subscribed to the loan, in a great measure making up their quotas earlier than the cities. Secretary McAdoo pronounced this loan the soundest of national financing.

A little over a year ago there was some 300,000 United States bondholders; there are now somewhere between 20,000,000 and 25,000,000. Awakened patriotism has made the American people a saving people, a bond-buying people. The effect of the Liberty Loans on the national character, on our national life, on the individual citizen and our home life is immeasurable—of incalculable benefit. Not less incalculable is their effect on the destiny of the world as our ships plow the seas and our men and material in Europe beat back the Hun.

The Fourth Liberty Loan campaign will begin Saturday, September 28, and close October 19. No American doubts its success; no good American will fail to contribute to its success. The blood of our men fallen in Europe calls to us; our answer must be and will be worthy of them and our country.

### EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS RECEIVED.

"I am always glad to hear from Lindenwood. I remember with pleasure the many happy hours spent there. So often work or counsel I had there helps me. There is something one gets at Lindenwood that is worth while and lasting."

Mary M. Hopkins, '03.

Mayville, N. D.

"Let me take this opportunity of thanking Dr. Roemer and the College authorities responsible for the publication and distribution, for the monthly bulletin from Lindenwood. It is much appreciated I assure you."

Agnes V. Kirk, '07.

1606 Ogden Ave.,

Superior, Wis.

"Lindenwood news is always very much appreciated, as I am interested in everything which concerns L. C."

Lavone Hanna, '16.