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MISS LUCINDA DE L. TEMPLIN, A.M. Acting Dean of Lindenwood College

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We present on the first page the pic-ture of Miss Lucinda de L. Templin, Miss Templin will have charge of the department of Education, Sociology and

History.

Miss Templin is a graduate of the University of Missouri. After completing her course in the Arts and Sciences with the degree of A. B. she took her Master's degree. For some time she has been connected with the faculty of the University and has been one of the most efficient teachers in her department. During the summer she has been at Radcliffe College, the woman's school of Harvard University. After her connection with Radcliffe she will visit all the leading woman's colleges of the East before taking up her work at Linden-

Miss Templin will be Acting Dean of

the College the coming year.

RESIGNATION OF DR. HORN.

The many friends of Dr. Frank L. Horn will regret to learn that, owing to continued ill health he has decided to retire as Dean of the College. For nine years he has been connected with the College and, under the present administration, was promoted to the position of Dean. During his services with us he has greatly endeared himself to the faculty, students and citizens of St. Charles. In his new home in the city of Toledo, Ohio, we wish him every success in his new venture in the business world.

COL. BUTLER BETTER.

It was with sorrow that the entire city of St. Louis learned of the recent serious illness of Col. Butler. The many good words that were said of him and the sorrow expressed that he should be confined to the hospital for a brief period found expression also in our hearts. We rejoice, however, that he is convalescent and will soon be out with us again. Col. Butler's last visit to the College, early in July, he left the contract for the extension of the new dining hall and also for the new boiler house Niccolls Hall, which he is building as a memorial to his friend, the late Samuel J. Niccolls, was inspected and the splendid work that is being done on it commended. Many inquiries have been made by former students as to his health and, through this issue of the Bulletin, we are glad to say to all that Col. Butler is improving and regaining his strength.

THE MAIL BOX.

Hobart, Oklahoma.

My Dear Miss Rauch:

"Linden Leaves" has arrived and I

cannot tell you how much pleasure it has given me to look it over.

phoned the girls immediately, but Lindenwood representative showed them one when he was here.

I have been watching, with pride, the advance dear old Lindenwood has been making and feel sure it will indeed become the "Wellesley of the West."

I also want to tell you how much I appreciate the Lindenwood paper I have been receiving. It keeps all the alumni in touch with each other and with Lindenwood in a way nothing else could.

With best wishes for its success,

Yours sincerely, SIBYL NEFF (1911).

CHICAGO CLUB.

It is with pleasure we present the Chicago Club to the family of Lindenwood Clubs throughout the country. We congratulate Miss Linnemann upon her successful efforts to get our "Lindenwood girls" of Chicago to form what promises to be one of strongest "Boosters' Clubs.' Below will be found a personal letter to the President and an account of the first meeting:

My Dear Dr. Roemer:

Enclosed herewith please find a report of the first meeting of the Lindenwood College Club of Chicago, a report which I am proud and happy to send you. We plan and hope and shall realize much from our Club, for Lindenwood first, I trust, and then for ourselves. Our debt of gratitude is deep to Miss Linnemanshe worked so hard to bring us together. and was the same inspiration to us she has ever been to all the girls-all of whom love her.

May we hope to see our report in an early number of the monthly paper? assure you you will hear from us often, and some day we are all coming back.

Most sincerely yours, FAYE PRATT SMALL ('02), Secy. Lindenwood College Club of Chicago.

The Lindenwood College Club of Chicago was organized on July the 24th, 1916, at the Hotel Plaza, the meeting having been called by Miss Alice Linneman of the Lindenwood College faculty.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Seymour, President; Mrs. C. B. Wagner, Vice-President; Mrs. Irene Belden Zaring, Treasurer; Mrs. J. F. Small,

Secretary.

It is a matter of peculiar gratification to us to realize how enthusiastically our members responded. We enrolled eighteen members at our first meeting, and thirty-six cards have been sent out for a luncheon to be given by our club at the

Hotel La Salle on Tuesday, July the

We had with us at our first meeting a graduate of 1879, and one of 1880, also girls who have been at Lindenwood very recently, and we have found the same interest, the same true Lindenwood spirit in every one.

We keenly realize that we really owe our club (the future of which means so much to us all, and for which we have so many plans), to Miss Linneman, for it was her heart work, her unflagging interest and enthusiasm and inspiration which brought us together, and we are proud to call her our dear honorary member.

A little later we shall have much more to tell, of our progress, for we have entered the field of Lindenwood Clubs to stay, and not only to live over our own happy days there, but to "boost" for Lindenwood first, last, and always.

We are at the service of our college, and we now send greetings to the Lindenwood Clubs of St. Louis and Kansas City—young, but lusty, greetings, Lindenwood College Club of Chicago.

Faye Pratt Small, Secretary.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. and Mrs. Roemer spent their brief vacation in the Rockies, visiting Denver, Colorado Springs and Manitou.

Mrs. Roberts is visiting friends and relatives in Illinois. She will return August 15th to get everything in readiness for the opening of school.

Miss Olive A. Rauch, who has been promoted to the position of Registrar, will spend most of the month of August in the East as guest of some of the leading girls' schools,

Prof. Walter R. Gerak has joined the colony of Musicians at Manitou, Col., and reports having a big time doing the social world.

Misses Jessie Rankin and Lois Hanna have charge of the Playground Work of the Chautauqua of Clay Center, Kans.

Miss Gladys Grigg gave a house party to Laura Craig, Lavone Hanna, Helen Wiener, Lottie Mae and Lucille Roberts at her home in Sparta, Ill. After the house party in Sparta Miss Laura Craig entertained the party at Maryville, Mo., and Miss Lavone Hanna at Clay Center, Kans. At Clay Center Misses Helen Stevenson, Jessie Rankin and Hester and Hester Jackson joined the party.

Miss Dorothy Fort is visiting Miss Lillian Slavens in Hutchinson, Kans.

Miss Helen Margaret Somerville spent part of her vacation visiting relatives in St. Joseph, Mo.

The following Lindenwood Girls took a summer course at the University of Missouri: Misses Annie Laurie Cox, Grace Lauman, Elsie Porth, Dorothy McClusky, Helen Taylor and Katherine Gross. The girls formed a Lindenwood College Club and had a royal good time. Mrs. Lauman chaperoned the girls during the term.

Miss Gladys Funkhouser spent a month visiting friends in Fairfield, Ill.

Constance Hamilton was guest of Miss Mina Rowland of Olney, Ill., at a week-end party.

Miss Bessie Harvey enrolled as a summer student at Pittsburg, Kans., Normal School.

Miss Annabel Hunter of Rockport, Mo., spent part of her vacation visiting Miss Hazel Fulton of Abilene, Kans.

Misses Eunice Schauss and Bettie Mae Hutchinson are summering in St. Louis.

Miss Alma Mabrey is Lindenwood's representative in the faculty of the St. Louis Vacation Bible School.

Mr. William S. Learned, representative of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, was an interested guest of the College during the summer.

We are, pleased to learn that Miss Hazel Wolfe of Tulsa, Okla., is doing nicely after an operation for appendi-

Miss Alice Linnemann, of the Art department, is spending the summer at the Chicago Art School.

Miss Porterfield, of the Latin department, is spending the summer with friends in North Dakota.

Miss Irene Scrutchfield, of the department of Modern Languages, is doing research work in the University of Wisconsin.

Miss Sarah M. Findley, librarian, is spending the summer in Akron, Ohio, and Cumberland, Md.

Miss Agnes L. Sturges, of the Domestic Science department, is visiting her mother in Minneapolis, Minn.

Miss Ariel Gross, after a pleasant visit in Norfolk, Va., has entered the American Institute of Normal Methods at Evanston, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eoff are visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Marjorie Manger was a house guest of Miss Cornelia Hurst of St. Charles early in July.

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FORM OF BEOUEST.

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

LINDENWOOD HYMN.

School of our mothers, in days of yore, Goal of their fond ambitions long, Within the portals of thy door, Ideals were formed and wills made

strong.

Thy honored rule was ever good, Old Lindenwood, Old Lindenwood.

The tumult and the shouting dies, The seniors year by year depart; Still stands thy ancient edifice, A stately and a noble pile,

With arched limbs of sacred wood, Round Lindenwood, Old Lindenwood. Far called, old teachers pass away,

But new ones rise to take their place; And all the pomp of yesterday

Goes on with but a change of face; Few hearts but throb with kindly good, Towards Lindenwood, Old Lindenwood.

On girls that come and girls that go, On all that walk beneath their shade A heaven sent gift will thou bestow;

A graceful and a gracious maid, With brain for power and heart for good:

Old Lindenwood, Dear Lindenwood. Amen.

THE FORWARD LOOK.

We are facing the beginning of another school year. September 20 the year 1916-17 will begin. The outlook for

a prosperous year is promising.

The enthusiasm of the student body and former students has done much to arouse interest. Our representatives are working faithfully to make 1916-17 a

banner year.

In the few weeks remaining before the opening of school let everybody get busy in looking up prospects for Lindenwood.

The future of the College is dependent upon the earnest, consecrated efforts of students and friends. It is the purpose of our great benefactor, Col. James Gay Butler, to help Lindenwood College at-tain pre-eminence in the West as a woman's college. He has done much to place Lindenwood on the modern map by his generous gifts of buildings. He has helped standardize the College with the best Colleges and Universities in the land until today Lindenwood has an educational standard for its work that is recognized as superior. It is now up to every friend of the College to help realize the ideal-The Wellesley of the West.



MISS ELOISE RAMSEY.

Miss Eloise Ramsey will succeed Miss Berry as Professor of English. Miss Ramsey is a graduate of the Ohio University, Columbus, Ohio. After gradua-tion she took her A. M. degree at the same University. For a short while she was an assistant in the English department and was the holder of the Teaching Fellowship in English. Going to the Chicago University, she did considerable work in the courses in the Shakespearean drama. She has been a student of Winnefrede Woodside-Just of Chicago in Dramatic Art; also a student in the Lester Alden School of Acting in Chicago. As Professor in the Agricultural College of North Dakota, she prepared

the text of the "Spring Fantasy."
While connected with the Warrensburg, Mo., State Normal she directed the first production of the pageant-drama, "Radison," with the permission of the

author, Lily A. Long.

Miss Ramsey comes to us from the Columbia University, New York, where she was taking a special course in English looking toward the degree of Ph. D.

The English course at Lindenwood has always been recognized as exceptionally strong and Miss Ramsey comes well qualified by training and experience to sustain the high reputation of the English department.

OUR MUSICAL ADVANTAGES.

In presenting the excellence of our music department we are not unmindful of the foundations laid by noted instructors of the years gone by. We are building a magnificent superstructure upon

solid foundations.

We recall some whose eminence at Lindenwood caused our great institu-tions of learning in the East to invite them to distinguished musical positions -Prof. Geo. Vieh, now of Smith College, and Prof. James T. Quarles, of Cornell University.

In the musical world our students have made their mark among the best.

It has been the policy of the College to have the best instructors obtainable and the coming year will find some of the world's finest musicians in our faculty.

MISS EDNA A. HANNA, DEAN.

Miss Edna Hanna, Dean of the Conservatory of Music, is a graduate of Lindenwood College. After completing her college work, she went to Europe to further pursue her studies in music. It was early prophesied by her instructors that a brilliant future was before her if she devoted herself to the development of her wonderful natural gifts. The suggestion of her American teachers was confirmed by European leaders of music. For several years she was the private pupil of Frau Professor Oscar Raif and later studied under Hugo Kaun, of Berlin. Upon her return from Europe she was invited to enter the musical faculty of Lindenwood by Prof. James T. Quarles, who had recognized her exceptional musical ability. She rapidly took her place as a leader and authority in musical matters and has been called upon to contribute to the leading musical magazines. Miss Hanna teaches Piano, Harmony and History of Music.

> PROF. GEORGE CIBULKA. Pianist, Organist.

Prof. George Cibulka is a highly educated man, first taking his Bachelor's degree in the University of St. Louis and then completing his music course under the most skilled teachers of America. Prof. Victor Ehling, who directed his training in piano music, found him to be a most apt and promising pupil and feels proud to count him as one who has brought great credit to his instructor. Under Prof. Charles Galloway he began and completed his course For ten years Prof. in pipe organ. Cibulka was organist of the large and Tyler Place Presbyterian growing Church and rendered distinguished service which placed him in the first rank of St. Louis pipe organists.

He is a member of the American Guild of Organists, a member of the Executive Committee of the St. Louis Orchestra Guild and a member of the Missouri State Music Teachers' Associ-

ation.

MISS ARIEL GROSS. Pianist.

Miss Ariel Gross, teacher of Piano, is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music and has had several vears of experience as a teacher of piano, and recently has received her degree of

Musical Master.

She comes to us highly commended by the best musicians, with whom she has studied, and from the schools where she has taught. Prof. Ernest R. Kroeger, Director of the Kroeger School of Music, St. Louis, says: "She has filled some very important positions, has been one of my assistants. She has a natural aptitude for piano playing and the necessary qualifications for an excellent teacher."

Prof. Carl Baermann, of Boston, Mass., says: "Her talent, her musical ability and sterling principles, her fine and sympathetic conduct are her noble and faithful guardians and companions through life."

Prof. John Towers, author of Dictionary Catalogue of 28,015 Operas, pupil of Ciro Pinsuti, Royal Academy of London, Theodor Kullak and Adolph B. Marx, of Berlin, says: "She will prove a veritable tower of strength in any educational establishment in the wide world, where thoroughness, devotion to duty, lady-like bearing and reliability most do count."

MRS. CHARLES W. EOFF. Voice Instructor.

Mrs. Eoff is one of the leading Mezzo-Sopranos. She has had the advantages of the best musical education that could be obtained in America. In addition to her excellent training received under Mme. Murio-Celli, Wm. Courtney and Evans Williams, Mrs. Eoff has had great experience as a soloist, having held prominent positions in various musical societies and in church choirs. She is a valuable asset to our splendid musical faculty.



MISS HELEN JENKINS. Piano.

Miss Helen Jenkins succeeds Miss Catharine Sutherland, who is completing her preparation to go to the foreign field. Miss Jenkins received her degree of B. M. from the University of Kansas. Her previous work was done in the Ross Conservatory of Music, from which she was graduated. She comes highly recommended to us by Harold L. Butler, Dean of Fine Arts of the University of Kansas. She had the honor of being sent out by the University of Kansas on concert tours in company with the members of the faculty. Miss Jenkins is considered one of the most talented pupils who have come from the Kansas Conservatory of Music in years. following press notice of her recent recital is just at hand:
Miss Jenkins' Recital. Journal World.

The third of the graduating recitals, was given last night in Fraser hall by Miss Helen Jenkins of Guthrie, Okla. Miss Jenkins has assisted at several of the recitals in the state by Dean and Mrs. Butler, and is looked on as one of the most talented students of recent years. Her group of three of the less frequently played MacDowell compositions was an artistic triumph and showed an unusual grasp of modern technic and interpretation. Her final number was the first movement of the Rubinstein Concerto in D minor, which she played without notes and with an effect of real grandeur; she would be well qualified to undertake it with orchestra. She was assisted by Miss Edna Davis, contralto, who displayed a rich voice of unusual carrying power and sang with marked nobility of style. She was ably accompanied by Miss Thelma Wharton,

PROF. WALTER R. GERAK.

Lindenwood is to be congratulated upon securing the services of Prof. Gerak. He is a high type of Christian manhood and a teacher of voice culture with few peers. Lindenwood voice pupils will have the advantage of one of the best teachers to be found in Amer-

Prof. Ernest Kroeger says of him: "He is one of the best. My estimate of him is confirmed by the fact that I have

placed my boy under him."
Prof. Gerak has studied extensively, both in this country and abroad. He was a pupil in New York of Amandale, a prominent pupil of the Italian Lamperti. Abroad he studied with De Reszki, Sbriglia and D'Aubigne in Paris and with the late vocal pedagogue, Frank King Clark, in Berlin.

Prof. Gerak is a masterful interpreter of the songs of all schools, an accomplished pianist and accompanist. thorough musician in every way."

> MISS AGNES GRAY. Dean of Violin Department.

Miss Agnes Gray, Dean of the Violin Department of Lindenwood College, is a native of St. Louis, where she has been associated with the highest in musical art for years. Her earliest training she obtained under Ernest Spiering, and later studied with Jacobsohn, Bendix and Listemann. Miss Gray's success in concert and recital work has been unusual, and for years her sonata evenings were an enjoyable and educational privilege. The first ladies' string quartette organized in St Louis for public work was wholly due to her untiring efforts to promote an appreciation for chamber music. Miss Gray has been actively associated with Lindenwood College for the past twenty years, during which time she has earned the reputation of being not only a teacher of the first class, but of possessing a charming personality that immediately wins the love of her pupils. At the present time she is organizing classes in ukelele and steel guitar that have met with much popularity at Lindenwood. Miss Gray's ability is well shown in the following words of appreciation from masters and newspaper critics:

Chicago, Ill. Miss Agnes Gray is a violinist of rare Evenness of tone, accomplishments. clearness of intonation, fine technique, excellent trill and staccato are some of the prominent features of her playing. She deserves success in fullest measure, as she is an artist who takes her art seri-

ously.-Bernard Listemann,

Miss Gray, whose name has been before the public for quite a number of years, has placed herself just where she ranks among the best of artists and teachers of the violin.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Miss Gray showed traits of being a most gratifying success in regard to absolute purity of tone and beauty of interpretation and feeling. Her performance was marvelous. — Chautauqua

Herald (New York).



MISS ABBY TILLOTSON.

In looking over the catalogue of Lindenwood College one's attention is immediately attracted to the fact that the teachers are selected from the best schools and universities throughout the country.

Vassar College furnishes us an instructor in English and Mathematics—

Miss Abby Tillotson.

Miss Tillotson is a charming personality, as attested by those who have known her in the class room. A thorough student, she has won the recommendation of being most capable for the work to which she has been appointed the coming year at Lindenwood.

MARKHAM TEACHERS VISIT LINDENWOOD.

It was the privilege of Lindenwood College to entertain the teachers of the Markham Memorial Church of St. Louis on July 4th. It was the annual outing of the teachers who have, for several years,

visited Lindenwood on the 4th of July. A splendid program of events was arranged for the day and in the evening a fine display of fire-works was set off from the "point." The teachers had the use of the campus, the buildings, and the swimming pool, and had as they said, "the biggest time of their lives. 10:00 in the evening, when the party left for home, there were rousing cheers for Lindenwood, Col. Butler and all of the College officials. We appreciate the annual visit of the Markham teachers and the loyalty they have at all times for Lindenwood. Our best wishes go to them as they extend to us their heartiest thanks for the privileges which we granted them on that day. Dr. Geo. W. King is to be congratulated upon the success of the work in which he is engaged and Lindenwood is especially interested because of the students who, during the year, assist him in the work.



MISS GERTRUDE LITCHFIELD

The Expression Department of Lindenwood has always been known for the thoroughness of its work. Graduates in Expression have found little difficulty in securing positions as teachers, as a diploma in this department in Lindenwood is known to express genuine merit. This department seeks to awaken in the student a realization of her own powers, to cultivate grace of movement with pureness of tone, to afford a course of study which will be of value whether working from a professional or a personal standpoint.

Miss Gertrude Litchfield, the head of

this department, is a graduate of the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, and has been connected with the Harvard University Extension Course. She is well known in Boston for her ability as a public entertainer. The Boston Times says of her: "Miss Gertrude Litchfield is one of Boston's best entertainers. She is artistic in all of her work." Miss Litchfield is the composer of "Les Enfants," a remarkably clever reproduction of French-Canadian life in New England. "Les Enfants," says the Salem, Mass., Evening News," is a very intelligent and sympathetic representation of these children at their play, of the youth at their love-making, of the elders at their story-telling."

"I am glad," writes Prof. C. T. Copeland, of Harvard University, "That my advice had anything to do with so

charming a publication."

Miss Litchfield comes to us with a wealth of experience. Those taking Expression will have an opportunity of being trained by a world-acknowledged artist.



MISS GRACE GODFREY

The popularity of the course in Domestic Science at Lindenwood increases each year. Equipped for the most thorough work, our graduates are recognized as among the most efficient for professional service. An addition to the faculty in this department is Miss Grace Godfrey, who comes to us from the University of Wisconsin. Miss Marlatt, Director of the course in Home Economics

of the University of Wisconsin, writes: "Miss Godfrey comes from an extremely good family. Because of her charming personality and social grace, she will fit into almost any community in which you place her and will be a credit to herself and to us." Prof. W. F. Steve, in commending her, says: "She will be one of the strongest teachers in her line of work. She will know what to teach and how to teach it in order to get the best results. She will have no trouble in gaining the respect and confidence of her pupils."



MISS RUTH CHIVVIS.

Miss Chivvis is a St. Louis product. having received the best training of the schools of that city. Her collegiate training was received at Wellesley, where she majored in History and Biblical Literature. Miss Chivvis will enter upon her work as instructor in History and Academy Bible with the enthusiasm of a well trained and earnest personality. She will be an inspiration to the students in their Christian work Miss Chivvis hardly needs an introduction to Missourians who are so well acquainted with the leadership of her mother in woman's work. The daughter, however, desires it to be known that it is upon her own merits she must establish herself. Interested in the religious side of a woman's culture, she devoted her time to the study of History and Biblical Literature. She will be an assistant to Dr. Roemer in the Bible department of the College.