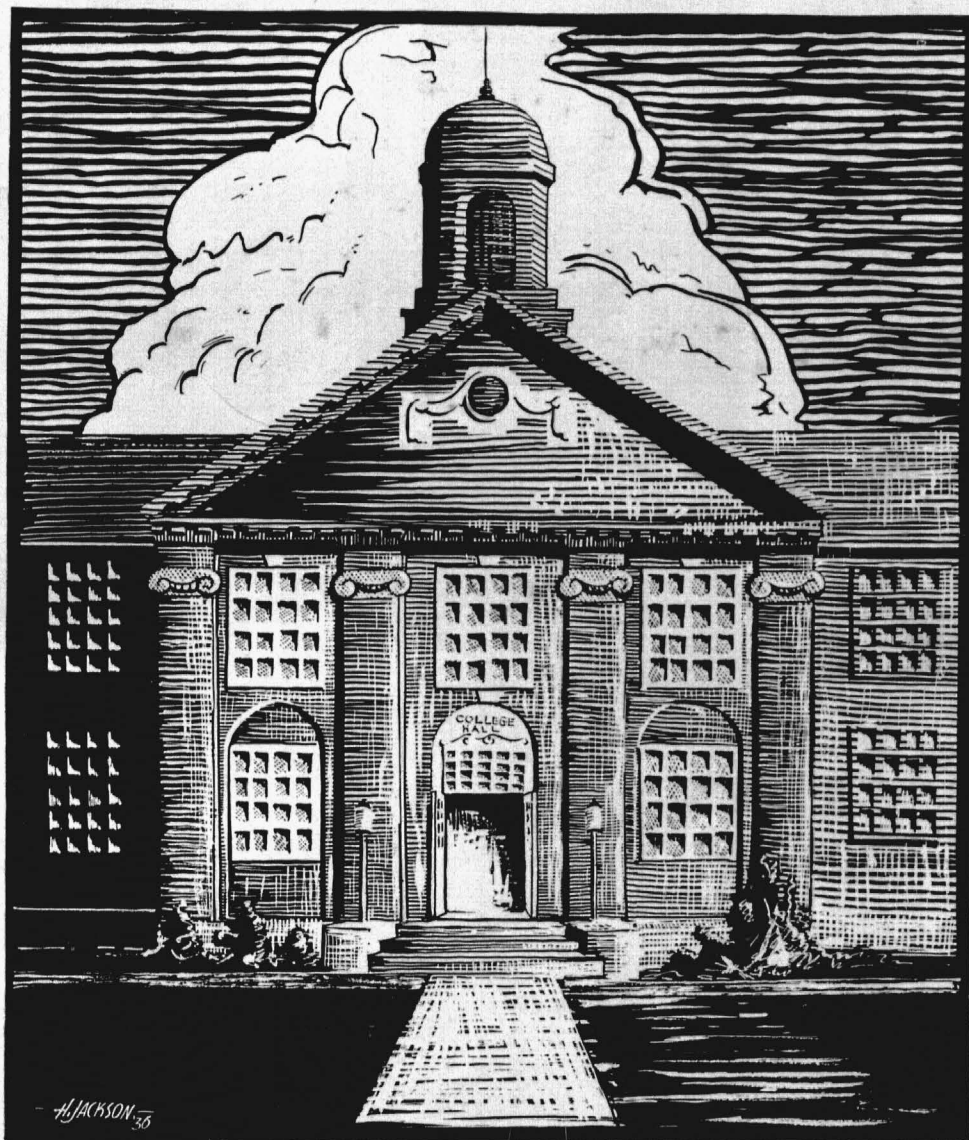


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Business Manager.

FOREWORD

As a progressive institution, Lincoln University provides adequate facilities for young men and women desiring to secure a liberal education. As a medium through which you are able to picture this growth of Lincoln University as it is today, THE 1936 COLLEGIAN, is intended.

The staff feels that to do justice to all, it should record and present to you events and activities on and about the campus for a year. How well we have done this we do not know. You, dear readers, are the judges.

JAMES LEONARD MERRITT,
Editor.



BOOKER TANNER MCGRAW

DEDICATION

BECAUSE he has so unselfishly devoted time, energy and thought to the development of our student group—because he has striven ever to steer us through difficulties—because he has shown high attainment as a thinker and scholar—because of his sympathy and ready help as a personal friend to each of us we wish to express some measure of our pride, loyalty and devotion; therefore, we, the Senior Class of 1935-36, dedicate this, our COLLE-GIAN to

MR. BOOKER TANNER MCGRAW

IN MEMORIAM



THELMA BOYD

VIOLA MURPHY

ARTHUR NOVEL

OTIS SMITH

HENRY CROSS

“Like stars to their appointed height they climb
And death is a low mist which cannot blot
The brightness it may veil.”

—SHELLEY.

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Alma Mater

Lincoln, O Lincoln!

We thy proud children are;
Thou art our guiding star,

Lincoln, believe.

Our hearts that yearn for thee

No matter where we be,
Morning, noon, and always, we
Are Lincolmites.

Thy name, O Lincoln!

Shall e'er to us be dear.

Thy memories sacred, near,

Hold us to thee.

Thy honors ours shall be,

Thy cause when just shall we
With loyalty defend—

For thee we'd die.

Lincoln, O Lincoln!

We thy proud children are;
Our hearts, both near and far,

Love thee with delight.

No matter where we are,

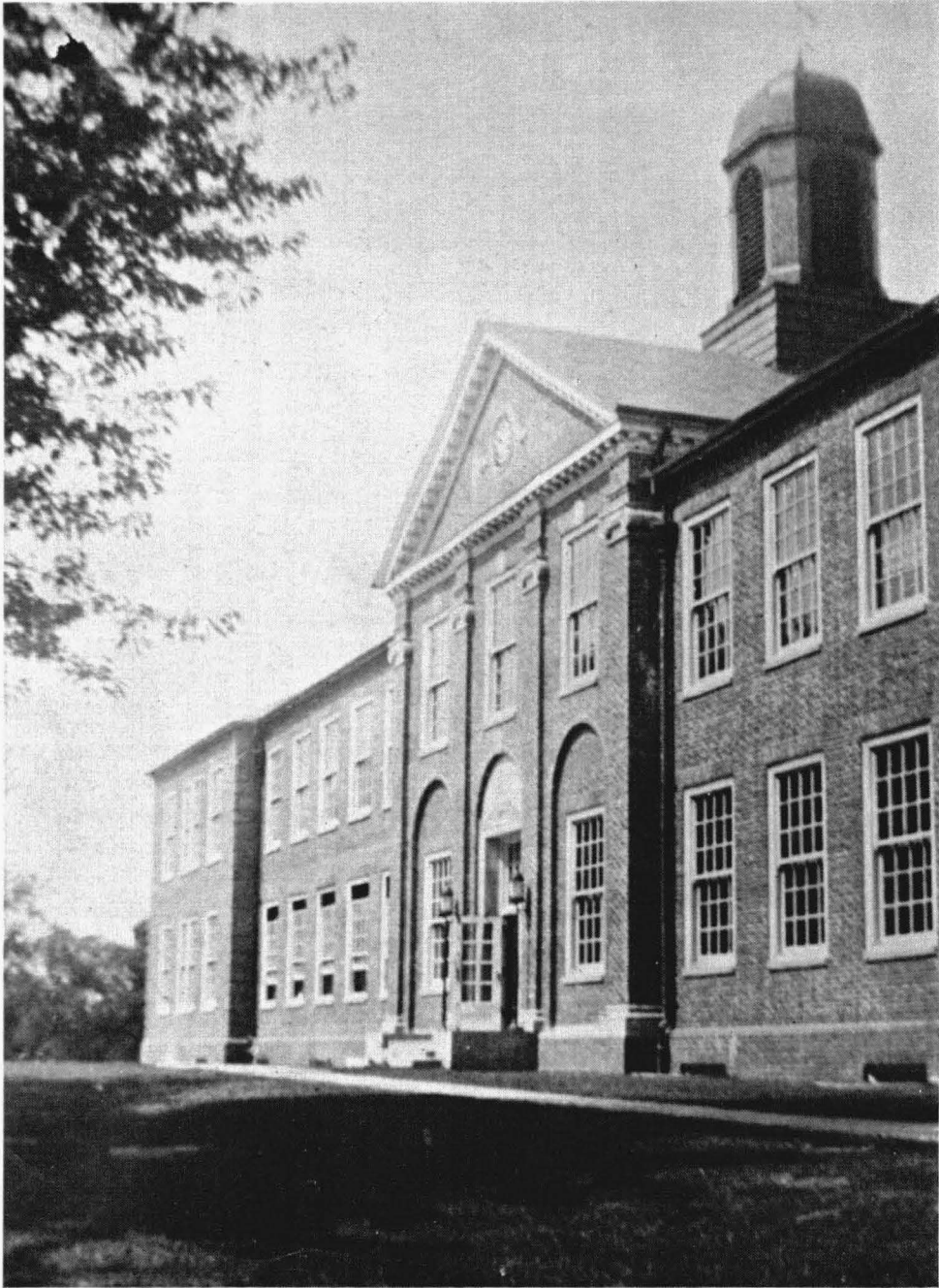
Whether present, absent far,
Morning, noon, we always are

True Lincolmites.

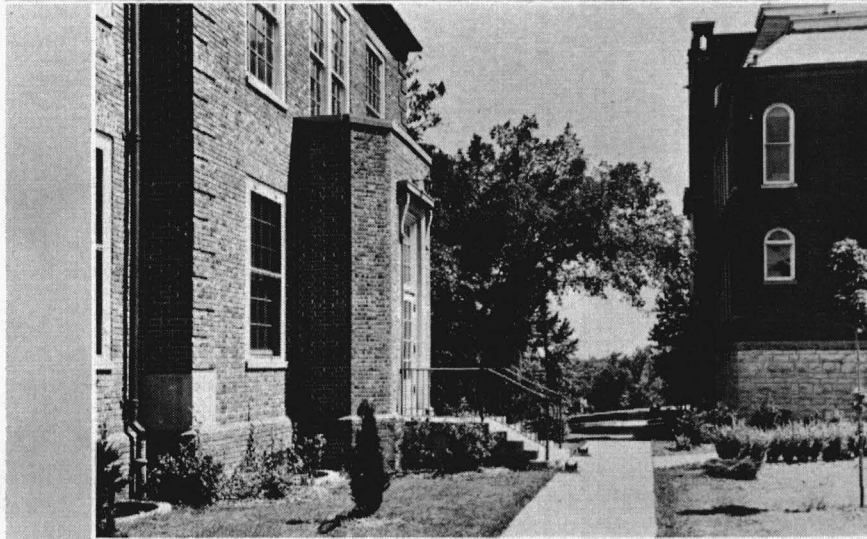
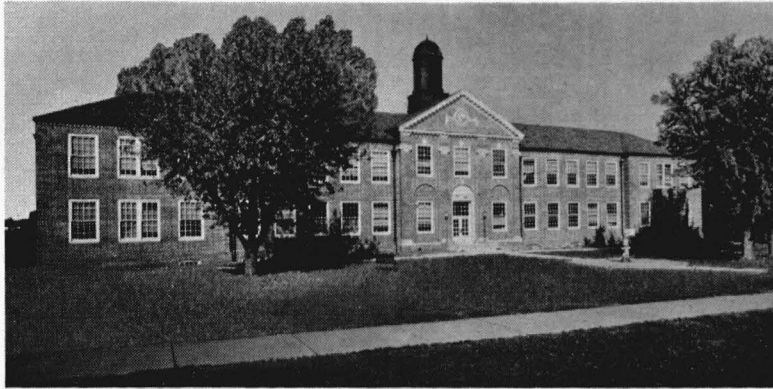
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Main Entrance—College Hall



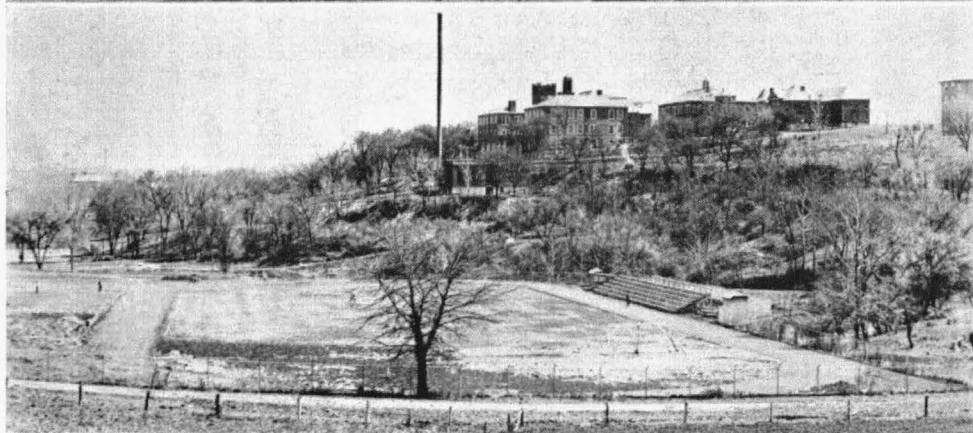
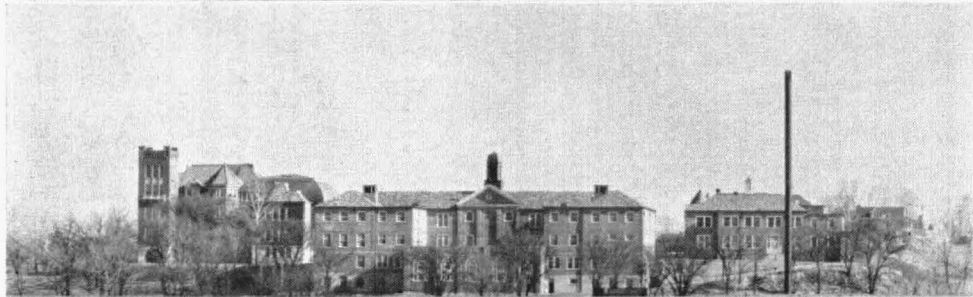
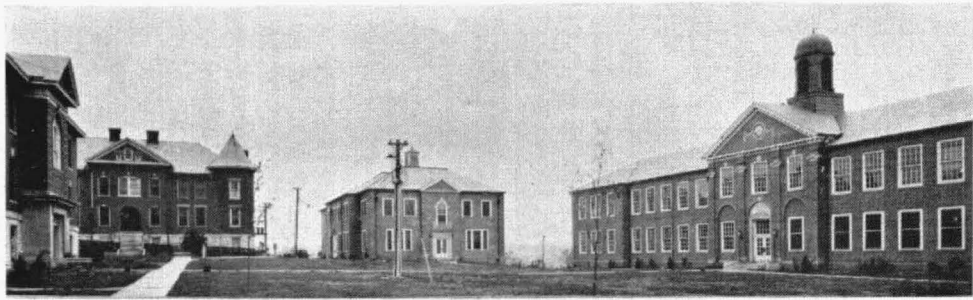
Facing the Rising Sun



College Hall in Perspective

From Quadrangle Toward the Cannon

From Memorial Hall Across Quadrangle



Across the Quadrangle—Anderson M. Schweich Hall, Center

College Hall From Rear View

Athletic Field in Winter

Tennis Courts



WINTER, THE MAJESTIC

President's Home

The Historic Cannon

View From East Campus



Winter in Her Splendor



ADMINISTRATION



PRESIDENT CHARLES WILBUR FLORENCE

THE impetus of any organization that functions co-operatively without friction must have behind it a controlling agency directed by the prudent and ingenious guidance of a leader. Pres. Charles W. Florence, in steering the course of Lincoln University, has pointed for a greater spiritual and material development. Through his earnest and industrious endeavors supplementing the labors of others, Lincoln University in 1934 was admitted to full membership in the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools as a standard four year college of liberal arts; new buildings have been erected; faculty and equipment have increased; and, in general, both intellectual and athletic prestige of our college have increased. Pres. Florence is not only succeeding at Lincoln University; he is becoming recognized as a leader among the contemporary educators and thinkers of our race.

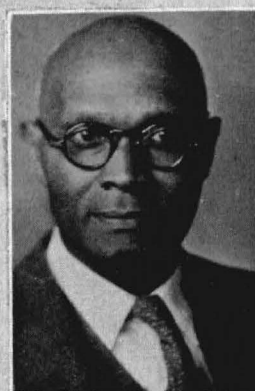
THOMAS HENRY MILES *Acting Dean of College*

Dean Miles returned to Lincoln in September, 1935, after an absence of one year spent in graduate study. He was entrusted with the responsible position of Dean of the College, replacing Mr. W. B. Jason, on leave during 1935-36 to do graduate work. Mr. Miles has won the respect and admiration of the student body and the faculty by his capable handling of a difficult position, with promptness and efficiency. In addition to his duties as Dean of the College, Mr. Miles serves as head of and professor in the department of mathematics.



I. C. TULL *Business Manager*

Mr. Tull, because of his long-standing connection with the institution and his high qualities of efficiency and capability, is one of the most highly respected administrators at Lincoln University. He brought to his position as Business Manager a wealth of experience in various institutions throughout the country. He has thus been able to aid Lincoln greatly in its progress toward first rank among institutions of higher learning.



B. T. MCGRAW *Registrar*

Mr. McGraw has served Lincoln ably and whole-heartedly for the past three years as Registrar. Being well-trained and experienced in business administration, Mr. McGraw has been able to place the Registrar's Office on a more efficient and systematic working basis and to guide the students toward conformity with the standards outlined by the North Central Association. He has proved his versatility by not only filling the office of Registrar, but also acting as chairman of and professor in the department of economics and sociology.



The Faculty

THE most progressive student body with its ablest student leaders can do little without an acute, energetic and sympathetic faculty to advise and co-operate with them.

We as students are often prone to forget the purpose which the faculty serves—too often we see them only as educated demagogues, firmly addicted to the policy of torturing us, of working us needlessly—too often we fail to recognize friendly motives that spring from a true and sincere desire to serve and guide bewildered youth.

Every student of Lincoln University must needs be proud of its faculty whose members, as products of the best educational institutions of the nation, manifesting breadth of vision, maturity of thought, sobriety of judgment and sincerity of devotion to their students, are eminently qualified to serve them.

WILLIAM BARRINGTON JASON
Mathematics; Dean of the College

SYLVESTER FULLER COLLINS
Education

W. SHERMAN SAVAGE
History

NORVAL PALMER BARNSDALE
French

THOMAS HENRY MILES
Mathematics

ALBERT ALEXANDER KILDARE
Physics

WILLIAM WALLACE DOWDY
Biology

U. S. MAXWELL
Chemistry

AZALEA E. MARTIN
Education

THELMA E. HAWKINS
Biology

MILTON G. HARDIMAN
French and Latin

MARCIA E. CANTY
Home Economics

JAMES C. MCMORRIES
Philosophy; Dean of Men

A. A. DUNSON
German

T. THOMAS FLETCHER
English

THOMAS A. LEMON
Economics

WALTER R. TALBOT
Mathematics

MARIE HILDA FORD
Music

ARTHUR L. HAMMONS
Agriculture

JAMES DALLAS PARKS
Art

MYRTLE A. LIVINGSTON
Physical Education





ERIC W. EPPS
Physical Education

VIVIAN K. CAMERON
Sociology; Dean of Women

JAMES B. PARSONS
Music

SARA JANE SPENCER
History

MODDIE DANIEL TAYLOR
Chemistry

GENE A. WADKINS
Bursar

JAMES E. MILLER
History and Government

EDWIN D. SHEEN
English

RAYMOND H. KEMP
Sociology; Coach

SIDNEY J. REEDY
Principal of Training High School

MARGARET E. BURNS
Home Economics Critic Teacher

A. BOYD CRAWLEY
Mathematics Critic Teacher

ARABELLA GROSS
Language Critic Teacher

PATRICK R. POWELL
Science Critic Teacher

F. CECIL HEAROLD
*Industrial Arts Critic Teacher;
Director of Maintenance*

LOVEY A. ANTHONY
Librarian

IRENE HERON
Nurse

FANNIE B. RIDGEWAY
Preceptress Barnes-Krekel Hall

S. P. JOHNSON
Proctor Foster Hall

OREE M. CONNOR
Assistant in Maintenance Department

JOSEPH T. JOHNSON
Clerk in Business Office



CLASSES

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S E N I O R S

Senior Class Officials



Theron A. M. J. Catlin
President

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Vice-President

Emma Mae Turner
Recording Secretary

Carmen A. Turner
Financial Secretary

Effie Moten Irvine
Treasurer

Laurenza S. Johnson
Reporter

B. T. McGraw
Adviser Senior Year

Cecil A. Blue
Adviser Junior Year

Class Notes

THE senior class consists of fifty-three members drawn principally from the urban centers of Missouri. Of the eighty-one students who entered Lincoln in September, 1932, only seven are members of the present senior class. The majority are importations either from other classes or from other institutions. Most of them formerly attended Stowe Teachers College or Western University.

The class opened the senior year enthusiastically, with plans for several projects to be completed during the year. All of these projects have been carried out successfully, among them being the publication of *The Collegian*, the Homecoming Stunt Show, the Sunday Book Reviews, and the class play.

Follow The Seniors

LIKE their fellow mortals, the Seniors of 1935-36 are ambitious, hoping to scale the heights of success and make for themselves "footprints in the sands of time." Let them tell you in their own words exactly what they hope to accomplish.

MISS ERMA CANNON:

My ambition is to manage an efficient personnel bureau offering vocational and academic guidance in some leading college. I should like to teach English in secondary school or junior college after I receive my degree from Lincoln University. I intend later to pursue graduate work in literature and the guidance phase of education at the University of Chicago.

MR. PAUL LAWRENCE COMBS:

My ambition is to own and operate a model, modern undertaking establishment. I shall pursue my studies at the University of Chicago and the Worsham School of Embalming.

MRS. EFFIE MOTEN IRVINE:

After receiving a degree from Lincoln University, my plan is to attend the University of Kansas. I would like to be a Dean and teach English while holding such a position. I hope to finish my tour of America within the next few years.

MR. U. S. GRANT TAYES:

My intention, upon graduation, is to open an Art Studio. I am very much interested in graduate work and expect to enter the University of Chicago.

MR. HERBERT ALEXANDER JACKSON:

After graduation I intend to teach or go into the field of advertising and salesmanship. I am interested in graduate study at the University of Illinois. I would like to teach in the secondary school.

MR. JAMES LEONARD MERRITT:

My ambition is to be an "A-number-1" electrical engineer. After completing my work at Lincoln University, I intend to study electrical engineering at the University of Illinois or the University of Iowa. I do not want to teach, but prefer a business career.

MR. ARTHUR ODELL THURMAN:

My greatest ambition is to become an attorney-at-law. I intend to teach social science in the junior high school, then go to Columbia University for law work. I hope some day to travel.

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JOHN OSCAR AUSTIN

L. U. Band '32-'33; Duke Washington's Collegians; Mathematics Club; Kappa Alpha Psi.

Mathematics

ERNEST O. BOONE, II

Supervisor Negro Schools of Missouri.

History

CASSANDRA BRADLEY

History Club; Y. W. C. A.; Women's League; Delta Sigma Theta.

History

GEORGE ALBERT BUCKNER

Capt. Football; Basket Ball; Track; Choral Club; "L" Club; Ann. Staff; Ser. Arms Sr. Cl., Sr. Cl. Play; Math. Club; Stroller Club; B. T. O. C.

Mathematics

ERMA CANNON

Pres. Y. W. C. A.; Wom. Lg. Sen.; Stud. Forum; History Club; Chr. Sr. Plan. Com. '36; Sec. to Dean Wom.; Gram. Alpha Kappa Alpha; B. T. O. C.

English

HOUSTON E. CHANDLER

Capt.-Elect Football; Basket Ball; Track; "L" Club; Art Guild; Annual Staff; Alpha Phi Alpha; B. T. O. C.

English

PAUL LAWRENCE COMBS

Football '33-'34; Track '32-'33; Duke Washington's Collegians '35; Pres. Alpha Phi Alpha '36.

Biology



ISIAH BANKS

Football; Basket Ball; Coach Women's Athletic Team; Men's Glee Club; "L" Club; Scroller Club.

English



OTIS CARROLL BOOTH

Senior Class Play; Carver Chemistry Club; Alpha Phi Alpha.

Chemistry



MINEOLA I. BRISCOE

Pres. Stud. Council; V.-P. H. Ec. Club; Ass't. in H. Ec. Dept.; Wom. League; Senate; Chr. Stud. Forum; Dean of Pledges Alpha Kappa Alpha; B. T. O. C.

Home Economics



IDA LEE BUSCH

H. Ec. Club; Annual Staff; Women's League; Basileus Alpha Kappa Alpha '34-'35.

Home Economics



THERON A. M. J. CATLIN

Pres. Sr. Class; Y. M. C. A.; Stud. Council; Hist. Club; Finan. Mgr. Ann. Staff; Stud. For.; Library Ass't.; Omega Psi Phi; B. T. O. C.

Economics



ALLEN PERCY CHINN

Y. M. C. A.; Annual Staff; Pep Squad '35; Math. Club; Sr. Class Play; Alpha Phi Alpha.

Mathematics



ALMETA VIRGINIA CROCKETT

Dram. Club; Choral Soc.; Pres. Wom. Senate and League; H. Ec. Club; Stud. Forum; Basileus Alpha Kappa Alpha '35-'36.

Home Economics

Follow The Seniors

MISS ALMETA VIRGINIA CROCKETT:

I am planning to become an instructor of nutrition in a leading Negro college. After receiving my B. S. degree I intend to pursue my master's degree in the field of nutrition.

MISS TRANDAILER DANIELLITA JONES:

My greatest ambition is to be a dietitian in a large hospital. I am interested in graduate study and hope to begin next year.

MISS EMMA MAE TURNER:

I desire to establish a co-operative enterprise. After receiving my B.S. I intend to teach high school mathematics. I am interested in graduate work in mathematics at the University of Pennsylvania or the University of Southern California.

MISS EMMA JANE LEE:

My greatest ambition is to teach history in some high school. I am interested in graduate work in history or education at Columbia University.

MISS FLORA ODESSA FREEMAN:

I am intensely interested in the Negro and intend to do research work in unearthing more information than is today known concerning the early background of the race. To this end, I desire to pursue graduate study at the University of Chicago in the fields of Orientology and Archaeology. I intend to write books on my travels and researches in America and abroad.

MR. HERBERT AMEEKA STAFFORD:

I wish to become a well-trained attorney-at-law. I am planning to study law at Howard University. I do not intend to teach.

MISS GRAYCE SHARLEE ENGLISH:

My ambition is to travel abroad and learn more of the people about whom I have studied. Upon receiving my degree from Lincoln University, I intend to teach English in Oklahoma. Later I hope to do graduate work in English.

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JOHN WESTLEY DESHIELDS

Football; "L" Club; Mgr. Track and Basket Ball Teams; V.-Pr. Y. M. C. A.; V.-Pr. Biol. Club; Stud. Field Agent; Basileus Omega Psi Phi.

English



GRAYCE SHARLEE ENGLISH

Women's Athletics; Dramatic Club '34-'35; Senior Class Play.

English

FLORA ODESSA FREEMAN

V.-Pr. Sr. Class; Lit. Ed. Ann. Staff; Dram. Club; Stud. For.; Hist. Club; Stud. Council; Women's Lg. Sen.; Ass't. to Reg.; V.-Pr. Delta Sigma Theta; B. T. O. C.

English, History



DAVID WESLEY GEARIN

Pres. Y. M. C. A.; Tennis Club; Hist. Club; Annual Staff; V.-Pr. Co-op.; Stud. Forum.

History, Education

LIZZIE MAE GEARIN

Art Guild; Annual Staff; History Club; Y. W. C. A.; L. U. Orchestra; Lambda Upsilon Mu.

History



MARY KATHRYN GRAVETTE

Chrmn. P. T. A.; Instr. Washington Sch.

English

DOROTHY HARMON

Math. Club; Women's League; Gen'l. Chrmn. Senior Class Play Staff.

Mathematics



RUTH HARRIS

History Club; Annual Staff; Women's League.

History

ANDREW EDWARD HAWKINS

Choral Society; Senior Class Play; Kappa Alpha Psi.

Economics



KATY MAE HUBBARD

Y. W. C. A.; History Club; Women's League; Senior Class Play.

History

EFFIE MOTEN IRVINE

Treas. Sr. Class.; Y. W. C. A.; Wom. League; Supt. Camp Sun. Sch.; Debate. Club; Dram. Club; Alpha Kappa Alpha.

English, Education



HERBERT A. JACKSON

Track; History Club; Chrmn. Annual Staff.

History, Education

HAROLD JACOBS

Pres. Co-op. Club '34-'35; History Club; V.-Pres. Kappa Alpha Psi '34-'35.

Economics



LAURENZA S. JOHNSON

Reporter Sr. Class; History Club; Annual Staff; Women's League; Delta Sigma Theta.

English

Follow The Seniors

MR. GEORGE ALBERT BUCKNER:

My ambition is to become so proficient and original in mathematics as to earn respect as an authority in my specialty. After receiving my degree from Lincoln University I plan advanced study at University of Chicago.

MISS MINEOLA ISABELLA BRISCOE:

After receiving my B. S. degree from Lincoln University I hope to pursue further studies in home economics at Iowa State University. My particular interest is child development.

MISS JUANITA PORTER:

I intend to continue my study of music. At an early date I hope to do graduate work in education at the University of Iowa. At present my greatest hope lies in securing a good teaching position either in elementary school or in high school.

MISS LIZZIE MAE GEARIN:

My greatest ambition is to render some valuable service in the field of Negro history. I intend to teach social studies on the secondary level. As avocations I am interested in art and music. I hope to do graduate work at Iowa State University and Columbia University.

MISS RUTH HARRIS:

My greatest ambition is to render some great service to my race. I should like to attend Iowa State University for graduate work in history. I intend to teach in grade school or in high school.

MISS LAURENZA SUZANNE JOHNSON:

My greatest ambition is to secure a good and steady position as teacher in an elementary or high school. I should like to continue my study in either English, history, or foreign languages at the University of California.

MISS EVANGELINE L. WOOD:

My greatest ambition is to be an executive in the Department of Labor of the United States for the primary purpose of bettering the economic status of the working Negro. I intend to continue my studies at Columbia University. I desire to teach economics or sociology as a second choice.

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TRANDAILER D. JONES

Senior Class Play Staff; Home Econ. Club; History Club; Alpha Kappa Alpha.

Home Economics



EDWARD WATSON KEENE

Dramatic Club; Economics Club; History Club; Tennis Club; Y. M. C. A. '32; Sphinx Club.

Economics

CLAUDIA STEIN KNOWLES

Biology Club; History Club; Women's League; Y. W. C. A.; Annual Staff; Pyramid Club.

Biology, Education



EMMA JANE LEE

History Club; Women's League; Y. W. C. A.; Annual Staff; Pyramid Club.

History

EDNA MAE LOWE

Pres. Pep Squad; Pres. Phys. Ed. Club; Women's League Senate; History Club; Ass't. to Phys. Ed. Director; Orchestis.

English



FRANK TAYLOR LYERSON

Football; Track; Choral Society; Pres. Men's Glee Club; Y. M. C. A.; Student For.; Sec. Assoc. Ed. Annual Staff; Alpha Phi Alpha.

Biology, Education

LILLIAN McCLANNAHAN

Women's Ath. Instr., Louisiana, Mo.

Mathematics



WARDELL MCKINNEY

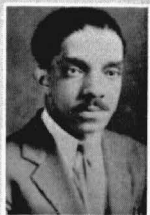
History Club; Alpha Phi Alpha.

History

MERIWETHER MARTIN

Master Mason; Instr. Louisiana, Mo.

Mathematics



EDYTHE ODRENE MAYBERRY

Dramatic Club '34-'35; Senior Class Play.

English

EVELYN MAYFIELD

Pres. H. Ec. Club; Women's League Senate; Student Forum; Annual Staff; Library Assistant; Pres. Delta Sigma Theta.

Home Economics



JAMES L. MERRITT

Senior Class Play; Math. Club; Bus. Mgr. Clarion; Ed.-in-Chief Ann. Staff; Stud. For.; Polemarch Kappa Alpha Psi '34-'35; B. T. O. C.

Mathematics

NORVAL PARKER

Basket Ball '34-'35; Football '33-'34; Tennis '33-'34-'35; Chr. Sr. Plan. Com.

English



JUANITA PORTER

Home Econ. Club; Women's League; Senior Class Play Staff; Alpha Kappa Alpha.

English, Education

Follow The Seniors

MISS ELMA BINETTE WADE:

My ambition is to become a librarian without giving up marriage. After receiving my degree from Lincoln, I intend to matriculate for library science in Hampton Institute or Columbia University. I do not care for teaching, but if it becomes necessary I prefer the secondary level in English or mathematics. Traveling is my hobby.

MR. ANDREW EDWARD HAWKINS:

After receiving my degree from Lincoln University I intend to teach for a few years. I would, then, like to do graduate work in business administration at the University of Michigan. My ultimate aim is to investigate problems of the Negro wage-earner for the U. S. Department of Labor.

MISS DOROTHY HARMON:

After receiving my A. B. degree from Lincoln I desire to teach mathematics in high school and do graduate work at the University of Chicago or at Northwestern University during the summers.

MISS LILLIAN LOUISE WADE:

My greatest ambition is to become a distinguished soprano. On leaving Lincoln I expect to enter a school of music in New York or Ohio; however, should this dream fail to materialize I should like to teach mathematics in a reputable secondary school.

MISS EDYTHE ODBRENE MAYBERRY:

My greatest ambition is to become the Head of the English Department in Howard, Fisk or some Negro college where I can serve my race by instructing its youth. Upon receiving a degree from Lincoln, I would like first to teach English on the secondary level. Failing this, I will matriculate in the University of Illinois or in the University of California to work on my master's degree in English, probably in grammar rather than in literature.

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LEE A. SCALES

Y. M. C. A.; Choral Soc.; Senior
Class Play Staff; Alpha Phi Alpha.

English



U. S. G. TAYES

Y. M. C. A.; Art Guild.

History



CARMEN A. TURNER

Choral Soc.; Annual Staff; H. Ec.
Club; Y. W. C. A.; Fin. Sec. Sr.
Class; Women's League; Alpha
Kappa Alpha.

Home Economics



CLARENCE TURPIN

Instr. Canton, Mo.; Kappa Alpha
Psi.

Mathematics



LILLIAN LOUISE WADE

Choral Soc.; Dram. Club; Sec. Art
Guild; Hist. Club; Orch. Soloist;
Wom. League; Ann. Staff; Math.
Club; Alpha Kappa Alpha.

Mathematics



HERBERT A. STAFFORD

Y. M. C. A.; Dramatic Club; Alpha
Phi Alpha.

English



ARTHUR ODELL THURMAN

Choral Soc.; Pres. Hist. Club; Senior
Class Play; V.-Pres. Alpha Phi
Alpha.

History



EMMA MAE TURNER

Math. Club.; Annual Staff; Rec.
Sec. Sr. Class; Women's League; Sr.
Class Play Staff; Treasurer Delta
Sigma Theta.

Mathematics



ELMA BINETTE WADE

Y. W. C. A.; Wom. League; Wom.
Ath.; Choral Soc.; Annual Staff;
Sr. Class Play.

English



EVANGELINE WOOD

Choral Soc.; Dram. Club; Wom.
Ath.; Co-op. Club; Y. W. C. A.;
Sr. Class Play; Annual Staff; Delta
Sigma Theta.

Economics



JOHN WOODSON

Co-op. Club; Dram. Club; Scroller
Club.

Economics

J U N I O R S

Junior Comments

THE class of '37, like all other classes, was compelled to go through the usual Freshman initiation on entering the University in 1933. After a brief spell of school work and the making of acquaintances, the class organized under the supervision of the then Junior Class. Under the leadership of Miss Gertrude Whitley the class, though large—having an enrollment of 101—began its constructive work. From the Freshman class came Lincoln's representatives in debate with Cambridge University, England, and, to say the least, almost all of the members of the Varsity team were Freshmen.

The following year, under the leadership of Mr. William Franklin of Pittsburgh, the class sponsored many useful projects, taking part in many activities on and off the campus.

Back to school for the third year the members of the class elected Miss Minetti White President and chose as adviser Mrs. Vivian K. Cameron. Up to the present time the class has had each year a representative group on the honor roll. As well as being active otherwise, this class has been active socially. On March 13, 1936, the Juniors entertained with a "Prom" in honor of the Seniors. This affair was regarded by all who attended as being the most unique affair of its kind presented on the campus.

OFFICERS

MINETTI WHITE	<i>President</i>
ARTHUR BOOTH	<i>Vice-President</i>
V'ESSER KING	<i>Secretary</i>
WILLIAM FRANKLIN	<i>Treasurer</i>
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R. PHILLIPS
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SPIGENER
STARK
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M. WASHINGTON
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M. WHITE
H. WILLIAMS

STITH
J. WILLIAMS
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A. YOUNG
KING

LOVELESS
MORSE
ELLIS
KINCAIDE
K. MOORE
TALLEY



Follow the Seniors

MR. LEE ANDREW SCALES:

My greatest ambition is to become an educator. I wish to do graduate work in education at Columbia University, although I intend to teach English.

MR. DAVID WESLEY GEARIN:

My greatest ambition is to become a political commentator. After I leave Lincoln, I may teach social sciences, but I would rather enter politics in the Saint Louis area. I should like to do graduate work in political science at Columbia University or at the University of Minnesota.

MISS CARMEN AMELIA TURNER:

I am keenly interested in demonstrative home economics, my choice of a graduate school being the University of Minnesota. I hope to travel as a demonstrator of certain phases of home economics.

MISS EVELYN MAYFIELD:

I desire a career as dress designer and teacher of clothing and textiles on the junior high school level. I wish to pursue graduate work in clothing at Columbia University.

MR. ALLEN PERCY CHINN:

I hope to enter the field of civil engineering. After finishing Lincoln I wish to complete requirements for the master's degree in mathematics at the University of Iowa, and then study engineering. It is then my desire to practice my profession either in Asia, South America, or Africa.

MISS IDA LEE BUSCH:

After finishing Lincoln University I intend to teach home economics, preferably on the high school level. I wish to pursue graduate work in nutrition at either the University of Chicago or the University of Southern California.

MR. FRANK TAYLOR LYERSON:

My ambition is to become an efficient Professor of Biology in some good college. After receiving a degree from Lincoln University, I hope to matriculate in Iowa State University for graduate work in biology. I desire to travel in connection with my work.

MR. THERON ALFRED MANSEFIELD JABLONSKI CATLIN:

My greatest ambition is to gain such preeminence in economics that my work and opinions will command international repute. After receiving my A. B. degree I plan to teach and do graduate work in economics at the University of Michigan. I intend to further my economic education through travel in Russia and South America.

SOPHOMORES

Sophomore Notes

DURING the past year, the contributions of the sophomore class to the progress of our campus life, although few, were undoubtedly significant. As a whole, the class exhibited a splendid spirit of co-operation toward the administration and student body at large; it pledged its efforts to the publication of THE COLLEGIAN and made a conspicuous showing in intramural athletics. The class also sponsored a program for the annual Homecoming Stunt Show. This program, which revealed in no small manner the joviality of the class, brought roars of laughter and applause from the audience. . . . If the activities of the class were summed up in one word, that word would be HELPFUL; if the nature of the class were epitomized, JOVIAL would be most fitting.

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F R E S H M E N

The Freshman Class

ON Friday, September 13, 1935, the class of '39 began to arrive on the campus from all sections of the United States. After being heartily welcomed by the administration and student body, the freshmen, in keeping with the Lincoln tradition, suffered a humiliating freshman initiation week, which ended with a variety program featuring some of the talented members of the class.

The organization of the class resulted in the election of Catherine Mauldin, president; Arthur Randolph, vice-president; Cynthia Bolt, secretary; Herman Plummer, treasurer; and Leonard McConnell, reporter.

It was not long before the members of the class became adjusted to their new environment. Many members have gained prominence in various activities, among them being Mila Lewis and Frances Redd, selected as attendants to "Miss Homecoming"; Ross Pearley, football and track star; Richard Turfley, Lindsay Strothers, and Morris Fountain, basket ball stars; Eugene Bradley and Herman Plummer, active in intramural sports. In dramatics Lindsay Strothers, Zadel Collins, Catherine Mauldin and others displayed unusual talent. Juanita Kidd was victorious in the popularity contest for the title of "Miss Lincoln of 1936." Freshmen served as leaders of pledge clubs, James Solomon being president of the Scroller Club; Guinevere Guy, president of the Ivy Leaf Club; Catherine Mauldin, president of the Pyramid Club; and Constance Simms, vice-president of the Ivy Leaf Club. Colette Logan was elected freshman representative to the Student Council. Thomas Goodson was selected as the outstanding member of the band and orchestra.

On February 2, 1936, death took from our fold Otis Smith, of Gary, Indiana. The class sincerely mourns his passing.

The second semester brought to us a number of new students, compensating for those lost at the end of the first semester.

Thus the class has spent a successful year at Lincoln, safely guided and counseled by our sponsor, Mr. N. P. Barksdale.

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BASKETT
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C. JONES
KIDD
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MAULDIN
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H. MITCHELL
C. MOORE
E. MOORE

MONTJOY
MOSELEY
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OSBORN
OWENS
ROSS PEARLEY





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REID
SAUNDERS
SATTERFIELD
SCOTT



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A. SMITH
B. SMITH
SOLOMON



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T. SUDDUTH
O. TAYLOR
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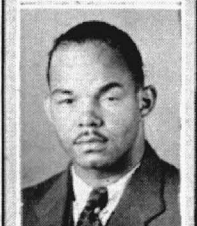
FROM the multitudes, leaders inevitably rise. . . . From the fields of service bloom those who labor most. Within our student body, those who stand out from the crowd in the positive light are those who have manifested a benevolent will toward the success, the development, and the glorification of our college—those who, in participating in campus life, have achieved, and have added significance to their activities and laurels of popularity to their names. For the magnitude of their service, the personality of their achievements and the eminence of their inherent qualities, the following two pages acclaim the personages thereon as the chartered members of the B. T. O. C. (Big Ten On Campus.)

It is not the intent of the B. T. O. C. selections to bestow unmerited honor upon these individuals. Their accomplishments, leadership and services have won for them this high place of recognition.

Service . . . Scholarship . . .



MINEOLA BRISCOE . . . her slow smile and conservative manner are attractions in themselves . . . Student Council president . . . dignity . . . amiability . . . Alpha Kappa Alpha . . . senior.



GEORGE "SULLY" BUCKNER . . . All-American tackle . . . Captain 1935-36 football team . . . basket ball star . . . popularity with the general run of the campus has not gone to his head . . . senior.



ERMA CANNON . . . who has never let an unusually active extra-curricular life interfere with her ability to make good grades . . . poise . . . insight . . . sagacity . . . one of those dependable people who is certain to do well whatever she undertakes . . . Alpha Kappa Alpha . . . senior.



THERON A. M. J. CATLIN . . . yes, that's his name . . . seniors call him "pres" . . . loves to argue, especially with "B. T." . . . wanted to major in every department . . . can't quite understand these "modern" women . . . prefers a girl with sense . . . conservative . . . reticent . . . dreamer . . . thinker . . . and, oh yes, Omega Psi Phi.



HOUSTON CHANDLER . . . Adonis of the gridiron . . . he runs, yet the folks (women) run after him . . . "Keg" is an artist, an athlete . . . and in spite of this, he's a good fellow . . . Alpha Phi Alpha . . . football Captain-elect . . . senior.

. . . Achievement . . . Leadership

WILLIAM FRANKLIN he's from the east an unassuming young man, who manages to attract your notice as he pursues his way he seems to get what he wants without making a loud noise about it just can't be satisfied with one girl friend Alpha Phi Alpha junior.

FLORA FREEMAN loyal? Oh my! yes she is a part of Lincoln scholar leader friendliness personified exuberance "sweetheart of senior class" ability oh! why try to describe her you'd love to meet her her disposition has made her many a friend Delta Sigma Theta senior.

AUGUSTUS LOW orator satirist athlete now, there is a good man in the sophomore class brains virility he may get lazy, but as you would say "he's the right sort of folks, mister" Alpha Phi Alpha sophomore.

JAMES MERRITT editor guided the destiny of the Collegian works for his living, yet an honor student if you don't know him you'd like him if you did gentleman executive Kappa Alpha Psi senior.

MINETTI WHITE executive insight discernment graciousness above all, a lady it may be hard to do, but you must try to know her intimately Alpha Kappa Alpha junior.



The Lincoln University Laboratory High School



THE SENIOR CLASS



THE JUNIOR CLASS



THE SOPHOMORE CLASS



THE FRESHMAN CLASS

The Laboratory High School Activities

THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Standing, left to right—I. ALLEN, E. WARREN,
Principal S. J. REEDY, D. FULTON, R. COBB

Sitting—C. MARTIN, President; J. N. NICKENS, I.
GORDON



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HEMMINGWAY, President; M. SYDNOR



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M. WILSON, E. PEGUES, W. SHAW, G. REED,
D. CROSS



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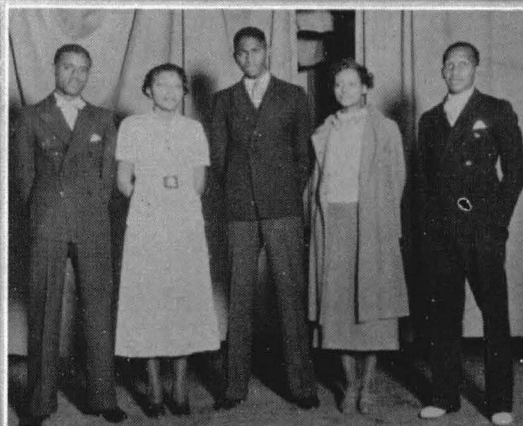
The Annual Staff

THE Staff of *The 1936 Collegian* was selected by the senior class from the student body at large on the basis of capability and industry. The Staff in turn elected its editorial staff and managers, who were permitted to draw upon the student body for additional staff members.

The Art Staff was responsible for outlining the “dummy,” designing the motifs, arranging the pictures and preparing the photographs for the engraver. This work was principally done by the Art Editor and by Houston Chandler, his first assistant.

The Business Staff attended to such details as securing quotations, canvassing for subscriptions and for advertisements, and letting contracts. Special mention must be made of the work of the Business Manager and the following members of

The Annual Staff



*The Literary Staff
The Business Staff*

*The Art Staff
The Sports Staff*

the Staff: Earl Nance, Helen Williams, David Gearin, John Thomas Brown, Jr., Emma Mae Turner, Ruby McClendon and Binette Wade.

The Literary Staff collected and compiled all "copy," eliminating that unsuited for publication and revising where necessary. On the whole, this staff functioned wholeheartedly and well. Certain individuals, however, deserve particular praise, namely, the Literary Editor and the following Staff members: Ida Lee Busch, Andrew Darton, Shelby Freeman, Paul Herrera, and Augustus Low. The Staff regrets that space did not permit the publication of much of the excellent material submitted.

The Sports Staff reviewed the athletic events of the year in a critical light. Most of the credit for the work of this department belongs to Alphonso Lynch, Charles Madison and John B. Williams.



As a means of raising funds for the Collegian, the staff sponsored a "Miss Lincoln University" contest. Six charming (irresistable is a better word) young ladies sold Collegian votes.

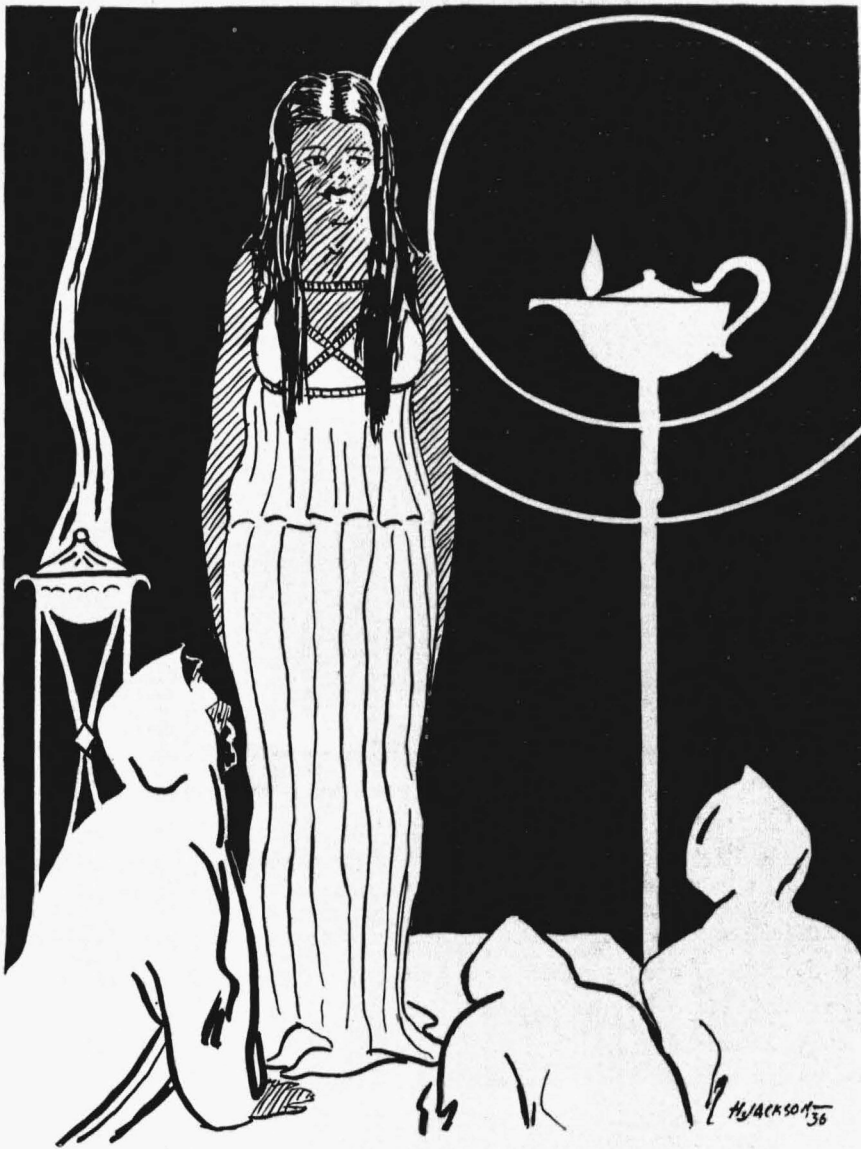
Interest in the contest boomed high — the competition was keen. Even the optimistic staff members (to say nothing of the skeptical seniors), were surprised when the results were known. The contest went over the top.

On April 15, Miss Juanita Kidd, freshman and beautiful, was crowned "Miss Lincoln University." Miss Evangeline Wood, an exotic senior, ran a very close second, yet was only an inch ahead of Miss Clara Pierce, the fascinating sophomore.



Much credit is due these young ladies for their contribution and to Miss Helen Williams, who very efficiently supervised and managed the contest. To these young ladies and to those who supported them, the staff tenders its highest appreciation.

Left to right—LUCILLE IRVING, CLARA PIERCE, JUANITA KIDD (the winner), EVANGELINE WOOD, MARGARET CANNON, EDYTHE MAYBERRY



ORGANIZATIONS and ACTIVITIES

Student Council



C. LOGAN, M. HALL, W. FRANKLIN, M. BRISCOE, T. CATLIN, F. FREEMAN, L. STARK

THE Student Council was organized in the spring of 1934. The purpose of the organization is "to provide a central agency which will promote the interests of the student body, seek to develop a more wholesome relation between the administration and the student body, perpetuate the worthwhile traditions initiated by the school, focus public attention on the ability of youth to solve their own problems, and encourage the participation of all students in those activities which properly belong to them."

During the current year the Student Council inaugurated various projects, all of which had as their primary aim the betterment of campus conditions. Greater co-ordination was achieved between the administration and the student body through a series of conferences with administrative officers and with the Student Forum.

The Student Council consists of three Seniors, two Juniors, one Sophomore and one Freshman.

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THERON CATLIN
FLORA FREEMAN

COLETTE LOGAN
LEE DANIEL STARK

The Student Forum

THE Student Forum, an informal organization conceived in 1935 by the Student Council as a means of reaching the student body more effectively, is composed of the members of the Student Council and the heads of all of the student organizations on the campus. Whenever the Student Council wishes to put over a particular project, or learn student sentiment, the Student Forum is formally summoned to a conference to discuss the matter. The Forum members then carry back to their respective organizations the ideas agreed upon by the group. Many worthwhile projects have thus been carried through successfully.

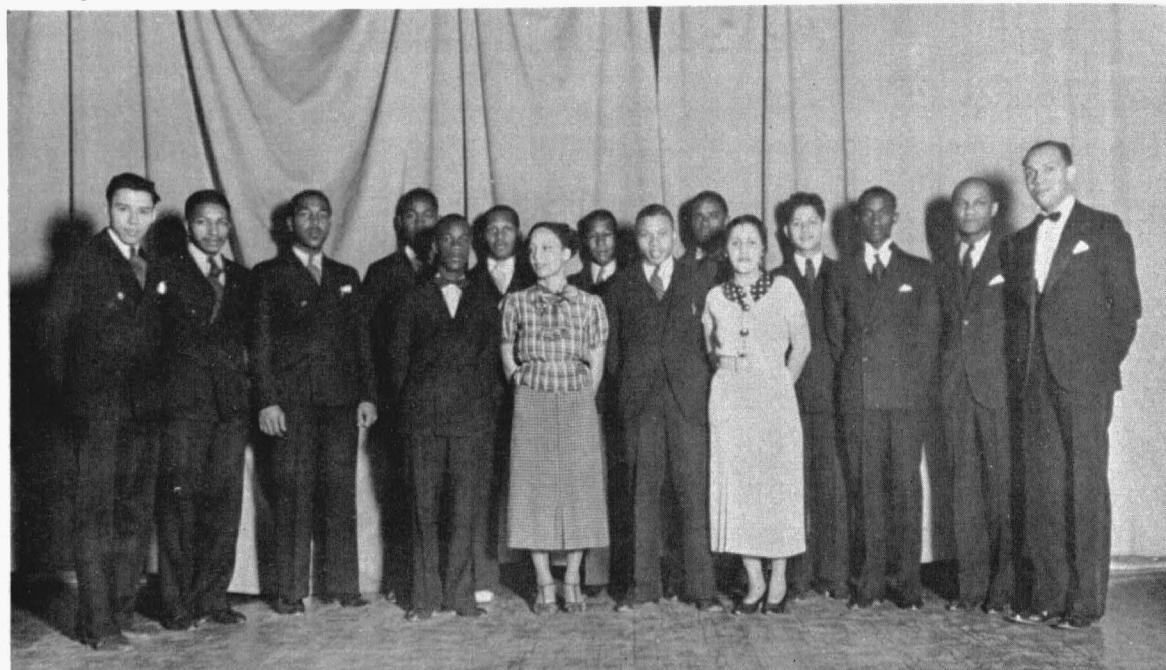
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CHARLES MADISON
CATHERINE MAULDIN
EVELYN MAYFIELD
JAMES L. MERRITT
COLETTE LOGAN
LEE DANIEL STARK
ARTHUR O. THURMAN
MINETTI WHITE

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The Clarion Staff

THE Lincoln Clarion, a student publication of the University, was founded April 26, 1932, by the Scroller Club of Alpha Mu Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. It is published semi-monthly by the students of Lincoln University.

The purpose of the Lincoln Clarion is to stimulate and serve as an organ of intelligent student opinion; to establish high standards of conduct, scholarship, and sportsmanship; to encourage greater interest and participation in all school activities; and to promote stronger co-operation between the students, administration and alumni.

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Women's League

THE Women's League was organized late in the school year 1934-35 under the sponsorship of Miss Helen C. Harris, then Dean of Women. Most of that year was spent in organizing, drawing up a constitution and becoming adjusted. In 1935-36 we were ready for work under the sponsorship of Dean Vivian Cameron and the leadership of able officers. Each woman of the University is a member of the Women's League. The Senate, composed of the officers of the League, the highest woman official of each class, and the president of each woman's club, is the governing body.

Although a comparatively new organization on the campus, the Women's League is rapidly growing in influence. Notable among our activities for the current year was the presentation of Mrs. Cook of Kansas City, Missouri, in special conferences. A tea held in her honor was one of the most beautiful events of the season. A project of note carried on by the League was the "quiet hour," a period from 9:30 to 10:30 P. M. reserved for study in the girls' dormitories. Another worthwhile project inaugurated by the League was the Browsing Room. Although at present our activities are few, they will grow as we grow, promoting better womanhood on Lincoln University's campus.

Officers: Virginia Crockett, President; Roberta Morse, Vice-President; Cornelia Strawn, Secretary; Edna Lowe, Assistant Secretary; V'Esser King, Treasurer.

*Left to right—*R. MORSE, E. CANNON, E. LOWE, K. MILLER, C. MAULDIN, V. CROCKETT, E. MAYFIELD, M. WHITE, M. BRISCOE, C. STRAWN, F. FREEMAN





Young Women's Christian Association

THE Y. W. C. A. offers to the woman of Lincoln University an opportunity for practical religious fellowship through discussion groups; opportunities for self-expression and cultivation of her best self through the charm school; it helps her to acquire a broader conception of her classmates.

The activities, during 1935-36, included a Freshman-Get-Together, a Halloween Masquerade, going on hikes, sending delegates to conferences, conducting recognition services, Charm Schools, and discussion groups. The Y. W. C. A. has also contributed to the Lincoln University Student Loan Fund.

Officers: Erma Cannon, President; V'Esser King, Vice-President; Dayse Murphy, Secretary; Sarah Agnew, Assistant Secretary; Clotine Sloan, Treasurer; Gladys Wilson, Worship Committee; Catherine Mauldin, Social Committee; Velma Taylor, Program Committee; Cornelia Strawn, Interest Committee; Mrs. V. K. Cameron, Sponsor.

Young Men's Christian Association

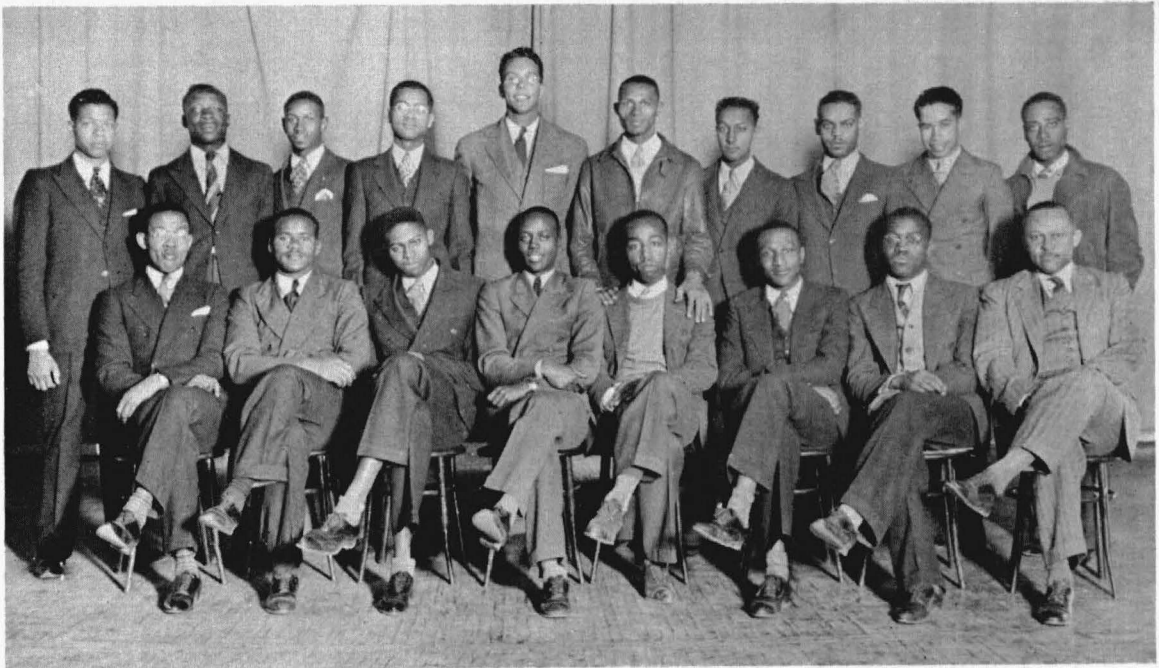
THE Y. M. C. A. is "a fellowship of students, who, in seeking the meaning of life, are captivated by Jesus and His understanding of God and man and are committed to comprehending and following its implication in personal and social living."

In 1869 eleven students of Howard University, Washington, D. C., organized the first Negro Student Y. M. C. A. At the present time a Student Association may be found at all of the leading colleges. The Y. M. C. A. is inter-collegiate, interdenominational, and interracial in its fellowship.

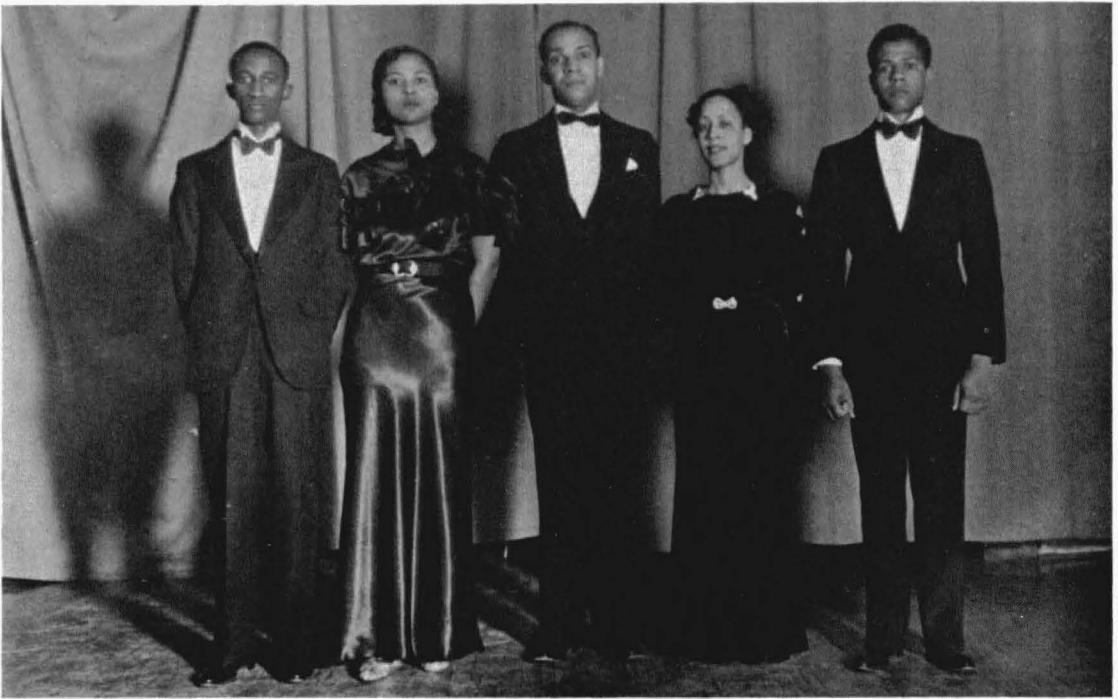
The Lincoln University Y. M. C. A. has been extremely active throughout the year. Contributions have been made to the budget of the Regional Secretary. Delegates were sent to the Fall Officers Training Conference held at the Missouri Bible School, Columbia, Missouri. Hikes and retreats have been held at which discussions, centering around the message and purpose of the Christian Association and the choice of vocations, were conducted. A number of "round table discussions" on live topics were held. Delegates were sent to the State Conference of Students Christian Associations held at Longview Farm, May 2-5.

Officers: David W. Gearin, President; John DeShields, Vice-President; Alphonso Lynch, Secretary; Shelby Freeman, Treasurer; James C. McMorries, Adviser.

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*Front row—*P. KINCAID, F. CLARK, A. LYNCH, D. GEARIN, L. NICHOLSON, W. FRANKLIN, T. CATLIN, J. McMORRIES



Tau Sigma Rho



A. DARTON, M. WHITE, T. FLETCHER, H. WILLIAMS, K. MOORE

A REVIVAL of interest in debating at this institution occurred three years ago when Lincoln University, on November 16, 1933, debated a team from Cambridge University, England. Since that date each year has seen more students turning to debating as an intellectual extra-curricular activity.

In the spring of 1935, under the direction of Mr. T. Thomas Fletcher, Tau Sigma Rho debating society was organized for the purpose of stimulating and fostering greater interest in this activity.

Prior to 1934 interest in debating was confined almost wholly to men, but Miss Minetti White that year made the team and since that time has participated in several major debates. Her success has encouraged other young women to aspire to participation in inter-collegiate debating.

This year three new members are added to the debating squad in the persons of Miss Helen Williams, Mr. Kenneth Moore, and Mr. Edwill Massey, all of whom have a major debate to their credit.

The Tau Sigma Rho Debating Key is awarded only to those students who have completed the regular course in Argumentation and Debating, and have participated in three major debates. In June, 1935, Gold Keys were awarded to the following charter members: Minetti White, President of Tau Sigma Rho; Andrew Darton, Jr., Secretary; Joe Neal Moore; Charles Atchison; and Arthur Ellis.

Members of Tau Sigma Rho Debating Society are frequently called upon to act as judges in class debates and speaking contests.

The R. Nathaniel Dett Choral Society

THE R. Nathaniel Dett Music Club, organized in 1927, was named after a former Director of Music of Lincoln University who served in this capacity from 1915 to 1918. The purpose of the organization is to foster a higher appreciation of music and culture in the student body. The club has presented from time to time, many outstanding music supervisors of both races who have given vivid sketches of the great music composers, addresses on harmony and counterpoint, and on the need of a well-rounded music program in our curriculum. Out of this club grew the Choral Society which is the pride of Lincoln University. Under the supervision of Miss Marie Hilda Ford, Director of Music, the Choral Society has reached great heights. Not only is it presented each Sunday afternoon at three o'clock chapel services, but it also is presented in various recitals in neighboring cities. The two outstanding performances for the year 1936 were the recital given in St. Louis during the Missouri Association of Colored Teachers, and the Christmas cantata, *Bethlehem*, by Maundra.

Aside from the Choral Society there are the mixed quartet, male quartet and women's trio, all of which make appearances outside of the city.

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CORNELIA STRAWN	<i>Treasurer</i>

Lambda Upsilon Mu



LAMBDA UPSILON MU, the Greek Letter Society for the sponsoring of the activities of the Band and Orchestra, was organized January 5, 1935, by the members of the Band and Orchestra. Membership in this society is open to all persons definitely interested in supporting music of this type.

The society sponsors appearances of the Band and Orchestra and instrumental ensembles, and provides for the student an opportunity to engage in the management of programs, musical projects and entertainments. Lambda Upsilon Mu is one of the largest organizations on the campus.

OFFICERS

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GUINIVERE GUY	Vice-President
MAURINE SMITH	Secretary
DAVIS MCCARROLL	Treasurer
JAMES B. PARSONS	Sponsor

The Orchestra

THE Lincoln University Symphony Orchestra, composed of forty-three pieces, was organized in November, 1934. Besides maintaining on the campus a source of the kind of music that should culturally color the background of all students, the organization offers the musicians an opportunity for study and expression in instrumental ensemble and serves as a pit orchestra for plays and musical programs. Most of the instruments are owned by the college, although some are furnished by the musicians themselves, or the conductor.

The orchestra was presented in concert engagements both on and off the campus during the months of February and April in 1936. Medals were awarded in May.

OFFICERS

JAMES B. PARSONS	<i>Director</i>
THOMAS GOODSON	<i>Student Assistant</i>
HAROLD BELUE	<i>Concert Master</i>



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority



Left to right—FLORA FREEMAN, EMMA MAE TURNER, ELIZABETH YARBOUGH, EVANGELINE WOOD, FRANCES STITH, STELLA MOSS, ELOISE JACKSON, JEWEL JONES, EVELYN MAYFIELD, LORENSIEUR WILLIAMS

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY was organized at Howard University, Washington, D. C., in January, 1913, as the result of unanimous action of the active membership to reorganize a local Greek letter society which antedated Delta by five years. Permanent scholarship funds are maintained for study in America and abroad. An Educational May Week is sponsored annually for the purpose of bringing to students in secondary schools and colleges a realization of the value of higher education and to the women students incentive to strive for finer womanhood.

Alpha Theta Chapter was organized on Lincoln University campus in March, 1930, with Rowena Muckleroy Savage of Nu Sigma Chapter as sponsor. The charter members were Ruth Allen, Marinda Ferguson, Melzetta Frost, Wilhelmina Harrison, Henrietta Pearley, Frances Randall, Mary Louise Ray, Elizabeth Ross, and Clementine Sexton. The Delta Sigma Theta Patroness Club provides an annual scholarship of fifty dollars awarded to a worthy woman student of Lincoln University. Alpha Theta's activities for the current school year included a tea in honor of new women students, the Jabberwock, the Spring Prom, the Regional Conference, and Educational May Week.

Officers: Evelyn Mayfield, President; Flora Freeman, Vice-President and Dean of Pledges; Stella Marie Moss, Secretary; Emma Mae Turner, Treasurer; Frances Stith, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Sponsors: Rowena Muckleroy Savage and Margaret E. Burns.

New Members: Cassandra Bradley, Laurenza Johnson, V'Esser King, Mila Lewis, Catherine Mauldin, Olivia Merriwether, Vera Wright.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority

ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA is the oldest sorority among Negro women. It was organized in 1908 at Howard University by Soror Ethel Hedgeman Lyle. It is a large and growing organization, with many chapters organized each year.

Alpha Iota Chapter was organized on the campus of Lincoln University on February 13, 1930, with seven charter members. As one of the features of the Orientation Program at the beginning of each year, Alpha Iota entertains the freshmen and new students with a "Tea." Another one of the annual activities of Alpha Iota is the "Vocational Guidance Program." Each year Alpha Iota attempts to further one of its major ideals of scholarly attainment by awarding a scholarship to the young woman graduating with highest honors from Lincoln University High School.

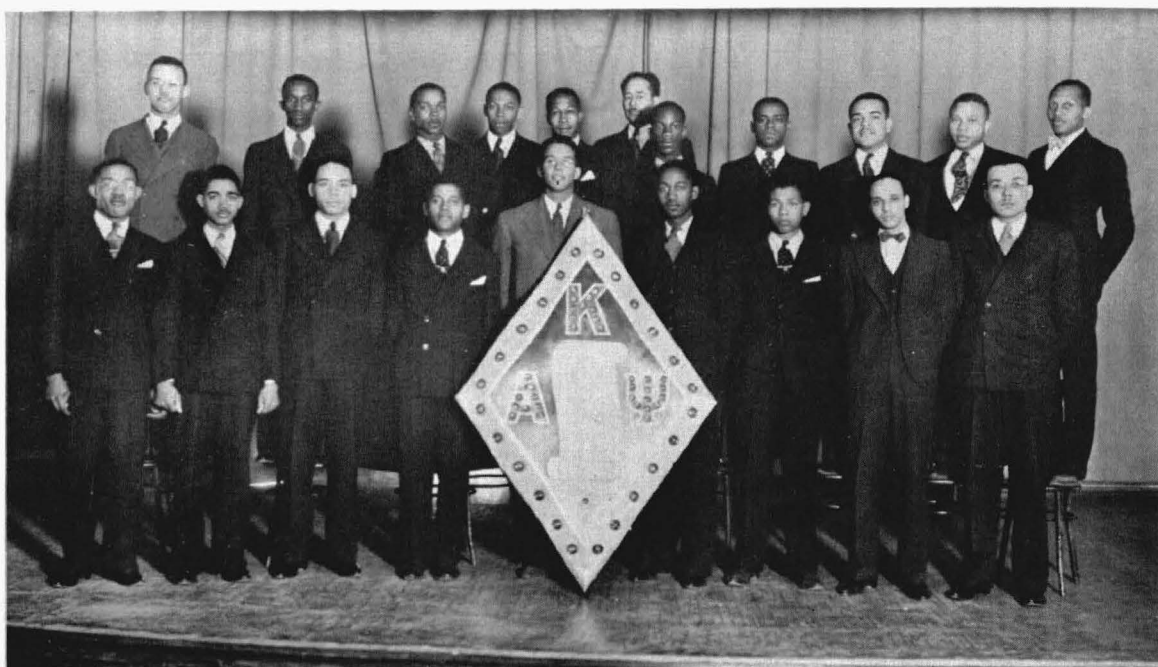
1935-36 finds the chapter still holding its own. It superceded all other Greek letter organizations on the campus in scholarship with its 13 members making an average of 2.112. Keeping the purpose of Alpha Kappa Alpha before us has enabled us to grow in spirit, in number, in human interest and in scholarly attainments. Miss A. E. Martin is Advisor.

Officers and Members: Sorors Virginia Crockett, Basileus; Mineola Briscoe, Anti-Basileus; Erma Cannon, Grammateus; Minetti White, Epistoleus; Grace Collins, Tamiochus; Margaret Goble, Hadgogeos; Trandalier Jones, Carmen Turner, Roberta Morse, Effie Irvine, Kathleen Miller, Cornelia Strawn, Ida Lee Busch, and Myrtle Livingston.

Left to right—T. JONES, R. MORSE, E. CANNON, G. COLLINS, E. IRVINE, M. BRISCOE, V. CROCKETT, K. MILLER, M. WHITE, M. GOBLE, M. LIVINGSTON, C. STRAWN, C. TURNER, I. BUSCH. Inset—A. E. MARTIN



Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity



Back row—M. HARDIMAN, A. DARTON, A. HAWKINS, M. TAYLOR, W. WEDDLE, A. HAMMONS, J. WHITE, M. WASHINGTON, D. MARTIN, J. MERRITT, C. MADISON

Front row—P. KINCAIDE, A. BOOTH, R. TAYLOR, L. STARK, A. PIPER, A. ROSE, K. MOORE, P. INGRAM, S. REEDY
Not on picture—O. AUSTIN, R. SIMMONS

KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY was founded at Indiana University January 5, 1911. There are now forty-six undergraduate and thirty-two graduate chapters of the fraternity. Its founders were Elder W. Diggs, Byron K. Armstrong, John M. Lee, Ezra D. Alexander, Guy L. Grant, Paul W. Caine, Henry T. Asher, Marcus P. Blackmore, George W. Edmunds, and Edward G. Irvin. It numbers among its outstanding members Robert S. Abbott, A. A. Alexander, J. J. Peters, Rufus Clement, Armand W. Scott, J. E. Allen, Reverdy C. Ransom, Joseph Gomez, James Lunceford, Elmer L. Collins and Henry F. Kelly. The purpose of the fraternity is to sponsor achievement in scholarship and fraternity among college men. It accomplishes this aim through the Guide Right Movement, its various scholarship funds and many other activities.

Alpha Mu Chapter was founded at Lincoln University January 30, 1932. Its charter members were Milton L. Thomas, Ellis T. Moore, Baker D. Turpin, Roy A. Woods, A. L. Hammons, Sidney Woods, A. S. Washington, Azzie L. Campbell, and Joseph Barnes. In addition to this charter group, thirty-five others have been accepted into membership. This chapter participates in all the activities sponsored by the Grand Chapter.

Officers: Lee D. Stark, Polemarch; Alvin Rose, Vice-Polemarch; Robert Taylor, Keeper of Records; Arthur Booth, Keeper of Exchequer; Dallas Martin, Strategus; August Piper, Assistant Strategus; Andrew Darton, Historian; Preston Ingram, Reporter.

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity

ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY was founded on October 23, 1906, at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. The fraternity now includes many chapters located in important centers throughout the country and maintains scholarship and fellowship funds for undergraduate and graduate study and research.

Since the chartering of Alpha Psi Chapter in 1930, the educational pioneering of its members has been salient and significant. Brother Lloyd L. Gaines applied for admission to the Law School of the University of Missouri, thus endeavoring to broaden the educational opportunities for Negro youth of Missouri. Brother Frank T. Lyerson was selected to sing last summer at the St. Louis Municipal Opera in the production of *Show Boat*. Brother Augustus Low, the only Negro contestant in the Annual Missouri Peace Oratorical Contest of last November, tied for second place with the representative from the University of Missouri. Alpha Psi applauds and encourages the far-reaching endeavors of its members. Besides individual achievements Alpha Psi Chapter donates annually monetary awards as scholarships to worthy high school graduates who plan to enter college.

Officers: Paul Combs, President; Arthur O. Thurman, Vice-President; Robert Clark, Secretary; William E. Franklin, Assistant Secretary; Richard L. Johnson, Treasurer; James E. Loveless, Sergeant-at-Arms; Augustus Low, Editor to Sphinx.



Ivy Leaf Club



AS WE turn back the pages in the Book of Time, we find that the year 1935-36 proved to be very busy and interesting for the members of the Ivy Leaf Club of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. We feel proud to know that we succeeded in accomplishing many of the numerous projects which were presented as a part of our group work at the beginning of the school year. Each member of the Pledge Club did her utmost to measure up to those qualities for which the club stands, namely, loyalty, honor, scholarship and love.

One of the outstanding achievements was the "Snow Party," given in December, which proved to be a great success. The Ivies were overjoyed when they were awarded second prize in the Jabberwock. Each member of the club is looking forward to a promising new school year. They have vowed to come back full of new ideas and aspirations which will make a bigger and better Ivy Leaf Club. The Club bids adieu and wishes much success to their Big Sisters who will no longer be with them after this year.

Officers and Members: Juanita Porter, President; Mary Hall, Secretary; Gladaville Clark, Treasurer; Constance Simms, Reporter; Amy Corneal, Odessa Shelton, Maurine Smith, Charlene Brashier, Mary Ruth Robinson, Dayse Murphy, Ertha Turner, Ruth Page, Ruth Wheeler, Fay Tull, Ethel Rhodes, Lucile Irving, Guinivere Guy, Pauline Brown, Ila Boyd, Juanita Vivette, Ollie Lee Tutt, Gladys Wilson, Lillian Wade, and Corine Motley.

Pyramid Club

THE Pyramid Club, established on Lincoln University campus in September, 1931, is composed of young women who aspire to enter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, and who thus endeavor to uphold the highest ideals of scholarship and character. Early in the fall of the current school year the Pyramids presented a college chapel program, and in November opened the winter social season with their annual formal dance. In March the club participated in the Jabberwock, and during Educational May Week presented a high school chapel program.

The crew of the S. S. Pyramid now bid "bon voyage" to their Big Sisters who are graduating, Misses Mayfield, Turner, Wood, and Freeman, their Dean; to two of their own crew who are lost to them through graduation and initiation, Misses C. Bradley and L. Johnson, and to five of their own number whom the May initiation claimed, Misses Catherine Mauldin, their President; Mila Lewis, their Assistant Secretary; V'Esser King, their Treasurer; Olivia Merriwether, and Vera Wright. With the ideals of Delta Sigma Theta an everlasting beacon, the Pyramids sail on toward their cherished port, a berth in that beloved Sisterhood.

Officers: Lorraine Frost, Acting President; Marguerite Allen, Secretary; Clotine Sloan, Acting Treasurer; Colette Logan, Reporter.

Members not on picture—CYNTHIA BOLT, THELMA CARLINE, ELVA CLARK, VIVIAN JENNINGS, JUANITA KIDD, RUTH LANGLEY, EMMA JANE LEE, RUTH MUSE, JUANITA PARKER

Left to right—T. REID, C. SLOAN, L. FROST, C. SATTERFIELD, M. JOHNSON, O. KIRKLAND, V. NEIL, H. WALLACE, V. WASHINGTON, C. LOGAN, C. MAULDIN, V. KING, C. KNOWLES, V. TAYLOR, L. JOHNSON, M. GRADY, R. HOLLINS, E. JASON, V. WRIGHT, O. MERRIWETHER, M. YORK, M. ALLEN, C. BRADLEY, M. LEWIS, P. COMBS



Sphinx Club



THE Sphinx Club was organized on Lincoln University campus in September, 1931, as the pledge club of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. The Sphinxmen have shown fine cooperation by the manner in which they do their work on the campus. They have shown school spirit by participating in the cultural and social life of the campus. A project of the club is the care of the letters "L. U." opposite the athletic field. Their performances in athletics, especially basket ball, may be attributed to such stars as "Bill" Campbell, John Booker, Morris Fountain, Richard Turfley and Lindsay Strothers. The varsity team, composed principally of Sphinxmen, proved to be one of the most outstanding teams ever produced at Lincoln University, being Mid-Western Conference winners. The Sphinxmen entertained during the fall with a formal dance. During the spring they presented their annual program in chapel and participated in the Jabberwock. Whenever the club has been able to make its members worthy of the honor of becoming Alpha men, their highest ambition, the goal of the club has been attained.

Officers: Horatio McNeil, President; Otis Lockman, Vice-President; Charles Wise, Secretary; Thomas Campbell, Treasurer; Lindsay Strothers, Sergeant-at-Arms; Robert Booker, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

Scroller Club

THE Scroller Club is composed of young men who are pledged to Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. Members, who are known as Scrollers, learn of the high ideals and standards for which the Kappa Fraternity stands. They strive to be outstanding in scholarship and in extra-curricular activities on the campus, and to uphold the lofty ideals of true manhood.

The Scroller Club was established on Lincoln University campus in February, 1932. One of the club's major accomplishments has been the founding of *The Lincoln Clarion*, the official school publication. In the fall of the current school year the Scrollers gave a formal dance. In the spring they participated in the Jabberwock, presenting an amateur radio hour. As all Scrollers look forward to the day when they, too, may become Big Brothers, they vow never to fail but to "carry on" with moral cleanliness and courage to gain everlasting fame and glory.

Officers: James D. Solomon, President; Paul Herrera, Secretary; Leonard McConnell, Assistant Secretary; Herman Plummer, Treasurer; Clovis Bordeaux, Reporter; Avery Smith, Sergeant-at-Arms; James Hulet, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; Harold Holliday, Historian.



Orchesis



Back row—C. MOTLEY, G. GUY, C. BOLT, S. MOSS, O. TUTT, E. LOWE, M. LIVINGSTON, C. BRASHIER, E. HARDING, L. IRVING, D. POLK
Front row—C. SLOAN, D. ELLIS, R. MORSE

THE first Orchesis Dance Group was formed at the University of Wisconsin several years ago. There are now a number of such groups existing in some of the leading universities and colleges throughout the country. The Chapter on Lincoln University campus, organized on January 15, 1936, is, we believe, the first to be formed in a college for Negroes. All of the groups have for their purpose the expression of feelings that arise from the God in us, Apollo, Pan, Bacchus, Aphrodite—and the implanting of a harmony that is glowing and pulsing in the lives of their members. The dance is always creative, born out of the individual or the group, out of the emotions and life of our times, or out of the inspiration given by music. Those who belong to Orchesis do not see in the dance merely a frivolous or pleasant diversion. For them, to dance is to live. They know that man's greatest riches are in his soul, his will, his imagination, his inner life. Orchesis reserves the art of dance for those finer and loftier feelings that emerge from the soul of man.

Officers: Delores Ellis, President; Lucille Irving, Secretary; Myrtle Livingston, Sponsor; Ollie Lee Tutt, Reporter.

“L” Club

THE “L” Club is an organization composed of men who have earned letters in one or more of the three major sports at Lincoln University. These men carry the “Blue and White” into all intercollegiate athletic competition. The club has played an important part in aiding the institution to carry out state-wide high school meets which are held at the university.

The “L” Club can always be depended upon to loyally support any movement which is for the best interest of the University.

The “L” Club had as its leaders during the current year Captain George “Sully” Buckner and Coach Ray Kemp. Through the year 1936-37 the group will be piloted by Captain-elect Houston “Keg” Chandler under the advisorship of Coach Kemp. The club intends to broaden its scope of activities and carry on a very definite program for the coming years.

Officers: Houston Chandler, President; Jodie Bailey, Secretary-Treasurer.

*Back row—*T. CAMPBELL, ROBT. PEARLEY, L. SHARPE, W. BROWN, H. CHANDLER, L. STROTHERS, G. BUCKNER, J. BOOKER, R. TURFLEY, A. LOW, J. DESHIELDS
*Front row—*J. WILLIAMS, J. GRAY, W. HYATT, F. WEATHERS



History Club



IN January, 1934, the present History Club was formally organized, with Mr. Lorenzo J. Greene as sponsor. The club had been dormant for some time, but was at this time revived by certain of the students who were interested. The purpose of the club was declared to be the discussion not only of history, but of any topic of current social, religious, or political interest. The membership was limited to history majors and minors and other students who evinced singular interest in history.

The History Club has been particularly active during Negro History Week, presenting prominent guest speakers, as Mr. Sterling Brown of Howard University in 1935 and Dean A. A. Taylor of Fisk University in 1936, sponsoring special chapel programs, and attempting to arouse interest in the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History. Topics discussed included *The Geography of Ethiopia*, *The Italo-Ethiopian War*, *Fascism and the Negro*, *The Political Outlook for the 1936 Presidential Campaign*, *Germany Since the World War*, and *David Walker and Harriet Tubman*.

During the current school year the club has been sponsored by Dr. W. Sherman Savage and Mr. James E. Miller, pending the return of Mr. Greene.

Officers: Arthur O. Thurman, President; Robert Clark, Vice-President; Edward H. Pate, Secretary-Treasurer.

Cartesian Oval

A GROUP of students interested in mathematics sought to revive an organization which once existed at Lincoln University known as the Cartesian Oval Club. These students wanted to re-establish this organization so that interested persons might exchange ideas and discuss those problems in which they were mutually concerned. They desired to create an atmosphere which would be conducive to the well-being of those entering this field of study.

With the assistance of the instructors in the Department of Mathematics, such reorganization was effected on March 11, 1936. The membership is composed of regular students of all classifications whose intention is to major or minor in the Department of Mathematics.

Carefully planned programs are arranged by the program committee for each meeting. These programs are designed to familiarize, or rather to acquaint students with those branches of mathematics which could not be taken up in the classroom.

The officers are as follows: Minetti White, President; Lee Daniel Stark, Vice-President; Arthur Booth, Secretary; Constance Simms, Assistant Secretary; Charles Gunnell, Reporter; Thomas H. Miles, Advisor.

This organization, beyond doubt, is and will be a vital factor in fitting its members in their respective fields of specialization.





Carver Chemistry Club

DURING the latter part of last semester the Qualitative Analysis class, under the supervision of Mr. M. D. Taylor, came together and organized what is known as the Carver Chemistry Club. The following officers were chosen: Robert Taylor, President; A. J. Lynch, Vice-President; Andrew Darton, Secretary; Ivan C. James, Treasurer; M. D. Taylor, Sponsor.

The club is strictly an organization of chemistry majors and minors who desire to make studies of certain phases of chemistry not taken up in the class room. Each individual is working upon a special phase of chemistry. The interest is well divided, for in the club are members interested in Organic Chemistry, Qualitative and Quantitative Analysis, Electro-Chemistry and Photography. The club meets every Saturday in the small lecture room at 10:30 A. M. At each meeting interesting discussions and demonstrations are held.

Chemistry is that unusual field in which you can work for ever and never accomplish all. New wonders lie ahead—perhaps we shall discover some of them.

ATHLETICS



“AN ACTIVE youth foretells a vigorous old age.” These words were uttered by Goethe, the great German poet, in the 18th century, but they are just as true today as they were then. We should look at our physical program as being just as important as our intellectual one. After all, the most ingenious mind is handicapped if it is forced to struggle along on a crippled frame.

Coaches and Captain of The "Tigers"



ATHLETIC DIRECTOR E. EPPS, COACH R. KEMP, CAPTAIN "SULLY" BUCKNER

"**P**HENOMENAL" is the word that best describes the football activities of the Lincoln University varsity football team for the 1935 season. After laboring in the "gridiron" depths since 1932, the "Tigers," under the tutelage of Coaches Ray Kemp and Eric Epps, catapulted into the lime light as the "dark horse" of the football world by defeating some of the best teams in the country. Head Coach Kemp pitted his cohorts against the Ninth Division of the U. S. Cavalry in the first game, which uncovered the nucleus of a well balanced, well conditioned Lincoln team, the score being 19-0. A "plucky" and fast Lane College team was defeated by the "Tigers" 24-0. Lincoln next trounced a powerful, experienced West Virginia eleven in a thrilling Homecoming game 14-0. The next three games were played in the rain and mud, the "Tigers" defeating Louisville Municipal College 31-0, battling Wilberforce to a 0-0 tie in St. Louis, and triumphing over Western University of Quindaro, Kansas 8-0. With six straight games without encountering defeat, an over-confident Lincoln squad took the powerful Kentucky State team too lightly, and consequently were defeated 0-24. Lincoln scored 96 points during the season against 24 for their opponents.

All season Isaiah Banks, diminutive quarterback, did a nice job of field-generalizing. Captain "Sully" Buckner, 215-pound tackle, proved to be the bulwark of the line. Jesse Gray, fullback, was a "powerhouse" in the backfield. Ross Pearley and "Bill" Campbell stood out as Lincoln's best open field runners. Robert Pearley, "Keg" Chandler, "Bullet" Hyatt, Stanton Brown, William Brown, Leon Sharpe, John DeShields, Blanchard Tomlin, and Edward Waugh, all exhibited ability of unusually high quality.

Much praise is due Coaches Kemp and Epps for the splendid results obtained by their proteges.

Some Stars of the Gridiron

GEORGE BUCKNER
Captain
Right Tackle

HOUSTON CHANDLER
Captain-elect
Center, End

THOMAS CAMPBELL
Right Half-back

ISAIAH BANKS
Quarterback

ROSS PEARLEY
Left Halfback

LEON SHARPE
Left End

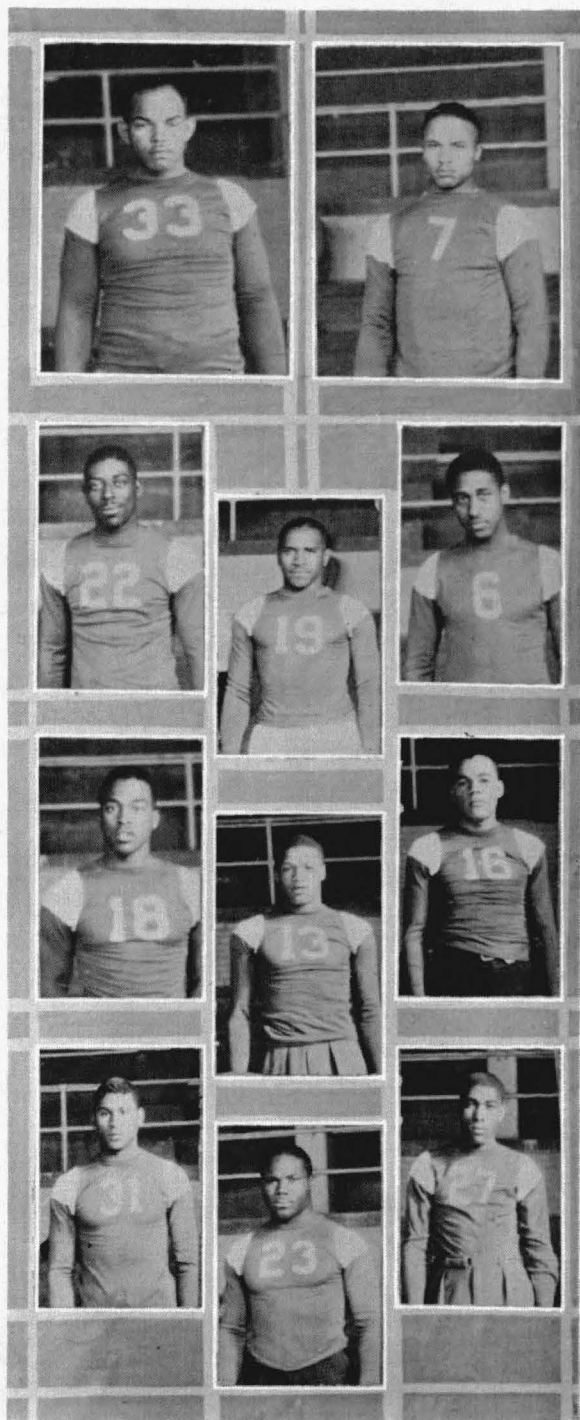
JOHN BOOKER
Right End

JOHN DESHIELDS
Right Guard

EDWARD WAUGH
Left Tackle

JESSE GRAY
Fullback

WILLIAM BROWN
Left Guard



The "Tiger" Squad



*This Space is Reserved for Autographs of Those
Famous Lincoln University "Tigers"*

Action Grid Scenes

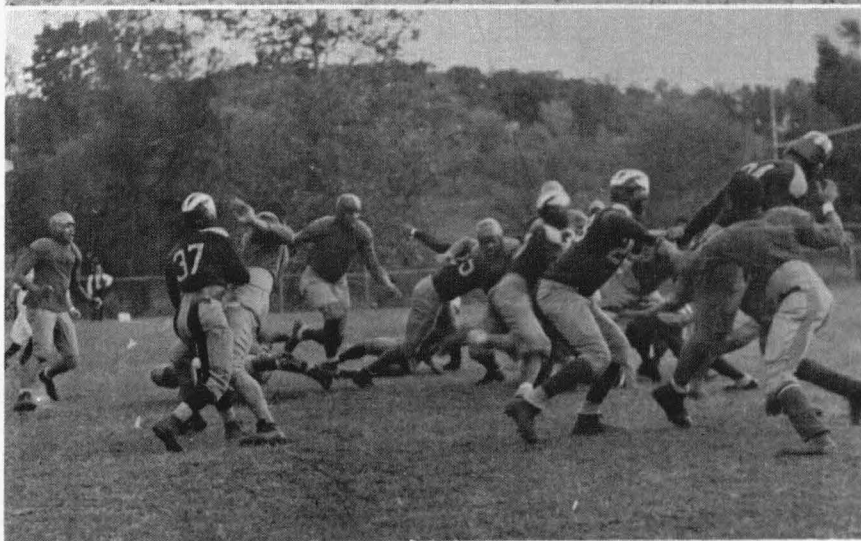
*Heads up, Lincoln!
Watch that ball!*

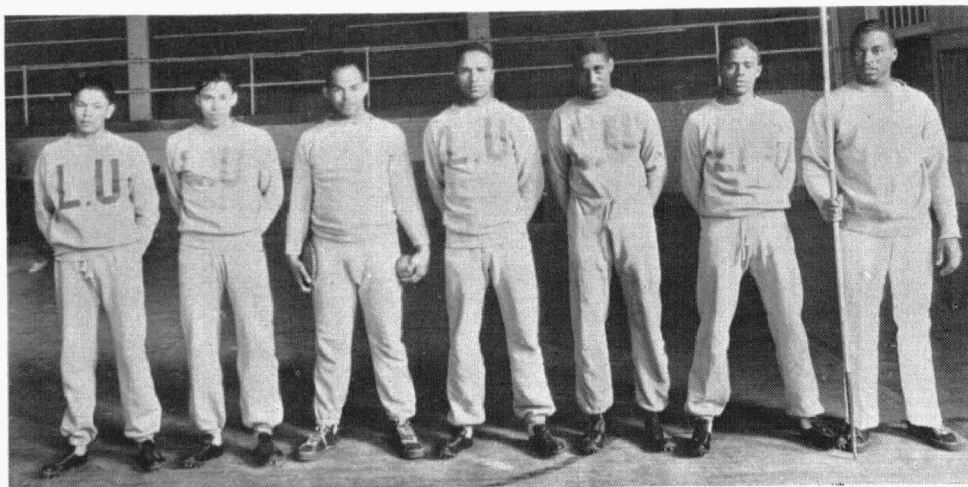


*Whew! !
Those big guys are rough.
Gray hits the line.*



*Tense moment in a hard-
fought Lincoln Victory. . .
We'll let you tell us who
the victims were.
A "Tiger" touchdown
plunge.*





SUDDUTH
LOW
BUCKNER
CHANDLER
PEARLEY
WILLIAMS
SHARPE

Stars of the Cinder Path

This ancient sport, a remnant of Greece's lost glory, has kept abreast with the other major sports on our campus. On April 8 of last year, Chandler, Calhoun, McNeil and Low sped away with honors in the Ozark Indoor Meet which was held in the Coliseum of St. Louis, Mo. At the Ozark Outdoor meet which was scheduled for June of the same year, Stark and Stinson won laurels in the field events, but the sprinters and distance runners, although keyed for victory, were unable to participate because of rain.

At the Mid-Western meet which took place on our own athletic field last May 12, the Tigers, in spite of being handicapped in the sprints by having to rely almost solely upon the veteran Chandler, were runner-up to the winner, Wilberforce. The versatile Stark, now an alumnus, by winning the hurdles, discus, broad jump, and placing in the shot put and javelin, was acknowledged as high-point man. Williams, Sharpe, Calhoun, McNeil and Low performed splendidly and spectacularly.

Although no Mid-Western meet was held this season, the squad, excluding the distance runners and Chandler who was injured, went to the Tuskegee Relays. Buckner and Stinson gained points in the discus and broad jump respectively. Unfortunately, Pearley, the 9.9 flash, failed to interpret the starter's technique and was consequently left in his starting hole.

Basket Ball

THE 1936 Basket Ball team of Lincoln University completed the season with eighteen games won and only two lost. By virtue of their victories over West Virginia State, Kentucky State, Louisville Municipal and Wilberforce, the Kemp-coached Lincoln "Tigers" consider themselves Mid-west Basket Ball Champions for 1936.

The team points with pride to its three victories out of four starts against the highly touted "Green Wave" of Wilberforce. The "Tigers" used a fast-breaking short-passing style of offense which, as the records show, proved most effective. It should be mentioned in passing that the 1936 Lincoln quintet contained on its squad some of the best students in the University.

Like the footballers, the basketeers exhibited a lot of fight and dash which carried them through to victory when the going was toughest. Among the players deserving special mention are Richard Turfley, Jodie Bailey, Morris Fountain, "Bill" Campbell, Lindsay Strothers, "Sully" Buckner, John Booker and "Snooks" Banks.



*Left to right—top row—COACH KEMP, J. BAILEY, W. HYATT, H. CHANDLER, M. FOUNTAIN, J. BOOKER, J. TOLBERT
Bottom row—I. BANKS, T. CAMPBELL, L. STROTHERS, G. BUCKNER, C. WELDON, E. WAUGH, R. TURFLEY*

Intra-Murals

UNDER the supervision of Director of Athletics, E. W. Epps, a vigorous program of intra-mural athletics has been conducted during this school year. For those who do not have the time or do not wish to participate in varsity sports, intra-mural games offer opportunities for athletic participations.

The traditional Freshman-Sophomore football game initiated the intra-mural grid season. The hard fought melee was witnessed by the entire student body. With weight and experience in their favor, the Sophomores turned back a faster and well coached yearling eleven by a fourteen to six count. The stellar playing of Sophomores Nelson Greene, Edward James, James Miller, Clarence Thomas, Horatio McNeil, and Charles Gunnell proved to be the deciding factor of the game. For the Frosh, David Spiller, Herman Plummer, and Charles Sudduth stood out.

None the less spectacular was the fray between the Sophomores and Juniors. In a rugged attempt to avenge the defeat of their Freshman friends, the third year boys fought the crafty Sophs to a six to six deadlock. Robert Clark, a Junior end, snatched pass after pass from the air to keep his teammates very much in the game. As the final gun was fired the '38 grads had possession of the ball deep in their own territory.

That these games presented some promising varsity material need not be mentioned. We believe that a hearty and enthusiastic participation in the inter-class grid contests makes a corresponding send-over for the varsity squad. Therefore we expect to see some of these boys representing Lincoln in the inter-collegiate games next fall.

Glamorous, dramatic, thrilling, disappointing, and convincing are only a few of the words which may be used to describe the intra-mural basket ball season. It was glamorous in its display of men with ability and performance; it was tense enough to produce drama and thrills; there were disappointments with the showing made by the highly touted players; and finally, everyone was convinced that the Freshmen really were champions. Beginning with the first night of the season, when the Frosh team took the floor with an air of confidence, the gymnasium was packed with enthusiastic spectators.

The Freshman five exhibited its hardwood supremacy by going undefeated the entire season. The Juniors were runners-up, followed by the Sophomores, Faculty and Seniors. Some of the outstanding players were Ross Pearley, Eugene

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Women's Athletics

UNDER the guidance of Mrs. Myrtle A. Livingston the women of Lincoln University have developed their own sphere in athletics. This has been done not only through class work in physical education, but also through participation in intramurals and the annual "Play Day" events with Stowe Teachers College of St. Louis. The principal sports engaged in by the women are baseball, basket ball, volley ball, soccer and tennis. The minor sports are archery, golf, track and hockey. Other activities are tap dancing and interpretive dancing.



MYRTLE A. LIVINGSTON
Director



HOCKEY

This sport has only recently begun to prove attractive. However, women are now attempting to attain some skill in its technique.



BASEBALL

The favorite national sport perhaps holds first place in the hearts of Lincoln co-eds. Competition is keen for positions on the baseball team. The stellar players who comprise the first team are Emma Mae Turner, Edna Lowe, Eloise Jackson, Edna Moore, Cornelia Satterfield, Olivia Merriwether, Dorothy Basket, Ruby McClendon, Kathleen A. Miller and Alfrenia Young.

Women's Athletics



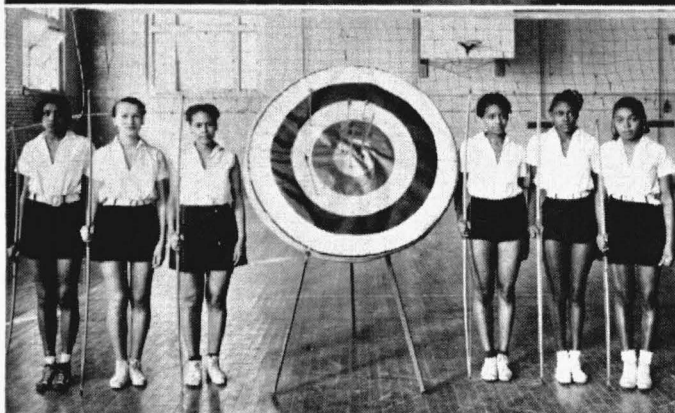
TAP DANCING

The true modern spirit is shown in the routines originated and practiced by the tap dancing classes.



INTERPRETIVE DANCING

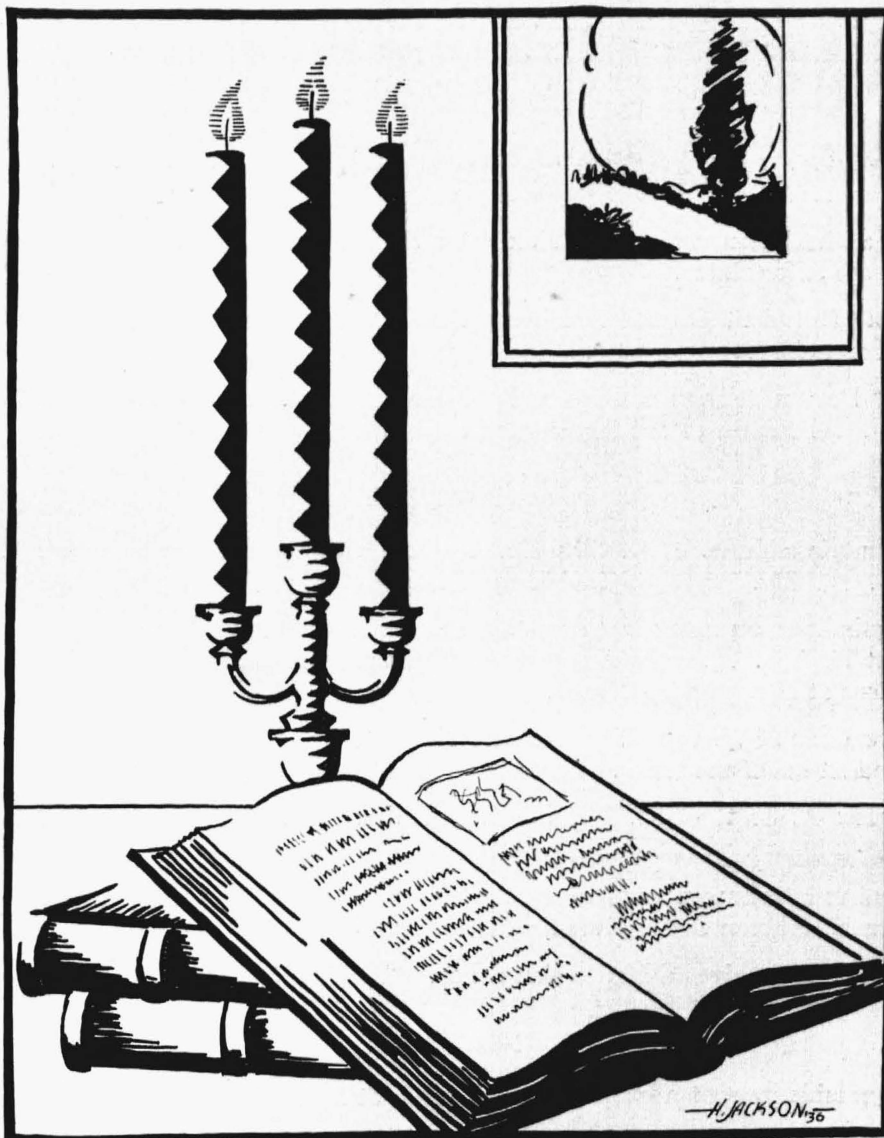
The classes in interpretive dancing attempt to express through the terpsichorean art the finer thoughts and feelings of the human soul.



ARCHERY

Archery, here, is in the embryonic stage, its principal participants being upperclassmen. Nevertheless, it is growing in popularity and bids fair to become a major sport.

L I T E R A R Y



. A true University is a Collection of Books

—CARLYLE

In Retrospect

SEPTEMBER

New students arriving from Oklahoma, especially Wewoka, and Pennsylvania. . . . Old students rushing back from St. Louis, Kansas City and surrounding centers. . . . Registration. . . . The new Coach, the new Dean of Women, new profs. . . . Mr. Miles returns as Acting Dean of the college.

Rush week. . . . President's reception. . . . Y. W. C. A. tea. . . . Delta Sigma Theta tea. . . . Alpha Kappa Alpha tea.

Freshman initiation, which seems almost a Sophomore initiation instead. . . . Strothers and Booker ace entertainers.

Election of Student Council members. Senior women demand privileges—so what? Student Forum organized.

Andrew Darton delivers address to Freshmen on various activities which are beneficial to students. . . . Freshmen learn lectures to be continuous.

OCTOBER

Dr. Prunty's address. . . . The dignified Seniors present a chapel program . . . something new. . . . Mr. Taves' original compositions.

The football season opens in a great big way—Homecoming—Stunt Show, Bonfire, Lincoln defeats West Virginia. . . . Seniors operate "Welcome Inn" on Lincoln field and handle checking concessions at Homecoming Dance.

The new Dean of Women inaugurates a series of teas; Mr. Fletcher reviews *Mary, Queen of Scots*, at the first tea of the series.

Mr. James A. Scott of St. Louis delivers address. . . . The Scrollers present a chapel program.

The Seniors introduce a new feature, the Senior Book Review, presented on the last Sunday of every month. Theron Catlin gives the first review, Lloyd Douglas' *Green Light*.

The Y. W. C. A. gives a Hallowe'en dance. "Truckin'" takes the campus by storm.

NOVEMBER

The Pyramids present a chapel program without being seen on the stage—unique.

Mid-term examinations begin—many students are honored with "pink slips"—weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth.

The winter "prom" season opens with The Pyramids' closed formal, a Harvest Ball. Omega Omega exhibits startling exclusiveness.

The Jefferson City Symphony Orchestra presented a concert in Lincoln University gymnasium. The Music Department of Lincoln gives a concert.

Thanksgiving holidays find most of the students remaining on the campus.

Evelyn Mayfield gives the second Senior Book Review.

Augustus Low ties for second in Peace Oratorical Contest.

In Retrospect

DECEMBER

Mrs. Noel Hall and Fritz Hanlein, Director of the Jefferson City Symphony Orchestra, present a recital in Page Auditorium.

Mr. Sheen's classes in Freshman Composition entertain the student body with three one-act plays. Catherine Mauldin and Lindsey Strothers are the star performers.

The Ivy Leaf Club gives a formal dance, a Snow Party. . . . The Sphinxmen honor their Big Brothers with a winter formal. . . . The Scrollers close the pre-Christmas season with a formal dance.

The Choral Society presents a cantata, *Bethlehem*. . . . Lincoln University celebrates Founders' Day with Dr. Homer Wilburn and Dr. R. Nathaniel Dett as guest lecturers.

The ground is broken for the two new buildings, a men's dormitory and a mechanic arts building—poor girls!

The Christmas holidays arrive—most students go home, but more remain than usual. . . . The Kappas go to St. Louis almost "en masse." . . . Catlin spends eighty-two cents for Christmas dinner in the school cafeteria—not bad. . . . *The Music Goes Round and Round* becomes the campus theme song.

JANUARY

Lincoln turns the Big Green Wave into a m-e-r-r-e r-i-p-p-l-e!

Dr. Blackiston of Stowe speaks in chapel. Professor Bennett, theologian, speaks in seminar.

U. S. G. Tayes wins art prize.

The Lincoln Nursery School opens under the W. P. A. . . . Lincoln is honored with a chapter in the American Association of University Professors.

Final exams—last minute "cramming"—a sense of having failed gracefully.

FEBRUARY

Second semester registration—seniors panicky over what subjects to take in order to graduate—disappointment over grades.

The Educational Department observes Rosenwald Day with chapel program.

The basket ball team goes on tour through Middle West and East—Wilberforce again defeated—'Force highly upset, demoralized—Lincoln wins all except three games in entire season.

Concert by the Lincoln University Band—marked improvement over last year.

Negro History Week rolls around again. . . . Dr. Savage goes to Fisk to lecture on *Harriett Tubman and David Walker*. . . . Dean A. A. Taylor comes to Lincoln. . . . student attendance not up to par—disappointing to faculty. . . . Utica Singers appear same night out in town.

In Retrospect

The Women's League presents Mrs. Cook of Kansas City—Kagawa the principal theme—"Do you accept my challenge?"—"Yes."

Mr. Herman Dreer of St. Louis addresses students in chapel.

The Choral Society presents Mr. T. Thomas Fletcher of the English Department speaking on *Negro Spirituals*.

The Seniors give their third Sunday Book Review, featuring Flora Freeman on Eugene O'Neill's *Ah, Wilderness!*

The Student Council's Leap Year Dance for the benefit of *The Collegian* draws a crowd—some fun!—interesting sights—some girls "cream puffs."

MARCH

Co-eds take up roller skating, indoor as well as outdoor—some tumbles. . . . Spring fever catches most of the "studes."

Dream of Queen Esther furnishes much amusement, especially the beauties.

The "Miss Lincoln" popularity contest is opened—purpose: to raise funds for *The Collegian*.

Missouri High School Basket Ball Tournament—Vashon victorious; Sumner shows. Enthusiasm high—"booting" rampant.

The Junior-Senior Prom—beautiful, as usual—theme of colors and programs Saint Patrick's Day.

Mr. George S. Schuyler speaks.

Football banquet turns out to be an "athletic banquet"—What! no dance?

The Jabberwock is bigger than ever—winners: Orchesis, first prize in senior group; Ivy Leaf Club, second prize in senior group; The Sailors, junior group prize—Georgia Walthall "brings down the house."

The Student Council presents Mrs. Lillian Booker, President of Missouri State Association of Negro Teachers, in chapel address—well received by students, who become "liberty" conscious.

Odrene Mayberry reviews Jessie Fauset's *Comedy, American Style*.

APRIL

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity initiates fourteen. . . . Alpha Kappa Alpha Vocational Guidance Week. . . . Sunday convocation with guest speaker. . . . Ivy Leaf chapel program.

Easter holidays—students not so anxious to go home as last year—two meals per day—"nicht so heisz"—students canvas city for "ads" for *The Collegian*. . . . fun. . . . Chamber Commerce grants consent.

In Retrospect

"Miss Lincoln" popularity contest closes—Juanita Kidd, Freshman and Pyramid, wins; Evangeline Wood, Senior and Delta, runner-up; Clara Pierce, Sophomore, third.

The Seniors present a class play, the first in some time—Victorien Sardou's *A Scrap of Paper*—audience small but highly appreciative—faculty member's comment: "The Seniors has returned."

The Educational Conference is held—guest speakers from all over United States—Seniors attend reception in honor of speakers.

Kappa Alpha Psi initiates two new members.

Omega Psi Phi holds Sunday convocation, with Mr. Fletcher speaking on *Phyllis Wheatley*. Omega closed formal dance—tuxedos, tails, top hats, gloves—poor "studes" shown up.

"Sully" Buckner gives Senior Book Review.

The B. T. O. C. is conceived, planned, executed—decision well received by student body at large.

Delta Sigma Theta initiates seven—new ideas.

The "Haile Selassie" and "Nagasaki" take the day.

Eta Sigma Chapter of Omega Psi Phi organized.

MAY

April showers continue into May, unfortunately—High School Day not marred—although it usually is—campus overflowing with high school seniors, teachers and other visitors—capacity crowd—cafeteria operates on shifts—Vashon victorious in track meet.

Delta Sigma Theta Educational May Week—high school chapel by Pyramids on Wednesday, Sunday convocation by Sorors, presenting Jeanette Triplett Jones, past Grand President—formal dance most unique and beautiful. Tea, inviting Greeks, Delta Patronesses, Seniors, Faculty.

Alpha Phi Alpha Citizenship Program—Mother's Day program Sunday evening, with Professor Mayberry, of K. C., guest speaker. Closed dance—banquet.

Alpha Kappa Alpha formal dance—decorations lovely. . . . Kappa Alpha Psi formal dance—gymnasium very attractive.

Comprehensive examinations—Seniors quaking with fear—brains oversaturated with knowledge—Eureka! they passed!

JUNE

Seniors outrageously happy—final examinations—lower classmen longing for their Senior years—Senior Class Day—Alumni Day—Baccalaureate—Commencement.

Auf wiedersehen!

Wit and Humor

We shall never forget—

What it means when a smoke stack has been blown down.

Odell Thurman's Chinese costume in *A Scrap of Paper*.

Odrene Mayberry's review of Jessie Fauset's *Comedy, American Style*.

The Tigers' triumph over La 'Force on the basket ball court in January and March '36.

Those two cannon that point majestically toward the fifty-two steps.

Flora Freeman's discussion of *Socialism* at a History Club session in April '36.

Line standing in the cafeteria.

Students become provoked—

After being rocked to sleep by the "sing-song" tone of a "say nothing" speaker in chapel.

When they realize that every movie brought to our campus theater is badly in need of a good shave.

Trying to pick a full program from the schedule offered each semester.

Attempting to keep the business manager's bills out of their mail boxes and from under their doors.

When forced to attend one of the more intellectual affairs on the campus.

When they read the cafeteria menu, after having worked up a "pain racking" appetite.

Embarrassing moments—

Odell Thurman (rushing into office of Business Manager): "Mr. Tull, there must be some mistake! Here you have me charged up for board!"

Mr. Tull (looking through record nonchalantly): "Yes, there is a mistake. You owe for room rent, registration *and* board!"

Carmen Turner (addressing "Sully" Buckner who has his forefingers bandaged): "Oh, you football players are too rough!"

Buckner: "That's what you think! Your Underwood needs rubber-padded keys!"

A representative of Artcraft Engraving Company came to the office of THE COLLEGIAN, looked at Catlin's five-part name and asked, "Where's the rest of the staff?"

Scene: Yates Hall, Lincoln University, one night in the fall of 1935. All of the lights in the building and on the entire campus are out.

Eva Wood: "Honestly, the only thing I can think of is Mr. Cross!"

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Intra-Murals

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Bradley, and Herman Plummer of the Frosh squad; James "Runt" Miller and Luther Williams of the Sophomore crew; Charles Madison, Milton Raleigh, Emanuel Hughes and Robert Clark of the Juniors; John "Bunny" Austin, Frank Lyerson and Odell Thurman of the Seniors.

Culminating these series of cage affairs was the class tournament. First place was again conceded to the class of '39, the faculty and Juniors placing second and third respectively.

Lincoln's only baseball activities have been mainly intra-mural. Although the campus has a swell crop of diamond aces, a varsity team was not formed. Among our hit-and-run boys were John Mitchell, a sensational infielder from the Pacific Coast, Johnnie Williams, and all-round fielder and slugging menace from Chicago, and William Haywood, a California boy, who showed that he had more than ordinary baseball ability.

There was keener competition and the power was more evenly distributed in intra-mural baseball than in any of the other class contests.

The results of the Track and Field Day were: Freshmen, first; Sophomores, second; Juniors, third; Seniors, fourth; Faculty, fifth. Green of the Sophomore class and Spiller of the Frosh squad were outstanding.

One of the strongest tennis aggregations in the Midwest Conference represented Lincoln on the lawn last summer. Norval Parker created a sensation when he won the singles crown of the Midwest Association. The Blue and White doubles team reached the finals only to be turned back by the Kentucky State duet. The graduation of Parker does not leave L. U. out of the tennis "racket"; Emanuel Hughes, Preston Ingram, Clovis Bordeaux and Robert Taylor intend to carry on for dear ole "Tiger Blue."

Fore! Yes, four—Jimmy, "Jelly," Mitch and "Ted"—are the much talked of "aces of the green" of L. U. A spacious lower campus with holes and plenty of territory for long drives attracts golf enthusiasts daily. Such artful putters as James Goble, William Haywood, John Mitchell and "Ted" Johnson may be seen in action any afternoon swinging their bodies and clubs to the rhythmic motion of an evening breeze.

Miss Homecoming



ALMETA VIRGINIA CROCKETT

ONE of the most important popularity contests of the school year is that staged prior to the Homecoming activities for the election of a queen to rule over the festivities and to be known as "Miss Homecoming."

This queen is always a member of the Senior Class and is elected by popular vote from two or more candidates from that class.

The attendants of "Miss Homecoming" are her Senior opponent or opponents, in addition to two members of each of the other classes, chosen by the respective classes.

Miss Virginia Crockett, who was elected "Miss Homecoming" for the 1935-36 Homecoming, is a campus leader, active in several organizations and Basileus of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.



THEY ATTENDED MISS HOMECOMING

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GRAYCE ENGLISH

LORENSIEUR WILLIAMS

EMMA STOKES

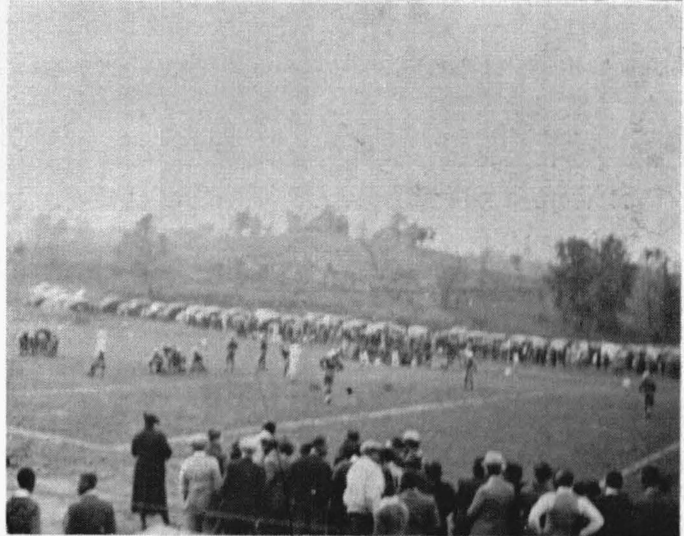
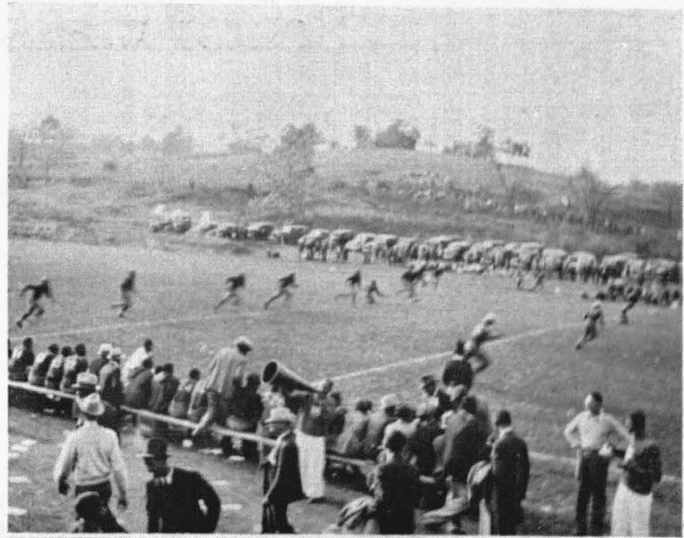
DOLORES ELLIS

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And never brought to mind."

. . . . No, not as long as Lincoln has it's traditional "Homecoming for here old friends—new friends and even the old bunch you didn't like so much get together and have a merry time.

From north, south, east and west, came loyal friends of Lincoln to witness Lincoln's greatest of great "Homecomings" to see the old Alma Mater once more to see the old Tigers trounce proud old West Virginia in good old Lincoln style and what a game that was after that victory we didn't even mind sitting on top of each other at the show we didn't care because we knew we could dance all of our cares away in the beautifully decorated gym . . . that certainly was some dance . . . if you couldn't dance so well, you could step all over your partner's feet and excuse yourself with: "Its so crowded here.

*To the right are pictures of that
"never to be forgotten" game.*



Senior Class Play



CAST

Prosper Couramont . . . A. O. Thurman
Baron De La Glaciere . . . G. Buckner
Brisemouche Frank T. Lyerson
Anatole Andrew E. Hawkins
Bapliste James L. Merritt
Francois Allen P. Chinn
Louise De La Glaciere E. Wood
Suzanne De Ruseville . . . O. Mayberry
Mathilde Lillian Wade
Zenobie Grayce English
Mme. Dupont . . . Katy Mae Hubbard
Pauline Binette Wade

Left to right: BUCKNER, WOOD, LYERSON, ENGLISH, FLETCHER, MAYBERRY, THURMAN, HAWKINS, L. WADE, CHINN, B. WADE, MERRITT, HUBBARD

ON WEDNESDAY, April 15, the Senior Class presented Victorien Sardou's three-act comedy, *A Scrap of Paper*. The plot centered around a love letter written to Prosper by Louise before her marriage and the efforts of her cousin, Suzanne, to destroy the letter. An excellent minor situation was woven around the attempt by Zenobie to win Anatole, who was in love with Mathilde. The play was a tremendous success, having received much favorable comment.

STAFF

DOROTHY HARMON, *Gen'l Chairman*
 T. THOMAS FLETCHER . . . *Director*
 B. T. MCGRAW *Adviser*

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 OTIS BOOTH
 FLORA FREEMAN
 TRANDAILER JONES
 JUANITA PORTER
 LEE ANDREW SCALES
 EMMA MAE TURNER



Left to right: JONES, SCALES, HARMON, O. BOOTH, FREEMAN, FLETCHER, TURNER, A. BOOTH, PORTER

Wit and Humor

(Continued from page 92)

Can you imagine who would send the following valentine?

"Roses are red,
Violets are blue,
Everyone in school
Got their bills paid up but you!"

FAMOUS SAYINGS OF FAMOUS PERSONS

"What have we got for this morning? Oh, that's a beautiful subject."
"The class says you're late; you had better come back Wednesday."
"Life is what you make it, thee? Remember, young people, this is no reformatory."
"Has anybody seen Mickey?"
"Jerry, Jerry, when are you going to practice? You know we have a concert!"
"Pity 'tis, 'tis true."
"Yes, go out and commune with nature."
"What? Rapid talk, Miss Wood, rapid talk! . . . For Tuesday read fifteen books."
"Well, if you don't think the food is fresh don't buy it."
"What's my word?"
"Fool these people. They think you don't know."
"Now that we are in the North Central Association, I can't allow you to take those Freshman subjects."
"Why, Miss Freeman, I could hear your voice all the way across the campus!"
"According to the catalogue. . . ."
"Now, that's interesting. Mr. Gearin, what is the cow population of Missouri?"
"I - went - on - a - pilgrimate - in - search - of -"
"Boy, you have failed already. You might as well go on home now."
"Miss Jones, what is a verb?" "A verb is the name of something."—"Sho."
"Your time is my time now."
"What! No chorus?"
"I'll fix it just as soon as I can."
"What for you do that? Here, you take one of these red pills."
"No! You just can't have stacking privileges!"
"Well, the boys got together."
"That's wrong."
"I know what I'm going to do."
"I might as well be very frank."
"Ninety - ninety - nine. You've got sinus trouble."
"No doubt about it; you have to get my work to pass my course."
"It's easy as pie."
"Well, now, let's see."
"Well, now, for an instant."

Lucky boy! . . . (Beast and the Beauty).
 (Upper) The Pause . . . No refreshments?
 (Lower) Suave.
 Time out . . . Zzzzzzzz.
 I like Oklahoma too.



We Are Grateful

THE task of publishing a yearbook such as the class of '36 has attempted was indeed a gigantic one. Time and energy had to be expended, funds raised, material collected and budgets balanced. One or two persons could not have performed the job—co-operation from the entire college community was necessary. For this splendid co-operation the class is truly grateful.

Special acknowledgment, however, is due the following persons:

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Mr. B. T. McGraw, who labored day and night for us—whose keen insight and sound judgment saved us from many embarrassing complications.

Hiram Jackson, Augustus Low and Earl Nance of the lower classes, who were ever steadfast in support of this senior project.

Flora Freeman, James Merritt and Herbert Jackson of the Senior Class, who worked diligently and wholeheartedly to make the project a success.

May their efforts prove inspiring, especially to those members of the Senior Class who were too busy throughout the school year to be of use to their class either with this project or with any of the many other projects of the year.

—THERON A. M. J. CATLIN,
President of the Senior Class.

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