Head of Lindenwood College for Women, St. Charles, Mo., Since 1914 Dies in St. Louis

MINISTER FOR 48 YEARS

Gave Institution the Standard Four-Year Course—Increased Assets by $4,000,000

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 9 (AP)—The Rev. Dr. John Lincoln Roemer, president of Lindenwood College for Women at St. Charles, Mo., since 1914, died here today. He was 75 years old.

Before beginning his twenty-sixth year as president of Lindenwood College, Dr. Roemer served as pastor of many Presbyterian churches. Under his presidency the college was built up to one with a standard four-year course and 450 students, and gained nearly $4,000,000 in buildings, equipment and endowment.

Born in Wheeling, W. Va., Dr. Roemer was the son of John and Sarah Ann Donel Roemer. He was graduated with an A. B. degree from the University of West Virginia in 1889, received a B.D. degree from Western Theological Seminary, Pittsburgh, in 1892, a D.D. degree from Westminster College, Marshall, Mo., in 1908, and LL, D. degrees from Westminster and from Missouri Valley College, Fulton, Mo., in 1922.

Dr. Roemer was ordained a Presbyterian minister in 1892. In that year and the next he served as pastor of a Presbyterian church in Thomas, Pa., and from 1893 to 1901 he was pastor of the South Presbyterian Church, Cleveland. Dr. Roemer was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Chillicothe, Ohio, in 1901-05 and of the Tyler Place Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, in 1905-14.

He belonged to the National Education Association, the National, Missouri and Virginia Historical Societies, the Audubon Society, Phi Delta Theta and Phi Beta Kappa. He was a Mason and Knight Templar and a member of the St. Charles Rotary Club, the University and Missouri Athletic Clubs in St. Louis, and the Sunset Club in Chillicothe.

In 1892 Dr. Roemer married Miss Lillie Fickenpaugh.