Democrats Smothered By Republican Landslide; Ike Wins 207 Of 291 Votes

The Democrats were indeed smothered by the Republican landslide, as evidenced by the recent election results. Eisenhower won with 207 votes, his largest margin ever. The straw ballot election was a big success this year with 91 per cent of the state body body cast. Participation was 23.5 per cent, which is a great improvement over the 41 per cent that voted in 1940. In 1948 Dewey received 61 per cent of the votes and Eisenhower has an increase of 20 per cent over that with 71 per cent of the votes this year.

The polls opened at 8:30 Tuesday morning and were open until noon, when the first votes were cast. Ballots were collected at the polls, two judges, one registration clerk and a polling place. In addition to the usual officers there were voting machines to record the names of those voting. A great many people went to the polls but the weather did not deter them. The polls were open until 6 Tuesday night. The Missouri Constitution of voting was used.

Each election year the League of Women Voters votes on campus, to encourage students to vote. The League of Women Voters is an organization that helps to promote the trend of voting and to organize the Missouri Student body so that they may learn the procedure of voting. We want to educate the League of Women Voters for voting and sponsoring such a well organized, educational straw ballot election this year.

Indonesian To Be Speaker

Next Wednesday, Lindwood will have its second Indonesian to be guest speaker, Mr. Zohir is the guest speaker. A graduate of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Indonesia, Mr. Zohir has interrupted his studies to participate in the World Student Service Federation because he wants to be able to tell his fellow students about something of the “life, organization, and way of life” of the American students.

This interest in young people here stems in part from Mr. Zohir’s experience in his own country with the World Student Federation.

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The Campus

Horde Of Fame

The Lindenwood Speech Department will present "The Importance Of Being Earnest" Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The play has a double cast with William F. McMurry, Siegmund A. E. Betz, Douglas Hume, Roy J. Schaffer, and Sally Hinckley in both casts. The cast for Thursday night includes Mary Ann Cooper, Paula Moore, Gloria Burney, and Neil Conner. Saturday night includes Suzanne Elliott, Margaret Taylor, Sandra Schulte, and Barbara Sires. Miss Miller, the assistant director, is in charge of directing and executing the women’s costumes, which are very lovely.

The scene for the play is the "Gay Nineties" in England. The costumes are said to be the best and most brilliant comedy of manners in English since the plays of Richard Brinsley Sheridan. It was first produced in London in 1895 and in New York in the same year.

This is the first time in many years that the Drama Department has attempted a double cast. Double casting involves a great deal of work and is considered very difficult.

Freshmen Elect Liz Schnurr President

The Lindenwood Club has elected its full-time officers. President is Liz Schnurr; vice president, Betty Eberly; secretary, Jane Leonard; treasurer, cella Boyd; and student council representative, Sally Kaye.

Twelve Freshmen Chosen To Reign Over Harvest Ball

Dr. McCluer on Committee

Dr. Franc McCluer has been appointed to the membership of the Educational Policies Commission by the joint action of the Executive Committee of the National Education Association and the Administrators. He is to serve for four years, beginning January 1, 1953.

The Educational Policies Commission prepares, publishes, and disseminates statements of proposed policy for American education.

Dr. McCluer is attending a luncheon in connection with the Missouri State Teachers Meeting in Kansas City November 7. The Alumni of Kansas City and all Missouri teachers who are alumnae are invited.

The St. Joseph chapter of the Alumni Association is holding a meeting on November 6, on which Dr. McCluer has been invited.

Judy Anderson Is American Royale Queen

Breakfasts, buffets, radio and newspaper interviews, cocktail parties, parades, parties, picnics, pageants, and balls, are just one phase of being the Queen of the American Royale. This year a Lindwood girl survived the excitement of holding this title. Miss Judy Anderson of Liberty, Mo., a Sophomore, was crowned Queen of the American Royale Royal Livestock and Horse Show November 7. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Anderson.

They are anxious to find out what Mr. Heune has planned for the big Thanksgiving meal. As a gentle hint, she said, "Thanksgiving without turkey, cranberries, sweet potatoes, dressing, hot rolls, salt, plenty of milk or coffee, and last but by no means least, mince or pumpkin pie."

A beautiful day is certainly in order for our vacation. Let’s make sure we have a lot to be thankful for, so don’t forget the prayer room.

Watch the Birdie!

What is happening to the Birdie? No one is probably aware, pictures are being taken. This is the chief job, at the moment, with Mary Van Nebib directing it. Joan Blessing is taking care of soliciting. The general outline has all been planned by our Birdie, however, there is nothing down to what will be on each page.

Due to the fact that the Birdie was going to press before Mrs. Sibley rounded the campus, I was given a special job. I would like to tell you about my visit with this "Flighty" Fantom.

The cackling was smothering, the eerie noises drifted around my ears as I crept down to the dark graveled and in the dark of night to interview Mrs. Sibley.

The cock struck twelve. A white, shapeless form arose from the desolate tombstone. I began to believe all stories. Mrs. Sibley looked at me as she were in ghostly spirits. When asked what she thought about Cooby, she moaned, "The girls seem like they are loving. Those date parleys are such fun, we like to do look like so much fun." You could almost see the birdie "sitting" up and it was too to see Mrs. Sibley blithely. She was quite upset about the jockey box. After taking a deep breath, she moaned, "I know that she is still with the Sibley Hall and in here making night time is quite often a ghost in the TV set."

"I must go now..." she moaned. And thus I departed to the appear of Jackway Butler. It was nice to see my friends in the Fresh.