



The Graduates of 1945
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J SCENES
St. Joseph Junior College to You
St. Joseph, Missouri



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The college building at Tenth and Edmond Streets

WE CAME

to

St. Joseph

Junior College

because

It has a high scholastic standard.

It is fully accredited.

It is near our homes.

It is inexpensive.

WE DISCOVERED that Junior College is more than a building, equipment, and accredited courses. It is a spirit, democratic and friendly. It is an atmosphere, intellectual and stimulating. It is a feeling of belonging.

WE PROFITED

from—

The varied courses

The excellence of instruction

The personal interest of the faculty in our progress

The opportunities to develop our individual abilities



Difficulties are ironed out in conference



Democracy characterizes J. C.'s activity program

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IN JUNIOR COLLEGE LABORATORIES

students receive thorough pre-professional training



Training for interesting work

Seeing is believing



Future engineers



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THEORY, APPRECIATION, AND ACTUAL EXPERIENCE

are integrated in the fine arts program at Junior College. Courses are designed not only to develop skills and techniques of talented students, "producers" in the arts, but also to train discriminating "consumers."



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Club in
concert

Advanced
Harmony



Life class



Craft work is
always popular

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TEACHERS trained at St. Joseph Junior College are always in demand. Invaluable in their preparation is the opportunity for practice teaching in the St. Joseph schools under supervision of critic teachers.

Keeping
up with
our world



Hope of our new world

Background
for our world

CLASSROOM LECTURES and discussion are a stimulus to independent reading and research. For this, students turn to the college library with its more than 7,000 volumes of standard reference works and its wealth of material in periodicals and pamphlets.



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Activities Are Varied



Junior College Choir

J. C. Students Give Talent Convocation
Junior College students presented the third talent convocation of the term at the school this morning. Georgia Kirwan played "Rit-

HONORS TO 43
The names of 43 students appear on the Junior College honor roll for the nine weeks of the sec

To Debate on Comic Books
Members of the Junior College Kappa Chapter of Phi Kappa will present a

Griffon News Entered in Scholastic Press Contest

College Students Will Burlesque Shakespeare
Junior College boys will present a burlesque, entitled "J. Caesar," on the school stage at 10:10 o'clock Monday evening. Marilyn Max-

16 Students Are Pledges
The Junior College Kappa Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, the national honorary scholastic fraternity of junior colleges, has issued invitations to 16 students, chosen on the basis of

ACTING IS GOOD

An audience of about 500 persons enjoyed the Junior College all-school play, "Ladies in Retirement," last night. Mary Ann Smith, the murderess, Ellen in an admirable performance did the rest of the

Story of Mayan Indians Is Told
Dr. W. Stuart Carnes, archeologist and metallurgist, presented a lecture, a colored movie and an exhibit concerning the ancient Mayas at Junior College this evening.



Spanish Club Celebrates Pan-American Day



DEVOTIONS FOR JUNIOR COLLEGE

Junior College Y. W. C. A. members have arranged a program for the annual pre-Easter services, which will be held at

Dr. Van Walt Will Speak Here Again
Dr. Harry P. Van Walt, a native of Holland and a member of the Netherlands study group for

College Girls to Entertain at Rosecrans Field Hospital
On behalf of the Red Cross, a group of Junior College students will present a program for the evening at Rosecrans Field Hospital

STUDENTS INTO GARMENT DRIVE

Members of the Junior College Y. W. C. A. and the Junior College League of Women Voters will be

School Club Gives Skit

Junior College Psychology Club members presented a skit and several specialties this morning on the school stage as their bid for the semester convocation prize.

J. C. Group Honors Trio

Juanita Schoff, Betty June Pedrick and Christine Long of the Junior College sophomore class have been elected to the Mace, the school's honorary service organization.

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All-school play, "Ladies in Retirement" Courtesy St. Joseph News-Press

THEATRICAL PRODUCTIONS at Junior College are a means through which talent is discovered and developed. Dramatic activities include several convocation programs, and reach their climax in the all-school play.



"Rehearsal"

CHRISTIAN IDEALISM is the background of Junior College life. In convocation programs, at the Christmas season, and through the series of pre-Easter services students have opportunity for religious expression.



The fragrance of pine in the halls

Membership in Junior College Y. W. C. A. which sponsors most of the religious activities of the school, is open to all girls in the college.

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WAR AND COMMUNITY PROJECTS enlist the active support of students. Selling war bonds to the amount of \$10,000, participating in United Nations Clothing, Red Cross, and Community Chest drives, entertaining at Rosecrans Field, conducting forums and interviews in the interest of world peace, and rolling bandages have been some of the projects of the J. C. League of Women Voters.



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Any bonds today?

The Natural Science Club has concentrated its efforts on collecting paper and continuing its support of the St. Joseph Museum.

PUBLICATIONS AT JUNIOR COLLEGE give students who expect to enter schools of journalism practical experience. The students publish *The Griffon News*, the school newspaper, and *Penny Whistles*, the literary magazine, which contains the best creative writing of the entire student body.



Selecting material for Penny Whistles



Make-up day on The Griffon News

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Where but Lake Contrary?

TIME FOR FRIENDSHIPS

Students appreciate the democratic quality of social life at Junior College. From the Ice-breaker dance in the fall until the annual Prowl Day in the spring there are opportunities for new friendships.

The college encourages the formation of interest groups such as the Dramatic Club, the Psychology Club and the Natural Science Club. Membership in all Junior College clubs, where not open to all students, is based upon talent or proficiency in a particular field.



BASKETBALL AT JUNIOR COLLEGE has continued in spite of the war, the team this year having played one of its heaviest schedules. A large percent of the student body takes part in the intramural program which includes ping-pong, tennis, bowling, softball, and swimming.



Always a popular place

RETURNING SERVICEMEN

always find a welcome at J. C. Under the provisions of the G. I. Bill of Rights some have already enrolled to continue education interrupted by the war.



The Service Honor Roll
now contains almost
900 names.



Congratulations! This class now joins the more than 3,500 alumni of Junior College

St. Joseph Junior College

Offers two years of fully accredited college courses.

Grants Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, Associate in Education, and Junior College certificates.

Admits without examination graduates of accredited high schools of Missouri.

Is accredited by the University of Missouri, by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and is a member of the American Association of Junior Colleges.

Offers courses in Art, Biology, Chemistry, Economics, Education, English, French, Geography, German, History, Home Economics, Mathematics, Mechanical Arts, Music, Philosophy, Physical Education, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Spanish, Machine Shop, Automobile Mechanics, and Radio Service.

Fees—For residents of St. Joseph, \$58.00 per year plus laboratory fees.
For non-residents, \$83.00 per year plus laboratory fees.

For non-residents living quarters are available at the Y.M.C.A. and the Y.W.C.A., both within five blocks of the campus.

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