

HONORARY DEGREES CONFERRED—

IT WAS JUNE and the University was conferring the LL.D., an honorary law degree. Sixty-five years ago it was to Samuel Clemens (pictured on the opposite page, front row right). This year Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, Dr. Lester V. Chandler and Fred V. Heinkel were the recipients.

In 1902, Mark Twain's acceptance to receive the degree marked the author's last trip to his home state. Richard H. Jesse, who was then president of the University and after whom the present administration building was named, had invited Clemens to the June commencement exercises.

In the few short days that Mark Twain returned to Missouri—the University, his home in Hannibal and St. Louis—many childhood memories were recalled and new memories formed of the great author.

He said as quoted from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*: "I would not lose that last week and my visit to Hannibal for anything. My joy has been made perfect by the handshaking of these Missourians. . . . If it is true, as it has been published, that I have made the world laugh, it is also true that Missouri has made me shed tears."

Several weeks ago the University again conferred the honorary LL.D degree.

Gov. Hearnes was elected to the Missouri House of Representatives while he was a law student at the University. He received his AB in 1952 and LL.B in 1953. Chosen majority floor leader in 1957, he was later elected as Missouri secretary of state in 1960 and then governor in 1964.

Dr. Chandler, also a University graduate, received an AB in 1930 and an AM in 1931. He has taught at Dartmouth, Amherst and Princeton, where he became a department chairman in 1955. Author of several books on economics, money and banking, Dr. Chandler is director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, director of the Atlantic City Electric Co. and a member of the Committee on Economic Development.

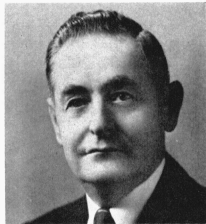
Heinkel has been president of Missouri's federation of cooperatives since 1940 and was a member of the University Board of Curators from 1953 to 1959. He is a member of many national agricultural and trade councils and a life long member in the Alumni Conulate of the University.



Gov. Warren E. Hearnes



Dr. Lester V. Chandler



Fred V. Heinkel