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Courses for September-December 2007

All classes meet Tuesdays at 2 p.m. with locations as indicated.

Sept. 11

"Depression" Rates of depression and suicide have risen dramatically around the world. What do we know about such increases and what have we learned can be done to prevent and treat these problems? Some of our answers are very surprising, says Dr. Jim Davis of the Drury University Department of Psychology. Hearth Room in Bay Hall.

Sept. 18

"Mental Illness" New research is informing us about the contribution to our mental health coming from our choices and our environment. New reasons for both alarm and hope are being reported. What possible steps can be made? Suggestions by Dr. Jim Davis. Hearth Room in Bay Hall.

Sept. 25

Field trip to studio of popular artist Charles Summey, who has discussed his landscapes with us. We will meet at 2 p.m. in the Price Cutter parking lot on West Republic Road and then continue about a mile in a car pool led by Sol Codillo.

Oct. 2

"Ceramic Hand Building and Wheel Throwing" is the topic for a session to be led by Dr. Benjamin Schulman, Drury art department. There will be a demonstration working on the wheel and with clay. We will meet at the Pool Art Center.

Oct. 9

"Cherokee Trail of Tears" Dr. Hal Funk, retired Missouri State University profes-

sor, will give an account of how the Cherokees were forced to leave Eastern states in the 1830s and were forcibly marched across the Mississippi River and through Missouri to Indian Territory. Olin Room in Olin Library.

Oct. 16

Annual meeting plus Part One of a program on the Indians of Southwest Missouri by Dr. Larry Burt (see below). Olin Room in Olin Library.

Oct. 23

"Indians in Southwest Missouri after the Removal of the Osage," by Dr. Larry Burt, Missouri State University Department of History. Many Native Americans lived in the Ozarks such as the Osage and later the Kickapoos, Shawnees, Delawares. What happened to them? Olin Room in Olin Library.

Oct. 30

"Reading Asian American Writers" The lecture by Dr. Linda Moser, Department of English at Missouri State University, will provide an overview of major themes in Asian American fiction and poetry. Hearth Room in Bay Hall.

Nov. 6

"Copenhagen: When Physics and Theatre Meet" Dr. Bruce Callen of the Drury physics department will discuss the physics, personalities and politics which Michael Frayn drew upon in creating the play *Copenhagen*. Olin Room in Olin Library.

Nov. 13

"Copenhagen: When Physics and Theatre Meet" Dr. Robin Schraft of the Drury theatre department will discuss the challenges of bringing the real world of atomic physicists Niels Bohr and Werner Heisenberg to the theatrical world of Copenhagen while creating a play. Olin Room in Olin Library.

Nov. 20

No class

Nov. 27

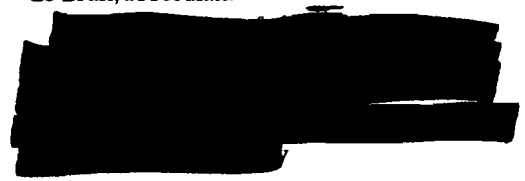
"Elder Abuse — A National Tragedy" Elder abuse is the country's most rapidly growing form of domestic violence. Author Dr. Sandra White will speak about this often hidden phenomenon and how it prompted her to write her novel *The Album*. Hearth Room in Bay Hall.

Dec. 4

"Don't Bite Me, I'm Santa Claus" Humorous observations and readings for the holidays by Mark Gideon of the Springfield Public Schools and Springfield Little Theatre who will be appearing in a production of *A Tuna Christmas*. Hearth Room in Bay Hall.

Dec. 11

Christmas Party 12:30 p.m. at Cooper Estates at the clubhouse. Members bring Christmas finger food. Entertainment: Lou Le Brun, accordion.



IML members are invited to a group performance of *Copenhagen* directed by Robin Schraft on Thursday, November 15. Also many members may want to see *Sweet Charity* in October, directed by Robert Whetsberg and *Yule Christmas* at The Springfield Little Theatre in December, starring Mark Gideon.

Join the group for lunch at Findlay Student Center at noon on the first Tuesday of the month: Oct. 2, Nov. 6, Dec. 4.

