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**Finger painting**

Cardonbade Police Sgt. Paul Echols, copies a suspect's finger prints off of a car, which was involved in an burglary attempt by the Cardonbade Community Library Monday.

**SIUC bookstore sales down**

University store contradicts national trend of increasing sales

By kellie Huttles Administration Writer

While national college stores reported an increase in course material purchases, SIUC's University Bookstore director says book sales are down.

James Skiers, director of the University Bookstore in the Student Center, said textbook sales are down 2.2 percent from last year, because student enrollment dropped 3.8 percent.

But the National Association of College Stores reported a 15.6 percent increase in textbook sales between August 1992 and 1993, compared with a 14.3 percent increase from the previous year.

The association said new textbook sales rose 16.5 percent, a smaller increase than in the 1991-92 accounting period (19.5 percent) and used-textbook sales increased 13.5 percent.

Skiers said his bookstore experienced a 1.3 percent decrease in new textbook sales, while used book sales stayed the same as last year's totals.

Lee Blankenship, manager of 710 Bookstore, 710 S. Illinois Ave, said book sales have been about the same as last year.

Blankenship said he felt good his sales were about the same because of SIUC's enrollment decrease.

Rella Adams, a senior in paralegal studies from Carbondale, said she

shops at 710 Bookstore for convenience.

"I had shopped there before, and it is much easier for me," she said. "It costs $2.10 less expensive." Adams said.

Blankenship said he had no figures on book sales from previous years or this year.

Skiers said the University Bookstore tries to carry a balance of both new and used books so students can save money.

"Used books are always the first to sell out," Skiers said. "We realize the college student's budget is limited and try to offer them lower prices."

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By Emily Prudig Politics Writer

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**Sports**

**Smothers injured in Detours incident**

By Dan Leahy
Sports Writer

Always one of the first players to arrive on the scene of a tackle, Saluki linebacker Clint Smothers has been invaluable to the Saluki defense since his arrival.

But the scene changed for Smothers at Detours early Friday morning.

While at Detours, Smothers was hit over the head with a beer bottle and sustained injuries Pat kept him from playing in Saturday's game against Indiana State.

Smothers said he was injured when the beer bottle cut through his ear, leaving it hanging by the lobe, and scraped the back of his head and neck.

The injury was treated at Cape Girardeau Hospital and Smothers went through three hours of plastic surgery and 127 stitches.

Smothers pressed charges on the alleged assailant, Travis Parr, 24, of Carbondale.

Parr faces one count of aggravated battery according to the Cape Girardeau Police Department.

The incident left the Saluki defense without its third-leading tackler on Saturday, but Smothers may be back as early as this week.

"The doctor thinks part of my ear is going to die," he said. "Then I would probably have some skin grafts done after the season to replace that tissue. I'll know more after I see the doctor on Thursday."

Smothers said he only went to Detours to pick up a friend.

"I was sitting there when a buddy of mine called and asked if I would pick him up at Detours," Smothers said. "So I went out there to give him a ride home."

After waiting outside for his friend to appear, Smothers decided to go in and find him.

Smothers said two guys bopped into him as he was walking through the bar.

"They must have been really looking for a fight or something," Smothers said. "I told them I was just picking up a friend, but the one guy was really causing a problem."

Smothers said blood from the bottle came over and removed the rowdy customer in a full-motion.

"I watched them take him all the way out of the bar and then I turned my back to go look for my buddy," he said. "That's when the other guy, who hadn't said a word, and I hadn't said a word to him, met with the bottle."

Smothers said he was in no see INJURY, page 11

**Comell's birthday wishes come true**

By Grant Deady
Sports Writer

Saluki men's cross country coach Bill Cornell received exactly what he wanted for his birthday last Saturday—a championship.

Cornell's troopers rebounded from last year's sixth-place finish at the Missouri Valley Championships to oust Drake and Illinois State for the MVC title.

Before the meet began, Cornell told his athletes that in celebration of his 60th birthday, he wanted to bring the MVC title back to Carbondale.

"I've always liked to win even when I'm not myself," he said. "Now I have to depend on my athletes and I hope my desire rubs off on them."

"Winning on my birthday was a pretty emotional moment."

Upon the announcement that SIUC had indeed clinched the championship, Cornell's team joined the coach on the back of the crowd and sang him happy birthday.

Meet champion Neil Emberton said Cornell had to fight back the tears when the coach gave him the "A"

"As coaches we don't want to be left out, but was our present to him," he said. "He's such a great coach. He obviously deserved it.""

The honors for Cornell didn't stop with the conference championship. MVC officials then awarded him with his second Coach of the Year Award in the past three years.

The jump from sixth place in the '92 championships, to first place in '93 was bound to turn people's heads towards the man in charge of the tamorous.

"Most of the time if you win the Coach wins Valley championship, you get the Coach of the Year," an always modest Cornell said.

"But the fact that we went from sixth to first didn't hurt."

This fall's squad has now won five of the six events in which it has competed in, heading into the NCAA District V Championships.

Cornell said this year his athletes are a very close knit and hard working bunch that support each other and off the track.

"They work well together" and socialize too, they're an easy crew to coach," he said.

"Just coach pretty much the same from year to year and this is an awfully talented group."

"Now I have to depend on my athletes and I hope my desire rubs off on them."—Bill Cornell

**Spikers try to shake losing woes**

By Kevin Bergquist
Sports Writer

Sometimes success cannot be measured in terms of wins and losses.

The SIUC volleyball team does not have a winning record (11-16), and it is coming off an 0-2 weekend when it saw its tournament chances take a drastic hit with a Friday night loss to Bradley.

Yet, on Saturday when the Salukis rebounded to give the next team in the league, Illinois State, another frustrating time in Carbondale, coaches and players saw the team they wanted to be and noticed that they are the verge of turning the corner.

"We are inches from where we want to be," he said. "It is so reachable that we know it is there and we sense it," SIUC head coach Sonya Locke said. "We have been on this roller-coaster all season, and we just can't get away from it. But, we are here."

Two times Saturday night, the Salukis let the Redbirds off to fast starts, but rebounded to hang in and postpone the loss. Down 6-2 in the third game, SIUC rallied for a 15-11 win, ISU opened game four with another 6-2 spurt, and held off a Saluki rally to win 15-10 and remain undefeated.

The push to four games could be considered victory enough. Of ISU's 18 victims this season, only seven have managed to push the Redbirds to four games. The Salukis have done it twice.

A moral victory? Perhaps. But don't expect that response from the players.

"The kids felt good about their performance, but they know it wasn't good enough," Locke said. "To say they played well, they don't want to hear that anymore, because just playing well won't get us what we need."

Illinois State head coach Julie Morgan, who has her team poised for a second consecutive Missouri Valley Conference crown, said she saw an improved Saluki team both times the teams met this fall.

"Southern did a great job offensively and defensively (Saturday)," Morgan said. "The first match we played (Oct. 1), felt that they left Redbird Arena that night, our team was very lucky."

**‘Rudy’ provides memories for former ‘Irish’ teammate**

Los Angeles Times

HOLLYWOOD—Bob Golic wasn't sure he wanted to see the movie. He turned down invitations to the premiere and several sneak previews. An aspiring actor since coming from the Los Angeles Dodgers before this season, Golic joked that he had to do with a smash at Central Catholic.

"I can't even get a role to pay myself in a movie," he said.

"Rudy," a Chicago boys' football story, stirred the passion of "Rudy" Ruettiger, son of an Illinois steel-mill worker determined to play football at Notre Dame despite lacking the requisite athletic skills.

Against all odds, Rudy clams his way into Notre Dame, makes the football scout team as a walk-on defensive end and realizes an impossible dream

when he suits up for one game in 1975 and plays 27 seconds against Georgia Tech.

Golic was a Notre Dame freshman that season, knew Ruettiger well was wide field when the real Rudy charged the huddle at Notre Dame—Studnic to thunderous cheers.

Yet, make up enough as not to see "Rudy." Golic feared "Rudy" not because he might not like, but because he might be too skinny for his height and run in a low all-too-obvious.

Golic — who turned 36 Tuesday — a football did not part easily last summer when, after a 14-month layoff in January, he announced his retirement at a tearful news conference.

"I had no reservations about seeing RUDY, page 11

**Smashing intensity**

Former faculty member, Tai Brown, takes advantage of Monday's sunny weather to play tennis outdoors. Brown was practicing his game at the courts by the SIU Arena. The courts were clear of the weekend snow, which melted by afternoon.

**Missouri Valley Conference volleyball standings**

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Standings as of 11/03

Saturday's performance helped ease the sting of Friday night's loss to Bradley. Going into the weekend, the match with the Lady Braves was seen as a must win — the Salukis did not get it.

Still, SIUC responded to give ISU a fight.

"I think they felt their performance (against Bradley) was below par and they wanted to redeem themselves," Locke said.

"I think they understand what is important; it is just a matter of accomplishing the goals we want to accomplish right now," Locke said.
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world

BOSNIANS FACE SECOND WINTER AT WAR — As cold weather arrives in Bosnia-Herzegovina, the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) is warning that war-exhausted Bosnia is again “in a fragile state of a major humanitarian disaster.” Yet, for the first time in this 19-month war, the alarm is not ringing mainly for Sarajevo. According to U.N. and other relief officials, this winter’s plight for the beleaguered capital may be less grim than for the rest of Bosnia, thanks largely to cut off from commerce and relief supplies for months, and five Serb-surronded Muslim enclaves in eastern and northern Bosnia.

HANOI RECEIVING IMPROMPTU FACE LIFT — With snow-shrouded, pre-war streets, some lakes and crumbling French colonial architecture, Hanoi has a certain decaying charm. But if developers have their way, the Vietnamese capital may not be so sedately gentled much longer as it looks to attract private investors and to boost economic growth are giving this nearly 1,000-year-old city a largely impromptu face lift.

Chinese herbs curb rodent alcohol use — In experiments featuring alcoholic hamsters treated with herbal extracts, scientists said they have found a pair of natural compounds that may someday prove useful for the treatment of alcohol abuse in humans. The research lends some credence to an ancient remedy for alcoholism still prescribed by traditional doctors in China and ultimately could shed new light on the biochemical underpinnings of the disease.

CITIZENSHIP

GARAGE INDUSTRY FACES TRYING TIMES — Three years ago, the garage industry thought it had finally attained the respectability and clout it had so long envied in others. Environmentalists blessed the industry’s new recycling operations. Wall Street investors bid up its stock. Now, in a dreary financial slump, the companies that haul the nation’s trash are still waiting for the New Age. After all, the industry was supposed to make them rich. President Clinton’s recent executive order to increase government purchases of recycled products will help, they say, but not enough to reverse their struggling image.

BALTIMORE DOCTOR’S ETHICS QUESTIONS BYED — Through his ties to both Dr. Neil Solomon and his overweight, light-skinning, depressed patients began, it seemed a natural progression of an uncommon bond between doctor and patient. But Baltimore honored his medical license Wednesday after admitting 30 years of sexual improprieties with at least eight female patients. In one of its harshest sentences ever, a state medical board made it virtually impossible for him to practice medicine anywhere again.

SCHOOL VOUCHER SUPPORTERS LOOK AHEAD — Supporters of a California ballot initiative to implement the nation’s most ambitious school voucher program expect defeat Tuesday. But they look beyond that to the next test of a concept that has become a cornerstone of conservative social policy. Under Proposition 174, parents could receive $2,600 annually per child in public funds for private school tuition. Proponents of 174 argue it would give poor and middle-class parents the same opportunity as wealthy parents to choose private schools. Supporters say it also would force public schools to improve.

U.S. WORKERS PLAN OWN RETIREMENT PLAN — With the decline of federally insured pension funds and the shift toward individual savings plans to pay for retirement, millions of American workers are left to decide how to invest their own retirement money. A recent survey by A. Foster Higgins & Co., a New York-based consulting firm, shows a sharp increase in the number of employees who are directing the investment of all their individual retirement funds, most of them with little or no employer guidance.

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Education key for NAACP

Fund puts power in minds of young African Americans

By Tina Davis
General Assignment Writer

The percentage of people on public aid who have a college education is so small, a calculus specialist would need to figure it out, a majority official says.

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President Linda Flowers said it was important to emphasize education, especially at the high school level. "It's important to prepare to test wits in finale Bowl," she said.

"We will be the money underwrite the student up to $5,000," he said.

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Pilas Purnell, director of the Division of Educational Services in Chicago, was the guest speaker at the banquet.

He said: "It is a country that does not believe in educating people in jail because education is power."

"It is the ability to get things done with and an education you can get things done quicker and quicker," Purnell said.

He said he often encounters African-American students who tell him they study at a racist institution.

"Don't tell me this school is racist," he told them, "before you're born," Purnell said. "And if you think you're going to change this school then you're a sure fool. All you got to do is graduate, become a lawyer and come back to turn the school around," Purnell said.

The company's purpose is to help inner-city students gain admission to colleges and universities, Purnell said.

"If all stared when I was talking to an employee who worked for me, she was young with a high school ring on," he said.

I asked her why she was going there another time and she said she did not have the money to go to college."

Also looking at the scholarships and attending meetings with college administrators, the speaker was placed into a new job.

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Panel’s suggestions need more research

A PANEL OF STATE LAWMAKERS AND OTHERS involved in state affairs recently released a report designed to rework the way the Legislature, judiciary, higher education and other state entities buy goods and services. The panel offered 82 recommendations aimed at making the purchasing process more efficient.

The committee’s assignment was the product of a resolution made by the Legislature, which came about after lawmakers felt it was time to get a handle on problems in purchasing. Under the provisions of that state contract, bids would be awarded by competitive sealed bids and an oversight board would monitor all purchases. All agencies would be required to justify in writing why they have selected a particular company or firm to be awarded the contract.

A recent report by the state estimated $384 million in no-bid contracts have been awarded by Illinois, and allegations of state officials awarding contracts to political cronies and campaign contributors. While these proposed changes may seem in order to control the ways in which state funds are spent, the creation of another bureaucratic entity may not be the answer.

THE IDEA OF BUREAUCRATS OVERSEEING THE way other bureaucrats manage their money is one that causes consternation when you consider the impropriety of the plan. The panel’s recommendation that this kind of board be created suggests it consist of five people who are appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate. Who is to say those people sitting on the oversight board will not be more of the same ol’ political power, and if they do, who will know about it?

The panel suggested the creation of a Procurement Policy Board and said the state should have one procurement law for simplicity. The state, as well as the federal government’s policy, for eliminating favoritism and waste has long been one of hiring an outside entity to check on the performance of government agencies thought to be playing by their own set of rules. While this has worked in the past, the idea of checks and balances established in the U.S. Constitution, it does not seem appropriate to engage in this practice which lends itself to becoming a vicious circle.

THE PROBLEMS STATE EMPLOYEES FACE WHEN attempting to purchase goods and services cannot be ignored, yet the solutions offered by the panel are really not solutions. In any bureaucratic system, the system needs to be changed. It cannot be eliminated simply by creating a unilateral policy to govern the way purchasing is done.

The Legislature is not expected to act on the recommendations until next spring, and in the meantime it is possible the members of the panel will reconsider some of their proposals. If they do not and the Legislature approves the recommendations, the state may find itself facing a comprehensice policy board, the first in its history. The goal of which must prove to be nothing more than to waste taxpayer’s money overseeing the ways in which various state agencies spend taxpayer’s money.

PERHAPS THE REAL ANSWER TO THE state’s funding problems should come from inside the agencies or at least from an objective, outside entity, familiar with each agency’s individual operations. There is no doubt the system needs to be changed, but instead it is often who you know, not what you need situation. This cannot be eliminated simply by creating a unilateral policy to govern the way purchasing is done.

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Letters to the Editor

INC confesses to plot

In the letter to the editor - "Liberal Vandalism Conspiracy to Silence Republicans," DE, October 14, Michael D. Caldwell of the College of Republicans exposes a diabolical plot to silence his group by a fiendish group of subversive liberals.

"You referring?" Caldwell writes, "to those of the liberal left who have been going around campus tearing down our advertisements off the bulletin boards."

Mr. Caldwell, let me introduce myself. I am an agent of the Central Committee of the InternationaJ Nudist Conspiracy (code name Boris). We are a group of Left Wing Communist sympathizers who advocate public nudism, fluoridation, vegetarianism, tree-hugging, homosexuality and giving condoms to four year old. I report directly to the Kremlin (m. et. al. Havanca... yea, uh. whatever).

We in the INC are aware of your struggle to promote your view of "traditional values, individual freedom, personal responsibility, free markets" Mom, apple pie, Truth, Justice and the American Way at SIU, and we are dedicated to stop you. We know now that you, Michael D. Caldwell, will be a formidable adversary and tough nut to crack (and I do mean nut). We have instructed our minions (code named Beavis and Butthead) to shadow your every move.

You are being watched. Your telephone line is tapped. You are being followed and they will not rest until every poster advocating College Republicans is ripped from the walls and destroyed.

Hey dude! Let go of your hang-ups, and try not to be so paranoid. OK? Jerry Probst, Alumnus, Dallas, Texas.

Student indicts holidays

Long ago the sages revealed to me ancient secrets, and I can see the prophecy unfolding on the streets of Carbondale! My cosmic guru told me of a time when small sectors of an increasingly self-engaged population would act in accordance with an infernal script. They would not realize their condition of servitude and would blissfully intoxicate themselves with offended soul food notions.

By their actions in the zones of commerce they would give law officers reasons to feel important and useful, and the clerks of the merchants would swell with the influx of those seeking alcoholic nourishment. Some would engage in new, unusual experiences and strains of authentic festivity would be seen beneath the veneer of what they are seen on television.

Normally submerged personality traits would become visible in the becoming — other of observing one’s habitual identity. Habituations would hold less power, if only because of excessive consumption of toxic beverage.

And in keeping with the script, those revelers would return to their normally socially-coded personalities once the excuse to misbehave was no more. They would be ever ready to mock those who seek an eruption of the proverbial "witches on wheels" and to the ambitions have a way and so it will come to pass! Be wary, Carbondale, for all of your official holidays will some form of national holiday as a result of social control they are and human beings will seize their own destiny!

—Craig Wilson, Senior, English and Philosophy

How to submit a letter to the editor:

A: You
B: Letter
C: Editor

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale
RALLY, from page 1

Lezra said NAFTA simply means that "This (NAFTA) is a sellout of American jobs and our country's future." He noted that "The 'buying down' clause will begin to lose its effect if we continue to have a trade deficit of $30 billion. The cost of each single item is $46 per person," he said. More information on the rally comes from page 2.

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By Bill Kupelberg

Mistakes, trivia highlight book for true 'Next Generation' fans

As if television watchers usually get excited and rush around the room when they spot an error in a program's production value or fact.

Now viewers of "Star Trek: The Next Generation" have at their disposal a handbook of errors and discrepancies appearing in one of the most popular television shows of all-time.

"The Nipitpicks' Guide for Next Generation Trekkers," written by Phil Farrand, is a complete guide to mistakes and plot discrepancies and anwers to Trekkie trivia.

In addition to examining the plot of each episode in the show's six seasons, Farrand includes trivia questions, plot oversights, equipment oddities and continuity problems.

The book also contains segments on various aspects of the show, including the Top 10 addictions of the show and trivia on other characters.

For example, Farrand notes the "damage to the console," which includes the number of times Picard is kidnapped (four), the number of times the ship is blown up (four times) and the number of times Data is electrocuted (three).

"Trek's Silliness" asks why Data cannot use contractions and why there is a lack of video communication with away teams.

This book is truly for the self-named "Next-Generation Trekkers." The look at each individual episode provides almost 300 pages of excruciating details that truly only a fan of the show would be patient enough to riddle.

The title of the book, which includes the word "episode," is an apt name for the in-depth study of the popular show.

For those with some interesting question: in the book which many eagle-eyed viewers may have asked while watching the show.

Proceeds from the sale will go toward renovating and refurbishing the Library's browsing room on the first floor, Haynes Library.

"This project will be a major financial undertaking for the Friends and it may take them two years to complete the funding, but the renovation of this area will be a valuable gift to the Library and its patrons," she said.

During its 30-year existence as an advocacy group for library fundraising, the members have supported and contributed to purchases for the special collections department, the map library and computer hardware units, Hayworth said.

"Although the annual book sale is the key money-making activity for this group, it will also host a variety of events throughout the year," Friend Steve Tyler said.

The group has an annual banquet, featuring a prestigious speaker and currently planning a contest for the best student library some in this year, which aims to draw attention to the organization, he said.

Tyler said the group's membership is now about 125 to 150 people and the entire group meets at the annual banquet.

Book sale to raise funds for Morris

By Lanie Stockman

General Assignment Writer

"Downsides of good books, with be," the Friends of Morris Library book sale in the library's browsing room. Text, photograph, and children's books will be among the many for sale on Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., with prices ranging from 50 cents to $1 for most hardbacks, Pat Hayworth, executive secretary for the group, said.

The sale will consist of books donated to the library but not used in its own collections, she said.

Marion attorney files lawsuit, wants arrest warrants public

American News Service

A Marion attorney filed suit late last week, Police Chief Marie Basler in an attempt to make sure arrest warrants open to the public.

Robert Drew attempted to access files contained in the "warrant drawer," at the Circuit Court's office on Thursday, and was turned away by Basler.

Judge Paul Murphy issued a temporary order to allow Drew to examine the files.

The three files Drew tried to examine were all outstanding felony cases from two issued in 1990 and one in 1991.

The files are routinely kept separate from other court records and are not considered public records, Basler said.

However, Drew said there is no statute prohibiting access to the warrant files.

He claims he had access to those files for fifteen years, even at times when Basler has seen them examining them.

"Basler has undertaken to create a problem where none should exist," he said. "I don't know what the hell his goal is."

In the lawsuit, Drew states he was not aware of any prohibition against his accessing the files and was "arbitrarily and capriciously denied access" to them by Basler.

"There is no statute on (outstanding arrest warrants). She just decided that's what it was going to be."

But Basler claims Drew has not been a court officer since he stopped being a public defender five years ago.

According to Basler, public defenders, investigation officers, judges and office employees are the only ones allowed access to files in the warrant drawer.

Others can view the files if they receive written permission from an employee or verbal permission from a judge, she said.

Basler did not cite a statute for reasoning as to why the files are kept separate, but said the practice is common in other circuit court's.

"They’ve been in this cabinet since I came onto the office," she said. "As far back as I know, they have been kept separate."

Basler said other files, such as those containing adoptions or juveniles, are kept apart from count files deemed public record to protect the people involved with the case.

"If there’s a warrant against somebody, I don’t think it needs to be in the newspaper," she said.

She said all outstanding arrest warrants are placed in the public records once the warrant is returned.

Drew accused Basler of giving her office to pass judgement on who should or shouldn't have access to files in the public record.

"I think she just picked this out of the air," he said. "There’s no statute on (outstanding arrest warrants). She just decided that’s the way things should be."

Drew said the files can be examined by anyone if they have a name or a case number.

He said he would soon file an amended version of the lawsuit to get the judge to hand down a definitive ruling on the
Gimenez says he attributes the expertise toward a doctorate in finance from Saluda's College from first-hand contact with Clinton's health care in the Health and Human and brass paper weight, Buchness third-place winner will receive whether or whether poetry. He would be 'thrilled if council said learns are allowed four to have 2:29:026.

By Charlotte Rivers Entertainment Writer

An SIUC student whose poem has been published in a national anthology hopes he can encourage others to pursue writing.

Breit Gayer, a graduate student in higher education from Chicago, said, "He wants his poem's publication to serve as an example to students."

"I hope high school kids read my poem in a book and see me as one of 10 players whom they see everyday, that it can happen to them," Gayer said.

Gayer works at Carbondale High School.

The poem, "I, Spidy," is about Gayer's relationship with his late grandmother, Bessie Gayer. Gayer said his grandmother, who was a poet, encouraged him to write. "Even though she was not published, she wrote a lot of poetry," Gayer said.

"She would be thrilled to know that I have written one that has been accepted," "I Spidy" and five more of Gayer's poems were accepted recently in the National Library of Poetry. The first poem appears in "Beneath the Clouds," a collection of poetry by 70 writers published this year. The other poems will appear in later volumes, Gayer said.

"I sent them poems before, but this is the first time any have been accepted," he said.

Gayer competed with thousands of other poets for publication in "Beneath the Clouds." Julie Buchness, National Library of Poetry editor, said her office receives 15,000 to 20,000 submissions for each annual volume.

The contest is open to all poets. "Two other editors and I narrowed it down to 3,000 to 5,000 semi-finalists per book," she said.

From there we just keep narrowing it down to 70 winners.

Gayer received his bachelor's degree in language arts education at SIUC.

He said he has been writing poetry for about 20 years.

**HEALTH, from page 3**

Human is the groove with Clinton's health care plan," Baggs said. More than 300 people will attend the conference this year — the most in the 28 years the association has been presenting it, Devers said. Ginez said she attributes the high participation to comprehensive programming offered, hark work put into promoting the event and nationally renowned speakers.

"For a conference of this high quality you would usually have to go to New York, Washington, Chicago or some big city," Ginez said. "It's first class in every aspect."

Registration fees to attend the conference are required. For more information, contact Shelly Ginez at 536-7571.

**COLLEGE, from page 3**

The two groups are the first and only poetry contest that emerged from Saturday's College Bowl Tournament of 13 teams. "We're Only In It For The Money," won the winner's bracket and "Movie of Poetry" came in second in the loser's bracket. Zeligman believes his team's experience will prevail in tonight's tournament.

"I would be absolutely shocked if "Movie of Poetry" Zeligman said.

Zeligman, from Carbondale, represents students in English from SIUC and is working toward a doctorate in inductology.

Patrick Brandon, a freshman from Herrin, said his team, "We're Only In It For The Money," will have a close game. "We've beaten them before so I think we can do it again," he said.

"I'm sure we will receive $500 and the losing team $400. The Student Programming Council helps organize college bowl," David Castle, adviser to the council, said teams are allowed four players with up to two alternates. He said the SIUC tournament will be used to determine the eight people for the SIUC All-Star Team.

"We will be looking at the performance of the players and deciding which ones are good enough for the University's team," he said. "From the final eight we will choose five for the SIUC College Bowl varsity team and the other three will be alternates."

Zeligman said he has high hopes for this year's team. "This is the biggest and strongest field I've seen in five years I have participated in this tournament," he said.

Zeligman said that last year the SIUC team came in second to University of Illinois in the regional tournament.
November 2, 1993

**Comics**

*Doonesbury* by Garry Trudeau

I'm up for a Howard Stern movie, so you're not going to be
here then.

In a previous life, I was
Howard Stern's
grandmother.

No kids,
so you must
be so proud.

Well, he's
come from
our people;
more art
form.

Very
annoying.

To think we
considered
him...

Cute angle.
I'll tell
publicity.

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*Shoe* by Jeff MacNelly

I'm afraid she's
had it. I'll call
in a specialist.

You know some
who could help?

The only
man for
the job.

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*Calvin and Hobbes* by Bill Watterson

A person
should be
safe from
prescriptions
in their
own house.

If I had
nutrition
like this, I'd be
glad for the
opportunity
to prescribe.

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*Mother Goose and Grimm* by Mike Peters

When press gets
door bags
for your head.

This is an
impertinent
little wine.

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*Walt Kelly's Pogo* by Pete and Carolyn Kelly

What's with
the notebooks?

Don't tell
man nothing.

What do you
think I am, as
witty

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Jeffrey Human
Director of the Office of Rural Health Policy
U. S. Department of Health and Human Services

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nation's rural health expert.

Wednesday, November 3, 1993
1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Ballroom D
Student Center

This lecture is open to the public and is free of charge.

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**Today's Puzzle**

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Today's puzzle answers are on page 11.
Leaves be gone!

SUIC physical plant workers clean up the landscape on campus. The workers were mowing and gathering leaves off the lawns Monday afternoon.

EWING, from page 11

success depends greatly on how much he knows about the man the Knicks will have to ride to a championship. "He's established his game, and he doesn't want any new young thunder to come in and steal what he's got."

That combination of motivations is not a bad one to have: to be the best of an unprecedented lot of great centers, and to carry your team to the top.

In Ewing's case, they go hand in hand. He will say, "Naturally, I want to perform at my best all the time. It doesn't make a difference why it is. I try to look my game up to the best I can." And, "It doesn't matter how I do against any one person. You definitely want to win. If I have a great game and we lose, people won't remember all that I did. They just remember we lost."

CENTERS, from page 11

rapper or basketball player?"

Well, his basketball contract does run at least three more years. And a second album is due next summer. Should you know about the man in the eye, waves his hand and says no more records after that. But this time, you're not sure whether to take his word or not.

It's tough to distinguish between Shaquille O'Neal's off-season and in-season. The two are actually one.

He gets a 12-month workout from the weight room and the game's best centers.

He spent July and August held up inside McDonough Arena on the Georgetown University campus. It is the only place on the planet where

of time to win the coveted title. But he does show a touch of envy when he compares the situations Mourning and O'Neal face to the one he walked into in 1985.

"I wish that when I first came into the league that the Knicks had surrounded me with the same talent that those guys are surrounded with," Ewing said.

That is precisely the reason he is so eager to win now.

As much as Ewing's game has expanded, as much as he has emerged as a vocal leader, he says his circumstances have changed more than he has.

"I always thought I knew what it took to win a championship. I've won it at every level," he said. "I think that now that management has brought players in to get us to a championship, it's only a matter of time."

three of last year's top rebounding centers vacationed together.

Mourning attacks the weights just as fanaticaly. No tendons are spared. Some days it's pecs and triceps and shoulders, other days calves and thighs and abs.

The results can't be hidden under a baggy T-shirt. Mourning looks like he can do Calvin Klein ads. Muscles everywhere on his 6-10, 245-pound frame, all balanced on a 33-inch waist.

Mourning takes this attitude on the court, where he averaged 21 points, .03 rebounds and 3.47 blocks to nudge his way among the game's elite centers last year.

"He came to us without instructions," Hornets Coach Allan Bristow said. "Zo never has to be told when to work. I don't think I've ever seen anyone with his kind of discipline right out of college. He's very serious about his profession."

Most times, Zo comes off serious about everything. He seems to smile only on Christmas. But then, he's from Georgetown. Intimidation is a big part of his game.

"Knowing that you're in another player's mind gives you that edge," Zo said. "I try to send that message with physical play, aggressiveness and shot-blocking. I want them to be looking for me when I'm not in the game."
Ewing plans on giving his all, not afraid of young competition

When Patrick Ewing places winning a championship at the top of his priority list, believe him. Nine years into his National Basketball Association career, 10 seasons removed from the NCAA title he won at Georgetown, Ewing is driven by nothing more than his insurmountable desire to grip that trophy, to feel the championship trickle down his face, to experience just one time what his friend Michael Jordan has three times.

Ewing enters this regular season knowing that he and the force sent Shaq on his way. Then Mourning turns to Shaq and shows the same menacing glare that the kid gave Shaq in the Pepsi commercial. Uh-uh.

"Man, you see that?" Magic said afterward, rolling his eyes. "What was that all about? This was supposed to be fun." There were only two blocks recorded in the game, only two blocks attempted, really. Both by Mourning. Both on Shaq.

"I think somebody was trying to tell somebody something," Miami Heat guard Steve Smith said.

Shaquille O'Neal and Alonzo Mourning aren't cutting up. Everything's about to begin their second NBA seasons, yet already, the two centers define power basketball and revive some cloudy Wilt vs. Russell moments.

What's so appetizing about the two are the styles. Shaq needs to polish his game, but still breathes and gets 24 points and a dozen rebounds. At 7-foot-1, 303 pounds, he is mass times strength, Mourning has a construction worker's biceps but also quickness and a jumper from the key that's surprisingly loyal. Personality? Shaq crowns, Mourning frowns.

The endorsement and attention scales are also tilted. Shaq raps and makes movies and commercials. Mourning would if he could, and sometimes feels he should.

Their clash of a floor this year, minus the playoffs — will be very interesting.

Their presence in a league without Jordan, Magic and Larry Bird is very important. Their threat to the New York Knicks' Patrick Ewing is very real.

Shaq's expanding world outside basketball hasn't affected him, at least not yet. He ran at a small for-ward's pace in the Magic's preseason 12-minute run. Plus, Shaq's coach Hill said his condition is better than it was the time last year.

Shaq promises a jump-hook and a few low-post moves. He says he'll also increase the intensity.

"I love basketball," he said, "but I'm multi-talented. People haven't seen a person like me." Shaq smiled.

"If I wanted to rap instead of playing ball, I could. I don't know what I want to be sometimes, a

RUDY, from page 12

seeing the movie because I'm still a little emotional about this whole football thing," Golick says. "And you couldn't know what to expect. It hasn't been real easy for me.”

Ruestiger recently addressed a convention of computer programmers in San Diego. After his 22-minute pop talk, the crowd went wild and said, "Rudolph, Rudy, Rudy!" Ruestiger also has proof that Golick was snuck-club in the middle of his dress.

"I've got a picture of me being carried off the field, and he's right next to the kids carrying me off," Ruestiger said.

It's set. Golick agrees to see "Rudy" with a reporter in Torrance, a Los Angeles suburb. We will record Tuesday evening, Oct. 19, for the PBS showing. Tuesday comes, show time approaches, and it's proxy clear this is no player joke. His first season had receded into foggy muddle, but it is coming back to him now in Technicolor.

"Our offense broke huddle and it was one of those, bright, fall, sunny days," Golick says. "And you could see their helmets just shining. And I remember standing on the sideline, and I honestly almost took a step back and said, 'My God, I'm playing for Notre Dame.' I had been so up in it, everything I had to learn and do. I almost took it for granted what was going on."

"It was a 50-50 chance," Golick says later. "Ilike things like that," Golick says. "In a commercial recently on TV, I saw a home run and a TV commercial. I said, "Wow.""