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By Robert Williams and Robert O'Daniel

Homecoming is really underway now. Things that were just starting last week are really now in full swing...

reserved seats in the stadium for the participants in the parade. High school bands will be present to add color and music to the parade.

LITTLE THEATRE GROUP APPOINTS LAY COMMITTEES

Little Theatre members were all evening appointments at meeting held Tuesday night, October 24...

Decline In Colds During Past Week

Colds are on the decline now, according to Dr. Alan A. Higgins, colds are on the decline now, according to Dr. Alan A. Higgins...

DR. JOHN RUSSELL TO SPEAK AT HOMECOMING

Commemorations to celebrate 75th anniversary of the University of Illinois will be held by Southern Illinois University...

DR. P. MANNICHE TO SPEAK IN AUDITORIUM

International Understanding Through Adult Education will be the subject of a speech by Dr. Peter Manniche...

Faculty Homecoming Chairmen



Shown above are faculty chairman of the homecoming committee...

CONTEST RULES FOR HOMECOMING ARE ANNOUNCED

Johnny Mulkin, homecoming parade committee chairman, announces that all float entries for the homecoming parade are to be in by October 16...

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STUDENTS

Southern's 1947 football team will be presented at a pep rally on the steps of the Shryock Auditorium...

Audio-Visual Aids Expands Services

Donald A. High, director of the Audio-Visual Aid Center, has announced a reorganization and expansion of services...

SPEAKER ENGAGED TO GIVE TALKS TO ART STUDENTS

To further interest in art on the campus and in southern Illinois, Kappa Pi Art Society has engaged speakers to give talks to art students...

SOUTHERN'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct. 11—Football game—Southern vs. Indiana State at Terre Haute, Indiana.
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Oct. 13—State Teachers College Board meeting at Normal.
Oct. 13—Lecture by Dr. Peter Manniche, president, International People's College, Elsinore, Denmark.
Oct. 14—Class officer elections.
Oct. 16—Sigma Beta Mu open house.
Oct. 18—State meeting of Junior Classical Association at Normal.
Oct. 18—Football game—Southern vs. Western at Macomb.

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SCHOOL BROADCAST OVER WCIL BEGUN OCT. 6

Southern Illinois University opened its 1947-48 radio broadcasts Monday, Oct. 6, for the second year using the channels of three Southern Illinois radio stations...

FINAL ENROLLMENT FIGURE ANNOUNCED

A final figure of 2850 students for Southern for this term was announced by Dr. Charles D. Jones, administrative assistant to the president...

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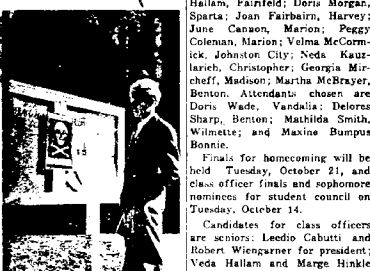
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Candidates For Queen, Class Officers Chosen At Oct. 7 School Election

Nominations for homecoming queen, her attendants, and class officers was held at a school election on campus October 7...



Queen nominations are Veda Hallam, Fairfield; Doris Morgan, Sparta; Joan Fairbairn, Harvey; Jane Cannon, Marion; Peggy Coleman, Marion; Velma McCormick, Johnston City; Nedra Kausz, Caribou, Christian; Georgia Mitchell, Madison; Martha McBrayer, Benton. Attendants chosen are Doris Wade, Vandalia; Delores Sharp, Benton; Mathilda Smith, Wittinette; and Maxine Bumpus, Bonnie.

NO BULLS NATCHING REPORTS SPLATS

Due to an adequate supply of light bulbs, natching of the physical plant, bull natching has been stopped, reported Dr. Wm. N. Phelps...

Absence From Class Must Be Reported

Student absences from class, according to the Student Life Office, must be reported by the student if they are to be excused.

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# Southern's Museum Is Storehouse Of Illinois Folklore

## History of Southern's Museum Coincides With School's Growth

Southern's museum was started in the early history of Southern by Dr. Cyril Thomas. Later Professor French continued with what has become the museum as a storehouse for the collection of fossils as well as a large botanical collection.

At the museum expanded it was added upon the north end of the first floor of Old Main to the attic. From the attic, it was moved to the east end of the third floor, Parkinson Laboratory.

Dr. Fred Cagle came to Southern as a student and became interested in the museum. His work and the restored museum are the result of his interest.

The W.P.A. program with the help of John Allen started the historical research which contains data on most of the collections.

At present the museum is again lacking space which necessitates remodeling and planning enlarging.

Allen and Raymond Day of the placements office are planning to supply educational and historical museum equipment to schools of the surrounding counties. The displays will be loaned to further aid in teaching.

Southern's museum will be represented in the Saline county centennial, which is to be held in Harriaburg on October 25.

Some of the larger collections in the museum were donated by Dr. Robert Owens of Harriaburg; Will C. Hood of the Sparta museum; Ben L. Wiley, Mahaska; the

## NEAR 3700 PERSONS VISIT MUSEUM LAST YEAR

The Southern Illinois University Museum of Natural and Social Sciences averaged 3700 visitors to the museum last year. This is the annual average of both before and after the war. However, during the war because of the lack of transportation, the average was considerably less.

Crawford family of Jonesborough, and the Lehigh sisters of Villa Ridge.

The purpose in having and maintaining the museum is as a teaching device rather than a storage space for a curio shop.

## MUSEUM GUESTS WELCOME

Has this coverage of Southern's museum been entirely new to you? Perhaps you did not know previously that a museum existed on Southern's campus, or perhaps you didn't know where it was located.

The museum is located on the third floor at the east end of the hall in Parkinson Laboratory.

John W. Allen, acting director of the museum, extends a cordial invitation to all students, especially new students, to visit it. It is open each school day during lunch hours.

## Now Extinct Passenger Pigeon Among Museum's Mounted Birds

## LORRAINE WATERS IS MUSEUM RESEARCH AIDE

Artist and historian, Lorraine L. Waters, a research assistant in Southern's museum, came here from Quincy, Illinois where she was born. She received her Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Southern, and began her research work at the State museum, working for three years as assistant staff artist.

Miss Waters has concentrated her study in the fields of history and art throughout her education at Southern, receiving high honors in the field of liberal arts. In her junior and senior years she was active in Kappa Pi, National Honor Society.

She spends much of her time collecting music as a hobby, and her favorite sport is bicycling.

## Museum Displays Scenes of Early Pioneer Life

The scene of a log house in Williamson county, one with an earth floor and original 1845 furnishings would be considered of interest to all, but how many students at Southern have spent some of their time browsing around the museum, seeing this scene and many others in the Pioneer Village?

In the collection is the reproduction of the Dame School, an early type often kept in the kitchen of a home. Generally a widow with scant education would establish such a school as a means to earn a livelihood.

Most interesting also is the tests of skill shown in both scenes of Shooting Match and Pioneer Sports. In the latter, the men rode to the settlers' home, a goodie to a tree. If he succeeded in pulling off the head, the carcass was his prize. The rider was frequently unseated in his effort and left sprawling on the ground.

The realistic display of hog killing shows hogs being scalded, scraped, dressed, and cut-up. When the meat had cooled, most was salted and preserved. The rest was hung over smoldering fires and smoked for several days.

The scenes of that day, the early work shop, blacksmith shop, and the Lancaster school, are only a few of the remaining points of interest—but to enjoy them, one must see them.



Farmer and his dog. One of a number of woodcarvings by Fred Meyer of West Frankfort. These carvings are made from walnut stumps.

## Museum Staff Receives Old Texts To Study Ruins of 'Ghost Towns'

The research trips of the staff of the Southern Illinois University Museum of Natural and Social Sciences take place around historic sights and court houses to seek old books, letters, manuscripts, and ancient household and farm implements. During the summer term, an old set of texts was found in a region near Du Quin. These were obtained from Mr. Kimmell who lives there and whose mother, Mrs. Jackson, was the 79th person to enroll in Southern Illinois Normal University.

The few program of research will take the museum staff to study the three vanished villages in and around Hardin County. These villages are Palmyra, which was abandoned 130 years ago and was then in the Wabash County; Waverly in Edwards County was deserted 120 years ago, and approximately 70 years ago Restonville, in Hamilton County, was left desolate except for bits of rubble.

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Arvin Peithman, manager of the state experimental farm and an ardent collector of Indian artifacts. Peithman has the best collection of Southern Illinois material that have been assembled. They are now on display in the museum.

## MUSEUM FAN MAIL

Although inquiries by mail about the museum are almost a daily experience with Mr. Allen, this week a total of 18 fan letters came as a result of a news story in the Chicago Sunday Tribune. The Tribune story described the museum's publication in detail, prompting interested readers to send for copies of it.

## MUSEUM PAMPHLET IS PUBLISHED TRI-MONTHLY

A pamphlet is produced every three months by the staff of the Southern Illinois University Museum of Natural and Social Sciences and edited by Lorraine Waters, Research Assistant and Artist. Each pamphlet must be approved by the Publications Council of the university.

The positions on the Museum pamphlet staff are: John W. Allen, Curator of History; Doris Morgan, Assistant Artist; Barbara Bostie, assistant editor; Julius Swayne, Biologist; Russell Peithman, student assistant.

The pamphlet contains information concerning various experiments, research work, interesting ancient styles and places, and exhibit sketches.

A new pamphlet is ready for publication as soon as it is approved by the Publications Council.

## Museum Curator, Southern Graduate, Joined Faculty in 1942

An expert on all those antiquated articles a person might find in his attic, barn, or basement, is John W. Allen, curator of Southern's museum who joined our faculty in 1942.

Mr. Allen, born and reared in Hamilton county, Ill., graduated from Southern in 1912. Later, he studied at the University of Illinois, and in 1919 attended the London University in London, England.

An enthusiast of historical hobbies, he has had a background working as a construction engineer, boat builder, fly fisherman, and logger. Training hours rated high when he worked as a trainer in California years ago. Although he has never piloted an airplane he was particularly interested in aviation back in 1910, and through this experience became acquainted with Glen Martin, owner of the largest airplane manufacturing concern in the world.

As a historian, he has toured fourteen foreign countries, and has seen many of our 48 states. Through his travels he made acquaintance with King George and Queen Mary of England and died with Lady Astor. While in the Marine Corps in the first World



John W. Allen, Acting director of the museum at work on a plaster cast of an Indian carving.

War, he met Rudyard Kipling and danced with the great poet's daughter.

Mr. Allen enjoys reading and has written both the Randolph and Jackson county notes, and he is working now on the Pope county notes. Homeless rates par to him for the present time he is building his own garage and workshop.



The Coal Miner. Another wood carving by Fred Meyer. These things have attracted nation wide attention. The museum has more than 20 of them including several of prehistoric animals. Mr. Meyer never had any art training.

## 90-Year-Old Land Office Desk Among Museum's Many Relics

Among the quaint and ancient in our own museum, there is a desk, being used practically every day, but visitors seldom note of it, even though they the register which lies on its top is the original land office used in early times in Kaskia. Its age is not known, but thought to be about ninety years old. It was secured by Prof. C. Hood with the help of Rev. Elliott, of Swanwick. Until

presented the old home-made walnut ruler belonging to the land office. This ruler is round and approximately eighteen inches in length.

When the desk was secured by the Southern Illinois University, it was covered with several coats of paint. By carefully removing several of the spots, the paint revealed marks and scars evidently caused by spilled acid. The scars indicated that when it was first used, the desk was unpainted. Ac-

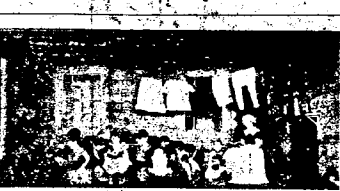


A familiar sight in Southern's museum is the original land office taken from Kaskaskia about 90 years ago. Visitor's registration is shown on table.

identally the desk was in the hands of William Adair of Swanwick. When Mr. Adair moved from place the desk was sold at a square iron screw box. Rev. Elliott, knowing its original value bid it off, saving some being bought for a trifle used in a farmer's barn for iron screw box. Rev. Elliott gave it to Mr. Hood, who went to Swanwick and got the desk at sale; and brought it to the museum.

Accordingly the paint was removed, the desk was taken apart, joints were reglued, and the office desk are the ruler, inkwell, and sand shaker. The sand shaker has a funnel top which holds the sand used for blotting wet ink. After the sand is poured into the wet writing it is poured back into the container for further use.

It was across this desk that the money passed in payment for land purchased by the pioneers in the western half of Southern Illinois. Also, at this desk the certificates of purchase were made and records of deeds, issued by the general land office at Washington, D. C. were kept. When we stop to think that it was over this desk that the millions of dollars in gold and silver were paid and the millions of acres of land transferred to the settlers, the old desk seems quite significant.



Dame school. Scale model of a type of school sometimes used during pioneer days by a housewife in her home.



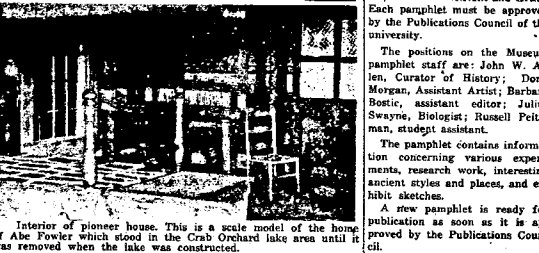
Upstairs and downstairs view of the Fowler home.



Interior of a better class of pioneer house.



One of the museum's dramas: a corrugated zinc washboard, and of a typical pioneer washday, boiling clothes in a heavy kettle, showing a woman scrubbing on.



Interior of pioneer house. This is a scale model of the home of Abe Fowler which stood in the Crab Orchard lake area until it was removed when the lake was constructed.



John W. Allen, Julius Swayne, Lorraine Waters, Doris Morgan, and Russell Peithman beside the fireplace in the Pioneer House.



House raising. A drama that demonstrates the method used in constructing a pioneer log cabin.

# SOUTHERN SOCIETY

**ANTHONY MALL**  
The 121 girls of the Hall welcomed Miss Doris Sewell, Assistant Director, into their midst at a party October 1st.  
Marge Binkle and Muriel McCann were in charge of the party.

## DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

The Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority had their 1947-48 convention at the fall term last Friday night, United States Thanksgiving. The night was a theme throughout the house, the Delta Sigma arranged for guests to be entertained by a variety of programs. They stayed overnight in the frat house.  
They were greeted at the door of the Chapter House by a figure dressed from Arabian Nights, Scheherazade. The dancer was portrayed by Lee Chones.  
After being shown the house, guests were ushered into the Festival of Baghdad. The scene of this mythical festival was supposedly an Arabian market-place, held in the Delta Sig banquet hall.  
The girls wish to thank, Sam Smith-Turner for his time and his advice, both of which certainly helped make this year's convention a success.  
The singer was Miss Phyllis King, who was a great help in the planning of the week-end. They were Jane Kimmel and Mary Weber of Woodville, Jane Betts of Mt. Vernon, and Lou Walter of Homewood.  
Last Tuesday, the Delta Sig entertained the Pi Kap and Tri Sigma activities at a buffet supper held at their sorority house. The chairman of the hospitality committee for the Delta Sig decorations had been chosen.  
Pat Rose is chairman of the house decorations and Pat Tapp is secretary.

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Monday evening, October 6. With Bill Stearns, Bob Reed, Bill Tully, and Bob Surgen, and other acts with Roy Egan, Dick Thompson. 21 Allen, Milton Whitton, Betsy Stevens, David Moore, Roy Wadlock, Jack Bonneviller, and A. C. Babara, and with a surprise gift of 25 pounds of ice presented to Miss Velma McCormick of the Pi Kaps, the evening was a success.  
Thursday night the pledges of this hall gave an impromptu send-off party to the organization at the house of the Pi Kaps. The guests were: George Louis Hammock and George Seiffert of the Delta Chi, who are in the cast of the homecoming play.

## KAPPA DELTA ALPHA

Aside from discussion plans for homecoming at the regular meeting Monday night, Lou Gaskins of Harrisburg was elected new K.D.A. vice-president.  
The frat also had a hayride-wooded night Wednesday evening with members of the Tri Sig Sorority. The event was held at Campground's resort which is visiting at the house this week.

## A. C. E.

The Association of Childhood Education, and the sponsors of Dr. Steve Metz, has begun its year's activities. The organization is for all elementary education teachers and minors.  
The newly elected officers are: Paul Coleman, president; Carolyn Anderson, vice-president; and Betty Rhodes, secretary.  
The A. C. E. group plan to enter a float in the homecoming parade. Co-chairman of the float are Louise Lienesch and Carolyn Anderson.  
Tentative plans are being discussed for a convention of all those interested in kindergarten education. The date is sometime late in November.

## TRI SIGMA NEWS

Sigma Sigma Sorority held its annual Fall Open House Wednesday, October 1, from 7:00-10:00 p. m. The Chapter House was transformed into the "910 Night Club" for the evening. Four of the pledges, dressed in black and white costumes and acting as cigarette girls, were: Mary Lou Hinton, Betty Sue Collins, and Barbara Hudgins.  
French tea and cookies were served at the 810 Bar which was in the Chapter Room.  
Entertainment was provided by Ann Kuhn, who sang, "I Wish I Didn't Love You So," and "Rooney McCarthy," who sang several "Bingo" numbers.  
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The girls of the Delta Chi gathered together in the Chapter House on Wednesday night for cards and dancing.

## PI KAPPA SIGMA

The active members of Pi Kappa Sigma were entertained by the Delta Delta Chi pledges Monday night, October 6. Betsy Stevens was the master of ceremonies. The Delta Chi pledges entertained with songs, impersonations, and a lecture on advice to the lovers and the ways of alcohol.  
The 19 "key" pledges entertained the Delta Chi at the same evening with a play and songs.  
Fifteen active Pi Kaps were invited to a dinner given by the Delta Sigma sorority October 7. Plans are underway for a Pi Kap Open House to be held in the very near future.

## ALPHA PHI OMEGA

Alpha Phi Omega, National Service Fraternity, is continuing the organization of a chapter here at Southern. The fraternity, national in scope, has over 130 active chapters at colleges and universities throughout the country. It is composed of men who are or have been members of the Boy Scouts of America. The purpose of the

# 136 Pledged To Greek Organizations

All sororities and fraternities of campus at Southern have added 136 new pledges in the last few weeks and have added 186 names as pledges in their houses.  
Alpha: Roy Allen, Delta Delta Chi; "Babe" Hartline, Don Lewis, Dave Kendallman, Chi Delta Chi.  
Ashley: Langley; Wade, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Bellevue: Jack Faszinski, Delta Chi; Lee-Wolters, Donald Karr, Kappa Delta Alpha; Ray Palmer, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Carmel: Betty Eigh, Sigma Sigma Sigma; James Webb, Tom Shirley, Bill Hollada, Randy Doty, Gene Prowell, Bill Harris, Don Harris, Don Cox, Chi Delta Chi.  
Bonnie: Roy Baker, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Calro: Jo Bunch, Sigma Sigma Sigma.  
Carbondale: Loraine Carr, Helen Crowl, Delta Sigma Epsilon; Sue Baker, Yvonne Hastings, Barbara Hudgins, Runette McCarthy, Doris Petty, Sigma Sigma Sigma.

fraternity to "develop friendship and promote services to humanity." Alpha Phi Omega, as a service fraternity, crosses all lines of honorary, social and professional fraternities and members of other campus organizations may also be active in this fraternity.  
The next meeting of Alpha Phi Omega will be held Tuesday, October 14, at 7:30 p. m. in room 102 Main. All men who are or have been members of the Boy Scouts of America are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

## NORMANDY

A member of the Normandy, June Flynn, is one of Southern Illinois University's new cheerleaders. Miss Flynn was a cheerleader last year for Pinksylvania. The Normandy has a new house-mother, Mrs. Margaret Hilsenrager.

## N.E.A.

The members of Nu Epsilon Alpha will have an exchange party with Anthony Hall on Wednesday night October 8.  
On November 15 the fathers of N.E.A. members and pledges will be guests of the fraternity. Tentative plans for their entertainment include the football game with Eastern in the afternoon and a banquet in the evening. It is hoped that this will become an annual event, with eventual participation by the entire student body.  
The N.E.A. pledges will have a party with the Tri Sig pledges on Wednesday night of next week.  
Pledge officers for the Fall term were recently elected. They are: Vinces Vinces, president; Charles Whitson, vice president; Sam Dobanks, secretary, and Sam Corona, treasurer.

Johnson Co-op girls and their dates enjoyed a hayride Monday night at the Dodge farm, south of town.

A. C. Babara, Harold Christman, David C. Moore, Paul E. Allen, Delta Delta Chi; Glem Whitteben, George Alley, Sigma Beta Mu; Dick Hunter, Carl Robinson, Bob Turner, Johnny Fly, Bill Hudgens, Walter Crowell, Edwin Lunde, Jim Shafter, Tom East, Carl Robertson, Chi Delta Chi.  
Caryle: Sylvia Ann Terry, Sigma Sigma Sigma.  
Carmel: Virginia Cralley, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Carverville: Julia Ann Harper, Delta Sigma Epsilon; J. W. Ridley, Delta Delta Chi.  
Centralia: Delores Sloan, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Donald Karraker, Delta Delta Chi; Warren Garren, Chi Delta Chi.  
Chester: Shirley Middendorf, Pi Kappa Sigma; Carter Caudle, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Chicago: Frank Feigl, Jim Kerr, William Marks, John Bonneviller, Delta Delta Chi.  
CHRISTOPHER: Vince Hoffman, Dave Richmond, Harry Lending, Chi Delta Chi.  
CORDEB: Betty Neuburger, Sigma Sigma Sigma.  
Danville: Joan Hunsaker, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Dayton, Ohio: Lois Gladson, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Dowell: Gerhardt Jerome, Chi Delta Chi.  
Dupo: Thelma Pulcher, Sigma Sigma Sigma.  
E. St. Louis: Walter Smith, Kappa Delta Alpha; Paul Turley, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Fairfield: Sue Collins, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Gene Wood, Kappa Delta Alpha.  
Eldon: Robert Carmody, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Flora: Harlan Ledford, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Gillespie: Ann Rich, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Gilbert Ely, Kappa Delta Alpha; Richard Jones, James Sexton, Russell Sexton, Sigma Beta Mu.  
Granite City: Norman Nilson, Kappa Delta Alpha; Joseph Lattimore, Nu Epsilon Alpha; Bill Wagner, Sigma Beta Mu.  
Gryville: Doris Madden, Sigma Sigma Sigma.  
Greenview: Lawrence Godde, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Hardy: Steve Godde, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Harrisburg: Steve Hancock, Delta Delta Chi; Charles Duncan, Gene Parks, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Herrin: Joan Inc, Pi Kappa Sig-

ma; Richard Emdler, Kappa Delta Alpha.  
Hoopesport: Phillip Holt, Sigma Beta Mu.  
Lawrenceville: Paul Dickerson, Charles Heddis, Sam Evans, Epilson Alpha.  
Litchfield: Barbara Brummett, Delta Epsilon; Max Robinson, Chi Delta Chi.  
Marion: Jeanne Violet, Pi Kappa Sigma; Carolyn Mertz, Jane Wallace, Delta Sigma Epsilon; Charles Stevens, Larry Ward, Delta Delta Chi.  
Marissa: Roy Weshinsky, Delta Delta Chi.  
Macon: Louise Lux, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Mounds: Jerris Sullivan, Sigma Beta Sigma; William Tully, Delta Delta Chi.  
Mount Carmel: Milton Whitten, Delta Delta Chi.  
Mount Vernon: Milton Wiesbeck, Silas Allen, Jack Bennett, Richard Thompson, Delta Delta Chi; James Tate, Kappa Delta Alpha; Harold Patterson, Sigma Beta Mu.  
Murphysboro: Lillian Albers, Jean Hauner, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Pinckneyville: Barbara Keene, Margerie Templeton, Sigma Sigma Sigma; K. D. Dierker, Delta Delta Chi.  
Ridgeway: Barbara Heath, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Robinson: Bob Schneider, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Saint Elmo: Don Gibbons, Bill Berry, Dick Varnard Nielsen, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Saint Louis: Glenn Fritz, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Bob Rude, Delta Delta Chi.  
Sparta: Martha Henderson, Pi Kappa Sigma; Betty Schnellmeyer, Delta Sigma Epsilon; Tom Jackson, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Shannon: Fred Brenzel, Sigma Beta Mu.  
Steeleville: Jim Pemberton, Charles Whitteben, Nu Epsilon Alpha.  
Vergennes: Billie Nehring, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Vincesnes, Indiana: Donna McCandlish, Pi Kappa Sigma.  
Watska: John Koonce, Sigma Beta Mu.  
West Frankfort: Jo Ann Willmore, Jo Russell, Phyllis Smith, Pi Kappa Sigma; Ruth Ann Rice, Mary Ellen Donahue, Delta Sigma Epsilon.  
Wilmet: Bob Barnes, Delta Del-

## PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

AWARD OF \$200

Sophomores should apply now for the Parent Teachers Association Scholarship award of \$200 at the Dean of Women's office. Only one sophomore will be chosen, but each applicant will be carefully considered before any decision is made.

## Malone To Attend Meeting

Wyllie F. Malone, assistant professor of education, is planning to attend a curriculum development meeting to be held at the University of Chicago, October 16-17, 1947.

Teachers from most of the surrounding states are expected to attend the meeting, which will feature speakers from many of the nation's leading universities.

## KAPPA PI ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Kappa Pi officers for the 1947-1948 school year are: Norma Henderson, president; Don Morris, vice president; Bill Plater, treasurer; and Ralph Meyer, secretary. Mr. Ben Watkins, assistant professor of Art, is the faculty sponsor.

## LOST

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This is the last week for freshmen to have their pictures taken for the 1948 Oblisk. Saturday, October 11 is the final day. Seniors will start having their pictures made October 15 and continue until November 1. Nauman's Studio at 2056 W. Walnut is taking all pictures.

## Home Ec Club Begins Activities

Southern's home economics opened their fall activities Wednesday, October 1 with a together tea in Old Main. More than half of the 50 dets present were prospective new members, who were welcomed to the club by the old members and their sponsor, Miss L. Woody. The club's next meeting will be Wednesday, October 22.

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# HIGH SCHOOL GRID REVIEW

The standings in the three major conferences in this area find Murphuboro, Carbondale, and Chester in the lead tied with two wins each, in the Southwestern Egyptian Conference. In the South Six we find Benton, West Frankfort, and Centralia tied for the top slot with one victory apiece. Up in the North Egypt Conference, Salem took the lead from

Fairfield last Friday, with a 14 to 16 win. Benton kept up with its powerhouse attack and smothered Marion 43 to 0. Centralia eked out a 19 to 7 defeat over a stubborn Harrisburg eleven. In a post-conference tilt, Cape Girardeau took an early first half lead from West Frankfort to rally the last half and come out a 18 to 7 victor. In the North Egypt, Fairfield's bid for victory. Fieldright rwarded, but Salem throtled them 14 to 12. Lawrenceville and Olney played a close one, with Olney being, beaten 7 to 0. From rolled over, Mt. Carmel 32 to 0 but no

## Steering Committee At Wheel.



The 1947 edition of the Homecoming committee: From left to right, Tom Middleton; Virgil Spruel; Louis Gaskins; John Hendon; Bill Pire, chairman; Bill Brown; John Mulkin; Betty Logan; Ralph Myers; and Carlos Plesha, standing.

power was shown in this tilt. The Southwestern Conference was somewhat closer with Pinckneyville's 19 to 7 defeat over Anna. Incidentally this was the first game in which Anna has scored. It was only last year that they were only scored on once and beaten by Murphuboro. Carbondale took Sparta's measure.

## Bee's Defeat Cape; Play Washington U. Team Saturday

Southern's "B" squad griders successfully opened their new season at Cape Girardeau Monday afternoon, by defeating the Cape "B" squad 12 to 7.

The Maroons started the scoring, when Eugene Hinson of Harrisburg plunged over in the first quarter, after Bob Proctor of Zeigler set up the score with a 20 yard run to Cape's 5 yard marker. Southern's second score came when Jim Metcalf of Murphuboro returned the second half kick-off 95 yards for a touchdown.

Cape Girardeau's only score came later in the third quarter, when a blocked Southern punt gave the Minorsians the ball on the Maroon's five. Two plays later Cape went over the double stripe.

Coch Bill Fréberg takes his squad to St. Louis for an encounter with the Washington U. "B" squad Saturday.

## Newman Club Will Meet Wednesday

The Newman Club was announced a social affair to be held Wednesday, October 16 at 7:30 p. m. in the club house.

This party is being given for the purpose of acquainting old and new Newmanites.

## Graduate Students To Take Aptitude Tests

Thirty-five graduate students will take the graduate aptitude tests to be given Friday and Saturday, Oct. 10 and 11, according to Marshal S. Hickey, dean of men. These are the first graduate school entrance examinations, now required, given by Southern since the change of name.

Successful students will be admitted to candidacy for a master's degree.

These examinations will be given to new students every quarter and during summer sessions.

## NOTICE

There will be a meeting of all Cook County Students Wednesday, October 15 in Room 101, in Old Main at 4 p. m.

The purpose of this meeting is to organize a Cook County club.

## NOTICE

First Messiah choral practice will be held in Little Theatre, Monday, October 13 at 7:30 p. m. Everyone on campus is invited to participate.

The largest stadium in the United States is Soldiers Field in Chicago. The maximum capacity is 200,000 persons.

## NOTES IN PASSING

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speeches uttered. When the last vote was counted, the losers were the first to vow their aid in helping to make this the biggest homecoming in Southern's history.

Oh, yes, politics—alongside war—is the most exciting of the games, played by man. This writer still chooses the American way, where all men stand a common cause, as soon as the voter are counted. The intense political activity creates interest, and the sense of serving a common cause immediately destroys whatever feelings of dislike that are apparent prior to the elections. The moral—try your best to make his term of office a success. Somehow we like this better than the totalitarian manners of intimidation and force to gain the ends sought.

## DR. JOHN RUSSELL TO SPEAK AT HOMECOMING

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was in this latter capacity that he aided in securing from the North Central Association a "promotion" for Southern from the "college class" to the "university class" in its list of accredited higher educational institutions.

A native of Bloomington, Ind., Dr. Russell holds three degrees from Indiana University and has also studied at the University of Kentucky and the University of Chicago.

Directed Research. He served as secretary of the School of Education at the University of Indiana, then for two years was director of Research for the Indiana State Department of Public Instruction.

After a year at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Ind., he went to the University of Kentucky as associate professor of education for two years, then became assistant director of Surveys for Methodist Educational Institutions.

In 1931 he joined the faculty of the University of Chicago, serving at various times as secretary of the department of education, as associate dean of the Division of Social Sciences, and as dean of students.

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All students studying under Public Law 16, who haven't already done so, should report to Mr. Langdon, the training officer, at once. Mr. Langdon's office is located at the Veterans' Administration Guidance Center, 1014 Thompson Street.

Illinois as a whole in the 1940 and 1944 presidential elections was Democratic; in Jackson county, the Republicans had the largest number of votes in 1940-1944.

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# Stubborn Maroons Lose 7-0 Grid Battle With Evansville

## Southern's Passing Good, Aces Strong on Ground; Play Indiana State Next

The test of the season was just a little too much for the Southern Maroons as the Evansville Purple Aces scored one lone touchdown late in the second quarter that sealed for the remainder of the game. The Aces came out on top 7-0. Early morning rain almost spoiled the day for the numerous Boy Scout Troops that celebrated Boy Scout Day at McAndrew Stadium before an estimated crowd of 4,000 persons.

With Southern holding the ball for the first time in the game in its own territory on the 45-yard line, Bill Malinsky of Flora, kicked early fourth down to the ten. Then there the Evansville College eleven started their 96-yard march that resulted in the only tally of the contest.

Gene Lorel, 170 pound sophomore from Evansville, was the driving factor in the Purple ad-



Bill Malinsky, Maroon quarterback just before leaving Malinsky's back is shown throwing a pass to an unidentified receiver just before he was tackled by an Evansville player. The ball can be seen via the air, Malinsky also averaged 33 yards on punting compared with the 15 yards averaged by the Aces punters.



An unidentified Southern player breaks through for a lone gain spraving on the ground. In the background among the group of West Frankfort. The other players leaving several would be tacklers. Jones, Maroon end from West Frankfort. The other players leaving several would be tacklers.

## Varsity Tennis Tournament

The fall varsity tennis tournament is now in its second week, with Jack Mawdsley of Granite City leading the pack with five tournament victories and no defeats.

Because of lack of court space and the cold weather of last week, the tournament may run for two more weeks before completion.

Tennis coach Bill Freeberg is happy for the outlook for another fine tennis squad this spring is becoming more and more evident. The journey is being run-off by Bill Williams of Gattasia, while coach Freeberg is busy with the 'B' football squad.

Match scores so far:  
 Dick Vorwald defeated Jim Melottki, 6-4, 6-1.  
 Jack Mawdsley defeated Nick Kostoff 6-1, 6-4.  
 Dick Vorwald defeated Bob Harmon, 6-0, 6-2.  
 Jack Mawdsley defeated Bill Williams 6-2, 6-4.  
 Bill Williams defeated Dick Vorwald, 6-3, 6-4.  
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## On The Trail of SPORTS

By Fenton Harris

Drive, drive . . . that was the real difference in Saturday's game which the Maroons lost to the Evansville Aces. Those backs never quit driving until they were definitely down—sometimes not even then. Southern's line really proved its ability.

However, the presence of John Corn in the lineup would probably have strengthened it even more. John was injured while getting a little extra practice before the game down in the dressing room . . . He knocked himself out when he tripped while jumping over a bench and hit his head on a brick pillar. Another definitely first pick of Evansville play was their blocking—their backfield blockers were especially sharp . . .

The statistics on the game show Evansville way ahead in rushing, having gained 696 yards compared to Southern's 32. However, the Maroons compiled 110 in via the air while the Aces could gain but 65. The totals show Evansville 34-Southern 151. Our punting averaged 28 yards while the Purple Aces had an average of 15 yards . . . that narrows the situation to one word—rushing. . . Perhaps Don Riggs would have been able to play more the rushing statistics may have been more nearly even . . . Riggs was recovering from a leg injury suffered in the Scott Field game.

None of us who saw last year's Maroon basketball live will forget that dashing, smiling little forward, John Sebastian . . . He will undoubtedly remain in our hearts as a Southern player. Every time we see one of those long swishing set shots we'll all think of John Sebastian. Every time we see a dash down the floor with spectacular passing we will think of that colorful little forward. It should do us all a lot of good to know John will again play basketball this year. He signed a professional contract with the Chicago Gears.

We have heard a lot of comments concerning Southern's sports schedule. We feel it is our duty to defend the athletic department against the accusation made in these comments. The disapproval centers around the school's schedule. People think we should branch out and play bigger teams. We know definitely attempts have been made to schedule big named schools. However, these schools have refused to play us. One school explained that they could not afford to have a school of our size defeat them or even come close to beating them. For example last year we came very close to defeating the St. Louis University basketball team on its own floor. As a result the St. Louis quintet received much unfavorable comment until it had definitely seemed itself.



Fast, elusive Bob Johnson of Du Quoin is shown returning an enemy punt. Bob is the Maroons regular first string right half-back. This is his second year of football for Southern and he is a sophomore. He only weighs 155 pounds, but makes up for his light weight in speed and by being shifty.

## WAA To Be At Normal Oct. 17-18

Helen Gresham, vice president, and Anna Marie Horn, treasurer, of the WAA at Southern are going to Illinois Normal at Normal, Illinois for the Conference of Illinois Athletic Federation of Colleges October 17 and 18. In this conference, two representatives of each school are sent. This is a branch of the American Federation of College Women, a national organization. Some of the topics discussed are suggestions for the local WAA's to function more smoothly.



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## Maroons Face Indiana State Saturday

Saturday Coach Martin will take his charges to Terre Haute where they will play Indiana State. Both teams will go into the game with identical records. Indiana lost to a strong Illinois Normal eleven 20-7, but defeated Valparaiso 13-0. Coach Martin probably send the same starting line-up into the game which started against Evansville with the two exceptions of fullback and left tackle where Don Riggs and John Corn will probably appear.

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## INTRAMURAL

The schedule for the fall intramural sports program has been announced by intra-mural athletic director Bill Freeberg.

The program includes tournaments in Horse Shoes, Volley Ball, Ping Pong, and Boxing. To enter these tournaments see the bulletin board in the men's gym.

The complete program is as follows:

Horse Shoes, Oct. 6, Tournament begins.  
 Volley Ball, Oct. 6, Tournament begins.  
 Ping Pong, Oct. 20, Tournament begins.  
 Boxing, Nov. 17, Tournament begins.

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