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Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

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Saudi Arabia attacked; allied POWs paraded

United Press International

Iraq launched missile attacks on Saudi Arabia Sunday and early Monday morning and paraded on television what Iraqi officials identified as seven captured allied airmen, including three Americans.

Cable News Network reported from Baghdad the captured men were wearing their uniforms during a videotaped interrogation. One had a bandaged hand and two others appeared to have facial bruises.

Meanwhile, a defiant Saddam Hussein said he had yet to unleash the bulk of his forces against a massive U.S.-led attack.



In the first assault on Saudi Arabia Sunday night, the Pentagon said Iraq launched three Scud missiles toward the eastern part of the country. Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said the rockets were destroyed by three of five Patriot air defense missiles fired by U.S. forces.

Several hours later, seven more Scud missiles were launched, Air

Force Lt. Col. Mike Gallagher said at a Riyadh briefing Monday morning. He said four were lobbed at Riyadh, two at Dhahran and one in the waters off Dhahran.

"Six of the Scuds were shot down by Patriot missiles. The Scud missile landing in the water did not require engagement," Gallagher said. "We have no reports yet of damage or injury."

He could not provide an explanation of a crater in Riyadh that reporters said they saw after the missile attacks.

To date, all Scud attacks have involved high-explosive warheads,

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Casualties bring war home

Religious groups pray for peace; reservists called up

Desert Storm. Among casualties identified Sunday by the Pentagon was Army Specialist Gary W. Crask, 21, Cantrall, Ill. Crask and a companion, Army Pfc. Scott A. Rush, 19, Blaine, Minn., were killed when their bunker collapsed accidentally.

The Pentagon listed the men as killed in "non-hostile action" and said an investigation of the accident was under way.

Earlier, a Rochelle native, Air Force Maj. Thomas Koritz, was listed as missing in action over Iraq. The Pentagon said Koritz, a

flight surgeon, was the pilot of an F-15E aircraft which failed to return from a mission Thursday.

Koritz' plane may have crash-landed and he may be alive, the military said. Prayer services were held for him Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church in Rochelle, where he worshiped with his family before leaving in 1971.

Churches throughout the state rang bells, donned special insignias, like green "peace" ribbons, and prayed for peace. Some congregations, including St.

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Illinoisians mourned the death of one resident and prayed for another missing in action in the Persian Gulf Sunday.

While religious groups around the state prayed for peace, more of the state's service personnel prepared for deployment in Operation

Smaller Illinois airports feel security increase

SPRINGFIELD (UPI) — People traveling through mid-sized Illinois airports this week might be subjected to searches or have their luggage checked for suspicious items as a result of war in the Middle East.

Airports around the state are

enforcing Federal Aviation Administration security guidelines and passenger safety measures to ward off any possible terrorist attempts that could result from Operation Desert Storm.

Security personnel have been assigned to watch for suspicious-

looking passengers, inspect baggage, and check for explosives in electrical devices such as tape recorders, cameras, and radios.

Officers at two downstate Illinois airports said no terrorist attempts had been made and none are expected.



Helpful hindsight

Staff Photo by Fred Hale

Crystal Warner, 4, lets her doll take the lead as she and mother Donna, both of Carbondale, leave the University Museum Friday afternoon.

Military recommends not sending packages

By Doug Toole
Staff Writer

The outbreak of hostilities in the Persian Gulf is temporarily changing the rules of correspondence with soldiers stationed there, said a spokesman for Fort Campbell, Ky.

Bill Harrelson, Fort Campbell public affairs officer, recommended against sending packages to personnel involved in Operation Desert Storm.

Mail delivery aircraft prefer to carry letters than packages, which tend to be big and bulky, to soldiers, he said. As a result, packages may take longer to reach military personnel.

Denise Kennedy, organizer of Herrin's Operation Support Shield, said she heard from Fort Campbell about the recommendation against sending packages, and has temporarily stopped sending packages to her son, Steve Spillman of the 101st Airborne Division.

Although individuals in Operation Support Shield have sent care packages to their family members in the gulf, Kennedy said the group has not yet sent out an organized package mailing.

She said she has sent her son 17 packages in the four months he has served in the gulf.

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Gus Bode



Gus says letters travel faster in a Desert Storm.

Southern Illinois called on to donate blood for gulf war

By Natalie Boehme
Staff Writer

Local residents are rolling up their sleeves to aid the Persian Gulf war effort.

Southern Illinois was the first region in the country to be asked by the military to donate blood, said Vivian Ugent, American Red Cross coordinator of blood drives in Southern Illinois.

A total of 375 units already have been sent, she said.

"We were the first to be called—we will be called again," she said. "Right now we are encouraging people to continue to give so we can keep our blood supply adequate."

Anyone who has not given blood in the last 56 days is eligible to donate, she said.

Ugent said finding new donors is a must because military personnel, who are a

large group of donors, are no longer available to give blood. "We are trying to beef up our inventory so we will be in a position to respond to the military's needs without causing a severe local shortage," Ugent said.

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The Carbondale, Herrin and Mt. Vernon Wal-Marts sponsored blood drives last week. A blood drive is scheduled at Wal-Mart in Sparta today and in Du Quoin Friday.

All of the drives more than doubled their goals, with a total of 269 units donated so far, Ugent said. The Herrin Wal-Mart, receiving 80 units of blood, and the Mt. Vernon Wal-Mart, receiving 73 units, both had goals of 35 units of blood.

The Carbondale Wal-Mart received 116 units, but only had

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Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

Ball not bouncing right for 8-7 SIUC

By Eric Bugger
Staff Writer

At the start of the season the Salukis looked invincible with a 3-0 start and 2-0 conference mark, but the ball has bounced a different way as of late.

The Salukis have lost five of their last seven games, including a 68-65 loss to Wichita State Saturday night, and have plummeted to a 2-2 record in the Missouri Valley Conference. SIUC is just barely keeping its head above the .500 mark with a 8-7 overall record.

Despite two straight Valley losses, SIUC coach Rich Herrin is pleased with his team's performance lately.

"This is the hardest we've played in about five or six weeks," Herrin said. "I can live with a loss as long as we play hard and with the intensity we played with last night (Saturday)."

The Dawgs went into Wichita with a four-game losing streak at Levitt Arena, but were able to jump out to a nine point lead early in the first half. The Shockers quickly retaliated with a 13-4 run on easy transition baskets and by halftime pulled within four points of SIUC.

WSU shocked the Salukis and immediately took the lead in the second half. From there, SIUC battled to stay in contention. They tied the score once when senior guard Sterling Mahan hit five consecutive points and then took the lead with just over three minutes remaining.

With 2:32 on the clock, Mahan had to leave the ballgame with a cut above his eye. He was quickly patched up and returned with 1:47 left.

The Salukis took a 65-64 lead when two free throws by senior

forward Rick Shipley found the bottom of the net. But WSU came back to hit a shot with 36 seconds on the clock to go up 66-65.

At :19 Herrin called his last timeout to set up a final play. Mahan, who scored 17 points on the night, was driving to the bucket when he slipped and fell.

Shipley tried to steal the inbounds pass, but was called for a foul. WSU's Paul Guffrovich drained both free throws with six seconds left, putting the Shockers up by three.

SIUC out-rebounded the Shockers mainly because of the surprise spark they got from sophomore guard Tyrone Bell, who lead both teams with 12 rebounds.

The difference in the ballgame was the performance of two Shockers. Guffrovich, who lead all scorers with 20 points, poured in 13 in the second half. Claudius Johnson also notched 16 of his 18 in the second half.

SIUC's loss to WSU, thrust the Southwest Missouri State into the top position in the MVC with a 4-2 mark.

"I think an 11-5 record could win the conference," Herrin said. "It's a five or six-team race. We'll have to win a few on the road to be there at the end."

The Salukis are coming home for three Valley matchups. Bradley brings the MVC leading scorer Curtis Stuckey into the Arena Thursday. Drake is in Carbondale Saturday and then preseason favorite Creighton hits SIUC with its "Dynamic Duo" of Chad Gallagher and Bob Harstad.

"We can't afford to lose at home," Herrin said. "If we lose one at home, that's one more we have to win on the road and that's not easy to do."

SIUC women improve to 7-0 in Gateway play

By Paul Pabst
Staff Writer

If it was a boxing match, the first round would definitely have gone to Illinois State. But the Saluki women's basketball team went on to pummel the Redbirds during the middle rounds on its way to a 58-51 decision Saturday night at the Arena.

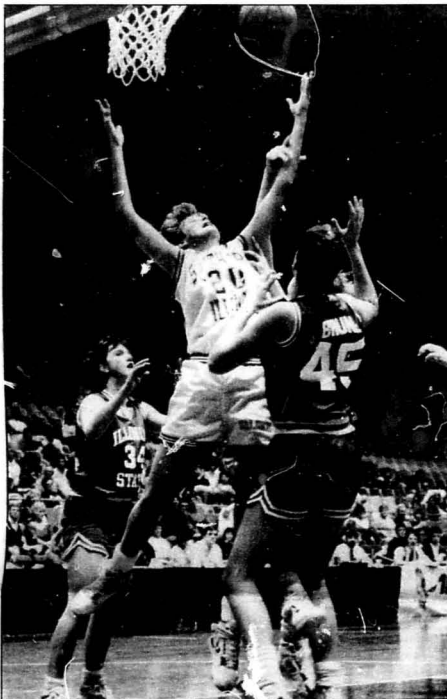
The win adds to the Salukis Gateway Conference leading 7-0 record, 12-3 overall, while ISU drops to 5-2, good enough for third in conference play.

For a short period at the beginning of the contest the Redbirds looked as if they were going to try for a quick knockout. ISU canned its first six shots and flew out to a 15-8 lead.

Then the Saluki defense and the Redbirds horrid shooting touch began to show up. The sounds of basketballs bricking and clanging off the rim and backboard echoed through the Arena and sometimes no sound—airballs—as ISU hit a cold snap that probably iced over Campus Lake. ISU hit on just 2 of 24 shots from the field during one stretch.

In addition to the mortars ISU was throwing up, the Saluki defense began to take control of the contest. Saluki senior Amy Rakers put the handcuffs on ISU's star Cindy Kaufmann. Kaufmann, who had been averaging more than 20 points a game, was not a factor as she could only notch 7 against SIUC.

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Staff Photo by Mark Busch

Senior forward Cyd Mitchell help five rebounds and two blocked si Saturday night at the Arena. spark the Salukis with against Illinois State

SIUC track and field teams run with best at Invite

Women dominate to take first place

By Cyndi Oberle
Staff Writer

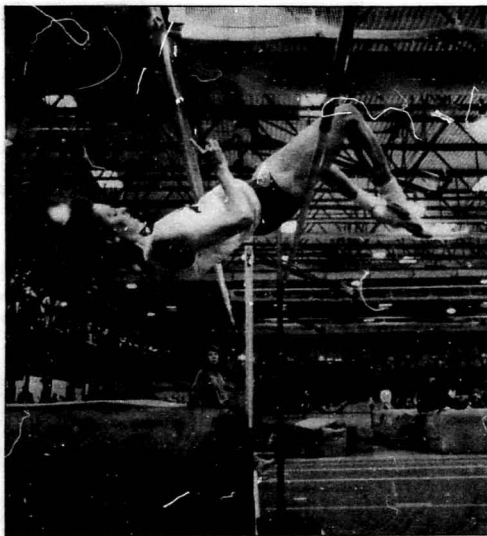
What the SIUC women's track and field team had hoped for came true. At the Saluki Invitational Saturday at the Recreation Center, the team left its opponents spinning in the dust.

The Salukis obliterated the five other teams and came to a stunning victory, winning by 82 points in their second indoor meet of the season.

"I thought we had that kind of potential, and the girls proved to me that they did," women's track and field coach Don DeNoon said.

Murray State came in second place behind SIUC and last year's winner Georgia Tech came in third. Mississippi State took fourth, Arkansas State came in fifth and Mississippi took sixth.

"We started the season with a bang and hopefully we can continue the performance," DeNoon said. "We did it and we must continue to do it. We must not rest on our laurels so to speak. We did great and we must continue to work hard. The end result is what we are working for, and in this case, it is the conference championships. That is when we are going to have to be the toughest."



Staff Photo by Fred Hale

Saluki junior Bethany Johnson took fourth place in the high jump at the Saluki Invitational at the Rec Center Saturday.

DeNoon was impressed with the outstanding performances of sophomore Leeann Conway who ran the 5,000-meter run in a career best time of 17:53.2 giving her first place and ranking her fifth all-time.

on the SIUC Honor Roll. Conway also won second place in the 1,000-meter run with a 3:07.49. Sophomore Rebecca Coyne took

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Men slide to second place late in meet

By Cyndi Oberle
Staff Writer

SIUC men's track and field team put up a tough fight Saturday at its invitational, but for the second year in a row Georgia Tech pulled ahead for a victory.

The team finished second to Georgia Tech who took first place this year by three points.

"We were leading the meet all the way through until the last two events—the high jump and the triple jump—and that is where Georgia Tech pulled ahead and won," men's track and field coach Bill Cornell said. "It always seems to go down to the wire when we go against Georgia Tech."

"We were at a disadvantage because we didn't have an entry in the triple jump because of Kenton Rolle's heel injury and then Darrin Plab took second in the high jump, but you can't blame anyone. "We could point the accusing finger on any one of our athletes in any event and say 'if only they'd done this better', but I think we were just unlucky not to win."

In this invitational Mississippi took third place behind SIUC, Mississippi State took fourth, Arkansas State came in fifth and Murray State took sixth.

"I always like to win the entire meet, but when you come in second place by three points out of six teams, I'd say that's not bad,

especially when you're going against such schools as Georgia Tech, Mississippi and Mississippi Tech."

Cornell said he was particularly impressed with the performance of junior Ed Williams who took first place in the 55-meter hurdles with a time of 7.30. This time provisionally qualified him for the NCAA. It is also the second fastest time ever in the event for an SIUC athlete.

"Ed was :06 off of making the automatic qualifying time for nationals, and with the time he has now, if they don't fill all of the NCAA spaces the provisional time scorers will go to nationals," Cornell said. "He is still striving though to make the automatic qualifying time of 7.24."

Other first place winners were juniors Mark Stuart, who won the 3,000-meter run with a 8:26.2, Vaughan Harry, who took first in the 5,000-meter run with a time of 14:59.5, and Nick Schwartz, who won with a mile-run time of 4:14.28.

Senior Dirk Matthias won the 35-pound weight throw with a toss of 53-1. Sophomore teammates Brent Graham and Jon Hirsh took second and fourth place in the event with throws of 50-1 and 46-31/2 respectively.

Saluki high jumper Darrin Plab,

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Soviet special forces attack Latvian government building

MOSCOW (UPI) — Soviet "black beret" special troops attempted to take over the Latvian Interior Ministry building in downtown Riga Sunday night, and at least one person was wounded in the ensuing gun battle, a Latvian official said. Ivar Krastins, chairman of the Latvian Parliament's commission on social work and health, said gunfire broke out about 9:45 p.m. Sunday at the building. "The black berets are trying to take over the Latvian Interior Ministry, the Interior Ministry officers are defending the building," Krastins said.

Saddam asks all Moslems to fight holy war

CAIRO, Egypt (UPI) — Iraqi President Saddam Hussein said Sunday he had only used a fraction of his military capability against allied forces, and Iraqi television showed seven men it said were captured allied airmen. In a speech broadcast on Baghdad radio, Saddam also said his army would continue to fight to keep Kuwait and called on all Moslems to stage a Jihad, or holy war, against allied interests worldwide. Saddam's remarks indicated prisoners of war taken by Iraq would be treated in accordance with the terms of the Geneva Convention.

Army activates additional reservists for war

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Army Sunday began activating about 100 more reservists, dipping for the first time into the pool of reservists not attached to particular units for help in Saudi Arabia. Europe and within the country. Western Union Mailgrams were dumped into the postal system directing those whose skills are needed to report to specific mobilization sites within seven days. Members of what is known as the Individual Ready Reserve will be activated for a year, said Var Hipp, Army deputy assistant secretary for reserve affairs and mobilization.

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Hospital loses accreditation for fire, safety violations

CHICAGO (UPI) — Cook County Hospital's loss of accreditation could hit taxpayers in the wallet and damage the political career of County Board President Richard J. Phelan. An independent commission, which evaluates hospitals for the federal government, yanked County Hospital's accreditation late Friday. The group cited fire and other safety violations as a "risk to patient safety." The decision could cost the hospital more than \$90 million a year in Medicare and Medicaid reimbursements, force interns and residents training there to seek employment elsewhere and force the county to close the aging facility.

MIA pilot remembered in Illinois home town

ROCHELLE (UPI) — Air Force Maj. Thomas Koritz, one of the first Americans listed as missing in action in Iraq, is remembered in his home town as a dedicated, "Top Gun" type flier. Koritz, 37, one of only five Air Force surgeons who also are pilots, was reported missing Saturday. Pentagon officials said his F-15E aircraft may have crash-landed during action Thursday over Iraq and Koritz may be alive. He was an honors student at Rochelle Township High School and a well-regarded lineman on the high school football team.

Simon: Defense spending still not justified

CHICAGO (UPI) — The success of the U.S. military in the Persian Gulf hostilities is no justification for overpending on questionable weapons systems in the recent past, Sen. Paul Simon, D-Makanda, said Sunday. Asked whether the military's proud display of its pinpoint bombing in Iraq and Kuwait is a "payoff" for spending billions of taxpayers dollars, Simon said, "I would differ." Other systems like the MX missile and "Star Wars" defense system "are things that are of no use whatever in a situation in places like the Mideast," Simon said.

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Less multiple choice on revised SAT

By Natalie Boehme
Staff Writer

The College Board announced revisions to the Scholastic Aptitude Test and its companion Achievement Tests to better meet the needs of a new generation of students.

"These changes will make an already excellent testing program even better," said Donald M. Stewart, president of the College Board. "The new SAT will combine the high, academically demanding standards of the current tests with revisions that increase their educational relevance and quality for all college-bound students."

The College Board, located in Washington, D.C., is a national, nonprofit organization.

The SAT, which will be known as SAT-I, will begin use in spring 1994 and the Achievement Tests, SAT-II, will slowly phase in starting this year, according to a news release from the College Board.

The acronym SAT also will change from Scholastic Aptitude Test to Scholastic Assessment Test.

The SAT-I will reflect modifications to both the verbal and the math sections of the SAT, which has been in use for 64 years.

Longer critical reading passages will be

found in the verbal section, and at least half of the questions will be devoted to critical reading. Testing of antonyms will be dropped.

"The critical reading questions will better assess the ability of students to evaluate and make judgements about points of view expressed in written passages—an important skill required in most college reading," said Robert McCabe, president of Miami-Dade Community College and chairman of the College Board.

In the math section, the biggest change will require students to produce answers of their own instead of selecting an answer from a list of multiple-choice alternatives. Questions of this type will make up about 20 percent of the math questions.

Use of calculators on the math section also was approved by the board.

"The SAT-I math section will include more data interpretation and applied mathematics questions, geared to problem solving in practical, real-life situations," McCabe said.

The SAT-II subject tests will be an expansion of the current Achievement Test offerings in the subjects of languages, mathematics, social sciences, the sciences and foreign languages.

A timed writing test will be added. It will

require a direct writing sample from the student.

"Our goal is to encourage students, schools and colleges to view SAT-I and SAT-II as an integrated family of tests assessing both general reasoning ability and subject-matter mastery," McCabe said. "The SAT-II subject tests will provide important information to students, schools and colleges that can be used for planning course work and for course placement in the freshman year."

Revisions to the SAT began in 1988 when the board established a 15-member commission to evaluate the SAT.

The chair, "s were the culmination of more than three years of intense study, research and evaluation in which thousands of secondary and postsecondary educators, testing experts, students, parents, public officials and others contributed their ideas, advice and opinions, Stewart said.

Although the Office of Admissions and Records accepts SAT scores, the use of the ACT is more common at SIUC.

The ACT is used more in the Midwest and in colleges with open enrollment, said Jerre Pfaff, associate director of admissions.

ACT revisions were made last year with a greater emphasis on reading skills and subdivided scores for more accurate placement.

Emeritus prof to lecture on gulf war history

By Tiffany Youther
Staff Writer

Students, faculty and other community members opposed to the Persian Gulf war will voice their views at a teach-in and discussion called "Alternatives to War in the Gulf."

The teach-in, at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Student Center Auditorium, will be sponsored by the Coalition for Middle East Peace, Friends for Native Americans and Southern Illinois Latin American Solidarity Committee.

Linda Stromberg, president of Friends for Native Americans, said the teach-in was organized to educate people about the Persian Gulf war and to provide an outlet for people to join together in solidarity.

The event is free and open to the public.

She said a question-and-answer period, during which audience members can express their own ideas about the war, will follow the teach-in.

"I feel it is important for all concerned citizens and students to attend so they can understand what this country is facing," Stromberg said.

She said two speakers have been scheduled for the teach-in.

Bill Ramsey of the American Friends Service Committee in St. Louis will critique U.S. policy.

Arnold Auerbach, SIUC emeritus professor of social work, will present a historical perspective of the gulf crisis and address its impact on social issues.

A representative of the Union of Palestinian Women's Association will be available to answer questions.

Auerbach said Iraqi President Saddam Hussein is 100 years too late in his invasion of Kuwait because other nations "will not let this kind of thing happen anymore."

He said, however, he is disappointed that the conflict in the gulf came to war. Hussein is a "thug" who is completely unaware of current international policy.

For this reason he has forced an attack upon himself, Auerbach said.

"I just hope it's over soon," he said. "I'm saddened by it because people are going to get killed on both sides, and because it didn't have to happen."



Staff Photo by Rob Lingie

Yellow ribbons of all sizes show support for soldiers

By Amy Cooper
Staff Writer

SIUC students and Carbondale businesses are tying yellow ribbons around Southern Illinois trees to show support for United States troops in Saudi Arabia.

Tying yellow ribbons around trees at Stevenson Arms was done individually and not as a part of any particular support group, said Trish Lynch, a Student residence advisor at Stevenson Arms, 600 W. Mill St.

"It's just something the dorm wanted to do to support the troops in Saudi Arabia," Lynch said.

American Gas and Wash on East Walnut also is showing yellow ribbon support.

"We're already over there; we can't turn back now," said Dean Rogers, shift manager.

Rogers said a majority of the people coming through the store have expressed the same support for United States military involvement.

"What sense is there to protest? There's no reason people should be against it," he said.

Employees of Country Fair Total Discount Foods, 1702 Main St., have tied ribbons

inside the store in the bakery and delicatessen departments. The shops have not been an official store policy, said Jim Hileman, evening store supervisor.

"It's just kind of a spontaneous act of sentiment of each department," Hileman said.

Pin Oak Motel, on rural route 2 east of Carbondale, has made a ribbon and cross formation on their property to recognize U.S. troops. Donna Hudson, a Pin Oak employee, said it was the owner's way of showing that the staff is thinking about everybody in the Middle East.

Karen Herron, customer service manager at Kroger, Illinois Route 13 East, said many people have come to Kroger's floral department to have yellow ribbons made.

Flowerama, a florist shop in the University Mall on Illinois 13, has had a yellow ribbon sell-out, said Michelle George, Flowerama employee.

People are buying large ribbons to tie on their trees and small ribbons to wear on their clothes, George said.

The ribbons at Flowerama range in price from 79 cents to \$3.99.

Students expressed their support of soldiers by tying a yellow ribbon around a tree outside the Stevenson Arms residence hall.

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King's peace dream still asleep in many

MORE THAN 20 YEARS AFTER Martin Luther King Jr.'s death, the world still hasn't attained the simple goal he set—the use of peace in place of violence.

Today we celebrate the birthday of one who stressed mind over muscle during a time of civil unrest and the Vietnam conflict.

But this message only seems to have loosely formed as thought when it should have solidified into action.

AMERICAN TROOPS FIGHT NOW as they did then. Racism remains a disease in American society while apathy has settled into all races who expect change without working toward it.

King spoke of an active intelligence, the perseverance of reaching dreams and achievement of a worldwide state of peace without color boundaries. The idealism he stressed has stretched into the '90s, but only on paper.

Americans may speak of a united and peaceful world, but the forecast so far in 1991 looks bleak.

KING'S GUIDING VOICE, HOWEVER, leads the hopeful to achieve their goals despite the pessimism of the hopeless.

King's vision shows what one person can do and how far a message can travel.

King's dream has not died. Americans may yet find the optimistic path his dreams chartered.

Small phone charge provides large relief

ILLINOIS TELEPHONE CUSTOMERS will soon be reaching out and helping needy families.

Starting Feb. 1, a 15-cent surcharge that will be used towards helping low-income families pay the monthly cost of renting a telephone will appear on each billing statement.

The program, called Link Up Illinois, is aimed at helping families who qualify for state assistance because of low-income, disabilities or age.

FOR THESE FAMILIES, HAVING a telephone is not a luxury but a necessity.

Because these recipients of this assistance include the elderly, children and those with health problems, a phone is needed in case of a medical emergency.

Some customers have registered complaints about the surcharge.

They claim they have enough trouble paying their own phone bills.

Considering the yearly cost to a telephone customer will come to a grand total of \$1.80, this complaint hardly is valid.

IN FACT, WHEN THE PROGRAM was started in December 1989, all assistance came from federal and state funds. One-half of the installation charge will continue to be paid by state and federal funds.

The maximum credit that families qualifying for the program can receive for a phone bill is \$7 per month. The maximum installation assistance they can receive is \$30.

At these rates, it is hardly possible for families to take an unfair advantage of the program or become too dependent upon it.

WHAT IS POCKET CHANGE to most customers can go a long way in helping needy families.



Viewpoints

MLK Day—holiday fit for a King

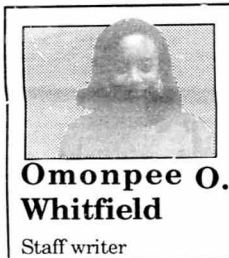
There is rest for the weary.

Sadly, the world has become a prime breeding ground for troubled minds and broken hearts. Seeds of confusion and misunderstanding, planted in times past by often well-meaning but unknowing sources, cultivated by ignorance and a lack of desire to improve, have sprouted into weeds of hatred, racism and war.

However, there is Martin Luther King Day, a day on which attentions can be turned from the negative occurrences in life to honor King's perseverance, his ideas and his positive impact on society.

Strength can be drawn from King's perseverance and determination to establish racial equality.

The victim of assassination attempts, ridicule, racial hatred and persecution by many people of all races including his own, King remained dedicated to his cause of establishing equality for all people.



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Staff writer

King assumed many responsibilities and worked diligently to make his "dream" a reality. Even more strength can be drawn from examining King's pacifist ideas.

Above all, King advocated peace as a means of obtaining a desired outcome. Through silent marches and orderly protests, King showed a racially divided, violence-hungry society that differences could be

resolved without bloodshed.

Perhaps the most inspiration and solace for ailing society can be obtained by reflecting on the impact that King's efforts have had on society.

Although racism and hatred still exist, King's untiring efforts for the advancement of equality for all people led to many racial barriers being torn down. Now more economic, educational and social opportunities are available for people of color; no longer are there separate eating and drinking facilities for white Americans and African-Americans; no longer are there "black" schools and "white" schools. All this is largely because of King's civil rights endeavors.

Martin Luther King Day is a day on which all people can pay tribute, not only to King, but to all that is good and wholesome. From King's life and death, people can perhaps extract a ray of hope to light their way in an otherwise gloomy world.

Letters

Simplistic options to war nonviolent

I have been accused of being simplistic in my attitude toward war.

For me, it is simple: War is human beings killing other human beings.

It is death, violence, poison, destruction, pollution, pain and grief.

There has been much debate about what this war is about, but war, regardless of the political rhetoric, is ultimately about people killing each other.

It is simplistic to believe that this is wrong. I stand proud of my simplicity.

I stand alongside the ants and sages. It is they whose teachings I aspire to.

The truly great men and women of history, those universally recognized as having been wise or

inspired, have all expressed that war—violence of any kind—is wrong.

There may be the illusion of victory, for one side at least, but humanity and our planet as a whole suffers for every act of inhumanity.

I do not suggest that we sit by and do nothing; rather that there were (and are) innumerable courses of action that could be taken which would creatively address the problems both here and in the gulf region while minimizing violence and hatred.

Imagine, as one example, if six months ago our leaders declared a war on energy waste and inefficiency.

Imagine if the \$82 billion a day used to support our military force in the Persian Gulf was given to communities to help develop

alternative energy resources, set up recycling programs and mass transit systems.

If industries were given government support for developing energy-efficient, environmentally-responsible production methods.

If universities were given grants to develop and implement new, efficient, low-cost energy .

If our leadership and resources had been put into that kind of war, we would have simultaneously addressed issues of energy consumption, dependence on foreign oil, pollution, solid waste, unemployment, and, I'm sure, other problems as well.

Simplistic? Certainly possible. And imagine how different our world would be today.—Bret Bergman, graduate, educational psychology.

Focus

Daily Egyptian

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

SIU looks to the future after losing pace in 1990

By Jackie Spinner
Staff Writer

University president John C. Guyon doesn't get too excited talking about 1991.

"That's because last year wasn't too good of a start for the decade, he says.

"We didn't do very well in keeping pace with salaries and with funding for programs," Guyon said.

In September 1990, the Illinois Board of Higher Education reported that the average SIUC professor makes about \$10,000 less than the national average, even though SIUC professors compare with similar institutions of SIUC's size and kind.

A lack of state funding in 1990 also forced cutbacks and required many college deans to return an increased portion of their budgets to the administration.

Charles Hindsman, vice president for financial affairs, said the University budget was in good shape for the first part of 1990, but after July, the financial outlook for SIUC turned bleak.

"And '91 looks worse than '90," he said.

Hindsman said that in the future, the University will have to look at every activity to see which are necessary, cutting those which aren't.

"I don't see how they can continue to raise tuition for the customers—the students," he said. "The University is going to have to tighten its belt."

In March 1990, the SIU Board of Trustees approved its first fee increases of the new decade, passing six student fee hikes.

The board passed increases in residence hall rates, rentals of apartments in Foggreen Terrace and Southern Hills, student recreation fees, student activity fees, campus housing activity fees and student attorney fees.

In June 1990, the board raised tuition for law school students by 51 percent.

Chancellor Lawrence K. Pettit said at the time, the increase was needed to maintain the school's competitive edge. Law school students lobbied against the large increase, saying a smaller increase of 20 to 25 percent would achieve the same goals.

Although the University suffered cutbacks in funding in 1990, Guyon said '90 might be remembered as a good year for capital improvements.

The SIUC steam plant received a \$29 million grant for renovations in July.

"Without an upgrade to the steam plant, no other additions to the campus could be made," Guyon said.

In September, SIUC and SIUE campuses received more than \$70 million for state building improvements, the largest one-year amount of capital appropriations in the University's history.

The chancellor's 21st Century Strategic Plan, a blueprint of goals and directions to take the University into the next century, drew attention throughout 1990.

The plan calls for enhancements to the undergraduate and graduate programs and support of economic and social development at the University and in the community.

As part of the plan to overcome SIU's isolation, the SIU Board of Trustees passed a resolution in November 1990 to support the conversion of Scott Air Force Base to a joint military-civilian facility.

Despite financial setbacks in 1990, Jack Sullivan, finance committee chairman for the Undergraduate Student Government, said the year was a positive start to the decade for students.

A new registration system brought an end to the Woody Shuffle in February, as students registered for fall semester through a centralized computer with their advisers.

University officials also made final touches in fall 1990 to a new identification card system, which consolidates all activity cards into

one. Sullivan said two victories SIUC students made in 1990 were keeping a proposed keg registry ordinance by the city from becoming a law and lobbying against the revision of the student conduct code on cheating.

The keg registry ordinance would have abolished the sale of kegs after midnight and would have required people to sign their name, address, phone number and destination of a keg upon its sale.

Revisions to the conduct code on cheating would give faculty more leeway in determining the fate of students caught cheating.

After USG presidential and student trustee elections were nullified in spring 1990, students elected Lissa Kuethe and George Meredith USG president and vice president in a valid fall election.

Sullivan said that after an unsuccessful spring election, USG "kept a low, but positive profile over the summer," and now the ghosts of the spring election are gone.

While the ghosts of spring USG elections may have disappeared, the ghosts of Halloween pasts at SIUC did not.

Students revellers returned to the Strip Halloween night after a newly implemented fall break and took

See YEAR, Page 6

January
 ■ Harry J. Haynsworth becomes the new SIU law school dean.

February
 ■ Woody Shuffle becomes a memory, as students register for fall classes on a central computer system.
 ■ Saluki men's basketball team clinches the MVC title.
 ■ Saluki women's basketball team clinches the Gateway title and qualifies for NCAA play.

March
 ■ SIU Board of Trustees approves a student fee increase.

April
 ■ Trojan Party candidates win the USG election.

May
 ■ Spring USG elections are nullified.
 ■ Saluki baseball team sets a record for the most ever wins in a season by a SIUC baseball team.

June
 ■ SIU Board of Trustees approves tuition increase for the law.

July
 ■ SIUC steam plant gets \$29 million.

August
 ■ Former SIUC President Albert Somit retires from the University.
 ■ University Housing starts a Sunday night dinner service for dorm residents.

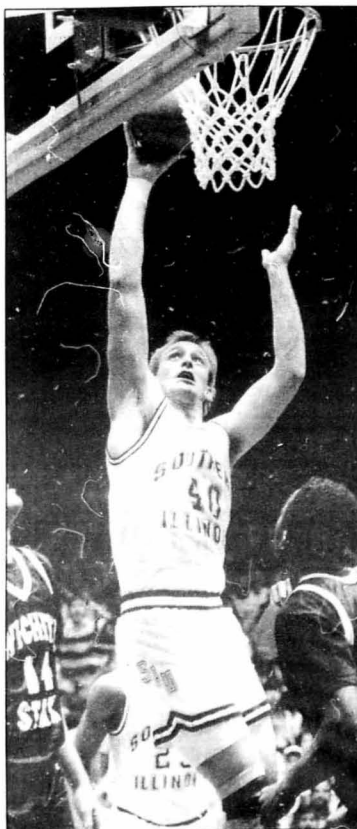
September
 ■ Illinois General Assembly approves \$73 million for SIUC and SIUE building improvements.
 ■ Students protest a proposed keg registry ordinance by the City of Carbondale.
 ■ A 4.6 earthquake rocks Southern Illinois and six other states.
 ■ Baseball coach Itchy Jones leaves his post after 21 seasons for the University of Illinois.
 ■ University officials begin the final stages of a new ID card system.

October
 ■ Halloween revellers take over the Strip for the second year after the annual street party was canceled.
 ■ Student Party candidates win the fall USG election.
 ■ SIUC graduate Stephanie Atkinson is arrested for dissertation.
 ■ SIUC closes for a fall break for the first time.

November
 ■ Students take over the Strip Homecoming Weekend.
 ■ Students elect an African-American Homecoming queen and king for the first time.

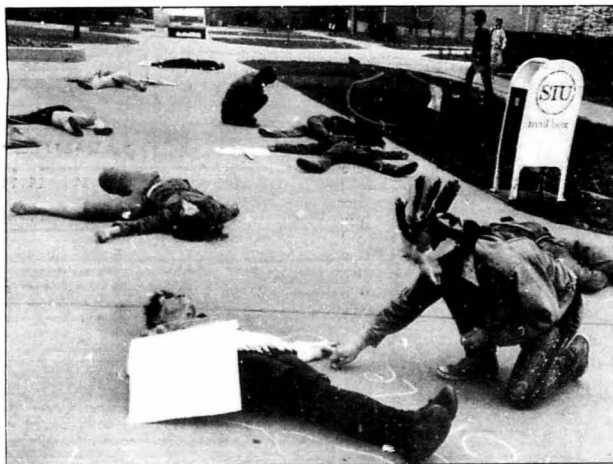
December
 ■ Ben Browning's earthquake does not strike Dec. 3. The University makes preparations just in case.

1990 Looking Back



Daily Egyptian File Photo

Rick Shipley goes up for the basket during the Salukis victory that captured the 1990 Missouri Valley Conference Championship.



Daily Egyptian File Photo

Mid-America Peace Project in April sponsored a "die-in" in front of Faner Hall to protest what they called the rape of the environment.



Daily Egyptian File Photo

Some students knock down the fence to McAndrew Stadium the weekend after Halloween. They were trying to get to the goalposts.

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over the street. Although arrests and vandalism were down from years past and from 1989, when Halloween in Carbondale officially was canceled for the first time, students came back two days later to take over the Strip again both Friday and Saturday nights. During the same weekend, students elected an African-American Homecoming queen and king for the first time. Shavelle Bell and Warren Carr became the first African-American Homecoming couple. As events in the Persian Gulf intensified, University students were called up to serve in the gulf as members of the National Guard and military reservists. By November more than 20 University students and three faculty members had been called to active duty in the gulf.

In response to students and faculty leaving SIUC for military duty, the SIUC Board of Trustees revised student policy in October, giving students final approval in advance to leave the University for duty in the gulf and providing them with a full refund. Another revised

policy gives SIUC employees the difference between their University salary and military pay. In the Saluki sports arena, the SIUC men's and women's basketball teams each captured their conference titles in spring 1990. The men clinched the MVC title, but fell to Illinois State University in the MVC tournament championship. The women won the Gateway title and qualified for NCAA play, losing in the first round to Ohio State. In late spring, the Saluki baseball team set a record for the most ever wins in a season by a SIUC baseball team. In September, Saluki baseball coach Ichy Jones left SIUC for the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana after 21 seasons of play. In fall 1990, University officials

and students prepared for the biggest non-event of the year—the Dec. 3 earthquake that never happened. Although area schools closed around the day climatologist Ben Browning predicted a massive earthquake along the New Madrid fault, SIUC stayed open.

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not chemically tipped warheads, the spokesman said.

During the day Sunday, President Bush, at Camp David, Md., for the weekend, spoke by phone with Saudi King Fahd, British Prime Minister John Major, French President Francois Mitterrand and Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak, the White House said.

"He called to give them an update on the situation on Desert Storm and to consult with them on the situation in the Gulf," said assistant press secretary Bill Harlow. The White House did not elaborate further on the president's phone conversations with the foreign leaders.

Allied warplanes, meanwhile, pounded Iraqi targets. U.S. officials urged Iraqi soldiers on the border to lay down their arms and surrender before a bloody ground war is mounted.

U.S. combat casualties, most of them listed as missing in action, stood at 14, the Pentagon said. A total of eight U.S. warplanes had been shot down and another was

lost because of mechanical problems. In addition, two GIs died accidentally when their bunker collapsed in Saudi Arabia.

CNN reported from Baghdad the captured men, who also included two British flyers, and Italian and an Kuwaiti, were shown in their uniforms against a white wall and appeared somber.

The three Americans were identified as Lt. Col. Clifford M. Acree, 39; CWO Guy L. Hunter, 46; and Lt. Jeffrey N. Zaun, 28. All three had been listed by the Pentagon as missing in action.

Hunter was quoted as saying, "The war was crazy. ... I condemn the aggression against peaceful Iraq."

An uncle of Zaun, watching CNN's airing of Iraqi interviews with the captured men, said he was fairly sure he recognized his nephew's voice.

In a brief radio address broadcast Sunday, Saddam called on Arabs and Muslims to wage a holy war against Iraq's enemies.

"So far we have used only a small part of our forces," Saddam

said. "The tyrant's missiles and aircraft are being destroyed."

"The allied forces led by the United States thought that the war would only last a few days, but on the fourth day since the fighting started these allied forces have to rethink the situation," he said.

During the first Scud attack Sunday, United Press International reporter Jonathan Ferziger reported hearing "a big blast" in what may have been in either downtown Dhahran or in nearby Khobar on the gulf. Other witnesses reported hearing three explosions.

There were no reports of injuries. "They (Scuds) got near Dhahran and we shot them ... down," Williams said. The Pentagon spokesman said he had no reason to believe that the missiles contained anything but conventional warheads.

An all clear was sounded at 10:15 p.m.

Meanwhile, Pentagon sources said Navy officials readied orders to rush a seventh aircraft carrier, the USS Forrestal, to the eastern Mediterranean for war duty.

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Sabina's on Chicago's South Side, specifically included in their prayers the welfare of troops on both sides of the conflict.

The Rev. George Clements, who in recent years counseled some of his mostly black parishioners to consider the military as a means to personal and financial stability, said he now is sorry he did so.

"Never in my wildest dreams did I think I was sending them off to their possible death," Clements said Sunday.

He said he now will counsel his flock to be pacifists.

A few demonstrations continued. A handful of opponents and an

equally small group of people supporting U.S. troops in the Gulf remained on the Federal Building plaza in downtown Chicago early Sunday. And Alderman Roman Pucinski and veterans groups gathered a crowd of several hundred on the city's Northwest Side to support service personnel.

The fighting cut across political lines and seemingly affected all levels of politics.

Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., said during the weekend he may support reinstatement of the military draft if the Persian Gulf conflict drags on longer than three months.

Hyde, appearing Sunday on

WBBM-AM's "At Issue," said the draft might be needed to provide fresh troops for Operation Desert Storm if the fighting is prolonged. He also said a draft would spread the burden of military duty more equitably throughout American society — rather than concentrating it on minorities who had volunteered for peacetime duty.

But, Hyde added, "I am not banging the drum for a draft."

Illinois' senators, Democrats Paul Simon and Alan Dixon, both said they would oppose reinstatement of the draft under current conditions.

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FAA prior to military action in the Gulf region and was approved.

"Our plan went into effect immediately and the FAA's plan was in effect within 72 hours after military action began," Keller said.

Most smaller airports have prohibited curbside baggage and passenger drop-off, restricted parking facilities, increased the number of armed guards throughout the airports, and have limited entry to airline terminals.

The Marion facility also has brought in a drug-sniffing police dog even though the FAA does not require it.

Keller said the dog is an added

precaution to ensure the safety of passengers.

Rockford airport security officers are posting signs with flying and traveling safety tips for passengers. Some of the tips advise travelers not to leave their baggage unattended or carry another's baggage.

Other tips include not to check anyone else's baggage, not to trade airline tickets without first changing the name of the passenger on the ticket, and to notify security guards if any electrical devices are being carried in checked baggage.

"We're more closely watching

people moving in and out of their vehicles and closely monitoring the general traffic flow around the airport," said Randy Paul, a security guard at a northern Illinois airport.

Innocent travelers who might look "suspicious" to airport security might be inconvenienced if they are asked to open their luggage or remove their coats to be searched. However, airport officials said the searches are only precautionary and are for the safety of all airline travelers.

"Some people have felt inconvenienced but we try to meet everybody halfway," said Keller.

PACKAGES, from Page 1

Connie Boyles of Marion, also a member of Operation Support Shield, said she stopped sending packages regularly to her son, Holbert Boyles of the 229th Aviation Regiment, about two weeks ago because of the recommendation.

"I plan to send a small package to him soon," Connie Boyles said.

"Hopefully that will get through all right."

Kennedy said she also had heard that putting return addresses on self-bound letters was not advised, assumedly to prevent letters that fell into the wrong hands from being used by terrorists to spread misinformation or violent acts.

"I think it's just a precautionary

measure," she said.

Harrelson denied that Fort Campbell made any recommendation concerning the use of return addresses on letters to soldiers in the gulf.

Operation Support Shield meets at 7 p.m. Mondays in the Herrin Hospital Auxiliary Room, Kennedy said.

DONOR, from Page 1

a goal of 65 units of blood.

Rosemary Howell, assistant manager at the Carbondale Wal-Mart, said the drives were scheduled before the war in the gulf broke out.

The Wal-Mart six-county blood drive was scheduled because January is traditionally a high need month for blood, Ugent said.

Keith Reeves, assistant manager at the Herrin Wal-Mart, said those donating seemed to feel like they were doing their part to help.

"I think we (Wal-Mart) received more donations than usual because of the outbreak in the gulf," Reeves said. "It's natural for people to rally together in a crisis like this."

Ugent said this is a good way for

people to get involved.

"I think this is something people can do where they know they can help out," Ugent said.

"If the nature of the military action changes to ground maneuvers, the SIUC blood drive will be even more important than usual," Ugent said.

SIUC will have a six-day blood drive Feb. 10 to Feb. 16.

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second place and posted a career best in the 55-meter hurdles with a 8.2, ranking her third all-time on the SIUC Honor Roll.

"Conway was outstanding with her double win," DeNoon said. "She showed she will be one of the top people in conference and Rebecca's run was hand-timed, and that is not 100-percent accurate, so I think she may have actually run faster than that."

Other first places were taken by junior Michele Williams in the long jump with a personal best jump of 18-111/2, sophomore Cheryl Evers with a shot put toss of 44-91/2 and the 4x800 relay of Anita Lohrer, freshmen Jennifer Kostelny and Stephanie Shelley, and sophomore Laura Batsie with a time of 10:02.9.

Other Saluki top finishers include sophomore Brandi Mock who took second in the 400-

meter dash (58.21) and sophomore Dawn Barefoot who took second in the mile run (5:17.13) and third in the 3,000-meter run (10:40.7). Batsie finished second in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:24.52, and sophomore Christine Gable took third in the 1,000-meter with a 3:09.90.

Kostelny placed third in the 800-meter run with a 2:27.65, sophomore Annette Klett took second in the high jump with a jump of 5-3, and sophomore Rhonda Brown took third in the same event with a personal best of 5-1. Sophomore Nacolia Moore placed third in the long jump with a 17-103/4, and sophomore Jennifer Bozue took third in the shot put with a toss of 42-3.

"I thought we did great, but being a coach, I still think there is room for improvement, but nevertheless, we got the job done," DeNoon said.

WOMEN, from Page 12

"Neither team shot the ball well," Scott said. "But I was very happy with our defensive effort. Our players did a good job forcing Illinois State into bad shots."

Rakers was the consistent force in the Saluki offense that took a while to get in the groove. She led the squad with 17 points and added 12 boards, two assists, two steals and two blocks.

But the spark that enabled the Salukis to get the jump on ISU was provided by junior Karrie Redeker. She helped solve the Salukis' shooting woes, as the team hit just 21 of 60 shots from the field. Redeker came off the bench to lead a 11-2 Saluki run late in the first half that was sandwiched by a pair of her three three-pointers. She also chipped in by grabbing seven rebounds to go with her 13 points.

"Karrie is a very good shooter," Scott said. "She's been there when

we've needed her this year. Every night someone else steps up to do the job from the perimeter."

Senior center Cyd Mitchell and senior guard Alison Smith also did their part to down the Redbirds. Mitchell scored only two points, but she got five boards to go with her three assists and two blocks. Smith was the third Saluki in double figures as she helped the cause with 12 points.

After the intermission, the Salukis were able to hold on to their 10-point halftime lead, despite making only eight shots from the field in the second half. The Redbirds kept inching back into the game, but the defense of SIUC continued to blanket any ISU runs. The win could prove costly as the Salukis lost junior point guard Colleen Heimstead to an ankle injury in the second half. Heimstead should be sidelined for a few days.

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after an outstanding performance last week, took second place in the high jump with a jump of 7 feet, six and a half inches lower than his jump last week.

"I told him not to expect a jump like that every week," Cornell said. "I just think his timing was off. I also think he was worn out from being at the meet all day considering the high jump was one of the last events."

Other Saluki finishers were junior Garrett Hines who took second place in both the long jump (24-1) and the 200-meter dash (22.28).

Schwartz also took second in the 1,000-meter run behind Mississippi's George Kersh, who was ranked fifth in the world last year in the 800-meter run.

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