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PAT MAHON — The Daily Egyptian

ABOVE: Kendell Bell, a 4-year-old from Carbondale, plays the lullip drum at Playful Harmonies for Southern Illinois, 900 S. Forest St. RIGHT: Robert Keller (left), a 4-year-old from Carbondale, plays the autoharp with the assistance of Kathleen Spencer, the teacher and director for the program.

Making beautiful music



University teaches young children to play instruments, learn melodies

By Melissa Jakubowski
DE Features Editor

Strings of music and lyrics to songs float out from the quaint white house situated at the back of the Communications Building parking lot on Forest Street every Monday and Friday.

The music coming from inside the SIUC Music Annex might make passers-by cringe, but to the toddlers who are producing the sounds and to their parents, the music is beautiful.

On SIUC's campus, babies from the age of 6 months to the preschool age of 4 are receiving their own form of higher education through music, dancing and rhythm.

The music education program, Playful Harmonies, was adopted as part of the SIUC Youth Music Program this fall. So far, 40 children have been enrolled in the classes.

Kathleen Spencer, the teacher and director of the Playful Harmonies for Southern Illinois, said the program teaches children to appreciate music and learn social skills in a fun, group environment.

"We've lost a generation of people who

love music," she said. "We just want them to love music. We don't expect them to be musicians, but become musical. We want them to get out and want to see the orchestra."

Playful Harmonies offers a Baby Boogies class for 12-month olds to 24-month olds, an Itty Bitty Boogie class for 6-month olds to 12-month olds, Tuneful Toits for 2-year olds, Musical Munchkins for 3-year olds and a Junior Jammer class for 4-year olds.

Spencer tries to set up a preschool classroom setting, but she does not pass grades or set requirements. She said she does use colors, numbers, holidays and seasons to help teach the class.

On Monday, the children sang about falling leaves and tossed bright-colored silk leaves into the air. They listened to a tape to learn about body parts like the elbow.

"They don't know they are learning," she said. "Music is the hook. It is proven that music helps children remember more."

In a usual 45-minute class, the children will use a pick to strum the strings of an autoharp while Spencer sings and presses buttons to change notes. They also will bang on drums.

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CAMPAIGN '96

Reforming finance not likely

By Shawna Donovan
DE Government/Politics Editor

Reforming campaign finance in Illinois is like reforming an "old boys" club that is very comfortable with the status quo," a campaign finance investigator says.

Key races in Illinois receive major funding from state political debate parties, unions and political action committees, Kent Redfield,

principal project investigator for the Illinois Campaign Finance Reform Project, said.

One of those key races this year, as well as in 1994, is the 115th district that encompasses Jackson, Perry and Union counties.

In 1994, the two candidates, state Rep. Mike Bost, R-Murphysboro, and former Democratic incumbent

Gerald Hawkins, D-Du Quoin, spent a combined total of \$416,000 just to win the seat that represents three rural Southern Illinois counties.

The 115th district race was targeted by the two parties as being key in determining which party would control the state House.

Party leaders also contributed campaign personnel to the races, Redfield said. Last year, the Illinois House passed a bill to minimally reform campaign financing. The state Senate debated it but killed it by not voting on it.

Bost, who is running against Democratic candidate John Rendleman for the 115th District seat, said he supported a recent proposal that would require candidates to raise half of their campaign money from within the district, but the measure was killed in the Senate.

One purpose of the bill was to

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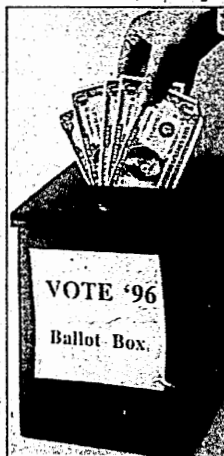


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Judge's nomination expires

By Shawna Donovan
DE Government/Politics Editor

SIU law professor Wenona Whitfield has become a victim of election year politics, a spokesman for Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill., says.

Whitfield's nomination for a federal judge in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Illinois expired last week as the U.S. Senate session ended.

Whitfield's nomination, like many other judge nominations, was held up in the Republican-controlled Senate Judiciary Committee without a vote, said Jean Lappotto, spokeswoman for Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Orrin Hatch, R-Utah.

Whitfield was nominated in March 1995 to an open seat by Simon. Since then, she had one hearing on July 21 in front of the committee right before the Senate recessed until September. "Michael Briggs, a spokesman for Simon, said Whitfield's

expired nomination, along with the other expired nominations, is an example of election year politics.

"All we wanted was a vote. Give us a vote," Briggs said. "They (committee members) slammed their way (through this)."

The Democrats continued to confirm judges in 1992 when

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Gus Bode



Gus says: I hope the judiciary committee watches the expiration date on its milk better than its nominations.

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Due to the late delivery of Gamma Beta Phi invitations, an additional information meeting will be held on Oct. 9 from 5:00-6:00 p.m. in the Student Center Auditorium.

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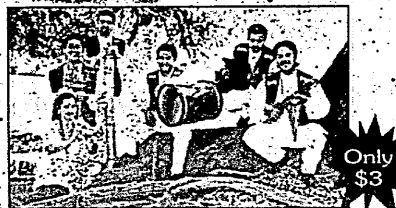
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■ SIUC Library Affairs seminar- "Introduction to Web Publishing (HTML)," 2 to 4 p.m., Morris Library 103D. Contact Undergraduate Desk at 453-2818 to register.

■ Iota Phi Theta Fall Informational Smoker-young mature men invited, 7 to 9 p.m., Student Center Activity Room A. Contact Patrick at 549-8444.

■ Department of Computer Science advisement seminar for current and prospective CS majors and minors, 5 p.m., Parkinson 124. Contact CS Dept. at 536-2327.

■ University Career Services seminar- "Internet as a Job Search Tool," 5 p.m., Lawson 101. Contact Tiffany at 453-1049.

■ University Career Services seminar- "Breaking Into a Career with the FBI," 6 to 8 p.m., Lawson 151. Contact Tiffany at 453-1049.

■ Silver Wings meeting: 5:15 p.m., Aerospace Studies, building in back. Contact Mike at 536-6953.

■ Psychology Student Association seminar- "Graduate Training in Psychology: A Clinical/Training Director's Perspective," by Dr. Steve Dollinger, 6 p.m., Student Center Mackinaw Room. Contact Brett at 549-4069.

■ "Confessions of a Date Rapist" amateur video showing, 7 to 8:30 p.m., Interfaith Center.

■ "Advocates for Pay Equity," talk by Anne Murray, formerly at Western Kentucky University, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m., Faculty House, 1000 S. Elizabeth St. Contact Anne at 457-7206.

■ BAC Finance Committee meeting, 5 p.m., BAC office. Contact Travis at 453-2534.

■ Student Dietetic Association

meeting, 6:30 p.m., Quigley 212. Contact Becky at 529-4304.

■ GLBF "Coming Out Week" events, Oct. 8. Paul Wesselman 3 p.m. Student Center Ohio Room, 6 p.m. Student Center Video Lounge; Gay march through campus 5:30 p.m.-meet outside of GLBF office. Contact GLBF at 453-5151.

■ BAC Programming Committee meeting, 5 p.m., BAC Office. Contact Christi at 453-2534.

■ ACLU seminar featuring Jay Miller, executive director of Illinois ACLU, speaking on Civil Liberties, 7:30 p.m., Law School Auditorium. Contact Leonard at 453-8770.

■ Geology Club weekly meeting, 4 p.m., Parkinson 101F. Contact Rich at 596-6459.

■ Voices for Choice general meeting to discuss pro-choice issues, 5 p.m., Student Center Sangamon Room. Contact Sarah at 549-6896.

■ Ananda Marga Yoga Society meditation and yoga class, 7 p.m., Student Center Saline Room. Contact Adam at 549-0087.

■ SIUC Symphony Orchestra performs works by Wagner, Schumann, Grieg and Strauss, Oct. 8, 8 p.m., Shryock Auditorium. \$3 general price/\$2 student price. Contact Ed at 453-5834.

■ Civil Airpatrol meeting-new member drive; every Tuesday, 7 p.m., Marion Airport by AeroHite. Contact Wayman at 529-3737.

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ACCURACY DESK

Monday's Daily Egyptian story "King of Country" should have stated that Garth Brooks was the best-selling country music performer of all time.

(The DE regrets the error.

If readers spot an error in a news article, they can contact the Daily Egyptian Accuracy Desk at 536-3311, extension 233 or 228.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

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Orchestra to feature European composers

The SIUC Symphony Orchestra will perform at Shryock Auditorium at 8 tonight.

The program features music from 19th century Northern and Central Europe. Works will contain a compilation of music by Edvard Grieg, Robert Schumann, Richard Strauss and Richard Wagner.

Tickets can be purchased at the Shryock Auditorium ticket office. Prices will be \$3 for the general public and \$2 for students and seniors. For information, call Shryock Auditorium at 453-3379.

WORLD

RUSSIA

Yeltsin moved to rest home, top aides feud

MOSCOW—President Boris Yeltsin moved from a hospital room to a rest home outside Moscow as a fierce dispute broke out Monday among two of his top security aides, underscoring the extent of the power vacuum that has developed in his absence.

The Kremlin announced that Yeltsin had moved in recent days from the Central Clinical Hospital to Barvikha, a government resort. Kremlin physician Sergei Mironov said preparations for Yeltsin's heart surgery are proceeding "without deviation."

TURKEY

Meeting with Ghadafi ends in political row

ANKARA—An already controversial trip to Libya by Turkish Prime Minister Necmettin Erbakan has turned into a political nightmare for the Islamist leader after Libya's Moammar Ghadafi touched a raw nerve by advocating creation of a Kurdish homeland.

As a result of Ghadafi's remarks, made at a joint news conference with Erbakan on Sunday, an opposition leader here called for the prime minister's resignation.

— from Daily Egyptian news services

'We all bleed red...'

Student promotes diversity

By Dave Armstrong
Daily Egyptian Reporter



Luis Muralles is red in the face with excitement even though he is working. As he practically bounces up and down on his chair, he makes comic comments to his co-workers.

Although Muralles is only a junior in foreign languages and international trade from Guatemala, he already has realized one of his life goals.

He is showing that through personal involvement, one can make a difference in how people work together.

Since Muralles' arrival at SIUC, he has helped promote cultural diversity in the student population through his personal background and is helping organize activities for Hispanic Heritage Month.

Hispanic Heritage Month highlights the diversity of the Hispanic community through lectures and programs and gives SIUC students the opportunity to learn to appreciate this diversity.

"I always say that we all bleed red," Muralles said. "I think Hispanic Heritage Month is about sharing a little bit of home with everyone. It is here for us all to share our ideas."

Muralles is the Multicultural Programs and Services student coordinator for SIUC Student Development. He also is the former president of the Hispanic Student Council.

He came to the United States with his family when he was 12 and said it was tough to have a normal childhood.

"I was a 12-year-old kid who didn't know the language."

Muralles said. "I knew enough words so I could eat, get to the bathroom at school and play. My parents both had two jobs, so I had to take care of my one-year-old brother and my six-year-old sister, which is a lot for any kid."

But Muralles said he realized the importance of his education, knowing that if he ever wanted to get anywhere, he would need a solid foundation. Muralles said getting that foundation was difficult because he was an illegal alien. He now is a resident alien.

"I wanted to go to this really nice high school, but I couldn't supply a Social Security number," Muralles said. "So I went to a local high school, which had a method of teaching that emphasized reading great literature and discussing it with the professors. I think that really got me ready for college."

Muralles said he chose to come to SIUC because the Hispanic population on campus is small in number. According to the SIUC web page, out of 16,607 students in 1995, only 434 were Hispanic.

"The government hasn't realized that Hispanics are about to become a majority in the United States," Muralles said. "The 1990s are our civil rights movement. This is a time for the whole community to start coming together."

"We all immigrated to the United States. This country doesn't belong to one man; it



AMY STRAUSS — The Daily Egyptian
Luis Muralles, a junior in foreign languages and international trade from Guatemala, is helping organize events for Hispanic Heritage Month.

belongs to every man," J.R. Gain, a senior in commercial graphics design from Fairfield, is Muralles' roommate. He said he is a better person for knowing Muralles.

"He shares things with me," he said. "He doesn't hide who he is, and he is proud of who he is."

Muralles also is active as a team captain of the Student Orientation Committee and is a founding member of Delta Chi Zeta. He is described by co-workers as a "bundle of energy."

Julia Anderson, a graduate student in education from Chicago and Muralles' head resident from last year, said Muralles is outspoken.

"Luis is very, very sociable," Anderson said. "He's one of those people that knows everyone. I think he uses his humor to get issues addressed."

Muralles said through all of his activities, he hopes to be able to help get some meaningful changes made.

He said he encourages cooperation among students of different backgrounds.

"You can make a difference by being involved," Muralles said. "Too many people just bitch and whine, bitch and whine. They never get anything done. I think that is the definition of failure — not trying at all."

Muralles said he wants to strengthen the University through Hispanic Heritage Month.

"I'm challenging every student in this University to start caring about each other," Muralles said. "We all have our own stories, and if we shared those stories, we could make SIUC so much stronger. Harvard would have nothing on us."

CAMPAIGN '96

Reactions differ on presidential debate

By Christopher Miller
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Although President Bill Clinton is being called the winner by some media reports in Sunday night's televised debate, some local people say they were not completely satisfied with the performance of the candidates in the debate.

President Clinton and Republican challenger Bob Dole squared off in a debate at Bushnell Memorial Hall in Hartford, Conn.

John Jackson, dean of the SIUC College of Liberal Arts, said Clinton prevailed in the debate because he made few mistakes.

Jackson said a mistake by Clinton probably would have been the one

thing that Dole would have needed to gain the edge, but the dean said Clinton made no significant mistakes.

"Clearly, Clinton did the best," he said.

Public opinion polls support that observation. While 32 percent of respondents in a CNN/USA Today Poll Monday saw Dole as the victor

in the debate, 51 percent saw Clinton as the victor.

However, 74 percent thought Dole did better than expected.

Jason Beard, a senior psychology from Mt. Pulaski, said Dole could have done much worse.

"Dole didn't sound as bad as I

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E DITORIAL

Candidates should promise change in campaign financing

NURSING HOME CARE AND FUNERAL HOME expenses generally are not the first things people think of when campaign issues come to mind.

In Illinois, however, these items actually can be rationalized to fall under the definition of legitimate campaign expenditures.

That is an awfully broad definition.

This is one reason why Illinois legislators need to work on campaign finance reform and why voters should demand promises from candidates pertaining to reforms they will try to push through the General Assembly.

WHEN A DISTRICT HAS A RACE THAT CAN go either way because of a roughly equal split in partisan voting, Illinois' campaign finance laws make it possible for party leaders to pour money into the race.

This is a broken system. It produces legislators that will have dues to pay in office to their party leaders instead of giving due to those who deserve it — constituents.

More than one-third of John Rendleman's campaign funds have come from one source: House Minority Leader Michael Madigan, D-Chicago. Rendleman claims his recent criticism of his Republican opponent will force him to place Southern Illinois' interests ahead of Madigan's when those interests clash.

He says the criticism will have voters watching him closely. But it is difficult to imagine how a representative cannot be indebted to someone responsible for such a significant portion of a campaign's funding.

ACCORDING TO A POLL BY THE SURVEY Research Office at the University of Illinois at Springfield, 67 percent of the Illinois public believe legislative leaders should not be able to raise money statewide and then funnel the money down to legislative races. Although a majority opinion does not always justify action, in many cases it can reinforce a good idea. This is one of those cases.

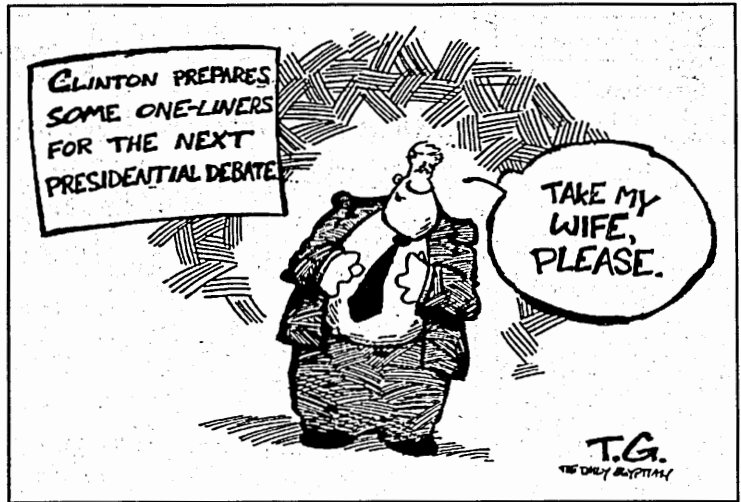
Illinois also has no limits on how much political action committees, individuals, labor unions and regulated industries can contribute to campaigns. In contrast, neighboring Missouri has \$200 limits on all of these items. Although many contributors may not be trying to "buy" a candidate, why create an environment where this is possible? The Survey Research Office poll also indicated strong public support for reform in these areas giving legislators even greater reason to push reform through.

THE LAX CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAWS IN Illinois give the general public one more reason to be cynical about government. People are rightfully suspicious already. The same poll found that 60 percent of the public believes that the state government can "be trusted to do the right thing only some of the time or hardly ever."

Serious campaign finance reform can regain some of that trust.

Illinois needs stronger restrictions on how the money can be spent, where it comes from and how much a person or group can give. The public deserves to hear specific ideas on how candidates will address this problem.

LEGISLATORS SHOULD BE PUT IN OFFICE by the voters in their districts, not by party leaders and contributors whose main interests are not those of Southern Illinois.



L ETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Vegetarianism a healthy idea

The *Daily Egyptian's* concentration on vegetarian issues should be commended. By educating open minds on the health benefits of being vegetarian, more than a few thought twice about their meat consumption. As SIUC student Bill Shinn said, an increased awareness of the benefits of vegetarianism lead to healthy lifestyle changes.

There are a few other factors to consider when weighing the vegetarian vs. carnivorous lifestyle. While looking at the health benefits of giving up meat, according to PETA, an average male has a 50 percent chance of dying from a heart attack compared to a vegetarian male who is four percent at risk.

A woman who eats meat every day is four times more likely to get breast cancer than a woman who eats meat once a week. When doctors estimate that at least 4 million Americans are food poisoned each

year, the quality of meat products is in question. A former director of microbiology for the USDA said the safest thing is for everyone to assume that all meat is contaminated.

In addition to the health factors, it may make a difference if more people knew what the animals on their plates had been through. According to legislation, animals cannot suffer and die in public view and cannot become extinct.

This means that whatever goes on behind closed doors in animal factories, goes on. For example, the crowding in the sheds that chickens are stored in is so severe that the space is kept dark to inhibit movement. When chicks are born, their beaks are cut off with a shearing hot iron. Hens live in an area less than the size of a record album.

Pigs are also harshly treated in meat factories. Metal barred stalls, which chain at the waste, keep

pregnant pigs from turning around. Without anesthesia, pigs are castrated, have their tails cut off and ears notched. Out of fear, some pigs cannot move, eat or drink.

If one is an animal lover who sees joy and pain in animals, it might not hurt to find out what the animal on your plate has been through beforehand. By indulging in a product from a meat industry which tortures animals, you are keeping it in existence.

I have only surfaced on the reasons one may decide to stop eating meat. Someone else may want to comment on the many benefits to the environment.

I think educating ourselves on the impacts that our choices make is essential to the well being of ourselves, other animals and the environment.

Cathleen Tracy
senior, social work

More to athletics than just games

This is in response to the selfish view of athletics presented by a student on Oct. 2.

Let us imagine that instead of enrollment declining for multiple years, people across the United States have heard of SIUC and wanted to come to this institution.

One scenario could be that people wanted to come to SIUC to have fun, meet friends and perhaps do a little partying on Southern Illinois Ave. This might have been true in the past, but for now, we'll just imagine. Still imagining.

Another scenario could be that people wanted to attend SIUC because of our academic standards; because people spoke about SIUC and Harvard in the same breath. Definitely imaginary, again because even with the new standards, students can just barely get accepted to SIUC if they show a

strong potential for a pulse rate. If only there was a group of students who could spread a positive image of SIUC across the country.

Now, let's take a step outside of our imaginary world. In reality, there is a small population of the school, yes, the athletes, that has an equal cumulative GPA to the rest of the student body, and a 15 percent higher graduation rate.

As if that isn't enough, SIUC Athletics are responsible for bringing almost \$8 million per year into the Southern Illinois area.

Look further and one might find that many of their athletes are reading to youths at the local elementary schools, some actions can't be measured in dollars, and the basketball team has conducted fund-raisers, specifically, for our own Morris Library during the past several years. Throw in some

national television exposure from ESPN and CBS and it is easy to see the positive effects of our athletes.

All of this for a measly one half of one percent of the state's total budget to SIUC. It hardly seems fair.

Instead of cutting into athletics, perhaps the athletes should be justly rewarded for their efforts on the field and in the classroom with a little more money from the school. Our athletes are doing nothing but bringing a positive, nation wide name to SIUC.

It is a sad day when someone talks about making cuts in athletics because you would just be cutting into the well-being of Southern Illinois University.

Brian Etzkin
junior, psychology

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Israel not implementing treaty

The sad and tragic events in the West Bank and Gaza were inevitable and predictable considering the right wing Israeli government's policy toward the Palestinians and their homeland. The prime minister of Israel articulates on television a position that his actions on the ground contradict. He makes it crystal clear that he adheres to the Oslo Peace Accord signed between the Palestinians and the Israeli agreement. But when it comes to the implementation of the terms of the Accord, the prime and his advisers wring their hands.

The Oslo Accord calls on Israel to refrain from making any changes on the ground in Jerusalem that might prejudice the final status of that city which is left to the later stages of negotiations. The tunnel entrance the prime minister ordered opened lies in the Moslem quarter of Jerusalem, and opening it is a flagrant violation of the Accord. What the Palestinians justifiably believe, and what the present and former Israeli governments make them believe, is that the Israelis are not earnest about their intentions to negotiate the final status of Jerusalem. They repeatedly announced, and they make no secret of it, that Jerusalem will be indivisible and the capital of Israel. Therefore, the Palestinians rightly construe the opening of the tunnel, whether it endangers the Muslim holy sites or not, as a demonstration that the Palestinians have say in the final status of Jerusalem. To put it in different terms, Israel has made up her mind that she may announce to the world that the final status of Jerusalem is negotiable but the outcome of the negotiations has been a foregone conclusion. The prime minister can prove to the world com-



PERSPECTIVES

-by jamil a. abdo

munity, including the Palestinians and those who love peace, the charge that he excludes the Palestinians from playing a role in the future of Jerusalem to be wrong by closing the tunnel.

The Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza are considered by the world community, including the United States, an obstacle to peace. Therefore, when the Israeli government asked the United States to guarantee a \$10 billion loan, the United States insisted that it should not be used to build new settlements, and the Labor government agreed to that. However, the new prime minister recently approved a plan to build 4,000 residential units in the West Bank in an effort to create a new reality that would make removing these settlements, which the Palestinians believe is inevitable, impossible. Once again, Mr. Netanyahu can dispel these fears by annulling the plan to build new settlements and add new residential units.

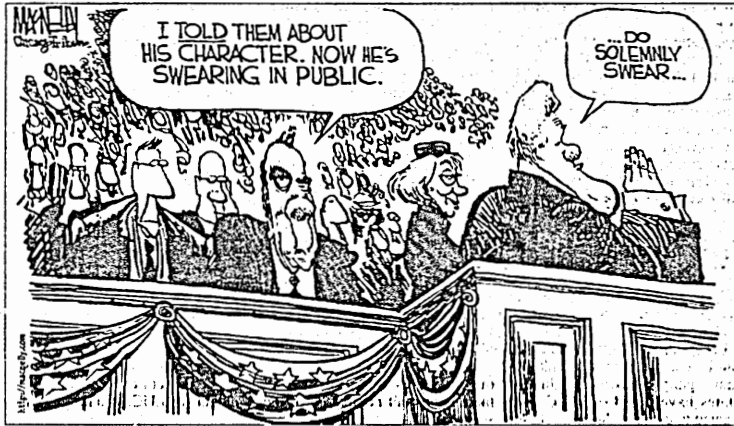
Finally, the Israeli government has too much convincing to do. The question raised by the laymen Palestinians is this: Can the Palestinians trust the Israeli government to stay out of the territory, or should it be called by its right term — massacre? The West Bank and Gaza demonstrated in unambiguous terms that the Palestinian authority is nothing but a farce. They call Mr. Anifaf "President Arafat." The question is, President of what and whom?

The Israeli soldiers marched into the Palestinian towns and, supposedly under Palestinian authority, the Cobra helicopters roared with their automatic guns, raping the Palestinian air space, firing at the demonstrators and murdering 56 Palestinians and injuring hundreds more. The Israeli cities were not attacked by the Palestinians, and there was no justification for the tanks and helicopters to violate the Palestinian territory and air space unless the Israeli government considers the "Palestinian Authority" a joke.

We call on the prime minister to close the tunnel, stop building new settlements, cease confiscating Palestinian land, ease the border closing that prevents Palestinians from getting to their badly needed jobs, refrain from demolishing any Palestinian buildings in and outside Jerusalem and to withdraw from the Palestinian city of Hebron.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Judge others according to self

I am writing this letter to comment about some of the main issues being discussed in our community and in the news. These topics are racism, homosexuality, partial-birth abortion and Christianity. If one is to approach these subjects purely from a biblical standpoint, the Bible is clear that those things are sin, as are jealousy, envying, covetousness, drunkenness, hatred, rebellion and lying. The Bible says the wages of sin, all of them, is death.

According to biblical history, Israel suffered many times for the sins of the people and their failure to obey God. Even though we can be forgiven for our sins, we are still subject to reaping what we sow.

We teach our children not to do things to save them from pain and sorrow, so does God do the same with us. As far as judging is concerned, the Bible says that we are to judge those within (people professing Christianity), not those without (non-Christians). If we find a brother (Christian) taken in a fault, we are also to restore him or her in the spirit of humility and not in piety and disgust. The problem when people come from a biblical perspective is that many so-called Christians judge others not taking self into consideration and drive people away from Christianity. Have there been times when we have fallen into sin?

There is one last thing I would

like to say concerning the topic of racism. All people are a soul placed into a body. We have no choice as to the color of our skin. Looking up to or down upon someone for something as uncontrollable as the amount of melanin in one's skin is totally not of God and is nothing but a tool of the devil. I am a white woman, and two of my three children are bi-racial. I have experienced prejudice from black people and white people, and indeed it is very painful. I think people who react in such a manner need prayer for God to deliver them from that spirit.

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Campaign Finance



Campaign contributions might affect Senate race

By Emily Priddy
Daily Egyptian Reporter

John Rendleman, Democratic candidate for 115th District, says his campaign is all about "working for Southern Illinois first."

However, 79.9 percent of Rendleman's itemized campaign contributions have come from sources located north of Springfield or outside the state, according to the latest D-2 funding disclosure report he filed with the State Board of Elections.

That report shows that Rendleman received a total of \$86,124.14 between Jan. 1 and June 30 this year in itemized direct contributions, transfers and in-kind donations.

According to the report, \$34,413.33 came directly from House minority leader Mike Madigan, D-Chicago.

Rendleman has accused his opponent, Republican incumbent Mike Bost, of forgetting Southern Illinois and voting with Chicago-based party leaders.

With so much of his campaign funding coming from his own party leader, Rendleman, if he is elected, may feel some pressure to vote with Madigan.

But Rendleman said his criticism of Bost will force him to resist those outside influences as voters hold him accountable for his decisions.

"Since I have made it an issue, I believe I am going to be held to a standard of not letting (campaign contributors) affect my decision making as a legislator," Rendleman said. "I think I'm going to be sensitive to concerns that I am simply voting out of party loyalty."

John Jackson, dean of SIUC's College of Liberal Arts, said it is hard to tell how much contributors affect politicians' decisions.

"By and large, you suspect that they get considerable influence over that person's

decision making," Jackson said.

Because the most recent statistics include the period before the March primary, they may not accurately reflect the actual extent to which the parties have funded their candidates, Jackson said.

Another factor influencing the validity of the conclusions that may be drawn from the numbers is the difference between the two candidates' primaries, Jackson said.

Because Rendleman ran against an opponent in the Democratic primary, he needed more money to fund that campaign than Bost, who was uncontested in the Republican primary, Jackson said.

"The problem is, you've got two completely incomparable comparisons," Jackson said. "Whatever you've got is going to be significantly skewed by the fact that there were challengers in the Democratic primary."

Bost said the 115th District race is targeted by the state political parties because voters are split evenly along party lines, making the election winnable for either side.

"It is a swing district, and it's one that (the parties) feel if they can throw enough money into, they can win it," Bost said.

Candidates in this district rely a lot on the media to get their messages out, and the high cost of advertising makes it difficult for the candidates to compete without help from party leadership, Bost said.

During his successful 1994 campaign against then Democratic incumbent Gerald Hawkins, Bost received \$101,000 — or 59 percent — of his campaign contributions from state House Republican leader Lee Daniels, R-Addison.

An Aug. 28 report by the Illinois Campaign Finance Project states that Hawkins received \$175,000 from Madigan in that race.

Interest of 58th District focus of State Senate race

By Emily Priddy
Daily Egyptian Reporter

State Sen. David Luechtefeld, R-Okawville, had received more than 65 percent of his campaign funding from out-of-district sources when his opponent threw down a gauntlet.

Luechtefeld left it lying there.

After the first D-2 campaign funding disclosures were turned in to the State Board of Elections on June 30, Democrat Barbara Brown, an SIUC political science professor, challenged Luechtefeld to obtain at least 50 percent of his new contributions from sources within the district.

Brown said she issued the challenge in the hope that whoever wins the election would consider the interests of the 58th District rather than the interests of outside

residents — to use all the money they gave her for the purpose they intended when they made their contributions: running a successful primary campaign.

Luechtefeld said he is in favor of changing the way campaigns are funded, but not in the middle of a race.

"I would be definitely for passing some legislation to deal with campaign finance reform," he said. "I just don't think that you can all of a sudden in the middle of a campaign decide that you're going to change the rules. It's not a sincere thing, but that's how politics are."

Brown said she made sure she issued her challenge early in the campaign, at a time when she and Luechtefeld had about the same amount of money.

"It's just absolutely a distortion of the facts when he says that I was trying to change the rules in the middle of the game,"

she said. "I was trying to impose some discipline on us when we were even in the amount of money we had raised and when it was early enough in the campaign that both of us could live within those rules."



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As of June 30, Brown had \$67,649.75 in direct contributions, transfers and in-kind donations, according to D-2 reports filed with the State Board of Elections. Luechtefeld had \$56,241.24.

Brown said since Luechtefeld did not accept her challenge, she already has had to rely on some party money to stay competitive and probably will receive more before it is over.

"I'm going to have help from the Democratic party in this state as we wind down," Brown said.

In itemized contributions, transfers and in-kind donations, Brown had received only \$900 from the Democrats between Jan. 1 and June 30. Luechtefeld had received

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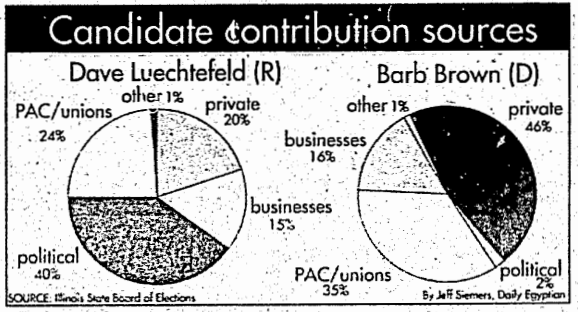
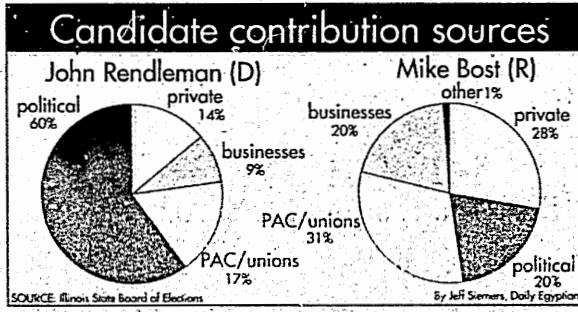
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"My opponent last time around received more money from his party than I did from mine," Bost said. "As far as finances are con-

cerned, most of ours are being raised from within the district."

Bost has received only 19.99 percent of his campaign funding from party sources, his last D-2 states.

The biggest funding sources in Bost's campaign, as of June 30, were unions and political action committees. Those sources con-

tributed \$12,975 — or 31.51 percent — of Bost's \$41,172.05 in itemized receipts during the reporting period.

The Manufacturers PAC from Springfield gave Bost his largest single union donation of \$2,500.

In 1994, Hawkins received \$21,000 from unions, while unions gave Bost only \$1,000.

Unions and PACs made up \$14,484.40 — or 16.82 percent — of Rendleman's itemized contributions.

Bost said he is not surprised that the dollar amount Rendleman received from unions and PACs is higher than the amount Bost received from those sources because unions traditionally have

supported Democrats.

The Illinois AFL-CIO labor union endorsed Rendleman Wednesday, according to a press release from Rendleman's campaign headquarters.

The next set of D-2s are due at 5 p.m. Oct. 21 in Springfield, officials from the Illinois State Board of Elections said.

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keep "somebody from coming from the outside and trying to buy the race," Bost said.

Campaign reform, although still an important issue in the state, has not been addressed aggressively, Redfield said.

Redfield said even though legislators want to discuss campaign reform, they are comfortable with the current system of having party leaders contribute to their campaigns.

Redfield said under Illinois law, there is no limit on how much candidates can spend and what they spend it on as long as expenditures are disclosed properly.

State candidates are required by Illinois law to disclose the name of contributors to their campaigns and the amount of the donations.

"In Illinois, there is no enforcement of campaign laws," Redfield said. "The laws are really lax and

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Kent Redfield,
principle project investigator,
Illinois Campaign Finance Reform Project

vague."

Redfield said some of the weirdest expenditures of state legislators and candidates in 1994 included a payment for funeral services and nursing home care for a candidate's spouse.

Illinois and California are the states with the most lax campaign financing policies in the nation.

Redfield, along with other scholars and government officials, is organizing a project designed to educate the public about campaign finance and also to survey the public about the issue.

At the end of this year, the group will bring the information, includ-

ing the thousands of pieces of data about specific races in the state, before the Illinois General Assembly, Redfield said.

"We hope they (legislators) will listen to us and to what the public says about the issue," Redfield said. "It is an important issue that needs to be addressed."

"The situation (tax laws and contributions) is almost out of control," Redfield said.

Bost said he would like to see a cap placed on the percentage of funding candidates can receive from outside of their districts in Illinois.

"I don't know that we should set limits on what it costs (to run a

campaign), but we should set limits on how much comes from outside the district," he said.

"You've got to raise a majority of the money in district."

"Those are the people that are voting for you and should be supporting you."

Redfield said he is cautiously optimistic about current reform movements in the state.

"This is the first time in a decade that this issue has been brought to the surface," he said.

Rendleman said campaign finance reform is needed, but it will not happen all at once.

"The Supreme Court has said that you can't put spending limitations (on a campaign), but they have approved limitations for individual contributors and organizations," Rendleman said.

"I support those kinds of limitations because of what we're going through now — having to answer questions about whether the big money is going to have that big of an influence."

If reform comes about, it will be

a gradual process, Rendleman said.

He suggested a step-by-step approach, with limitations on PAC money first and then on individual contributors.

"I think, though, one of the things we really have to look at is prohibiting state contractors from giving money to candidates," Rendleman said.

"Those (contributions) just plain look bad."

John Jackson, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, said the most fair way to reform campaign finance would be for the government to give candidates an equal amount of money to run their campaigns.

More support at the grassroots level, for example widespread individual donations of \$25 to \$50, also would help water down the influence of special interests and party leaders on members of the General Assembly.

However, such a situation is unlikely, Jackson said.

"That's an idealistic view that usually doesn't happen in the real world."

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\$14,912.96 from Republican sources during the same period.

Unions and political action committees gave Luechtefeld's campaign \$8,900 in itemized contributions, including a \$1,000 donation from the Caterpillar Committee for Effective

Government, according to Luechtefeld's D-2.

PAC and union money amounted to 24.1 percent of Luechtefeld's total itemized contributions.

Brown received 35.12 percent of her funding, or \$14,981.25, from PACs and unions during the same period. Her biggest union contributor was the Drive Political Fund, an affiliate of the Teamsters Union, which donated \$5,000 to her campaign.

The 58th District is an important race for both parties statewide for two reasons, Brown said.

First, the partisanship of voters in the district is split fairly evenly, with only a few more Democrats than Republicans in the area.

There are an unusual set of circumstances here," Brown said. "This is a district that has a slight Democratic advantage, so Republicans know that this is one that they could potentially lose, and Democrats know this is one

they could win fairly easily."

Races that could easily go either way are being targeted especially heavily this election, because control of the state Senate is at stake, Brown said.

Right now, both houses of the General Assembly are GOP-dominated, and Gov. Jim Edgar is a Republican.

So the party can "fast-track" legislation it deems worthy without having to worry about the Democrats killing it, Brown said.

She said the Republicans currently have only seven more Senate seats than the Democrats.

In order to keep control of the Senate, the GOP has to hang on to at least four of those seats, Brown said.

"If any of those chambers become dominated by the Democrats, that can put a roadblock in the way of the Republicans," she said.

"That's why this race is so important to both parties."

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Salute to Simon dinner to benefit SIUC institute

By Dylan Fenley
Daily Egyptian Reporter

"It's a pretty big challenge to raise a million dollars by February, but I think we can do it."

Robert Quatroche, Institution Advancement vice chancellor

University officials are planning a black-tie fund raiser in Chicago to help raise \$1 million by mid-February for Paul Simon's Public Policy Institute at SIUC.

The Public Policy Institute will study political issues and act as a bipartisan "think tank" for the public and the government, similar to the Brookings Institute and the Heritage Foundation. The professor in the institute will be Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill.

Robert Quatroche, vice chancellor for Institutional Advancement, said the University hopes the event, titled The Salute to Senator Simon, will help raise the \$1 million needed to finance the Institute by targeting "a select group of major gift prospects."

The salute will be a formal benefit dinner in mid February in Chicago. More than 1,000 people are expected to attend the event, with corporations and individuals being invited to sponsor tables for donations.

"It's a pretty big challenge to raise a million dollars by February, but I

think we can do it," Quatroche said. The institute will have a board of directors consisting of the dean of the College of Mass Communication and Media Arts, the dean of the College of Liberal Arts, the vice chancellor for Institutional Advancement, the SIUC chancellor or his representative and the University president or his representative.

The institute also will have a board of advisers consisting of business, civic, labor, media and academic leaders from the community.

No more than 25 percent of the institute's funding is to come from

state sources in the first five years of the institute's operation, with the rest of the funding coming from fundraising efforts like the event in February. John Jackson, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, said the college already has allocated \$20,000 to help fund the institute.

The total amount already raised for the institute was unavailable as of press time.

The University has proposed a budget of \$210,000 for the first year of the institute, including Simon's salary of \$120,000 per year.

After the first year, Simon is expected to be on payroll for only six months per year, which will reduce the budget to \$150,000 annually.

Simon was on campus last week meeting with University officials. He selected an office space in the forestry building and chose the textbook for one of the two courses he will be teaching in the spring, Jackson said.

Simon has three offices assigned to him, forestry building rooms 134, 135 and 136. His staff will include a secretary, a graduate assistant and a student worker, Jackson said.

Simon will teach Political Science 321 and Journalism 495 next spring.



PAT MAHON—The Daily Egyptian

I see you: Sixteen-month-old Jeremiah Robinson, from Makanda, and his babysitter Ann Fraedrich, from Cobden, play a game of hide-and-seek in the sculpture garden in front of Morris Library Monday night.

Hijacker in Egypt Air flight gets life sentence

The Washington Post

WASHINGTON—A federal judge sentenced a Palestinian militant Monday to life in prison for hijacking a Cairo-bound Egypt Air flight nearly 11 years ago and setting in motion what became one of the bloodiest hijackings in history.

U.S. District Judge Royce C. Lamberth said his only regret was that he couldn't sentence Omar Mohammed Ali Rezaq, 38, to life without parole for the "heinous and

cold-blooded" crime.

Because the hijacking occurred two years before the penalty for air piracy was changed, Rezaq could be eligible for parole in 10 years. But Lamberth, who also ordered Rezaq to pay \$264,000 in restitution to survivors, said he will urge the parole board against ever setting Rezaq free.

Prosecutor Scott Glick, in pushing the maximum sentence, said Rezaq coldly shot to death two women, an American and an Israeli,

and was responsible for the deaths of 56 others who were killed during a botched rescue attempt by Egyptian commandos when they stormed the plane on the runway at Malta.

Victims and relatives of those who died were among the spectators packing the courtroom, where a jury heard four weeks of often dramatic testimony about the hijacking of Flight 648 on Nov. 23, 1985.

Rezaq and two other hijackers seized the plane shortly after it took

off from Athens, Greece. When the lead hijacker was killed during a gun battle with Egyptian security guards, Rezaq took charge. Three survivors — Israeli Tamar Artzi and Americans Patrick Baker and Jackie Pflug — testified that Rezaq singled them out because of their nationalities, shot them in the back of the head and pushed them down the plane's steps onto the runway. They survived because Rezaq's ammunition was defective and because they played dead.

Monday, Edward Leonard of Ontario — whose wife and 18-month-old son died during the bungled rescue attempt — shook with rage as he addressed Rezaq. Calling him "the agent of death and misery" and a coward and looks forward to when he can clip Rezaq's obituary from a newspaper.

"Had you died, or whenever you die ... you will never be a martyr," Leonard said. "You will only be one thing: a pitiful and cowardly murderer."

Recent plane crashes cause misinformation

By Julie Rendleman
Daily Egyptian Reporter

The press has fed the national concern of airline safety with misinformation since the recent Trans World Airline accident and the ValuJet crash, a Delta Airlines official says.

John K. Laber, vice president for corporate safety and compliance with Delta Airlines, spoke at the 10th annual Aviation Banquet Thursday about how public interest in airline safety has intensified since the May 11 ValuJet crash near Miami and the July 31 TWA flight 800 incident.

About 300 SIUC faculty and students of the five aviation majors attended the banquet in the Student Center along with SIUC Chancellor Donald Beggs.

Laber, who also served as a member of the National Transportation and Safety Board during the administrations of President Ronald Reagan and President George Bush, said the two accidents have caused a frenzy of press misinformation.

"The press has made the Federal Aviation Administration, in a course of a year, hit rock bottom," he said.

Laber said the TWA incident had more than 230 fatalities, which equals the death rate of two days on the nation's highways.

"We recognize that we have built a sound system," he said. "But it does not mean we are satisfied with the status quo. Every injury means something personal and very deep

to individuals."

Laber said there are a number of different aspects to managing safety.

"We have to look at the past to deal with current problems," he said.

Laber said while working for NASA, he discovered some old Civil Aeronautics Board accident reports from the 1940s.

"These reports showed me how the FAA standards have changed dramatically over the years and how aircraft safety has improved," he said.

Laber said one of the accidents in the reports involved a DC-3 aircraft that crashed while approaching an airport in heavy rain.

"The plane crashed because it was not equipped with wipers," he said. "After that, American Airlines gave all their planes wipers."

Laber said he spoke to TWA officials recently, and they still do not know the reason for the crash. He said that is the one thing the press is reporting correctly concerning the TWA incident.

"What you are reading in the newspapers is true," he said. "They still do not know the cause of the accident. They said to me, 'It is still a mystery.'"

Ellen Northam, a senior in journalism and aviation management from Elmhurst, said she agrees with Laber about the press creating a frenzy with aircraft crashes.

"There is a great deal the public does not understand," she said. "We are literally jumping through hoops,

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New City Hall opens smoothly

By Jennifer Camden
Daily Egyptian Reporter

For Gloria Phillips, working the front desk at the new city hall/civic center as it opened Monday morning was an exercise in traffic control.

Phillips gave directions to a steady stream of visitors looking for the right office to pay a bill, deliver a package, pay a ticket or register to vote in the new building located at 200 S. Illinois Ave.

"It's been interesting," she said. "Since I'm the one who greets the public, I had to stay [at the old city hall, 609 E. College St.] on Friday as close to 5 p.m. as possible, and be up and running today at 8 a.m."

Brad Fleck, city land surveyor, engineered the city offices' move, which he said went smoothly. City employees spent weeks packing and planning the move, and they executed the final steps last weekend.

Employees said working in the \$6.2 million building is a pleasure after working in the converted dormitories on East College Street, which the city moved to in 1975 when the city hall at the corner of Marion and West Walnut streets burned.

The new building's corridors are wide and its ceilings are high, in contrast to the old city hall's claustrophobia-inducing hallways and low ceilings.

The new building's lobby features wood accents and pink tiles; the old city hall's interior was what author Tom Wolfe has called "good-enough-for-government-work gray."

City Manager Jeff Doherty said the difference between the two buildings is like night and day.

"[The old city hall] was an old

dormitory, an old building that had a lot of problems," he said. "Moving into a new facility like this is really moving uptown."

The old city hall had no elevator, in violation of the Americans with Disabilities Act, Doherty said.

Doherty said the city hall will be a cornerstone of downtown revitalization.

"It puts 70 employees in the middle of downtown, plus the hundreds of people it will attract on a daily basis," he said.

Don Monty, assistant city manager, said the city hall's basement archive system is a vast improvement over the old system, in which city hall records were stored on the third floor of a neighboring building.

"There wasn't an elevator in that building, and those big boxes of paper are heavy," she said. "Here, with the elevator, you can put them on a dolly and bring them upstairs. It's a very functional building."

The building's telephone system automatically forwards callers who know their extensions, a service the old city hall's system lacked. Phillips said the feature will cut switchboard traffic.

"If they know their extension, they won't have to wait for me to get to the line," Phillips said. "It's automated, just like everything else these days."

The water and sewer bill collection office is in the new building, and Fleck said city parking tickets can be paid there.

The circuit court, where city tickets are paid, and the Public Works Administration offices also are in the new building.

The telephone number to the new city hall is 549-5302. Metered parking is available on the building's west side.



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Bodies in Motion: Pete Collori (left), a first year graduate student from Gurnee, gets instruction in Lee Jun Fan Gung Fu, a Bruce Lee-inspired martial art, from Brad Button, an undecided freshman from St. Louis, Monday evening at the Sam Rinella fields. They are practicing the move "kali" which translates as "body motion."

CIPS will no longer accept bill payments

Students take news in stride

By Emily Priddy
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Christy Davis says she does not expect any serious inconvenience when Carbondale's Central Illinois Public Service office closes its walk-up payment facility this Friday.

Davis, a senior in marketing from Oak Forest, said she was not aware the facility is closing because her roommate usually takes the payment to the office.

The office is located at 334 N. Illinois Ave.

"We'll just mail [our payment] in," she said. "It doesn't bother me. I usually mail everything at one time."

Ed McDowall, CIPS employee information supervisor, said the office is closing its walk-up window to save money.

"Basically, the office is being closed to reduce costs for CIPS as well as streamline our operation," he said.

McDowall said students living off campus can pay their bills at one of five Carbondale banks if they do not want to mail their payments to the company's Springfield headquarters.

The Bank of Carbondale, 216 E. Main St.; Charter Bank, 500 W. Main St.; First Bank, 1500 W. Main St.; First National Bank and Trust Co., 509 S. University Ave.; and Magna Bank, 601 E. Main St., all accept CIPS payments.

McDowall said.

Dave Gruchot, a senior in zoology from Orland Park, said the closing will not affect him.

"I never even knew [CIPS] had a place where you can go and pay," he said. "I just always mail it in."

Customers need to be sure they get their payments in on time this month because the usual late penalty — 1.5 percent of the unpaid balance each month — will be enforced even if customers are late with their payments because they are unaware of the closing, McDowall said.

"I don't think there are plans to waive the late penalty because the other options exist," McDowall said.

"If the office is closed, there are those five banks."

The CIPS office in Carbondale is not eliminating all its services, McDowall said.

If customers have questions about their bills or run short of funds and need to discuss other payment options, they still can call the office at 457-4158, he said.

"We do have programs available to help customers in that regard," McDowall said. "One of the programs is the deferred due date. A customer can work out arrangements to pay their bill off over an extended period of time. There continues to be staff available [in the Carbondale office] to take calls like that."

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HEY, DOESN'T ANYONE HERE DATE ROZ?

WELL, WHEN I FIRST STARTED COMING IN HERE...

SHE REALLY CAUGHT MY EYE.

IT WAS A RIGHT CROSS, I BELIEVE.

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by Jeff Shesol

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- 1 Referred, verb
- 5 Fall fever
- 10 Federal agent
- 15 -- 50 anything...
- 15 SA-104 secured
- 17 Hysterical
- 17 Tell the water
- 17 It's a way
- 21 Trite
- 21 King-size
- 22 Drooped
- 23 Cone
- 24 March
- 25 Game # 2 players
- 25 Word article
- 31 "Hertz" truck
- 31 Soccer
- 32 Laundry list
- 35 Game
- 35 Stride to and to
- 37 E - 12
- 37 Hair care product
- 39 Tune in order
- 40 bear or pony
- 41 Chevy

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Monday's Puzzle solved:

42 Brian or pony	12 To smother
41 Chevy	13 Dressed
43 Huggle	14 Pivet
44 A.M. word	15 11 inch or fair
45 Hip & partner	20 Luster's quarry
46 EA software	24 Herod's surname
49 Soccer parts	25 Carter's capital
50 50¢ off	26 Marjorie
53 Gnu up	27 Cartier's capital
55 Adjunct	28 Intermittent
57 Recumbent	29 -- of Leo
58 Form part	30 Clad
60 Fervent	37 Parenthetical object
60 Settlers	38 Chan
61 Tissue	39 Change
DOOM	39 Knight's message
1 Pouch	38 Thrombolytic
2 Hurler's quarry	36 Thrombolytic
3 Hurler's quarry	36 Thrombolytic
4 Yucca	37 Mining tool
5 Lumber	38 Estane
6 Garden pests	42 Padded
7 Lumber	43 Eggno loco
8 Firer	44 Padded
9 Altimeter	45 Pressure
10 Lubricant	45 Tinting sound
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Music

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march, scrape rhythm sticks (red sticks that are a foot long with ridges carved on them).

The children will listen to taped music and then dance, spin, wave ribbons and perform other body movements to learn rhythm.

Tracy Logeman of Carbondale has enrolled her 3-year-old son Alex in the program. She said she enrolled Alex so he would gain classroom experience and be with other children.

"He talks about it all the time," she said. "He starts singing at home. We went to Arts and Celebration to see a musical performance, and he kept on thinking they were going to let him play the instruments."

Children get first-hand experience with the instruments. The instruments are broken into tappers, scrapers and shaker groups.

Some of the instruments are made out of ordinary items like a salt shaker.

Marta Keller of Carbondale said she enrolled her son Robert, 4, as a complement to the piano lessons he receives.

"He will also develop cognitive

skills right now when the window is open at the preschool level."

Playful Harmonies was created by Patricia Keefe, a music therapist, in a New York day care in 1988.

The program was moved to Belleville and is supported by community organizations and institutions.

The registration fee is \$5 a week or \$25 a month. Children should be able to attend class by themselves while their parents can sit in the waiting room. Children enrolled in the Baby Boogies class need a caregiver.

As the miniature students pile out of the classroom, Tracy Logeman

snatches up her son Alex.

"Did you play on the drums today?" she asks.

"Yes!" he said back to her while waving his hands in a rhythmic beating motion.

Tracy Logeman looks at her son and comments on his future as a musician.

"We'll see what his interests are," she said. "His uncle is a professional drummer."

"I hope he picks something else. We're always like, 'Why be like Uncle David. Isn't a violin nice?'"

People interested in enrolling their children in the program can call the School of Music at 536-8742.

Debates

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thought he was going to," Beard said.

Elizabeth Campbell, a junior in social studies from Mendota, said she watched the first few minutes of the debate but changed channels when it became too predictable.

"Fifteen minutes into the debate, Clinton had already begun repeating himself," she said.

"And Bob Dole was not very eloquent."

Jackson said it only is in close elections that debates have a significant effect on the outcome.

Frank Sehnert, a local resident belonging to the Reform Party, said he was disappointed that Reform Party presidential candidate Ross Perot was excluded from the debate.

"Perot would have made some statements that would have challenged them," he said.

The next presidential debate is scheduled for Oct. 16 in San Diego, Calif.

Expired

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George) Bush was president. They (Republicans) did not do this in 1996."

Of 105 nominations received by the committee during the 104th Congress (1995-96), 17 judges were confirmed by the Senate. Twenty-one nominations never made it out of committee. In 1992, 66 judges were confirmed by the Senate out of a total of 121 nominations.

Whitfield, who still is teaching, refused to comment on the situation or the committee's politics, but said she has been in contact with Simon

and Sen. Carol Moseley-Braun, D-Ill.

"I don't have a side of the story," she said. "I don't think it's appropriate for me to comment."

Lappotto said some committee members raised questions about the nominees.

One of those members, Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa, had sent a questionnaire back to Whitfield for further information, Lappotto said.

Lappotto said, since then, Whitfield returned the questionnaire, but there was no action by the committee on Whitfield's nomination.

Simon, along with other Democrats and Republicans, complained last spring about the stalling and the excessive time it was taking

to act on the nominations.

Former Senate Majority Leader, Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., also complained on the Senate floor about the inaction. Dole is the Republican presidential candidate.

"We should not be holding people up. If we need a vote, vote them down or vote them up, or whatever, but they ought to be voted on because they probably have plans to make, and there are families involved," he said on May 24 in the Congressional Record.

In a Sept. 23 "Chicago Law Bulletin" article, Simon and J. Phil Gilbert, chief judge of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Illinois, said the backlog of cases has worsened because a

new judge has not been confirmed for that court.

Gilbert said, in the same article, that civil cases are particularly affected, with many not being disposed of until between one and two years after the cases are filed.

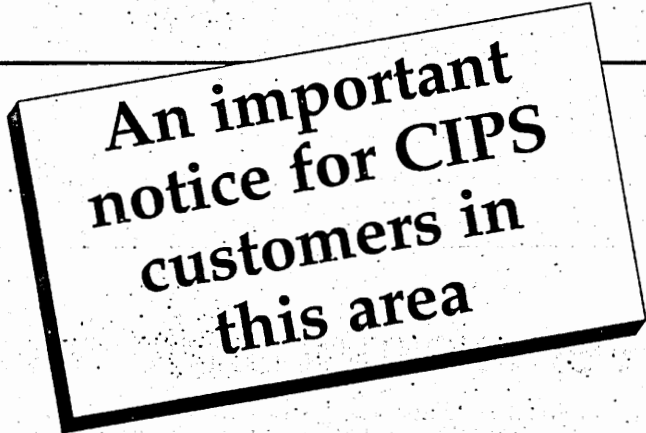
Court officials would like to dispose of civil matters within 12 months to 15 months.

Lappotto said for Whitfield to be re-nominated, the president or whoever wins the election would have to re-nominate her.

The presidential election is Nov. 5.

Joanna Stacey, spokeswoman for Braun, said Braun is waiting until after the election before she re-nominates anyone.

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Kicking it: LEFT: Saluki women's soccer club member Sara Sutton, a freshman in journalism from East Moline, blasts the ball downfield during the Salukis' 0-2 loss at the hands of Western Illinois University Saturday at Parrish Park. RIGHT: Saluki men's soccer goalie Jon Schaefer, an art education sophomore from Crystal Lake, wrestles the ball away from a University of Missouri player Saturday at Stehr Field.

FOOTBALL

Turnovers responsible for loss to Bears

By Michael DeFord
DE Sports Editor

Saluki Football Coach Shawn Watson is quick to give credit where it is due and even quicker to accept the blame for Saturday's 24-17 loss to Southwest Missouri State University.

"I really believe we have nobody else to look at in the mirror but ourselves," Watson said at his weekly press conference Monday. "Credit (is) due to SMSU for finding a way to win. I don't want to take anything away from their players."

"But I'm disappointed with the fact that we didn't come away with the win."

Saturday's loss didn't ended any hopes for a conference championship, but it did serve to put added pain on what could have been SIUC's first ever 2-0 conference start.

If Watson's weekly meeting with the media was any indication of how disappointing Saturday's loss is, the team must be feeling low.

Monday's press conference fell short of its usual 45-minute debriefing and was minus its usual appearance of players.

Watson spent little time rehashing Saturday's loss to the Bears, summing up the meeting with, "I'm still mad about it."

When considering what happened Saturday, it's easy to see why.

The Salukis, who are now 1-1 in the Gateway Conference, took a 17-0 lead into the locker room at halftime, but stumbled in the sec-

ond half, handing SMSU 24 unanswered points and its first conference win of the season.

Watson blamed SIUC's second half debacle on Saluki turnovers — something new to this year's squad — and big plays on behalf of the Bears.

Senior quarterback Phil Shellhaas fumbled a snap early in the second half, which eventually led to an SMSU score. SIUC running back Coe Bonner coughed up the ball deep in Bears territory early in the fourth quarter, which set up a SMSU field goal. Shellhaas then threw an interception late in the fourth quarter to end a driving SIUC offense any hopes of pulling off the win.

"There is nothing more you can do except put the blame on yourself," Shellhaas said. "You go in 17-0, you have to think we are going to come out and do the same thing in the second half, but it didn't happen."

Watson credited SMSU for taking advantage of the Salukis' turnovers.

"Whenever you turn the football over to a good football team, even though we were deep inside our own territory, they're going to find ways to win the ballgame," Watson said. "All those things contributed plus giving up the big plays defensively."

SIUC's defense, which is last in the conference in total team defense, kept the Bears in check throughout the first half, but gave up the big plays in the second half. SIUC's defense is giving up 381.3 yards per game to opposing teams.

SMSU running back Michael Coese, who was virtually nonexistent in the first half, turned a delay call into a 59-yard pickup on SMSU's first possession of the second half to set up SMSU's first score.

On SMSU's next possession, wide receiver Montoi Dixon beat


Saluki defensive back Orlando Rogers for a 58-yard touchdown.

"We had a lot of missed tackles that resulted in big plays that could have been for stops," Watson said. "Then we gave up the big play. We've got to be able to play base defense and make people earn things."

"You just don't give them up. That's cutting your own throat."

The Salukis will attempt to stop the bleeding when Indiana State University rolls into Stadium Saturday for one of three consecutive home games.

"We've just got to rebound," Watson said.



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AUTO RACING

Indy 500 will run solo in May 1997

Los Angeles Times

The Indianapolis 500 will have its racing date to itself next May. Championship Auto Racing Teams, Inc., the older Indy car sanctioning body, will not go head-to-head with the Indianapolis race, centerpiece of the newer Indy Racing League, but that does not mean the two racing organizations are any closer to peace.

The CART schedule, released Monday, shows a race at the yet-to-be-built Gateway International Raceway in Madison, Ill. — across the Mississippi River from St. Louis — on Saturday, May 24, the day before the Indianapolis 500.

The U.S. 500, which this year was run at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, Mich., on the same day as the Indy 500, will remain at the same track but will be run July 27, a traditional date for the track's Indy car race. This year, there were two Indy car

"It is very important to race on Memorial Day weekend."

*Andrew Craig,
CART president*

races at MIS.

CART President Andrew Craig said the changes involving the U.S. 500 were made because "by racing on Saturday (instead of Sunday) we make a clear point that it is not necessary to race head to head with Indianapolis. On the other hand, we recognize that it is very important to race on Memorial Day weekend. We can't leave holiday weekends alone.

"The message from our fans was clear: They wanted this important new race to remain in the Midwest."

have good matches," Auld said. "It is a nice way to get a good variety of teams we don't normally get to play.

"We also got to play a couple of conference schools that gave us an early look at how strong they are."

The Saluki women travel to St. Louis Friday through Saturday for the MVC Championships.

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"I would rather be that than 2-6," she said.

Auld said the invitational was a success in terms of records and getting a feel for the MVC meet next weekend.

"Looking at the competition that was here, I knew we would

BASEBALL

Rivera can lead Yankees to victory over Orioles

Los Angeles Times

NEW YORK—He is 6-foot-2, 168 pounds. A 2-iron in pinstripes.

He's not exactly the physical reincarnation of such heat-dispersing relief pitchers as Dick Radatz, Goose Gossage or Lee Smith, but if a fall breeze doesn't blow Mariano Rivera away during the American League Championship Series, he is likely to continue blowing away opposing batters.

He struck out 130 in 107 2/3 innings this year.

He walked only 34. He gave up only 73 hits, holding hitters to a .189 average.

"He's easily our most indispensable pitcher," New York Yankee Manager Joe Torre said Monday, the eve of Tuesday night's series opener against the Baltimore Orioles.

"Everything we do is based around Mo. He makes it possible for John Wetteland to do what he does. He's the bridge to the closer.

He pitches the most important innings."

Rivera generally pitches the seventh and eighth innings, setting the stage for Wetteland, who converted 43 of 47 save opportunities.

In the division series with the Texas Rangers, the Yankee bullpen was almost flawless.

The combination of Wetteland, Rivera, Jeff Nelson and David Weathers went 2-0 with two saves, working 17 1/3 shutout innings on five hits and 15 strikeouts.

Right-hander Rivera faced 15 batters and retired 14, yielding one walk.

Said Cal Ripken Jr., the Oriole shortstop, "We're well away of how strong the Yankee bullpen is. In some ways it almost forces you to change your offensive approach. You want to be sure to go in the late innings with a lead."

The Yankees were 87-1 in games they led after eight innings and 25-16 in games decided by one run.

Rivera warms up the speed guns for Wetteland.

Both throw in the mid- to high 90s, but Rivera, a 26-year-old Panamanian, often throws nothing but fastballs from a delivery smooth as whipped "mantequilla."

"The great thing to watch is how his fastball sort of explodes from this methodical windup of his," Wetteland said of Rivera. "Everything looks nice and calm, then comes the explosion."

Said David Cone, "There's that old saying that you can't throw all fastballs in the majors. I've seen Mo do it for two weeks at a time. It's really amazing. I mean, most guys who can throw 96 or 97 mph throw it right down the middle. Mo locates so well that he's doubly dangerous. Plus, he's fearless."

Yankee coach Jose Cardenal put it another way, calling Rivera emotionless.

"It's like he's been here 15 years," Cardenal said. "He's the reason that we're where we are."

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"The fans come to the games and cheer us on as loud as possible," Révoir said. "They can really make a difference."

Coach Sonya Locke agreed that the fans are vital to the Salukis' success.

"They are great fans. When they

are excited and cheering," has to be an intimidating place for other teams to play," she said. "We couldn't really ask for anything more from the fans."

Révoir said the other SIUC athletes are extremely loyal and supportive, but members of the men's swim team really stand out.

During a match in Davies Gymnasium, the swimmers can often be found yelling "sit down" to an opposing team. At Saturday's

match against Creighton, members of the swim team went as far as to stomp down to their Speedos in an intimidating celebration of the Salukis' victory.

"Those guys are great," Révoir said.

Barr said playing in front of supportive fans like the swimmers gives her added incentive to produce.

"When I see all the hype and excitement, it gives me a lot of strength," Barr said.



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FOOTBALL

Baker earns offensive player of week



Aaron Baker

Saluki wide receiver Aaron Baker has earned Saluki football offensive player of the week honors for his efforts in the Salukis' 24-17 loss to Southwest Missouri State University Saturday. Baker caught four passes for 32 yards Saturday. Defensive back Cedric Kenner earned defensive honors. Defensive line honors went to Arglista Scott, while Lawrence

Watkins took offensive line honors. Senior punter Mark Gagliano took home special team honors.

Carpenter out for season with fracture

Saluki Football Coach Shawn Watson announced Monday that sophomore running back Karlton Carpenter is out for the remainder of the season. Carpenter is suffering from a bilateral stress fracture in his ankle, which has kept him out of the Salukis' lineup for most of the season. Watson said the Salukis will apply for a medical hardship request in hopes of redshirting Carpenter.

RUGBY

Saluki rugby teams roll over competition

The SIUC men's and women's rugby teams were victorious in their weekend matches.

The men's rugby team met Indiana State University in Terre Haute and defeated the Sycamores, 31-7. On the women's side, the team shut out the St. Louis women's club 32-0 and then beat Northwest Missouri State University 41-0 in Cape Girardeau.

SOCCER

Soccer teams get kicker? by opponents

The SIUC women's soccer team suffered a 0-2 loss at the hands of Western Illinois University Saturday.

The men's team fared about as well as the women's team by finishing with a 1-2-1 record in its home tournament Saturday. The Salukis battled Morehead State University in its first tournament game and was defeated 2-1. The team came back in its next game to tie the University of Missouri 2-2 and then went on to win against Southeast Missouri State University 2-1. The team reached semi-final play before losing to Vincennes University in a 4-5 tie-breaking game.

GOLF

Woods wins at Las Vegas Invitational

Tiger Woods, a 20-year-old man playing in only his fifth PGA event, won the \$1.65 million Las Vegas Invitational. Woods fired a final day eight-under-par 64 Sunday before going on to par his first hole in a playoff with Davis Love III to win the event.

The win qualifies Woods for a two-year exemption of regular PGA events and a birth into the Tournament of Champions along with all major tournaments in the 1997 PGA tour.

Woods was criticized for withdrawing from last week's rain-shortened Buick Challenge, but silenced the critics with the victory. In his previous two tournaments, Woods finished in a tie for third and a tie for eighth. Woods needs to make \$100,000 in his last two tournaments to qualify for the season-ending TOUR championship.

HOCKEY

Hartford, Detroit discuss trading players

A third party may soon be involved in the controversial trade between Detroit Red Wings star defenseman Paul Coffey and Hartford Whalers: power forward Brendan Shanahan.

Whalers General Manager Jim Rutherford is seeking a third team to deal for Coffey.

Coffey, who missed Saturday's game against New Jersey, is balking at the idea of going to Hartford to play for the Whalers. Meanwhile, Shanahan, considered a premiere power forward in the NHL, is being booed by Whalers fans because he requested the trade.

Coffey, the NHL's highest scoring defenseman, is being traded along with center and first round draft pick Keith Primeau. Primeau reportedly would receive a three-year \$5 million contract from Hartford if the trade occurs. The Whalers would be trading defenseman Brian Glynn along with Shanahan.

SIDELINES

"There's plenty of ballplayers in heaven...but just a few managers."

— The archangel in the 1951 baseball movie "Angels in the Outfield."

VOLLEYBALL

Spikers back on road again



AMY STEALUS — The Daily Egyptian

Women's volleyball player Becky Chappell, a senior in special education from Huntley, sets the ball during practice at Davies Gym.

By L. Bruce Luckett
Daily Egyptian Reporter

The SIUC women's volleyball team will take off for a road trip beginning Friday that will not bring the Salukis back to Davies Gymnasium again until later this month.

Although the team opened its season with 10 matches on the road, a team veteran and a newcomer to the club say they will miss the comfort and fan support they find in Davies.

The squad will begin its road trip against Evansville Friday and will end the trip against Wichita State Oct. 19. When the Salukis return home to play Illinois State Oct. 25, they will have played 18 of 22 matches away from Davies this season. SIUC is currently 2-2 at home.

Jodi Revoir, senior middle-blocker, is no stranger to playing on the road, but she said the confines of her home gym are like no other.

"We will really miss the support we get at home," she said. "We have very supportive fans."

While Revoir has built a three-year friendship with Davies, freshman newcomer to the squad Debbie Barr said the fans also helped her in making a quick adjustment on opening day.

Barr said as a freshman she did not expect all the "hype" she witnessed opening day against Wichita State Sept. 20 in Davies.

"I was surprised by our first home game," he said. "We (the team) were so excited and hyped up because the fans were so into it. We played well and it was incredible."

Barr admits her parents, who attended her first home game, also were "wowed" by the fan support.

The Salukis have won 12 of their last 17 regular season matches in Davies, and Revoir said the fans, along with the team's knowledge of the court itself, are responsible for the biggest part of their success.

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TENNIS

Netters do well despite long meet

By Kevin DeFries
Daily Egyptian Reporter

The SIUC women's tennis team came through three long days of competition with good all-around play in the first Saluki Invitational on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Salukis posted an impressive 13-5 in singles competition and achieved an equally impressive 6-2 in doubles play, against the likes of the University of Evansville, Illinois State University and the University of Tennessee-Martin.

The teams played in a round-robin format, which made it seem like the players were engaged in non-stop tennis action throughout the weekend.

"We played a lot of matches and got a lot of experience before the MVC meet," said Sanem Berksoy, the junior three seed. "In a way, it is better if we don't stop and wait and then go, but in a way, it is bad because we get tired."

"But it wasn't that bad."

And the Salukis' record showed that it wasn't all that bad with Berksoy and junior two seed Molly Card winning all four of their singles matches. Helen Johnson, the junior four seed, came out of the invite with a 3-1 record in a game

that Coach Judy Auld said would have been interesting had she won the second set.

"[Johnson] played a really good match with the girl from Illinois State, especially in the second set," Auld said. "She finally started to get everything going. Even with the loss, I was happy with what I was seeing on the court."

Senior Liz Gardner and sophomore Andrea Martin came away with 1-3 records. But on a bright note, Martin's win was the second of her career as a Saluki.

Martin got off to a slow start, losing the first set 3-6, but was on fire for the rest of the match winning 6-2 and 6-0.

"I really needed to gain some confidence in my game," Martin said. "I just had to take a step back and work on being consistent."

SIUC's singles record at the invitational was second best to ISU's 15-2 record, but the Salukis showed ISU how doubles tennis is played by laying on a whipping in the one and two seeded matches.

The one-seeded team of Gardner and Berksoy jumped out to a 6-1 lead in the race to eight games before ISU showed any signs of being able to compete with the Salukis. ISU finally held serve and

broke Gardner's service to bring the match to 6-3.

But ISU's effort proved to be far too little and about half an hour too late, as Berksoy won her service and the match 8-4.

But what went around came around for Gardner and Berksoy as they found themselves down 5-0 against Evansville on Sunday.

However, the team proved its strength by winning two straight points. But UE countered SIUC's comeback attempt by rattling two straight points of their own, bringing the score to 7-2. But the never-say-die Salukis won the next three points before U of E closed the match at 8-5.

"You have to get in the game right in the beginning," Berksoy said. "Once you are down, you are down, and there is not much you can do."

Despite the doubles loss to UE, the Salukis still closed the tournament with a strong 6-2 record. Card and Johnson matched the record of one doubles by winning three and only losing one.

Although 6-2 is two games away from being perfect, Auld said she was pleased with the doubles record.

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