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SIUC urges safety after Net break-in

SECURITY: Unknown off-campus intruder obtains about 70 Kerberos ID accounts. RYAN KEITH ACADEMIC AFFAIRS EDITOR

SIUC students sending e-mail and connecting to the campus serv-er need to take extra precautions this week after an off-campus security system break-in.

An unknown of campus intruder broke, into Infornation Technology's security system on one campus server Friday. The intruder was able to obtain about 70 Kerberos ID accounts, according to Jerry Looft, administrative assistant with Information Technology.

Looft said the intruder, who is unknown at this time, used an old web server to break into the system.

"They took advantage of an out-dated Web server," Looft said. They were able to get access to a machine and change all the files."

ing was going on between July and September, and that the intruder has committed similar break-ins at more than 100 other institutions.

Information Technology administrators learned of the situation Friday and have taken several steps to prevent further problems, including an e-mail warning requesting all students with SIUC e-mail address-

es to change their passwords.
"We sent out a warning e-mail note," Looft said: "We have taken down the server on which that prolocked all of the accounts that may have been affected, so any students who have compromised will need to come in and change their passwords."

The Kerberos ID is the identification code students use to dial in and log on to the network and check e-mail: Although no mainframe IDs have been affected; the perpetrators could use students' e-mail addresses to misrepresent, defame or destroy

data in comail accounts. Mike schwartz, associate direc-

tor of the Information Technol customer service center, said the department has launched an investigation into finding the perpetrator.

He said the situation is not the first of its kind on campus and that similar situations always provide reasons to be extra cautious.

"It has happened before," Schwartz said. "But anytime this happens it causes a lot of concern because there is very personal

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Pastor shocked by pole

TRAUMATIC: Shock attributed to poor grounding at SIU tennis courts.

JAMES FULLER DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Repairs are being made on the 40-foot, aluminum lamp poles that light the tennis courts near the SIU arena after a man was shocked during a tennis match Thursday night

Rev. Donald J. Wooters, pastor of the Western Heights Christian Church in Carbondale, leaned against a light pole during a ten-nis match. An electrical jolt surged through his body when he touched a nearby fence while

touched a heavy lence white leaning against the pole.
"Electric shock is a traumatic experience," Wooters said, "It's as though you were connected to a vibrator that just starts shaking you you have a feeling of help. you. You have a feeling of help-lessness."

The current ran through Wooters' body as a friend asked him what was wrong. Wooters was unable to speak or call out for

help.
"As much as I wanted to withdraw my hand from the pole, I couldn't do it," Wooters said

But when his friend reached

out and touched him, the problem became evident as the current passed through to him as well. The shock felt by the friend was not as strong, and he used a shirt to pull Wooters away from the charge. Wooters fell to the ground unconscious and was rushed to

the emergency room.

The friend, Gustavo Goncalves, a member of the SIUC tennis team, could not be reached for comment, but Wooters thanked those who



This 40-foot aluminum light pole at the SIU Arena tennis courts is being repaired after Rev. Donald J. Wooters, pastor of the Western Heights Christian Church in Carbondale, leaned on the ungrounded pole and was shocked Thursday night. Corroded ground lug nuts on the base of the pole are believed to be the cause of the accident.

Wooters said. "He really saved my life."

Another student also came to Wooters' aid, but according to Wooters he was also shocked and thrown about four feet by the power of the current.

They ought to be written up in the heroes book, as far as I'm concerned," Wooters said.

The name of the other student

was unconfirmed. In response to the incident, the University has turned off electricity to the area and has electricians investigating the cause of the shock. No other electrical problems at the tennis courts had been reported prior to Thursday night's

Tom Clark, one of the electri-cians working on the problem, attributed the shock to poor

grounding.

'The only thing that we can figure is there was corrosion in the ground lugs (of the light pole),

SEE SHOCK, PAGE 8

Meeting to address academic eligibility

BOT: Chancellor to present report regarding retention, graduation rates:

SARA BEAN

Chancellor Argersinger will present a report concerning the academic eligibility of athletes at the Board of Trustees meeting in Carbondale Thursday.

Argersinger said although the report will focus primarily on athletes, it will address the overall question of retention and graduation rates at SIUC

"Our numbers give us some concern," she said.

concern, sne said.
Recruitment and retention of students is one of five priorities that SIUC is concentrating on.
Argersinger's report will address retention and graduation rates as a whole.

Argersinger

Argersinger said the University needs to address these issues and find programs that will aid retention and ation. She said she would like to see more peer adviser programs like the one in the College of Mass Communications and Media Arts.

We need to institute peer adviser programs across the board," Argersinger said. "The College of MCMA is doing it, and we are already seeing a positive response to the program."

The study was triggered by

The study was triggered by looking at data on athletics and looking at campus-wide data, Argersinger said. The goal, she said, was to take the data and turn it around into programs that

said the Argersinger said the University could see a turn-around in retention numbers within a year, but it could take up to four or five years to see an

effect on graduation rates.

The board will also discuss a report by Arthur Andersen, national accounting and consult-ing firm, mapping University administration

Enrollment up at SIUC

Sara Bean POLITICS EDITOR:

Official fall enrollment figures show the numbers are up for the second straight semester at SIUC.

Total enrollment, on and off campus, at SIUC this fall stands at 22,252, up 344 students from this time last year according to figures released

Triesday.
Increasing enrollment is a Increasing enrollment is a high priority for SIUC-Chancellor Jo Ann Argersinger said, and will continue to be a priority along with recruitment and retention. The fall 1998 semester results also show that on campus enrollment is up 324 more than last year to 19,853 Off-campus enrollment.

Off-campus : enrollment, which includes military base programs, reflects an increase of 20 students to 2,399. One of the largest increas-

es was in 1 freshman SEE ENROLLMENT, PAGE 8.

SIU President Ted Sanders said the report will be made pub-lic following review by the

Executive Committee. The board also will vote on budget requests for fiscal year 2000 to be submitted to the Illinois Board of Higher

The Resource Allocation and Management Program Submissions were originally reviewed by the board at the July meeting.

The board is requesting an operating budget of \$315 mil-lion. If the board votes to approve the RAMP submissions the budget will go the IBHE and then on to the Governor and the General Assembly for approval.

Police Blotter

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- Arnos Abbott, 21, Carbondole was arrested at 7:56 a.m. Friday at Arena Drive and charged for driving on a suspended license, driving with a suspend-of registration, operating at uninsured motor ingistration and speeding. Abbott posted bond and was released pending a court date.
- John G. Weinstroer, 22, of Carbondale was arrested at 5:02 p.m. Friday on South Washington Street and was charged for driving the wrong way on a one-way street. Weinstroer posted his driver's license
- Marthew A. Cooley, 19, of Springfield was arrested Mathew A. Cooley, 19, of Springfield was arrested or 1:52 a.m. Soturday at the north pedestrian over-poss and charged with unlawful possession of cannobis and unlawful possession of drug parapher-ndia. Cooley was originally stopped for an open alcohol violation. Cooley posted a cash bond and was released pending a court date.

Almanac

THIS WEEK IN 1991:

- The American Red Cross was calling on SIUC students to help light the regional blood shortage. A Red Cross Official said the blood supply had been short for months and the amount of people giving blood had dropped off since the end of Operation Desert Storm. At the present rate of blood collection, the hospital would still be short 500 units, and for a surgery such as a liver transplant 100 units is needed.
- Faculty member, Prisailla Presley was tired of getting her namoplate stolen of her office door. Presley was speaking out of what a pain it is to have the name of someone farmous. Presley is the surname of her hus-band, who is a fourth or fifth cousin of Elvis Presley.

Corrections

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Saluki Calendar

TODAY

- · Library Affairs new ILUNET coline seminar, September 9, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., Morris Library room 103D, contact undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- Christian Apologet questions about Christianity, every Wednesday, 12 p.m., Covinth room Student Center, Wayne 529-4043.
- Southern Eincis University
 Museum "Music in the Gorden" performance by Stephani Fein, September 9, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Museum Sculphire Garden west side of Museum north end of Faner Holl, Lon 453-5388.
- Library Affairs WebCT overview seminar, September 9, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Morris Library m 15, undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- Library Affairs e-mail using Eudora seminar, September 9, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m., Morris Library n 103D undergraduate
- Alpha Phi Alpha Fratemity voters registration drive, September 9, 4:36 p.m. to 6:36 p.m., Trueblood and Granell Caleteria, Malik 549-1482.
- Museum Student Gror p all mojors welcome, September 9, 5 p.m., Faner 2469, Arry 453-5388.
- Gays, Lesbians, Bisexuals, and Friends general meeting, September 9, 5:30 p.m., Thebes room, GLBF 453-5151.

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 Recreation, September 9, 6
 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Student
 Recreation Center, for volunt
 information Michael 453-
- Society for Advancement of Management new member night and general meeting, September 9, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., Reinn Hall room 108, Steve 549-4117.
- Pi Sigma Epsilon coed business fraternity general meeting, every Tuesday and Wednesday, 6 p.m., Illinois room Student. Center, Amy 351-1367.
- Women's Services workshop discussing issues surrounding rocism, sexism etc., September 9, 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Guigley 201, Kathy 453-3655.
- •SPC News and Views commit-tee meeting, every Wednesday, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m., Student Center Iroquois room, Derrick 536-3343.
- American Advertising Federation general meeting new and old members, September 9, 7 p.m., Communications Building room 1244, Jimmy 529-7840.
- Outdoor Adventure
 Programs free bike mainle-nance clinic, September 9, 7 p.m., Adventure Resource Center Recreational Center, Geoff 453-1285.
- Trombone recital by Dr. Robert Weiss, September 9, 8 p.m., First United Methodist church,

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- 3393.
- Math Club general meeting to discuss events and activities for the semester, September 10, 5

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- and questions we provide stacks soft drinks and answers,
- Library Affairs ProQuest
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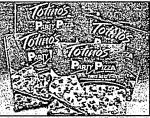
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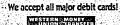
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USG official man with mission

MOTIVATED: Governmental affairs commissioner considers himself activist, not politician.

JACOB LIVENGOOD DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Rob Thylor had never seen a university until his Rock Valley Community College counselor convinced him SIUC was worth checking out in 1994.

"I rode that little trolley around campus just like many of the incoming students," Taylor said. "That's when I fell in love with Southern."

Lately, the Undergraduate Student Government governmental affairs commissioner has been checking out unregistered

Taylor, a double major in philosophy and and restaurant management from Rockford, has made registering voters a per-sonal crusade, saying he will never be personally satisfied with the number he registers. His two-week tally is now 101, and he said nothing — not even time — will slow him down.

ing — not even time — will slow him down.

"I've registered voters as late as 3:30 in the morning," Taylor said. "I just registered somebody Tuesday morning at 7:30. You have to go to the people and talk to them at parties or anywhere."

Taylor said he earnies around registration for a clipboard everywhere he goes in

forms on a clipboard everywhere he goes in hopes of registering more voters, but only one place will stop him from registering voters -places with alcohol.

You can talk to students anytime, but I have never registered a voter at a place with alcohol," Taylor said. "There's a county poli-cy that says you can't register in places with alcohol.

Even though Taylor said at USG's, first meeting that he will register more voters than



UNCLE ROB WANTS YOU: Governmental Affairs Commissioner Rob Taylor registers Bianca Bradford, a sophomare in business marketing from Chicago, in the hallway of the Student Center Thursday morning. Bradford was Taylor's 101st registered voter since he began his registration drive.

anyone, he insists that politics is only a hobby. "I'm more of an activist," Taylor said.
"I'm not looking for letters of recognition from administrators from this position."

He said being an activist does have its down sides.

"It's easy to be labeled when you're an activist," Taylor said. "Too many people 'sit

on the fence' when it comes to issues.
"It's a problem with many schools, and nothing gets accomplished if that happens

Taylor's career in political activism led him to a role as president of Students Organized Against the Athletic Fee Increase

last year. Last spring, the athletic fee issue a heated debate amongst USG and S.O.A.A.F.L., where Taylor accused then USG President Dave Vingren of not adequately fighting for the student body about the issue.

The athletic fee increase, which passed last spring, boosted student fees by \$60 in an effort to increase funding for NCAA scholarships to fully fund each of its sports for the 1998-99 school year. Each sport is receiving the maximum NCAA allotment of

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Brown, Luechtefeld competing once again

FACING OFF: Candidates prepare to campaign for Illinois 58th district position after close race in '96.

JAY SCHWAB DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Two years ago, in one of the closest races in recent memory, Sen. Dave Luechtefeld, R-Okawville, defeated Democrat Barb Brown of Chester, in the race to be the 58th District State Senator.

In fact, the election was so close that Brown asked for a re-count in hopes of reversing Luechtefeld's apparent victory.

Unfortunately for Brown and her supporters, the result stood.

This fall, the same two candidates are squaring-off for the same position — but this time, Brown thinks there will be a dif-

That is because, the way Brown sees it,

the Republican-controlled state legislature has come up short on many issues pertinent to Southern Illinoisans since the 1996 elec-

"I think Republicans have failed to adequately fund education and economic development in Southern Ilinois, and [Luechtefeld] is part of that failure," Brown

Luechtefeld disagrees

"We're very proud of what we've done for Southern Illinois," Luechtefeld said. "I

think we've been very effective."

According to Brown, this fall's campaign will bear quite a bit of resemblance to the original battle between the two candi-

"The issues this time are very much the same as they were in 1996," Brown said. That's because a lot hasn't changed under the current legislature, and I think the peo-

ple have taken notice of that."

Luechtefeld does not think that is the

He points to an increase in the amount

spent per student and a reduction in the area's unemployment as a few of the accomplishments that he has been a part of.
In addition to her belief that the public

has soured on Lucchtefeld, Brown said she thinks she is in a better position to govern than she was two years ago.
"My knowledge of the issues has

expanded, and my networking in the area has expanded," Brown said. "I think those things make me a stronger

candidate."

Brown does not believe economic development in Southern Illinois has received proper attention in Springfield.

Unemployment in some Southern Illinois is awfully high," Brown

"Especially in places like Perry County, where there is over 11-percent unemploy-

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CARBONDALE

SIUC professor's lawsuit dismissed by appellate court

A jury's decision last fall to award finance professor Ike Mathur more than \$270,000 ultimately led to a court over-

The jury awarded Mathur \$20,283 in back pay and \$250,000 in compensatory damages. Two weeks ago, how Judge James Foreman granted SIUC's appeal to dismiss the lawsuit.

Mathur joined SIUC's finance department in 1977, becoming chairman in 1979. He served as interim dean of the College of Business and Administration from 1992 to 1994, until a search resulting in former dean Thomas Keon's permanent replacement began.

Mathur claimed Keon released Mathur from his position as chairman of the finance department because he filed a discrimination charge with the Equal

Employment Opportunity Commission. Keon left SIUC 16 months ago, taking a job as dean of a business college in Florida. The college is still searching for a new dean, and Mathur has decided not to apply for the position.

—David Ferrano

BEIJING, CHINA

China merges four universities into one

China will merge four of its universities into one next week to try to raise the country's educational standards to among the world's best, the China Daily reported Tuesday. "We plan to build Zhejiang

University into a top university in Asia by 2005 and one of the world's best by 2015," new president Pan Yunhe told the newspaper.

The new conglomerate groups Hangzhou University with Zhejiang University and Zhejiang's med-ical and agricultural colleges — will have 30,000 full-time students, and a staff in excess of 10,000.

Based in the city of Hangzhou in eastern Zhejiang province, the new cen-ter of learning will open Sept. 15.

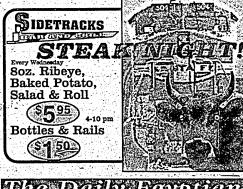
We have met some difficulties merging four good universities into one, but after all, it is a must," said Zhang Junsheng, director of the preparatory commission of the new university.

"Aside from military science, we cover it all," he added.

Academic standards in Chinese universities still lag behind the western world in most subjects.

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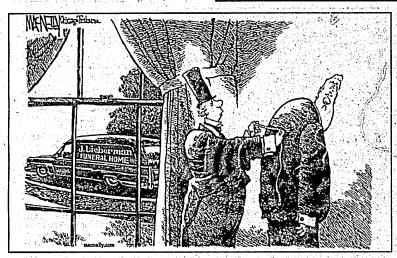
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Our Word

Legal self-help center is an important tool for students to utilize on campus

If students ever have problems with landlords, shady mechanics, or have issues with hospital bills, they now have an outlet that provides answers to any legal questions they might have. The legal selfhelp center, sponsored by the SIU School of Law, is an invaluable tool for students who might be dealing with these issues for the first time.

The self-help center was set up two months ago to provide students with legal information about a variety of civil issues that affect their lives. Topics range from consumer concerns to issues surround-

ing health and police.

The center primarily deals with issues the average student is experiencing for the first time. Instead of learning by your mistakes, the center allows students to take the right steps and learn the

facts about the situation they are in.

The key to the center is the term "self help." Although there is a law student on hand to assist students in interpreting information, the burden of understanding really lies on the students' backs, and that's the way it should be. If students do not learn their options on their own, then what do they learn at all?

Many times the issues covered by the self-help center will come up again later in life, and the information they learn now can be applied then. This center will provide a framework for students to decide if they can personally handle a problem that arises themselves, perhaps saving them the time and money of having to seek out professional legal guidance.

Many people may be surprised that the School of Law would take such an empowering approach. Lawyers are typically surrounded by a negative stereotype. Programs like these show that not everyone in the profession is out for the bucks. The purpose of the center is to teach students how to take of themselves. At this point in their lives many students might appreciate it if other colleges took the same approach as the School of Law. Coming to SIUC is a unique experience for

many students. For most, this is the first time that they have ever been away from home. All of a sudden, mom and dad are not around to take care of everything, and it is up to the students to find their

Positive programs like the School of Law's legal self-help center help students find that path. It is a program that should be utilized by the student body. You can visit the School of Law's legal selfhelp center in the Lesar Law Library from 2:30-4:30 Monday through Friday.

"Our Word" represents the consensus of the Daily Egyptian Editorial Board.

Individuality is a key to success

Working for an office supply chain, I have seen a number of frustrated parents clutching public school supply lists, both rbondale area as ell as the Chicago suburbs, and as a future teacher, I am disturbed by what I have seen.

Some elementary students are being asked to purchase expensive teaching items such as transparencies and overhead projector markers. Some schools, rather than asking for "notebooks" and "folders" now demand specific brands, such as "Mead Five-star notebooks" which cost five times as much as a basic spiral note-book and "plastic folders" which though more durable, cost a dollar a piece rather than ten or fifteen cents.

Life for an elementary school student is chough of a competition for who has the coolest (most expensive) stuff. That is bad enough for less affluent students. Do we need to make them feel worse by unneces sarily requiring them to buy things they cannot afford?

Moreover, the lists show more concern for the connivance of teachers rather than interest in their students' education. For

example, one district required its seventh-graders to purchase notebooks of five specific colors with folders to match, so that everyone would have the same color notebook for a given subeveryone would have the same color notebook for a given subject. Yes, students need to learn organizational skills and such a
system would make a teacher's life easier, but by the time a student reaches the seventh grade, they should have ample knowledge and experience to be allowed the opportunity to experiment
with different types of organization and note taking procedures.
Requiring every student to have a yellow notebook for their math
class is even more ridiculous than forcing kids to wear school

I discussed the matter with a local elementary school teacher. She argued that students need a model to work from before they can develop their own methods, and that while it is true that many students would learn better in a more loosely structured class-room, some students need rigid structure in order to achieve their potential. Given that we all have different ways in which we learn best, would it not be better to allow students the freedom to experiment with various organizational methods as early as poble so they can find and use which ever method works best? More importantly, unnecessary restrictions hamper students development in creativity.

The most important thing we can teach our children is creativi-

ty. Today's world demands an independent, creative mind. A creto today's word certains an independent, rectaive fund. A tre-ative student will not lose hope for their future; a student whose individuality is respected is less likely to succumb to the kind of apathy which, right or wrong, has become the hallmark of our generation. Even if it means a tougher time for teachers, shouldn't we encourage individuality over uniformity?

There is always a lot of talk about school reform, whether the intent is always a for or tax about scnool retorm, whether the intent is to improve education or to minimize delinquency and violence. However, "solutions" which hinder individuality and creativity such as school uniforms, "everybody's history folder is red," reciting prayers over the intercoms, or any measure which presumes to treat students as cattle would only further the degradation of American education we complain so much about.

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Strom needs to stop using workers for political gain Dear Editor

While Don Strom and his wife sit back and relax While Don Strom and his wife sit back and relax on a combined taxpayer-financed salary of more than \$100,000, he pretends to understand what the working families are concerned about in Southern Illinois. While Don Strom takes a 14-week paid vacation that will cost taxpayers more than \$16,000, we have out-of-work coal miners struggling to pay the bills. Don-Strom doesn't have the first clue about helping working for the structure of the structur ing families. He is simply another rich, fat-cat politi-cian trying to use our troubles for his own political gain. Shame on you Don Strom.

Rich Keilholt Second-Year Law Student

President Clinton needs to embody a spiritual nature

Dear Editor,

There are a few fine points I'd like to point out that Mr. Paul Techo needs to understand, regarding his Daily Egyptian column on August 27, 1998 ("Clinton: a president fit for the nineties").

Mr. Techo, when a man is elected president of the United States it is not an invitation for him to "get his" as you penned it. First, any man, not the presi-dent of the United States, needs to girt his loins, be born again in the spirit, and have the peace of the Lord within him.

The powers of the oval office, under God, are a

sacred trust given to us by our forefathers. Created, penned and brought into existence by, sir, the Lord Jesus Christ. The president is first accountable to God and then his people.

You correctly mentioned God, but you forgot to Satan has only one prime directive. To kill, plunder, tear down and destroy. He is the accuser of the brethern (Revelations 12:10-12). He is the father of lies (John 8:44), god of this world (II Corinthians 4:4). He blinds the minds of the unbelieving.

Your response to the presidents speech can only be answered with prayer and faith. Your statement was correct when you said God had nothing to do
with the presidents actions. God loves President
Clinton. Satan, the father of lies, hates him. He wants his mortal soul. President Clinton listened to the wrong voice. God gives us his wisdom for defeating Satan in Ephesians (6:1-23). It teaches us to put on the full armor of God. Only then Mr. Techo, by God saving grace, can our adversary, the devil, be defeat-

Brother, in truth and spirit, the president of the

United States; especially the president, is not above United States; especially the president, is not above the iaw — God's or man's. Instead, he should be on his knees, in prayer, praising God to expose darkness, thus enabling him to lead his people in victory into the light. It wouldn't hunt he rest of Washington's political arena to do the same. God honors prayers! I invite you to join with me in praying for our president. The Bible says to pray for those in authority, for God can change the heart of the king (Proverbs 21:1-1). 3). One must understand that the Lord has given each of us the freewill to choose (Psalms 119:108). He

of us the freewill to choose (Psalms 119:108). He never frores his will on us. Satan does.

You have the gift of writing brother Techo. Use it wisely with wisdom. Choose your words carefully. Don't let your flesh, your human side, entrap you. What we write, as well as what we speak, will manifest in our lives. We choose our own path. Choose a blessing, not a curse (Psalms 111:10).

If any man aspires to the office of the president he chooses an honorable task. However, undettaken without the grace and blessings of our Lord Jesus Christ. the prayers of the people, the man toils in vain (Psalms 127:3). Prosperity comes from the Lord.

In conclusion, don't aspire to be in the oval office.

(Hsalms 1273). Prosperity comes from the Lord.
In conclusion, don't aspire to be in the oval office
for power and sordid gain (I Peter 52). Don't run to
get your groove on. Instead, on bended knee, bow
down and humble yourself before the Living God. In
doing so, your spin will find life. Any other way can
bring spiritual death.

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TANSTAAFL

Bill is a senior in history. TANSTAAFL appears every Tuesday. Bill's opinion does not necessarily reflect that of the Daily Egyptian

Bringing the theater



LOVIN' HIS WORK: A man of many talents, Motoi Ibaraki, a senior in theater from Japan, proudly sits among his award-winning stage designs.

STAGE PRESENCE:

SIUC student puts heart and soul into making best set.

KAREN BLATTER STUDENT AFFAIRS EDITOR

Motoi Ibaraki never leaves home without his black drafting tubes full of rough drafts of stage designs for the upcoming perfor-mance of "Machinal" at McLeod

Ibaraki, a senior in theater from Japan, created stage designs for a class project over the summer. His designs then were chosen by the director of "Machinal" stage designs for the play.

"Scene design has to be with the story of the play," he said. "The setting should tell the audience something about the story. It can't, be used again in another production."

The setting for "Machinal" is early 20th century. The scene for the play is a mechanical environment so Ibaraki's set design portrays a likeness of a factory:

at 8 p.m. Oct. 2, 3, 9, 10 and at 2 Oct. 11 at McLeod Theate The play is loosely based on the Ruth Snyder-Judd Gray murder

rial of the swing area. The play originally premiered in 1928. Ronald Naversen, associate professor in theater, has been watching Ibaraki develop in the past few years and said he was impressed with Ibaraki's abilities nd visions.

"He is consistent," Naversen said. "He always comes back with a wonderful design with things I would, have never

thought of. He's very creative."

The scenes made by Ibaraki for "Machinal" are not his first. Over the past year he has created set designs for three other productions in the Theater Department.

Ibaraki worked on the scenic and used his painting talents to recreate posters for "Annie Get Your Gun." He also designed the set for "Last of the Romantics" that was performed in C.H. Moe

Ibaraki's hard work did not go unnoticed. In July he was hon-

Welch Summer Playhouse Award of 1998.

The award is a scholarship given to a student enrolled in the summer semester who is greatly been the first undergraduate in nine years to receive the award.

'I didn't think an undergraduate would be picked," he said.
"But, he work, just like a gradu-

He'is consistent. He is always comes Sack with a wonderful design with things i would have never thought of. He's very cre-

> -RONALD NAVERSEN ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN THEATER

involved in the Summer ate Playhouse in the Theater Department. The student is on awarded \$500 that is directly put tal

Harvey Welch, vice chancel-lor for Student Affairs, said he and his wife strongly believe in the importance of theater. The Welch's have been pro-

viding to the award for about 10

"We believe in the entire colexperience, "Theater is one of the most important things."

Not only has Ibaraki worked on stage designs, he also takes his talent to the stage. He has participated in acting and directing for the past two years and has also created his own theater company with other students from Nakajo.

.The award is a new way for Ibaraki to motivate himself to keep his designs at their best.

"I don't think that I got an award," he said. "I asked myself what I did to get it. I did something to get noticed and for the future, I can't be lazy."

Program prepares Jamaicans for future leadership positions

A HELPING HAND:

Project to increase work education studies at UTech-Jamaica.

KATIE KLEMAJER DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

SIUC is making worldly connections with a new master's degree program designed to train faculty and students at the University of Technology in Jamaica.

Participants will receive a master's of science in education degree with a concentration in workforce education and development.

The program is a cooperative effort between faculties and administrations of SIUC and the

University of Technology -Jamaica (UTech) that provides an opportunity for graduate study in work education.

Marcia Anderson, graduate programs coordinator for workforce education and development, said the program grew out of SIUC's rela-tionship with UTech and prominent role of SIUC alumni.

"It's a wonderful linkage here in the department," Anderson said. The first classes started this sum-

mer in Jamaica, beginning with an orientation for UTech administration and students. Richard F. Bortz. program coordinator and SIUC pro-fessor of workforce education, taught sessions beginning in mid-

July.

Courses are conducted in eightday blocks lasting six hours a day.

Bortz said his Jamaican students were eager to learn and often showed up to class early and left

"Jamaican's are bright, capable people," Bonz said.

The goal of the Department of Workforce Education Development and UTech is to contribute to the growth and develop-ment of UTech faculty and members of the Jamaican-Caribbean communities. The hope is to create a group of qualified people to train and teach others in workforce education and development.

"The master's degree becomes a nucleus of graduate faculty who will continue to provide a program like ours," Bortz said, "Except it's their

The idea for this program was

conceived in 1983 and revisited five times between then and 1994. A lack of funding prevented the implementation of the program.

Finally in November 1994, UTech asked if SIUC could deliver

a master's of science and education degree, and the University, deliv-

The program operates on a cost-recovery basis. Participants' tuition all program costs, Bortz said.It takes a year and a half to complete the program. Eight classes, an internship, academic research and a thesis are the criteria for completing the program.

The program prepares partici-

pants for research, professional and leadership positions in vocational/technical educational programs. It also aids in training and regional business, industry and labor groups and government and military organizations: Others involved in the imple-

mentation of the program inclu North 1 Central Accrediting Association, SIUC Graduate School, SIUC Graduate Counsel, College of Educate Counsel, College of Education, Division of Continuing Education, administra-tion at UTech-Jamaica and the majority of workforce education graduate faculty. The school hopes other countries

benefit from the program in the future. Bortz said the program is the wave of the future.

"I think the department would like to take the model we have here and deliver to other parts of the world," Bontz said.



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Man with HIV faces charge of attempted murder in rape

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AKRON, Ohio - An Akron man apparently infected with the virus that causes AIDS faces a rare charge of attempted murder for repeatedly raping a woman in an

act of vengeance meant to give her

Prosecutors say that Daniel R. Anderson, 38, blamed the victim for introducing him to the woman ho gave him the virus.

He was scheduled to go on trial in Summit County (Ohio) Common Pleas Court last week on

the attempted murder charge and seven counts of rape. However, because of scheduling conflicts and the complex issues in the case, Common Pleas Judge Beth Whitmore postponed the ural until Sept. 16 and ordered the defendant to submit to a blood test for the

HIV, that causes AIDS.

HIV, that causes AIDS.

Summit County Prosecutor
Maureen O'Connor said Anderson
was indicted for attempted murder
because he intended to give the virus to the victim.

"He's talking to her throughout the rapes and telling her she's going to die," O'Connor said.

"He's telling her he's got the AIDS virus and he's going to give it to

The judge said, "It's an interest theory," and it should be an inter-esting triai."

Whitmore said she was aware of

only a few similar cases in the country.

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scholarships this year.

"It was an emotional issue," Taylor said. "Some thought I was against athletes, but I actually was-n't. I like to follow sports."

In protest, Taylor said he attend-

ed a meeting last winter, and voiced his opinion too much by yelling at then Chancellor Donald Beggs. Taylor said that was his first experience with USG, and it was particular to the said of the sai something he will never do again.

"I don't regret doing it, but other ways of getting your point across are more effective like silent protests and lobbying," Taylor said. USG President and co-worker

Kristie Ayres said her relationship with Taylor was not always a good one, especially since they were opponents in the USG elections last Spring.

"At times, it was testy," Ayres said. "Rob and I helped with the campaign two years ago and ran against each other last year, but we never lost friendship status

She said Taylor has the ability to motivate students, and he was hired

as a commissioner almost immedi-

human immunodeficiency virus,

ately.
"I couldn't decide which commissioner position he would be good for," Ayres said. "After talking with other members, we thought his motivation would increase our registration efforts,

which is very important to us."

Ayres said Taylor's duties al-Ayres said laylor's duties at include state and governmentsues, with funding for financial being a major issue.

"We have very little going on right now with that part of his posi-

tion, but he will get more involve-ment later in the semester."

Taylor's past has brought him experiences he says will last a life-

time.

While in the Navy, he learned about other countries. Stints in the former Philippines, Spain, the former Yugoslavia and Israel opened his eyes to diverse culture.

"I couldn't tell you I was on planet earth," Taylor said. "Those places were completely different from what I knew."

Taylor was active duty in 1982 and was out of the Navy with a combination of active and reserveduty in July 1989. During that stint, he worked with bombs and naissiles for about two and one-half

"During the time I served, I was on a state-of-the-art Aegis cruiser,"
Taylor said. "I learned infinite
things in the Navy, but cultural
diversity was the most important."

Carbondale is home for Taylor now, who no longer has to take a trolley tour to know what the campus looks like.

I love this town," Taylor said. As for Taylor's future involve-ment in politics, Taylor is noncom-

"I don't look too far ahead into the future," Taylor said.

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REVIEW: Third Van Halen singer saves band from state fair circuit.

ANTHONY ZOUBEK DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Van Halen wants to return to and improve upon their rock and roll roots. This was evident in the last show of their 1998 American Tour Saturday at the Alpine Valley Music Theater in Wisconsin.

Live on stage, Gary Cherone proved that he has the strength to

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put Van Halen back on top. His stage act duplicates that of David Lee Roth, but with more mobility. Cherone is less a Roth-like clown and more of an acrobat with his jumps, kicks, strides, flips and somersaults off and onto stage equipment.

Armed with vocals that blend

the likes of Roth, a nasal Sammy Hagar and a little of The Who's Roger Daltrey tossed in for good measure, Cherone sings old Van Halen songs with the finesse with which they were intended to be sung. Cherone established himself



CONCERT REVIEW

Saturday night as more than just an adequate singer for Van Halen. He embodies everything that the group's past two singers held true, and then some.

The band seemed to be having just as much fun putting on its show as the audience had watching them. At one point, bassist Michael Anthony took a shot as leading vocals while Cherone did back flips with members of the audience he had brought out on stage at random.

stage at random:

The group shocked the audience by pulling out their early, little-played singles, which included "I'm the One" from Van Halen's self-titled 1978 debut album, and a pulsation, rendition of "Jamie's Cryin," which, with Cherone singing it, sounded better than the version the group recorded with version the group recorded with

Roth 20 years ago.
For its encore, Van Halen started with an all-acoustic version of

their latest single, "Josephina," saying the slow song was "a calm before the storm." The electricity was turned back on and kicked into overdrive when Van Halen rocked their way through the classic "Panama" and into a rousing rendition of "Jump" to end the concert. concert.

Anyone who saw Saturday night's show left their doubts about Van Halen's future at the door. It was the best concert I've ever seen, but it can't be the best concert I'll ever see. After all, who knows if Van Halen is going to tour next summer?

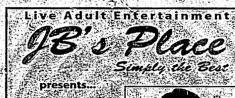






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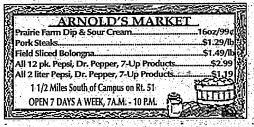
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JEAN-LOUIS DOUBLET AFP NEWS SERVICE

NEW YORK (AFP) — The Dow Jones index soared on its sharpest one-day point rise in histo-ry Tuesday amid higher share prices in Europe and signs that U.S. interest rates may drop.

Despite the good news, analysts warned that the downward trend of recent weeks may not be over. The Dow Jones Industrial Average surged 380.53 points (4.98 percent) to close at 8,020.50. Volume was urs, 613 loser and 393 unchanged. Wall Street, closed Monday for

the Labor Day holiday, rallied on remarks Friday by Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan suggesting an interest rate cut was possible.

Lower interest rates would stim-

ulate markets by making borrowed money cheaper. It would also push the U.S. dollar's value lower, giving a boost to American exports hit hard by Asia's continuing financial crisis.

Tuesday's rebound was the biggest point gain in the history of the Dow Jones index, founded in 1896. The jump beat the earlier record of 337.17 set on Oct. 28,

In percentage points it was the third largest increase since 1987.

But analysts were cautious: 'I don't believe that (Tuesday's) equity market rally marks the end of the correction," Bruce Steinberg, of Merrill Lynch, said.

Since hitting record levels on July 20, the Dow has lost 14.1 percent, bringing this year's gains to a meager 1.4 percent. meager 1.4 percent.

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enrollment, Director of Admissions and Records Walker Allen said. Freshman enrollment was up 207 students over last year to 2,521, which is a nine percent increase, Allen said.

"The is a very positive signal for the University," Allen said, "There were more high school seniors grad-

uating last year, so we expected some increase, but this increase has

exceeded our projections."

This may have helped offset a decrease of 147 in transfer student enrollment. Allen said they do not know where the decline occurred at yet, but it is being looked into.

Total undergraduate enrollment is up by 113 to 17,940, and graduate enrollment is up by 210 to 3,581.
The School of Law and the School of Medicine are up by 19

and two respectively, giving them a total enrollment of 380 and 288.

On-campus undergraduate

enrollment increased by 90 to 15,558 with the number of continu-

ing students up 55 to 10,613.
SIUC's all-time high enrollment record is 24,869, set during the 1991

fall semester.

"Overall, there is a larger increase this year," Allen said "That is very rewarding. A lot of people have worked very hard on this."

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information involved."

Schwartz said the number of people involved in the break-in is difficult to determine because there was only one break-in.

Looft said although the depart-ment has frozen the accounts of those who were affected, further damage could be done to anyone running a browser on the SIUC web server.

Looft said e-mail addresses were targeted, but the department does not believe e-mail piracy was the intended action.

They took control of one machine to attack another machine," Looft said. "But they got some IDs and passwords, and they may have that information now."

Looft said other prevention mea-sures include updating software and

changing passwords regularly.

"The best advice I can give is to keep current software," Looft said. "Keeping updated web browsers and other software is the best plan. Older software is more likely to be affected, especially programs post-ed on Web servers."

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- Students who suspect their ID has been tampered with can contact the Customer Service Center at 453-5155.

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and a good ground wasn't estab-lished," Clark said.

Four "live" poles were found, and the tennis courts have been closed after dark until repairs are

Vice Chancellor Administration James Tweedy said Plant and Service Operations is working on the poles right now, and a survey is being conducted of other light poles careampus. He said the University hopes to have the tennis

Courts open later this week.

Tweedy also said he was not aware of any legal action being taken by Wooters against the University, elhough representatives of the University have been in consecution. tact with him.

Wooters declined to comment on

wooters center to symment on any plans to take legal steps against the University.

"It gave me some heart damage, and it made me rather sore," Weoters said, "I've got some real stiffness in my shoulder, and it's had an idverse affect on my back. I thank the Lord Jesus I'm alive."

Gus Bode



Gus says: Playing tennis at SIUC is a shocking experience.

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Brown hopes to remedy the unemployment dilemma by making efforts to increase the area's infrastructure.

"Companies are not going to be attracted to the area without improvements in the infrastruc-

"We've got to have an investment in infrastructure from the state of Illinois. Sen. Luechtefeld is part of the Republican majority that has ignored a lot of those

While Luechtefeld agrees that the area's economy is still in need of a boost, he says Republicans have been working to address the problem.

"[Employment] is still a long vay from being where we want

"We will continue to work to get better transportation to the area and to make Illinois more competitive in offering incentives

to businesses to locate here."

Increased education funding in
Southern Illinois is another point of emphasis on Brown's campaign platform.

Brown expressed disappoint-ment in Republican legislators for

killing a proposed education fund-ing plan proposed by Gov. Jim Edgar,

Instead of Edgar's plan, many Republican congressmen chose to back an alternate measure that Brown says is a lesser attempt

to improve education.
"With the [alternate plan], 21 percent of children in this sen district don't get one dollar of additional funding," Brown said.

"Our kids are still getting the short end of the stick."

Although Luechtefeld says he supported Edgar's original plan, he is proud of the plan that took its

place.
"That plan allowed for \$8 million in funding for elementary education in Carbondale — with the original plan, that money would not have been given, Luechtefeld said.

Gov. Edgar himself approves of this plan.

"I think it's a little bit phony to attack it and say that it's a drasti-cally lesser version than the original one, since, other than some tax adjustments, the two plans are vir-tually copies of each other."

As the weather grows chillier and the race hotter, Brown is counting on public debates to supplement the efforts of her "grass roots campaign" in getting her messages to voters.

Brown asked her opponent to engage in a series of seven debates one in each county in the dis-

uechtefeld said he was

unlikely to accept Brown's offer.
"We already have two televised debates scheduled," Luechtefeld

"I've met with thousands of people in Southern Illinois over the last couple of years. They know where I stand and what I've

Much like Democratic guber natorial candidate Glenn Poshard. Brown is counting on the efforts of volunteers to help offset her financial disadvantage.

"If we can get our voters to the polls in Southern Illinois, both Glenn and I will be in good shape," Brown said.

"The higher the turnout, the

better it is for Democrais."

Luechtefeld would like to see a different campaign strategy from his challenger this time.
"My hope is that there is not a

lot of half-truths and distortions in this race.

"Last time, I think that was the case in some situations on the part of my opponent," Luechtefeld

Both Brown and Luechtefeld say they are not taking this election for granted.



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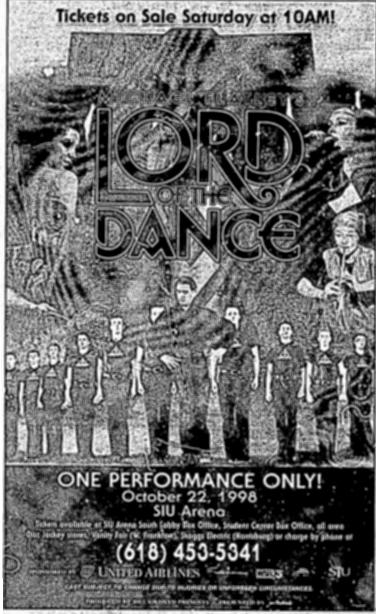
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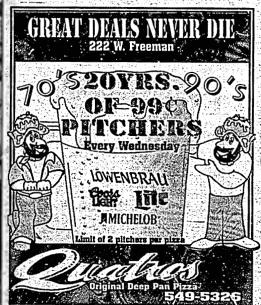
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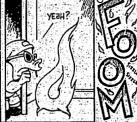
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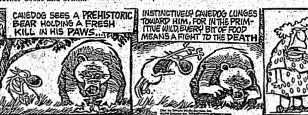
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College coaches desire faster games

FORT WORTH, Texas Nothing lasts forever. Even if it seems that some college football mes do.

surveyed all 112 Division I-A foot-ball coaches on a variety of topics. Sixty-six coaches responded. One question was, "What rule change would you like to see to help the game?" The answers ranged from cut blocks to defe sive pass interference to helmet communications.

But the mos' frequent response involved the length of games. One answer, scrawled with a magic marker, had the plaintive quality of a note in a bottle: "Speed the game."

John Adams, secretary/editor of the NCAA football rules commitagrees that it's a popular topic. "We've done just about every-

"We've done just about every-thing we can to speed up the game," he said. "If we make any other changes, they probably would have to be pretty drastic."

Texas Tech University coach

Spike Dykes is one who is concerned that an ill-conceived desire to shorten the length of games will hurt the on-field product.

"I think we've got a great game," he said. "I don't know why we keep trying to mess with it. That's the nature of the business, I guess.

"If time was the issue or a prob lem, how come so many people paid to go see 'Titanic'?'

As any teen-age girl can tell you,
"Titanic" is 3 hours, 14 minutes in length; the average length of a televised college football game last sea-son was 3 hours, 15 minutes. Games not televised in 1997 averaged 3 hours, 6 minutes. While Adams said that those averages have been "consistent" for the past 10 years, some games are running nearly four hours long.

Unlike the NFL, college games stop the clock after each first down. And, with more teams passing the ball than ever before, there are stop-pages for incomplete passes. So,

"Sometimes I'm out there looking at my watch wondering, when are we gonna get this over with?" Pen State University coach Joe Paterno said.

Adams said that the easiest way to shorten games would be to use a continuous running clock; in other words, no steppages after first downs. However, most coaches are against that.

First, it would reduce the number of plays (each team averages about 80 offensive plays per game).

Second, it would reduce a strate gic advantage for teams trying to rally late in the game. A team making first downs on a late drive can

ing first downs on a late drive can seemingly make time stand still.

"We've got to be careful," Paterno said. "As coaches, we might want to speed up the game. But the fans don't seem to mind. There are more and more people coming to games. We don't want to change the same so much that we change the game so much that we turn people off."

Currently, the college game works with a 25-second play clock. After each play, the referee signals when to start that clock. Typically, that's when the ball has been set at the line of scrimmage and the players have returned to their huddles.

The NFL uses a 49-second play clock. It starts at the end of each play. During spring football, teams were asked to experiment with the 40-second clock during scrim-

In the college game, the speed of the game often depends on how fast the referee winds the play clock. Adams, who has heard of one referee who worked 30 years without calling a delay of game, has stressed that the officials take just three seconds to signal the start of the play

"My concern is that sometimes you've got a referee who is trying to speed up the game and you look up you've got 13 instead of 25 sec-onds," Paterno said:

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Salukis fall to Cardinals

WINLESS: Volleyball team loses third z

consecutive game, this time against Ball State. PAUL WLEKLINSKI DAILY FOYPTIAN REPORTER

The SIUC women's volleyball team saw its first win of the se son slip away at the hands of Ball State University Tuesday. The Salukis were swept in

open the regular season with an 0-2 record. The Salukis took the Cardinals to five games where they nearly claimed their first win. The Salukis and the Cardinal

swepped the first four games 12-15, 15-7, 11-15, 15-16, before the Cardinals edged the Salukis in the final game 15-12, giving the Salukis their third traight loss of

The Saluki's version of Mark McGwire, junior setter Debbie Barr's count down stands at 339

career assist leader in SIUC histo-

ry. Barr posted 52 assists.

The Salukis were also led by serior Marlo Moreland who recorded 19 digs and 17 kills. Senior Lindsay Restner added 14 digs and 10 kills, while senior Laura Pier recorded 15 kills and 8

The Salukis continue to search for their first win of the season at home this weekend as they face Creighton University Friday and Drake University Saturday. . 2

Texas quarterback eager for shot at redemtion against UCLA

KNIGHT-RIDDER NEWSPAPERS

AUSTIN, Technically, he has a higher winning percentage as the University Texas' starting quarterback (.667) than his celebrated predecessor, who left after four seasons with 30 school records.

But Richard Walton realizes that, for the foreseeable future, Longhorns' fans will recognize him for two reasons: He's the guy replacing James Brown, a four year starter who set school records for passing yards and total offense. And he's the quarterback who lost to UCLA, 66-3, in the most lop-sided home football defeat in

school history.
Walton, a fifth-year senior, gets a chance to avenge the lone loss on his 2-1 career record when No. 23 Texas (1-0) meets No. 6 UCLA (0-0) at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in Pasadena, Calif. By doing so, Walton can alter what stands as his

legacy as a college quarterback.
"A lot of people blame that on me," Walton said of the team's signature defeat of a 4-7 season that led to the reassignment of former coach John Mackovic. "That was a shock to me and the whole team. After that game, some of the coaches said they could tell by the way, I carried myself that I'd lost my confidence.

Walton never bought into that theory. But it did not prevent mem-bers of Mackovic's staff, who watched Walton commit two turnovers in two quarters before departing with a 24-0 deficit, from limiting his practice repetitions and playing time the rest of the 1997 season.

Asked if he believed former coaches wrote him off as a college quarterback after his dismal performance in relief of an injured Brown against UCLA, Walton nodded and said: "They might

If so, the final chapter on Walton's career has been rewritten by first-year coach Mack Brown. Given the starting job in spring drills and force-fed a new offense during fall two-a-days, Walton responded with a career-best effort in the team's season opener. He completed 15 of 21 passes for 282 vards and a touchdown in a 66-36 rout of New Mexico State University. He was not sacked and

Most impressive to teammate Walton delivered several strikes a split-second before being belted by blitzing linebackers.

There's not a better feeling as a quarterback than to get nailed but listen to the crowd cheer as ou're laying on the ground," said Walton, a 6-foot-5, 225-pounder from Bay City. "I felt that a couple of times against New Mexico State. When that happens, you don't even notice the hit."

Teammates, in turn, noticed a leader they were not sure they would find. They knew he had the talent, offensive guard Ben Adams said. But the quiet and reflective Walton, who aspires to be a doctor rather than an NFL quarterback, brings a different persona to the huddle than Brown, who led the Longhorns to a 25-13-1 record from 1994-97.

"James could throw two con secutive interceptions and still come off as cocky. That was just his demeanor and it showed he was a leader back there," Adams said. "The thing I worried about with Richard was him not having confidence in himself.



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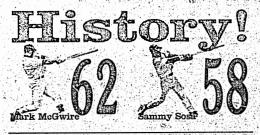
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but, on other the hand, we may have to," Quarless said. "We got a couple of players that can respond

if they want to."

Nolbertowitez's injury just adds more to the Saluki depth problems. Sophomore tight end Mike Green, freshman quarterback Jeff Skornia, freshman tackle Chad Graefen and senior safety Dan Guiterrez are just a few of the players missing from the lineup

Also, the most effective Saluki in the Murray State loss is listed as probable for this weekend's game. Senior punter John Amitrano, after being named Gateway Conference Special Teams Player of the Week for averaging 46.6 yards on 11 punts, has an infection on his

Quarless said doctors have advised Amitrano not to participate in basic activities, such as a harmless game of catch. If Amitrano is unable to play, senior kicker Matt Simonton will handle

the punting duties.

Situations like these have been too much for Quarless to handle in this young season. The injuries, combined with the poor play in the opener, have even caused him to blame others for his struggles. His Cardinal slugger Mark McGwire. McGwire has been fortunate all season in his attempt to break. Roger Maris' 37-year-old home run record.

"It's tough to keep up when (injuries) constantly plague you. I've been keeping my fingers crossed, but I didn't keep them crossed hard enough," he said. guess the luck is going with McGwire, maybe he'll hit 62.

You guys should go there anyway. Is anybody going to St. Louis. Can I get a ride?"

Mark McGwire captures a magical moment with a magical home run

Paul Wleklinski Daily Egyptian Reforter

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ST LOUIS Mark McGwire stuck to the script.

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Thesday night delighting fans and media allike beltin, gratulate him, his record-breaking 62nd home run.

McGwire broke Roger Maris' 37-year-old record in the bottom of the fourth infing against the Cubs with a two-out shot just over the left field wall bringing the

two-out shot just over the left iteld wail oringing the crowd to a frenzy halding play for 10 minutes.

Nearly missing first base in exuberation, McGwire completed his march around the bases to be greeted with a hug from Cubs' catcher Scott Servais. His son was the next to welcome him into the record books.

Against MLB wishes, the game was stopped for McGwire to select the control of the cont

McGwire to enjoy his moment. Cardinal players

d in the moment by embracing and playfully punching the slugger. McGwire's home run chasing sidekick, Cubs' right fielder Sammy Sosa, even trotted all the way in to con-

Feeding off of each others' success, a friendship has blossomed. As important as the record is, the friendship might mean just as much. As Sosa said, "friendship, this is something that counts in the whole world."

"Your heart is not beating if you are not excited about (Monday and Tuesday)," said McGwire, before poling a Mike Morgan fastball on his fists off the upperdeck — 430 feet away — in the first inning Monday night to tie Maris's record setting up Tuesday's heroics. - Washington Post wire service contributed to this

story.

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missing their team captain, senior Kelly French, who was attending a weading.

"It was important for our other runners to do well

(without French) because, in any one meet, someone

can full back," Reed said.
While the women's team was impressive Saturday, the men's cross country team did not have the same luck against a tough field at the Sycamore Pride Tournament in Terre Haute, Ind.

The Salukis finished a disappointing sixth (129 points) in the meet. Coach Bill Cornell would liked to have caught Missouri Valley Conference rival Indiana State (99) for third, but he conceded that the winner,

Illinois State (49), clearly was the top team Saturday.
"Illinois State looked awesome," Cornell said.
"They were all in peak condition for that meet."
Despite the low finish, SIUC received the expected

solid performances from seniors Joe and Jeremy Parks, ho finished sixth and tenth with times of 26:06.26 and 26:14.03 respectively.

Cornell was also pleased with the run of freshman Joe Zeibart, who ended up 52nd (28:01:03). Zeibart, who was a half-miler in high school, was running his first five-mile race.

In preparation for SIUC's next meet, the loaded Kansas Invitational, Cornell plans to tone down practice after an intense first two weeks.

"We need to ease up a little bit this week," he said. "Kansas is a real tough course, and it's where they're holding nationals this year."

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"Gold star for Damon Jones. But, I do remember one time you were out past mid-

Um, think back to July 6, 1997. assaulting an off-duty police officer at a nightclub. But maybe, just maybe, Jones is starting to learn from his mistakes. The new Damon Jones mostly hangs out at the movies with close teammate buddies Kevin Hardy, a former University of Illinois linebacker, safe

ty Aaron Beasley and offensive tackle Leon Searcy

Almost there, but I'm still not convinced. Oh yeah, I can't forget about last spring when you allegedly verbally assaulted a 53-year-old man in a Carbondale club because

he asked you to calm down.

What's your answer for that?
"I just be chillin," Jones repeated. "There is no need to stay out to 3, 4 or 5 in the

morning, Nothing good happens."

Rats. I just know you've messed up somewhere. No teammates are ready to rip your throat out for harassing them in prac"Well, Leon Searcy's mad at me for not making a (blocking) call," Jones said. "I .. made the call, but he said he didn't hear me. He said I left him out to dry."

That incident happened in a preseason arne against Kansas City, but it's not what I was looking for.

All Searcy suffered was a big hit from a blitzing linebacker.

Other than that, nothing. Alright, Mr. NFL tight end, why the change? "It's just kind of different, now," Jones said. "Everybody knows who you are. You see that people look up to you just because of who you are. You get kind of touched."

A 6-foot-6, 260 pound giant touched? Excuse me while I wipe the tears out of my eyes, but could it be?
"Hey, I ain't no mean person," he said

So after all the troubles in Jones' life. all he needed was to hear a 6-year-old say, "You're the greatest Damou," to turn him into a better person.

I commend Jones for that.

But I just wish that kid could have been around when the off-duty police officer, the Carbondale man and the Saluki football team members, who had to encounter Jones of his bad days in practices; needed him.

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'Sofa' Jones is a changed man in NFL



SHANDEL RICHARDSON

SPORTS EDITOR

Jones has taken his nickname of "Big Sofa" beyond the limits of the Jacksonville Jaguars training facilities.

Former SIUC

Jones who played for the Salukis from 1994-1996, got the name from the Jaguar receiving core

because "he just chills on the sofa in the players lounge in between team meet-

But after talking to Jones last week, it seems to me he has taken his "chilling one step further. After a much-troubled collegiate career, he has apparently cooled down off the field, too.

When Jaguar coach Tom Coughlin armounced that Pete Mitchell would be the starting tight end, Jones just "chilled." He didn't throw a temper tantrum similar to the one he threw at SIUC - when he yelled at a referee -

that got him a one-game suspension.

No, Jones simply expressed his dissatisfaction by accepting the fact that he had

"I'm not going to be satisfied," Jones said in a Thursday phone interview. "The whole key is to improve. My goal still is to go to the Pro Bowl."

Could it be that his hot temper is

Nah, this is the same kid who got kicked out of the University of Michigan for thinking he was MacGyver. He made a homemade bomb out of baking soda, lemon juice and a television remote

before setting it off.
But let Jones tell it, he's a changed man. He says he rarely even goes out

"I'm just chillin', waiting for said Jones, referring to this past Sunday's season opener with the Bears in his hometown. "I just try and chill now. I am too tired after practice (to do anything).'

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The late-night partying scene in Jacksonville. The girls. The warm weath-er. The girls. The beach. And more girls.

Too tired to go out?
"I just try and chill," Jones said. "(NFL players) got to be careful. Someone's always out there looking to start stuff. Then (the media) gets to saying, 'Why was he out past 12 o'clock?'".

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PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT: Saluki wide receiver Mark Shosteen (5), a Freshman from Carterville makes his move on linebacker Luther Claston (50) a junior from Florissant, MO., at the practice fields near SIU Arena Tuesday afternoon.

bites Dav

GROWING PAINS: After being insulted 41-13, football

team loses top fullback.

SHANDEL RICHARDSON

Maybe the mirror SIUC coach Jan Quarless asked his coaching staff and players to look in after Saturday's loss to Murray State University suddenly broke.

Or maybe there is a black cat following the Saluki football team because the bad luck just

continues to pile up.

After a 41-13 embarrassing season-opening loss, Quarless now has to deal with an even greater setback. On Tuesday, he stated during his weekly press conference that senior fullback Bryan Nolbertowitcz has joined the

growing list of injured Salukis.

Nolbertowitez, the Salukis' most versatile back, suffered a broken shoulder in Saturday night's loss and could miss the rest of the sea-

Some Labor Day weekend for Quarless. It just makes the road a little more bumpy fast," he said. "He's a very vital part of or game plan. He's a guy that can block best for

us. He's a guy we can count on for certain short yardage situations."

Aside from those attributes, the Salukis

also lose a valuable receiver in Nolbertowitcz. Last season, he was the team's second-leading receiver with 27 receptions for 346 yards.

Junior Rodney Kennedy is the leading can-didate to replace Nolbertowitez in the back-field. But Quarless has also entertained the idea of starting the combo of junior tailbacks ter and Paul Davis. Karlton Carpen

"It takes a little bit away from our scheme,

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UPCOMING

omen cross country takes second

ROB ALLIN DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

The SIUC women's cross cou earn is one close-knit group. And they

Just one minute separated the Saluks top runner from the No. 6 competitor Saturday at the University of Southern Indiana Invite in Evansville, Ind. SIUC was rewarded with a second-place finish in the five-

Vanderbilt University won the meet with 36 points, topping SIUC (44) and host USI (47). St. Joseph's College and Oakland City College finished in back of the pack with 119 and 146, reconstitute.

respectively.

Junior Jenny Monaco was SIUC's top finisher (third) with a time of 15 minutes, 33.95 seconds. Following Monaco was junior Joy Cutrano with a fifth-place finish. The final three Saluki scorers were sophomore Becky Cox (11th), junior Erin Leahy (12th), and sophomore Marissa Jelks (13th). The three finished just twelve seconds

It was the kind of balance that pleased coach Leann Reed. "We had a really great first meet,"

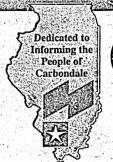
she said. "I liked the way they packed together and ran as a team.

Performing as a team was key in the meet because the Salukis were

 The SIUC men's and women's cross country teams will compete at the University of Kansas in Lawrence, Kan., next weekend.

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Citizen Group Formed To Study Uses For Eurma C. Hayes Center Building

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that help to provide a very high quality of life in our community.

On August 18, 1998, a group of citizens organized under the leadership of Mr. Richard Hayes and Reverend B.R. Hollins presented the City with an interim report on a research project undertaken to examine future uses for the city-owned Eurma C. Hayes Center building. The report highlighted information about how various communities visited by the group developed, funded and implemented social services for their communities. Cities such as Bowling Green, Kentucky; Joplin, Missouri; and Athens, Georgia, were visited and provided the research team with examples of ways the Eurma C. Hayes Center could best be put to use. The examples described at the August 18 City Council meeting covered a broad spectrum of uses. The F.O. Motley Community Center houses a Head Start child care, pre-kindergarten, meals-on-wheels, GED class and basketball court in a building owned by the City of Bowling Green. The City of Joplin, Missouri, works with the local Community Action Agency to provide programs in family planning, Section 8 housing, home weather-ization, Head Start and child care; and the Joplin City Health Department provides programs such as a Child Health Care Clinic, Dental Clinic, Immunization Clinic, Medical Clinic and other related health and medical services. Joplin seems to have partnerships with many social service agencies throughout the city, including the state-of-the-art Senior Citi-zens Center that was built by the City with Federal funds and donated to the Joplin Senior Citizens Center. The City of Joplin also bought an old unused school building and gave it to the local women's center (Lafayette House), which renovated and made it a domestic vio-lence center for abused women and children. Using these examples, the Carbondale research group is meeting with local health and medical providers and Head Start officials to discuss ways the providers and officials can create partnerships with the City and expand their programs into the Eurma C. Hayes Center building. During the month of October, they hope to complete the research and make a final report to the City Council along with recommendations. Persons with suggestions can contact Mr. Hayes or Rev. Hollins.

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Preservation News......

Submitted by: Carbondale Preservation Commission

How many Carbondale residents have stories to share? If you have a written account of a memory of Carbondale, please submit your story to the Carbondale Preservation Commission at City Hall, 200 South Illinois Avenue, P.O. Box 2047, Carbondale, Illinois 62902-2047. The following article was submitted by Carol H Johnson of Carbondale.

REMEMBERING DISCOVERED BARGAINS

Arriving in Carbondale in mid-June of 1966, my family and I explored South Illinois Avenue and its places to shop. We were not disappointed, as we found Bleyers and the A & P, but we were in need of major household items at an affordable price. We were told to go to Hunter Bros. on North Illinois Avenue. They were located where U-Haul now has its headquarters and in a metal quonset directly west. We were amazed at the variety of things offered. I suppose we should not have been surprised as Carbondale was a railroad town-why not railroad salvage?

How does one start in such a business? I asked one of the brothers, Dick, about their story. His father, Sam Hunter, and sons, Dick and Sammy, were in the car business. They had gone to Murray, Kentucky, and had sold a number of used cars. Upon returning on Highway 51 near Anna they came upon a derailed train; they were attracted by the large crowd that had gathered. They, too, stopped at the sight of the derailment. One of the overturned refrigerated freight cars was loaded with fresh meat; Sam Hunter asked a railroad man what were they going to do with it. The railroad man said they needed to sell it. How much? One thousand dollars cash. Sam said "sold;" he had the cash in his pocket from selling cars. Then someone came up to him and asked how much for a side of beef? He replied: "\$50." They stayed there for five hours and at the end of that time had sold all the meat and they had \$10,000. Said Sam to his sons: "We're in the wrong business!" For ten years they sought train derailments and sold the salvage in Carbondale.

The Stotlar Lumber Yard on North Illinois Avenue, owned by Mr. Ryburn Colp, was for sale: four buildings and seven acres. Hunter Bros. needed to expand, and Samfound it a good deal. Mr. Colp agreed to sell, but said he wanted to keep his office. They asked why? He said: "A man needs to have a place to go to work each day." They agreed to his exception and bought the land and buildings-except the office. The business further expanded, as the railroads and other businesses were bringing the merchandise to

In 1987, after the Hunter Bros. had been in business for twenty-five years, the Illinois Department of Transportation wanted to buy the property along the west side of North Illinois Avenue. Discount malls were being created across the United States and it was getting harder to find quantities of salvage. It was time for them to sell their land. Sam retired, his oldest son, Dick, became a realtor; and Sammy soon moved out of state.

GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

The General Election will include the offices of the U.S. Senate, Illinois Senate, Illinois Representative, Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Compiroller, Treasurer, Jackson County Clerk, Jackson County Treasurer, Jackson County Sheriff, Jackson County Board, Regional Superintendent of Schools Judge retention.

A list of polling places can be seen on Channel 16, CityVision and should appear in THE SOUTHERN ILLINOISAN newspaper approximately seven days before the election. You may also call the City Clerk's Office 549-5302 or the County Clerk's Office 687-7360 to obtain this information.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: By State law, voter's registration closes 28 days prior to very election. Registration will reopen on Thursday, November 5th. PLEASE PLAN TO REGIS-TER ON OR BEFORE TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6.

ABSENTEE VOTING: If you plan to be absent from Jackson County on election day, you may be eligible to vote absentee. Absentee voting is conducted through the County Clerk's Office in Murphysboro. For information on the absentce voting process or to request an absentce ballot, please contact the County Clerk's Office at 687-7360.

DID YOU MOVE2: When you move,...even if you only move across the street...you must update your address or your Voter's Registration Card. If you are changing your voter registration from another county to Jackson County, you will need to provide two forms of identification. One of these must have your name and Jackson County address (i.e. checkbook, lease, bill, etc.) Registration will reopen on Thursday, November 5. A list of polling places should appear in THE SOUTHERN ILLI-NOISAN newspaper approximately seven days before the election. Polling locations are open from 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 5495302, extension 281.



MICHAEL FELDMAN'S "WHAD'YA KNOW?" features host and quizmaster Feldman on the set of the television premier of his radio show of the same name. The program is a comedy/quizshow in which contetants answer question drawn from Feldman's seemingly limitless store of insignificant (but also, somehow, important) information.

The program airs on PBS as part of the September 1998 pledge drive. Photo: O Matthew Gilson.





It's Almost Time For Fall Leaf Collection

The City's Public Works Department is offering a curb-side Lose Leaf Collection program during November, December and January Calls for service will be accepted beginning November 2, 1998. Residents who wish to participate should rake their leaves, to the curb or street side and call the Environmental Services Office at 457-3275 between 81a.m. and 4 p.ms (closed 12 p.m. -1 p.m.) Collection routes will be formulated according to date of call and area of service. A disposal fee of \$17.00 will be assessed each time the residence is served. The loose leaf collection program will terminate January 31, 1998 and the last calls for scheduling will be taken January 22, 1999:

Please note that the Landscape Waste "Bag and Bundle" program will remain, in place. Those destring collection of bagged leaves and grass and/or bundles of brush may call the same number to schedule service. Loose Leaf Collection program during November, December and

Questions relating to this program may be directed to the Epvironmental Services Office. Remember, for collection service call

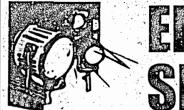
DID YOU KNOW ?

When grass clippings are mowed into the street it is not only unsightly, but it could stop up storm sewers and grates. It can also be considered illegal disposal of lawn waste, and is in violation of the City's litter codes.

REMEMBER TO VOTE! DEMOCRACY IS NOT A SPECTATOR SPORT!

JUST DO IT! Exercise your Right to Vote





EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



Ronnett Ray is enjoying her new position as Support Services Assistant in Child care at the Eurma C. Hayes Center.



Shawn Halstead is busy learning all about the Engineering Department.



Kathryn Jenkel is the new Assistant Clerk dividing her time between the Finance Department and the Human Resources Department.



The Legal Department welcomes Karri Belnel on board as the new Law Clerk.

Lauren Rader has been hired to work as Secretary in the Investigations Section of the Police Department.

Stephen Jones and Shane Burnes are the new Solid Waste Collectors for the Maintenance and Environmental Services Department.

RETIREES



Michael Johnson has retired from the Police Department after 27 years of



Richard Eads is retiring from the Street Department after 29 years of service.

Dave Wilson has retired from the Fire Department after 22 years of service.

To all new employees, Welcome Aboard.

To all retirees, Thanks for the years of dedicated service to the city or Carbondale.

Enjoy your well-deserved retirement.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

I finally figured out what has been missing during the last three months in Carbondale. It's the sound of music you can hear from 2 miles away. It's the steady n of copy machines at the University where professors and staff are anxiously generating copies of all the syllabi and paperwork they'll need for next week. It's the roar and whine of garbage trucks as they crunch up the furniture thrown out by new renters left by old renters who should have thrown it out 4 years ago. It's waiting have thrown it out 4 years ago, It's waiting for the train surrounded by other ears, when it used to be only you. It's having to stand in line to buy something at WalMart or sell something at Midwest Cash. It's watching fraternity guys try to dig up 3 months of weeds from rock-hard dirt getting ready for Rush Week, It's having to wait for a stool at Mary Lou's when you really want a piece of pineapple pic. It's driving back from Sam's on 13 in 25 mir has when it used to only take 17. It's servery that the pineapple pic. utes when it used to only take 17, It's secing more dogs with bandannas around r necks than normal. It's seeing newer cars than yours being driven by young people with \$22 Nike caps turned backward. It's watching 19,000 parents trying to stuff all of their children's belongings into the Towers at the same tine. It's the sound of energy and excitement, everyone! The students are back and I missed

them.

I got tired of mowing my grass and trying to get my office cleaned up before everyone got back. The last 5 days before exhool starts, I go through about 6 mood swings. On Monday and Tuesday, I try arginore what's coming. I get depressed on Wednesday after our first design faculty meeting because it enforces the fact that the summer I really loved is over. Thursteeping the summer I really loved in over the summer I really loved in over the loved in the lov the summer I really loved is over. Thursday is a grace day where I just zone out and try not to think about anything at all. Friday, I get more depressed than I did on Wednesday because we have a full School of Art and Design faculty meeting that enforces the fact that summer is really, really over and I have no escape but to go hack to school. Saturday is the day I panic about all of the stuff I should have copied for my classes during the summer and did-n't. Sunday is the day I choke up and ask myself, "Am I prepared for Monday or should I start thinking about retirement?" But then comes Monday morning! Monday is heaven, because it puts me in front of students who want to learn what I know

(most of them anyway) and do what I did.
We all have a lot of things to deal with and enjoy this new year. SIU has a new ehancellor (welcome, Dr. Argersinger) who will have major challenges to fece, but it looks like she is off to a good start. We will miss the openness of Don and Shi ley Beggs and the surprise of finding two real people at the SIU management level who cared deeply about the students,

worked hard to put all of us in closer har-mony. We will expect the same from the new Chancellot.

We have new people and improvements in town. New coaches, new teachers, new students, new faculty, new roads, new stop signs, new plans, new restaurants and new systems. We need each other to push closer to the new millennium (can't believe I said that). We all have something unique and different to share with one another. We have youth, we have age, we have experience, we have energy. We must work together and help grow this town and our University. Let's not be selfish or ngy with our talents or our expertise.

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To all of the permanent residents of Curbondale ii. don't stand off to the side and criticize the students on past history, get to know them. They are you, just younger. Students ... don't try to imitate those who came before you. As some gung-ho Army guy might say, "Be the best you can be." Show the newer and younger students you can be responsible. In fact, we should all be responsible. To the news media ... don't go for the sleaze and the media ... don't go for the sleaze and the low blow. If nothing had is happening that day or that week, don't go back and dig up and editorialize the past history of Halloween, the 1980s riots and other negative things. I know those kinds of stories sell papers in Harrisburg, but it hurts us here. Support our town and University, don't knock them. SIU management, faculty and staff ...we all live here too. Let's not forget we're just as much a part of this com-munity as anyone else. We have a whole lot of expertise this community and university can use. Give it, Volunteer it. Get out and mingle and get involved. City employees ... don't forget who makes up this town. We are black, white, brown, old, young, international and student. It's OK to be nice when you have to listen to a complaint for the 100th time. We are in the service business. Let's offer our services with a smile. To both police departments The students and residents of Carbondale are not the enemy. Confrontation begets confrontation. It's OK to be human

There is an election coming up in the fall for new City Council and Mayor seats. tall for new City Council and Mayor seats. If you are a student or someone who has never voted, get registered. You made a difference in the last City Council election, we need to see you out there again. There will be a Pig Out, a wine festival, a senior golf tournament, hot air billoon races, a Great Cardboard Boat Register.

ta, some sort of University spring event, ongoing concerts and even a Halloween. Let's make them all great.

Welcome back everybody! Let this be a super year for all of us.

Larry "Skip" Briggs SIU Professor and City Councilman

Fire Prevention Week

It's that time of the year again. National Fire Prevention Week is October 4-10. The theme this year is "Fire Drills - The Grout Escape". The Carbondale Fire Department will kick off Fire Prevention Week at the Fit for Life" Run/Walk on October 3 and end Fire Prevention Week with an Open House at Fire Station #2, 300 S. Oakland House at Fire Station #2, 300 S. Oakland Street from 12 - 4 p.m. on October 10. Sparky will be present for pictures with the children and we will be providing free pic-ture huttons with Sparky during the open house. During the week we will have addi-tional activities and be very visible with the Fire Safety House.

As usual, the Carbondale Fire Department will be stressing the importance of smoke detectors. Although smoke detectors are in 28 percent of American homes, nearare in 28 percent of American homes, near-ly one-third do not work because of weak or missing batteries. Non-working smoke detectors are a factor in many of the thou-sands of deaths and injuries caused by home fires each year. During calendar year 1997, approximately 3,500 deaths and close to 100,000 injuries were recorded from fires occurring in the United State.

to twink injuries were recorded from fires occurring in the United States, The Carbondale Fire Department will provide and install free a smoke letector for any disadvantaged persons' home in Car-bondale. Our department will also provide a free battery to our citizens that cannot

afford to purchase one. We encourage our citizens to take advantage of this program. Households with incomes of less than \$15,000 account for 33 percent of homes without at least one working smoke detector. Our department would like to attain a 100% smoke detector rating in Carbondale.

With your help we can.

The peak time for home fire fatalities is between 2:00 and 5:00 a.m., when most peoare asleep. In a recent survey, half of pic are askep, in a received they would be awakened by the smell of smoke in time to escape. In reality, smoke often disori-ents people and dulls their senses. In addition most people die of smoke inhalation in home fires rather than burns.

The Carbondale Fire Department pro-vides a variety of services. Please stop by Fire Station #2 on October 10 and tour the station and give us an opportunity to become better acquainted and to inform you

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Also, don't forget to join with the Carbondale Fire Department, the Carbondale Police Department and Hemorial Hospital to begin Fire Prevention Week with our nual Fit for Life Run Walk.

Further information is available by call-ing the Fire Department at 457-3298 (Station #1), 4573299 (Station #2) or 457-3234 (Fire



UPCOMING EVENTS CRITTER CORNER

SEPTEMBER

DATE	MEETING	PLACE	TIME
Tuesday Ist & 15th	City Council Meeting Televised, CityVision - 16	Chile Center, 200 S. Illinois	7:00 pm
Wednesday 2nd & 16th	*Planning Commission Televised, CityVision-16	Civic Center, 200 S. Illinois	7:00 pm
Weds - 2nd	Downtown Steering Committee	Chic Center, 200 S. Illinois	4:00 pm
Thursday - 3rd	*Liquor Advisory Board	Chic Center, 200 S. Illinois	5:30 pm
Weds 9th	Carbondale Library Board	405 West Main Street	4:30 pm
Mooday - 14th	Park District Board Televised, CityVision -16	Civic Center, 200 S. Illianis	7:00 pm
Thursday - 17th	School District #95 Board	Parrish School 121 N. Parrish Lane	7:00 pm
Non 21st	Preservation Commission	City Hall, 200 S. Illinois	7:00 pm

Meetings which could be rescheduled or cancelled if they have no business to conduc City Hall will be closed on Monday, September 7, 1998 for the Labor Day Holiday. The Partnership For Disability Issues and the Citizens Advisory Committee Meetings will be announced on CityVision -16. The Energy and Environmental Advisory Commission is now ting on a quarterly basis and will be announced on City Vision - 16.

OCTOBER

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Wed-lst	*Liquor Advisory Board	City Hall, 200 S. Illinois	5:30 pm
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Mon - 12th	Park District Board Televised, CityVision - 16	Chic Center, 200 S. Illinois	7:00 pm
Wed - 14th	Carbondale Library Board	405 West Main Street	4:30 pm
Thur - 15th	School District #95 Board	Thomas School 1025 N. Wall Street	7:00 pra
Mon - 19th	// Preservation Commission	City Hall, 200 S. Illineis	7:00 pm

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THE OLDER CAT

Cats, unfortunately for their owners, don't have nine lives, but the one life they do have is usually a long one. Most cats live 14 to 17 years with some reportedly living up to 30 years. If you count one of a cat's calendar years equal to seven of yours, they live very long lives indeed. Your care and feeding of your cat plus his own heredity have much to do with your cat's long life.

Some factors contributing to the longer life of the cat are:

- Improved diagnostic procedures and medical care of kittens by highly trained veterinarians.
- · Better control of infectious cat dis-
- More confinement of the cat to the house, lessening his chances of roaming and getting into fights.
- Better education of cat owners.
- Improved cat nutrition in commercial cat foods.

Your cat, no matter what his age, probably is in good health if he has a good coat of thick, soft, alive hair, most of his teeth so that he can chew even tough food, bright eyes, alertness, and quick responses with smooth body movements.

Ordinary senility changes in cats are seldom observed before the cat is eight or nine years old. Senility in a cat is a slow, gradual process which usually does not cause greatly increased proble other than perhaps impaired agility. Unlike the dog, the cat is not usually handicapped severely by failing eyesight

Good nutrition is very important to your cat during his old age. Sound feeding will help prolong your cat's life and make him more active and comfortable in his old age. Make sure that your cat has a good dict contain-ing plenty of high quality protein, adequate fat, and enough minerals and vitamins.

With increasing years, your cat may lose some of his sense of smell and taste and take little interest in his food. You might try tempting him with a favorite treat, feeding him smaller portions more often, or perhaps bring his food to him rathe: than calling him to get it for himself. Be very careful, though, not to overfeed your cat, for obesity particularly in old age is dangerous. Make sure that your cat takes plenty of liquids due to the fact older cats often become dehydrated.

An old cat loses much of his former vigor and requires more sleep. His coat may become stiff and grayish. His hearing and eyesight are less acute. These symptoms appear slow-ly so you may not notice them at

In old age most ailments are major ones. You will want to make sure that your cat is taken to the veterinarian for regular booster shots and checkups. Follow the veterinarian's advice carefully. It might be a good idea to keep a complete medical history for ready reference at

Loss of teeth can make chewing more difficult for your cat and so

make him more finicky about his food. Regular inspection by the veterinarian is essential. Teeth can be extracted if necessary from the older cat with safety. Gum and tooth infections can set off a whole chain of infections throughout the body. Keeping your set's teeth clean can help make his tife a happier one.

dental care. The older cat can have many of the ills common to all aging cats.

Regular medical attention is half the battle in any geriatric health program - the regular checkup is r.eventive medicine at its best. The other half - the kind he gets at home is up to you.

Check with your veterinarian about

For the most part, aging has the general effect of slowing down your cat's body processes. It is only when one part suffers damage that there is cause for alarm.

Most cats are jealous but older cats are especially jealous, both of other animals and even of the human members of your family. You and your cat have enjoyed many memorable years together so in his old age you will want to do everything possible to make him comfortable and to make him feel loved and wanted.

Are You New To Carbondale?

Be sure to put your dog on a leash when going for a walk. Call the City Clerk's Office for licensing information and for any information regarding pet regulations. 549-5302,



TIME TO BEGIN PLANNING FOR THE LIGHTS FANTASTIC PARADE

With the hot, humid weather that continues to plague Southern Illinois, it is hard to believe that the holiday season is less than 90 days away. And with the arrival of the holiday season comes the area's premier holiday event: The Lights Fantastic Parade!

This year's Lights Fantastic Parade will be held on Saturday, December 5, in downtown Car-bondale. In its ninth year, the Parade continues to receive significant support from businesses, civic organizations, educational and youth groups and churches throughout Carbondale and Southern Illinois.

Participants can attest that pre-planning is essential for a successful parade eatry. Whether your business or organization is contemplating the design of a new entry, planning an expansion or modification of a prior entry, or just needs to extend a little TLC to last year's entry, now is the time to turn your attention toward the fun task which awaits. Make arrangements for your transport vehicle (flatbed, tractor, etc.), reserve your generator, and select a long-term storage facility. Round up your workers to install and check your entry's holiday lights, touch up the paint and freshen the garlands. Most importantly, HAVE FUN!

If you would like information on how to submit an entry for the parade, please contact the Car-bondale Park District at 529-4147. Also, if you know of another business or organization you believe might be interested in becoming a parade partici-pant, please call the Park District with the name and address of the contact person so information can be sent. Thank you!

Are You Looking For Approved Child Care Services?

The City of Carbondale Eurma C. Hayes Child Care Program is currently accepting children ages 15 months to 13 years old. The Center is licensed for 6 weeks to 13 years old. Some slots are filled. The child care program is celebrating three

1. Staff are training for CDA creden-

2. New playground equipment is

being installed and classroom supplies are being replenished;

3. Mrs. Ronnett Ray, our new staff person, is at your service for the enrollment process.

We are able to offer subsidized slots through contracts from the Illinois Department of Human Services. The center is ilcensed by the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS). Classroom and outside renovations are on going for scheduled completion in FY 2000.

The program is open Monday thru Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Breakfast, lunch and snacks are offered. Learning experiences and free choice are also offered, and full-time and part-time care are available.

For more information please drop by or call (618) 457-3302 or 549-5302, extension 284.

