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University supports tuition freeze

New legislation could limit increases to 5 percent

Katie Davis
Daily Egyptian

Students at state universities throughout Illinois could pay a flat rate for tuition if legislation in the General Assembly is passed.

Gov. Rod Blagojevich proposed tuition freezes that would require universities to limit increases to incoming freshman during his budget address April 9. The measure would allow students to pay a flat rate for four years of college.

However, Rep. Mike Bost, R-Murphysboro, said while the plan sounds good, and as a parent he understands, no strategy has been released to accommodate a tuition freeze other than slashing university budgets.

"Suppose no matter what expenses are, you can't do anything to increase revenue," he said. "The state can give them money, people can invest in research or you have to raise tuition. Those are the only three options."

SIUC Chancellor Walter Wendler said he is behind the legislation because he knows the desire parents have to know what a college education is going to cost.

"The idea of making it clear to parents and students what tuition will be while they are studying is important," Wendler said. "We need to have them as predictable as we can."

He said that though it is important to carefully explain the cost of college to students and their families, but in a difficult financial pinch, like the University now finds itself, the situation could further hardships.

"If done correctly, it will be important," Wendler said. "If not careful, it will impact previously made plans."

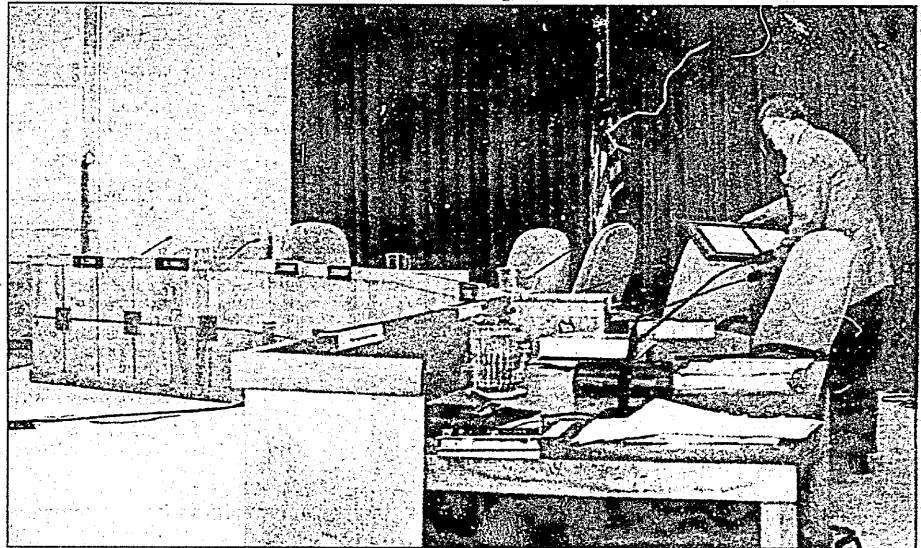
Wendler made many promises to students and faculty last year while campaigning for 49 percent four-year tuition hike, including money for undergraduate and graduate assistantships and scholarships and grants.

Though the 18-percent increase and 16-percent increase for the 2002-2003 and 2003-2004 school years, respectively, the following 8 percent and 9 percent increases have not been approved by the SIUC Board of Trustees, and could flounder under the new legislation.

University spokeswoman Sue Davis said it is unclear what a tuition freeze would mean for SIUC, and administrators are still looking at its possible implications.

Bost said that if the tuition freeze were passed,

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ROBERT LYONS - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Mayor Neil Dillard stands alone at his post on the City Council panel for the last time looking at a plaque he received for his service and commitment to the City of Carbondale. Dillard was honored by many, including other City Council members, as well as mayors from southern Illinois.

City honors mayor, councilman

Meeting provides Mayor Dillard, councilman Neill with emotional finale

Brian Peach
Daily Egyptian

As failed attempts to hold back tears met with hugs of friendship and well-wishes, business as usual was anything but Tuesday as Mayor Neil Dillard and Councilman Mike Neill sat their final night as members of the council.

Dillard and Neill were honored with resolutions passed unanimously by the council. The resolutions commemorating their accomplishments were placed on plaques and given to both men by their fellow council members as well as City Manager Jeff Doherty, City Clerk Janet Vaught and City Attorney Paige Reed.

Dillard is finishing his 16th year as mayor, the longest in Carbondale's history, and it was clear at the meeting that he will be missed.

Making their respective drives to honor

Dillard at his final council meeting, five fellow southern Illinois mayors were present to see to it that he had a proper send off.

Dillard has been a member of the Southern Illinois Mayors' Association since 1988, and Mc Leansboro Mayor Dick Deitz was one of those who thanked him for his efforts and friendship during that time.

"I'd like to speak from the heart," Deitz said. "Tonight we salute a mayor, we salute a councilperson, but most importantly a friend to all southern Illinois."

Joining Deitz were Kinnmundy Mayor Elwyn Cheatum, Grayville Mayor Joe Bish, Herrin Mayor Vic Ritter and Salem Mayor Leonard Ferguson.

Ferguson said he has known Dillard the longest, since 1987, and wished him a fond farewell, stating how it's been a pleasure to work along side him.

Bish said Dillard "makes everyone feel like the light of Chicago," and has always put the best interest of others, including the city as a whole, in front of his own.

Dillard said he was able to do that, in large part, because of his caring wife Mary Ellen. She has stood by him through the years, and never questioned his desire to make Carbondale a better place to live. He said he will always

remember how his wife told him to "have a good meeting" before he left each Tuesday, and said without her support, he would not have been as successful in his role.

Dillard's plaque, which was made extra large because the ordinance honoring him covered two pieces of paper, contained most of his accomplishments. Among those were a few special numbers that stand out. In his time on the council, Dillard has worked with 10 council members and three city managers, and he has sat through 457 City Council meetings, passed 1,332 resolutions and 1,561 ordinances.

Though Mike Neill's exit from his council chair was not voluntary as Dillard's was, he was still given much commemoration after 8 years in office.

Brad Cole was the first to thank Neill for his friendship and wished him good luck in his future. Cole approved voting of the resolution, and both Corene McDaniel and Maggie Flanagan seconded it at the same time. Then Neill hesitantly gave his approval as well.

"It was a privilege serving citizens of Carbondale," Neill said. "Even though I'm not on the council, I still care about this town and hope to be here for the rest of my life."

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U.S. Sen. Fitzgerald not running for re-election in 2004

Republican Party scrambles for candidate in crucial state election

Kristina Dailing
Daily Egyptian

U.S. Sen. Peter Fitzgerald, R-Ill., announced that he will not seek re-election next year.

At a press conference Tuesday, Fitzgerald, a banking heir from Inverness, said he would not run for re-election because of concerns about time away from his family as well as the personal costs of another campaign.

"This is a race in a heavily

Democratic state that for a Republican candidate will need full-time devotion in order to win," Fitzgerald said at a Tuesday press conference.

He said his job requires him to be away from his family too often, but did recently make it to a Little League game in which his 10-year-old son hit a home run.

"I need to be there for more moments like that in my son Jake's life," Fitzgerald said.

Fitzgerald, 42, was also concerned about the financial burden that would be created as he tried to raise the millions of dollars needed for a re-election campaign and was hesitant in spending more money on a second term. He spent \$11.5 million in his successful 1998 bid in which he defeated incumbent U.S. Sen. Carol Moseley Braun, D-Ill.

Fitzgerald served six years in the Illinois Senate before his election to the U.S. Senate in 1998.

Because of Fitzgerald's decision to not run for re-election, the Illinois Republican Party is now left searching for a new candidate to run in the 2004 election. Several names have already been thrown out as potential contenders in the race to keep the open spot for the Republicans giving them an 51-48 edge in the U.S. Senate.

According to the Chicago Tribune, several GOP candidates are interested in running, including, Sen. Patrick O'Malley of Palos Park, DuPage County Board Chairman Robert Schillerstrom and former Attorney General Jim Ryan.

Tom Margolis, who served as the downstate director for Ryan's office

during his term as attorney general, said it is too soon to say for sure whether Ryan will run.

"It's probably a little premature to say for sure, but there has been talk about it," Margolis said.

On the heels of Fitzgerald's anticipated announcement, Gerry Chico, former president of Chicago public schools, filed with the Federal Election Commission showing that he raised more than \$1.7 million to allow him to compete for the Democratic nomination for the Illinois seat in the Senate.

Michael Golden, spokesman for Chico's campaign said Chico thinks Illinois can do better and with his experience he can point Illinois in the right direction.

"With his experience as president of the Chicago Public Schools he can

accomplish more meaningful results."

Chico filed with the FEC in December with just more than \$1 million, which was more money than any other senator challenger in the nation.

Chico was appointed president of the Chicago Public Schools in 1995 and re-appointed in 1999 by Mayor Richard Daley.

Chico said in a press release Tuesday he wants the Senate seat to be filled with someone who can get things done.

"Regardless of whether or not Fitzgerald runs for re-election, this will be an expensive and hard fought campaign," Chico said.

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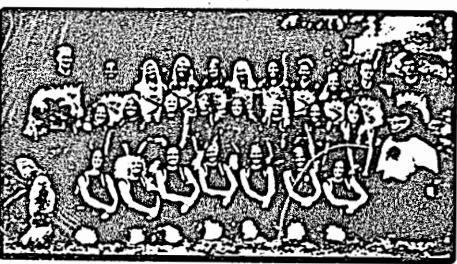
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WAR UPDATE

Current as of Tuesday, 8 p.m. CDT

- Abu Abbas, the Palestinian terrorist who masterminded the 1985 hijacking of the Italian cruise ship Achille Lauro has been arrested around Baghdad. (msnbc.com)
- U.S. forces shut down a pipeline from Iraq to Syria Tuesday, said U.S. Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld. (msnbc.com)
- A U.S.-sponsored forum to begin shaping Iraq's postwar government concluded Tuesday with an agreement to meet again in 10 days, a senior U.S. government official said. Some Shiite Muslim groups boycotted and protested the gathering at Ur. (msnbc.com)



INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Dozens of Haitians missing after capsizing

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic — An overloaded wooden boat carrying about 150 Haitian migrants capsized off the Dominican Republic, and at least one person was dead and dozens more were missing, the Dominican navy said Tuesday. The 30-foot boat overturned close to shore off the northwestern Dominican town of Monte Cristi about 9 p.m. Monday, officials said.

A Coast Guard ship patrolling the area rescued 110 people within hours, the Navy statement said. One man's body was recovered and about 39 other people are believed missing, the Navy said.

Five die in West Bank gun, grenade attacks

JERUSALEM — A Palestinian fugitive emerging from a building surrounded by Israeli soldiers opened fire Tuesday, killing

an Israeli officer before being shot dead by other soldiers, the Army said.

At the Kani truck crossing between Israel and Gaza, meanwhile, a Palestinian opened fire and threw grenades, killing two Israeli workers and wounding another three before he was shot and killed by troops, the army said.

In the West Bank city of Nablus, troops from an elite army unit, backed by helicopters, encircled a building in the Rafidiyah neighborhood and called on three fugitives holed up inside to surrender.

Payout for apartheid victims

South Africa is to pay final reparations to thousands of people identified by the country's Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) as victims of apartheid.

In a statement to parliament on the final report from the Commission, President Thabo Mbeki said a one-off payment of just over \$3,800 (29,175 rand) would be given to those designated by the TRC.

The campaign group pursuing reparations has said it will not accept the payment, saying it is not enough.

Today

High 77
 Low 53



Partly cloudy with rain showers starting in the late afternoon. Highs in the upper 70s.

Five-day Forecast

Thursday	AM Showers	71/42
Friday	Partly Cloudy	72/52
Saturday	Thunderstorms	75/56
Sunday	Thunderstorms	76/51
Monday	Partly Cloudy	59/48

Almanac

Average high:	64
Average low:	41
Tuesday's precip:	"
Tuesday's hi/low:	80/58

CORRECTIONS

In Tuesday's issue of the DAILY EGYPTIAN, the headline for the page 4 brief, "AIDS Walk meeting set for Monday," should have read the meeting is set for Wednesday as indicated in the brief.

The DAILY EGYPTIAN regrets this error.

CALENDAR

Today

Guest Speaker: Atherine Lucy Foster
 first black student admitted to the University of Alabama
 Public Policy Institute lecture series
 Law School Auditorium
 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Minority Aviation Council
 annual recognition luncheon, honoring Capt. Houston Mills
 Student Center Ballroom B
 Saturday, noon

The Clothesline Project
 Faner Breezeway South
 April 22 and 23, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

POLICE REPORTS

• Ian T. Ott, 21, Murphysboro, was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, operating an uninsured motor vehicle, and improper fighting at 2:25 a.m. at the intersection of Pleasant Hill and Springer Ridge roads. He posted his driver's license and \$100 bond and was released.

• Howard Reynaldo Sutherland, 20, Carbondale, was arrested and charged with intimidation and aggravated assault at 12:45 a.m. Monday at Schneider Hall. He was taken to the Jackson County Jail.

• Nicholas David Susnis, 24, Oak Forest, was arrested and charged with resisting a peace officer and possession of cannabis at 9:46 p.m. Sunday at Neely Hall. He was released on \$100 bond.

• Matthew Reynolds, 22, Carbondale, was arrested and charged with leaving the scene of a personal injury accident at 1:26 a.m. Sunday in the 500 block of South Ash Street. Police said Reynolds was trying to drive through a crowd of people and ran over the ankle of a 19-year-old man who had been pushed to the ground during an altercation. Police said a witness identified a passenger in the vehicle as the owner of the vehicle. The owner was contacted by police, and subsequently contacted Reynolds. He was taken to the Jackson County Jail and the 19-year-old man was taken to Carbondale Memorial Hospital for treatment.

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George Ryan nominated for Nobel Peace Prize

Community, victims have mixed reactions

Lindsey J. Mastis
Daily Egyptian

George Ryan may best be remembered as a man of controversy, loved and hated for his progressive agenda to overhaul Illinois' justice system in his first few months in office.

Ryan voted to reinstate the death penalty when he was the House Republican Leader in 1977, and then issued a moratorium when he became governor. With this move, Illinois became the first state in the country to temporarily halt state executions.

In places around the globe, Ryan became a darling among anti-death penalty advocates. But there were also those who voiced opposition to his decision to later issue a blanket commutation — including many victims' families.

And in Illinois, Ryan's policy agenda was overshadowed with an investigation into a scandal that took place under his control as secretary of state. His top aide has already been convicted on several counts of racketeering in a scheme where state workers were accused of trading licenses for bribes.

It's no wonder then that his nomination for a Nobel Peace Prize has created so much controversy.

Ryan was nominated for the prize in mid-January for the prestigious honor that has been bestowed to world leaders such as Mother Teresa, Martin Luther King Jr. and Theodore Roosevelt.

The Nobel Peace Prize committee will select a winner in mid-October.

Ryan was nominated because of the moratorium he imposed in January 2000.

"When I found out that we had almost executed 17 innocent men, I said there will be no more executions until we find out what's wrong with the system," Ryan told the DAILY EGYPTIAN in a recent interview. "These are 17 people who had been,

convicted by a jury of their peers without a reasonable doubt and sentenced to die by the state."

Francis Boyle, a professor of law at University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana and abolitionist of the death penalty, nominated Ryan for the prize. He said Ryan is a perfect candidate for taking an unpopular, yet needed stance against capital punishment.

"This is my back yard here — the death penalty — it's an atrocious human rights violation," Boyle said. "Gov. Ryan was doing the best he could to stop it. He was under enormous, unfair, unjustified criticism and I just decided to act to do something to support him."

Boyle, who helped defend John Wayne Gacy, who was convicted of sexually assaulting a child and murder, said that politicians use the death penalty as a campaigning device.

"It's well known, the easiest way for a state's attorney to get re-elected or get on television, or prime himself or herself for higher office, is to have a couple flashy death penalty convictions under their belt," he said. "They use the death penalty convictions to get slated for a cushy judgeship somewhere."

Ryan said he is still struggling with the ethics and process of the death penalty. He supported the death penalty until he was given the power to decide who lived and who died. Although he does not want to have to give the order to proceed with a state-imposed death, he agrees that people like Gacy

"may be a reason" to implement the death penalty.

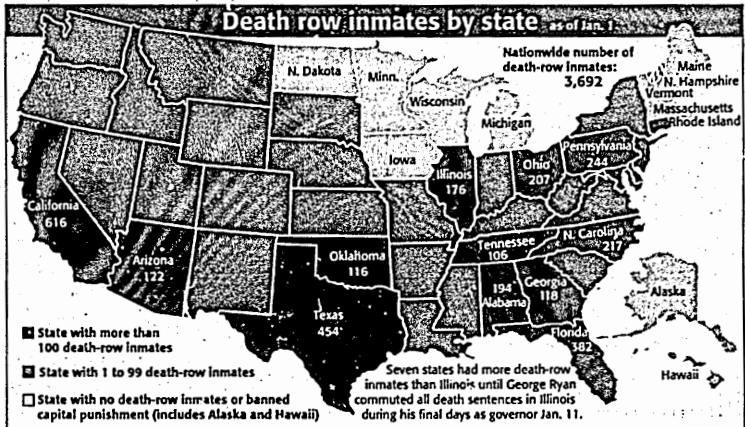
"It's one of those questions that I continue right now to argue with myself about," Ryan said. "Is there a need for a death penalty and of course the question

keeps coming back to me, that if we have a death penalty can we have a perfect system?"

Support for Ryan, however, is not all embracing.

Cathy Drobney, from Downers Grove, like many families of victims, was disappointed with Ryan's moratorium and blanket commutation.

Her 16-year-old daughter,



Source: Death Penalty Information Center

Bridget, was stabbed to death in 1985. The person convicted for her murder will not get the death penalty as originally sentenced because of the commutation, which reduced all death row sentences to life in prison.

"It's not because anybody was found innocent," Drobney said. "[Ryan] had an agenda. I just think he was not thinking about the victims; he was caring about himself."

"Gov. Ryan does not deserve the Peace prize. He gave no peace — no peace — to the victims' families," Drobney said. "Who do they give this peace prize to? I'm beginning to wonder [if] it's worthwhile."

Ryan said he understands the frustration that victims' families have with his decision, but that the blanket commutation was necessary.

"They have a right to feel that way, but I have a right and so do other people to say 'let's make sure we've got the right guy,' and that's my concern and that's why I did what I did," he said.

Ryan appointed the Commission on Capital Punishment shortly after issuing a moratorium to study the criminal justice system for two years. The problems with the system were addressed and recommendations were put into legislation, but never passed the General Assembly.

Former U.S. Sen. Paul Simon, director of the Public Policy Institute who served as co-chair on Ryan's commission, said he opposes

the death penalty in all cases, but would not say whether he thinks Ryan should receive the award.

"There's no question [Ryan] has shown great courage in doing what he has done on the death penalty," Simon said. "Almost all democracies of the world have abandoned the death penalty. Almost all the world's dictators have it."

Mike Lawrence, associate director of SIUC's Public Policy Institute, is opposed to the death penalty but does not support Ryan's nomination. Lawrence agreed with Ryan's decision to order a moratorium, but not a blanket commutation.

"I would say it would send the wrong message to give the prize to someone who's stewardship of the Secretary of State's Office has been tarnished and we still don't know where this federal investigation is going end," he said. "Gov. Ryan himself may be implicated. I think it would be a mistake to give the Nobel Peace Prize to someone whose performance in state government has been tarnished because of a scandal."

Lawrence was the press secretary and senior policy adviser for former Gov. Jim Edgar. Lawrence said Edgar voted to reinstate the death penalty in the state in 1977 when he was serving in the General Assembly.

Still, Boyle said the nomination committee will not consider the scandal when making its selection for the award.

"There's nothing new about this — that's just politics in Illinois," Boyle said. "Not to condone it one way or the other, but it really had no impact on me."

Ryan would not comment on the license-for-bribes scandal as he has not been convicted of any wrongdoing. He said the investigation has been going on for five years and has nothing to do with the moratorium.

"We shouldn't execute innocent people and this is what this argument is all about," Ryan said. "The actions I've taken were actions I thought were the right thing to do in the death penalty area and have no bearing on that investigation at all. And obviously, people keep trying to tie those together, and I'm not sure why."

Five lawyers, including Boyle, drafted Ryan's nomination. This was the first time Boyle has nominated someone for the Nobel Prize. If Ryan wins, Boyle said it would "send a very powerful message" to abolish the death penalty system in the United States.

Alfred Noble founded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1901 via his will. The prizewinner "shall have conferred the greatest benefit on mankind." It is awarded each year on the Dec. 10 anniversary of Nobel's death in Norway.

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Federal patient privacy rules go into effect

Federal rules give patients more control, limit media access to medical information

Andy Horonzy
Daily Egyptian

Beginning this week, new regulations to protect patient privacy will change the way hospitals, doctors, health insurance providers and even the media handle medical information.

Designed to give patients more control over who can access their medical records, the new policies provide the option to see, copy and request changes to their medical records, and find out who has viewed their data.

The changes are part of the Health Insurance Privacy and Portability Act (HIPAA) passed by Congress in 1996 that went into effect Monday. In addition to patient confidentiality, the legislation also allows those with medical problems to keep their health insurance when changing jobs and calls for standardization of health care billing.

Upon admittance to a hospital, patients will now have the option of being put in the hospital directory, which gives the public access to a patient's name, room number, medical condition and religious affiliation.

Patients will also be required to give their approval before a hospital or physician can release any of their information.

While the new rules may result in a paperwork increase for patients, physicians, hospitals and media outlets are unsure as to what degree the regulations will impact them.

For Samantha Smith, billing professional at Carbondale Family Medicine, they represent nothing more than a frivolous expense.

"Don't get me wrong, I'm all for security measures, but to me it just seems like a waste of government money," Smith said.

Smith said Carbondale Family Medicine has spent thousands over the past six months preparing to comply with act, with most of the money going toward paper and new security devices.

"We spent \$1,000 this month just on paper for notices and receipts showing we notified our patients," Smith said. "Not to mention the money we had to spend on locks for our file cabinets."

While Smith said several patients had no reservations about signing the confidentiality release, a few seemed suspicious of the new forms and did so reluctantly.

"There were some who said they didn't even

want it given to them, but since it's required now they had to anyway," Smith said.

Stephen Pautler, an administrator at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital in Murphysboro, was more optimistic about the new rules but not convinced the results would outweigh the costs.

Pautler said he thought the new rules were being enacted before they were ready and was skeptical about the prospects of the HIPAA achieving its goal of privacy and security.

"It just feels somewhat rushed to me and I'm not sure if it really adds to anything we're doing now," Pautler said. "I do think it will eventually be beneficial, but why it's happening now I don't know."

One aspect of the regulations that has been under great scrutiny is whether or not media coverage will suffer. News reporters who now rely on hospitals to provide information on accident or crime victims may now have to refer to law enforcement and fire department officials for facts.

Pautler said the act puts hospital officials in a precarious position.

"You don't want to impede the public's right to know things, but at the same time you have to understand the concern for people's right to privacy," Pautler said. "You probably won't be seeing any more 'first baby of the year' stories though because there's now a couple ways that could be illegal."

Judy Vandewater, health care and business reporter for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, said she did not think the changes would affect her, but suggested crime and emergency reporters could be in trouble.

"For those of us with a longer lead time it's not much of an issue, but for someone reporting the extent of the injuries of a gunshot victim it would be a big problem," Vandewater said.

For Pat Gauin, assistant metro editor of the Post-Dispatch, the HIPAA may be a new hurdle for his reporters to deal with, but he is not yet ready to vilify the idea.

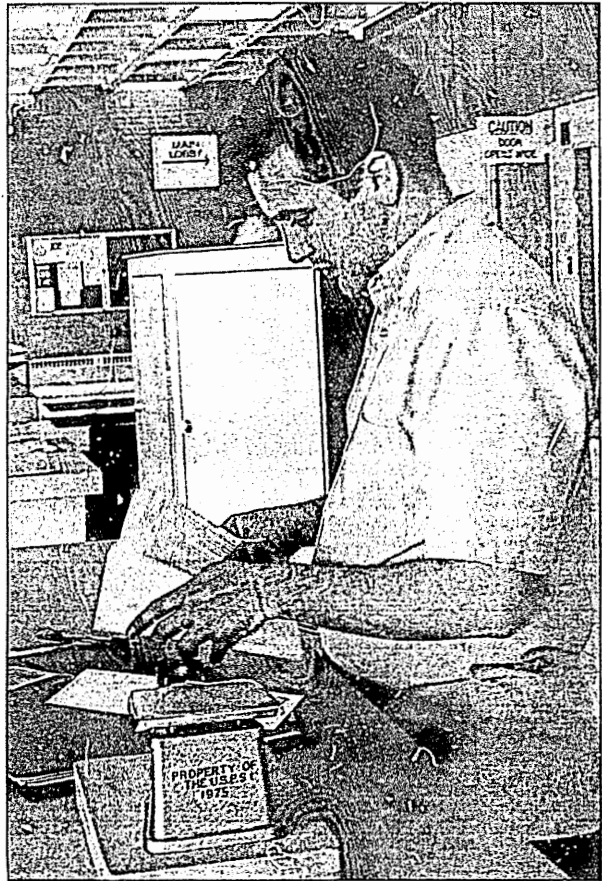
"We haven't had to deal with it long enough yet to really make any judgments," Gauin said. "But I don't think it helps our business or the public."

Gauin said he thought privacy is being taken too far when it results in less information being disseminated to the public. He also said he thought it would hinder his reporters' ability to cover accident and injury stories.

"Since reporters will now be constrained from talking to paramedics, they will now have to rely solely on police and firefighters for information," Gauin said. "I guess it's another obstacle we're just going to have to deal with."

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Tax deadlines



LESTER E. MURRAY - DAILY EGYPTIAN
Bryan Morris, a cinema photography major from Carbondale, is making the deadline to send in his taxes. Morris said he had his taxes done a long time ago, but he just kept put off filing until today.

NEWS BRIEFS

ON CAMPUS

Alcohol, drug assessments available Thursday, next week

The Student Health Programs Wellness Center is offering free alcohol and drug assessments and information. Assessments will be available on Thursdays, April 17 and 24 at the following times and locations: from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Student Center Hall of Fame area, from 3 to 6 p.m. at Trueblood Hall, room 106 and from 9 a.m. to noon at Rehn Hall's West Entrance.

More than 70,000 students ages 18 to 24 are victims of alcohol-related sexual assault or date rape. For more information or to make a free, confidential assessment, call the Wellness Center Alcohol and Other Drug Program at 536-4441 or visit the website at www.siu.edu/~shp.

\$1,000 scholarship awarded to student for leadership

The recipient of the 2003 Frank L. Klingberg Scholarship is Greg Padesky, a junior in photojournalism at SIUC. The scholarship is for \$1,000.

The scholarship is awarded each year to an SIUC junior who demonstrates leadership in organizations on campus and/or in the community. The honor also entails the practice of the Rotary Club of Carbondale ideals of "service above self," ethical behavior in everyday activities.

Klingberg is Professor Emeritus in the Department of Political Science. For more information about the Rotary Club of Carbondale, contact Club President Elizabeth Lewin at 457-3591 or visit the club's website at www.rotaryclubcarbondale.org.

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Mall to open Bed, Bath & Beyond

Sara Hooker
Daily Egyptian

University Mall has gone above and beyond with its new addition to the east wing of the facility.

Bed, Bath and Beyond, a nationwide chain that sells home furnishings, is scheduled to be completed by August.

Debra Tindall, general manager of University Mall, said the store will serve an underrepresented genre of merchandise that will add to the overall picture of what Carbondale is trying to create at the mall.

"I think, No. 1, it's bringing a category of merchandise to University Mall that is clearly underserved—that being products for the household," Tindall said. "Categorically, that is one of the strongest sales increase categories of merchandise selling in retail today."

The store, which is to be 22,500

sq. ft., is located on the site of the old Montgomery Wards on the northeast corner of the area of the mall that's had a vacant store there for several years," Tindall said. "It's going to bring a lot of synergy to that section of the mall."

Gus Bode



Gus says:
Bed, bath and way beyond a college student's budget.

It is one of two larger box stores previously identified by Tindall as under construction. The remaining box store and two other mystery stores that are being negotiated will be announced sometime in June at the latest, with construction completed sometime in 2003, Tindall said.

She said the exterior of Bed, Bath & Beyond is almost complete. It will feature the store's trademark marquee signage, and an additional east entrance was completed for the new movie theater and stores.

"It's going to bring alive the whole

of national retailer," Tindall said.

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\$27,500 award granted to area businesses

Katie Davis
Daily Egyptian

Murphysboro attorney Gary Miller, a partner of Biolnsite Tuesday received a \$7,500 check from Southern Tech to produce and market a microorganism that would break down benzene, which contaminates groundwater when underground gasoline tanks crack.

Miller said he hopes to improve upon the microorganism and market it based on its environmental implications. It has contaminated more than 9,500 sites in Illinois, and long-term exposure has been known to lead to cancer in humans.

"To clean these sites, you usually have to dig the entire site, usually eight to 10 feet deep sometimes up to 28,00 cubic feet, move the soil to a landfill, and replace it," Miller said. "These microorganisms are effective were you can't dig because of a parking lot or a building. It digests benzene in the absence of oxygen, or even with oxygen."

Miller and partners, including former SIUC faculty member John D. Coates, are the first grand prize winners of the Southern Angels Business Plan Contest, which awarded a total of \$27,000 southern Illinois businesses to carry out plans for new business ventures.

Raymond Lenzi, associate chan-

cellor for economic development, said the goal was to get southern Illinois businesses thinking about good plans for their future.

Carbondale businessman Peter Gregory gave the program its start, donating about half the money necessary to kick off the contest. Gregory said he expected only about 10 plans, and was shocked by the 33 that were sent by the contest's end.

"We had to go through 33 four-page proposals," said Gregory, one of ten judges for the contest. "Then we had to read 10, 20-page proposals in a week."

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OUR WORD

More money is a bad thing

More money is a bad idea.

No, the DAILY EGYPTIAN editorial board has not gone crazy. The Illinois Senate approved a state increase in minimum wage Tuesday, raising the wage from \$5.15 an hour to \$6.50 an hour. The bill, which will now be sent to the Illinois House, is calling for the wage to be increased to \$6 an hour this September and then another 50 cents in September 2004.

A lot of students out there are thinking this is a great idea. We sure could use another \$1.35 for every hour we work.

But there's always another side to the story. In this case, Illinois has enough fiscal woes; increasing minimum wage will only complicate economic problems. The minimum wage is not enough money to feed a family of four, but it was never intended to do so. It is simply a way of requiring businesses to pay individual employees enough to survive. Pumping more money into educational and poverty programs is the way to help those who can't make ends meet. Increasing this wage will hurt businesses. Small businesses will have to fire employees or increase their prices to cover the cost of keeping staff. So although we're all making another \$1.35, we could be paying that much more for the hamburger at a fast food chain. In the end, it could even deter businesses from opening in Illinois, because they could open in Kentucky, Missouri or Indiana and pay people \$5.15 instead.

What happened to the idea that we wanted to bring more business here?

And on campus financial problems look even grimmer. The state isn't giving us nearly as much money as they used to; and we've already increased tuition and fees. There are about 6,000 students working on campus who receive the campus minimum wage of \$5.65 except for those who work at late-night dining halls. According to Dan Mann, director of the Financial Aid Office, if the bill passes, SIU would have to increase that wage with the rest of the state.

Ouch. This one's going to hurt.

The wage increase at SIU from \$5.15 to \$5.65 was covered by a tuition increase. On-campus organizations and departments with workers received a slice of the tuition money to cover the cost of the increased wage. The state doesn't plan to do the same if the minimum wage goes up.

That means there may be a few jobs cut, or students will simply have to work fewer hours, Mann said.

All the students are thinking this is a great idea. But there's always another side to the story.

In the case of those students on federal work study, each individual is only allowed to work so many hours per week because that's how much money the government is paying for. Those students may not

be able to work as much, leaving services on campus wanting. There aren't enough work-study students to add to the pool.

Hmm ... so increasing the amount of money we make actually hits us right in the pocketbook. It doesn't take a math major to figure this one out.

And for the Student Center and Recreation Center, not to mention the DAILY EGYPTIAN, workers are paid from funds those organizations receive on their own, without University help. During the on-campus tuition increase, they had to request extra money from the University to cover the raises of their employees. This time, either the fees and costs are going to go up or those organizations will have to cut back on the number of hires or the amount of services they can provide.

That \$1.35 doesn't sound nearly as good now, does it?



GUEST COLUMNIST

You're not as clean as you think

Michell Perry
Indiana Daily Student

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (U-WIRE)

— In a commercial for Dial soap, a dog is lapping up toilet water when he hears its owner opening the door. She greets the dog as it licks her all over her face. Then, the punch line: "You're not as clean as you think."

Ever stepped out of a bathroom stall and watched someone else leave without even a glance at the sink? Much like the dog in the commercial, these people remind me daily that I'm not as clean as I'd like to believe.

These people are preparing meals at fast food restaurants, handing out money at banks and shaking our hands before job interviews. And the dangers may be greater than you'd even like to realize.

"Most cases of diarrhea and vomiting are caused by germs acquired through inadequate hand washing. Pneumonia and influenza, the sixth-leading causes of death in the United States, can be acquired the same way," according to the Mayo Clinic's website. The site also lists hepatitis among diseases that can be passed because someone didn't want to take the time to wash his hands.

But it's probably not that big of a problem. I mean, how many people truly don't wash their hands after using a public restroom? A lot, according to www.washu.org, a website designed by the American Society of Microbiology to promote its Clean Hands Campaign.

"Despite an ever increasing threat from antibiotic resistant 'superbugs' and emerging new microbial illnesses, at least one-third of Americans appear to have forgotten the single best piece of infection control advice Mom ever gave them — always wash your hands after you go to the bathroom. While 95 percent of men and women surveyed say they wash their hands after using a public restroom, only 67 percent of people actually do wash before leaving the restroom."

The society conducted observational research in public restrooms in New York City, Chicago, New Orleans, San Francisco and Atlanta in 2000. The study also revealed that women were more likely to wash up than men.

While the society launched the Clean Hands Campaign to educate America on the sickening effects of not washing up after using a toilet, there are a few steps you can take to make sure you're keeping yourself safe.

The Mayo Clinic Web site gives these guidelines for proper hand washing:

- Use soap and running water.
- Rub your hands vigorously as you wash them.
- Wash all surfaces, including backs of hands, wrists, between fingers and under fingernails.
- Rinse well and leave the water running until after drying hands.
- Dry hands with a single-use towel.
- Turn off faucet using a paper towel.

If your own hygiene isn't the problem, but you're concerned about your friends and family, make sure they aren't giving you the diseases they picked up at their last gas station stop.

At www.gentlesuggestions.com, you can place an order for an anonymous letter to be sent to someone you know who has a hand-washing problem.

The Web site says the "politely written letter ... explains the benefits of good hygiene and how we need to wash our hands often to avoid spreading germs."

They'll even throw in a bar of soap or send it by e-mail if you'd like.

So, keep yourself healthy: Wash up and encourage people you know to do the same. Just remember, you're not as clean as you think.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

“It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it.”

Aristotle

WORDS OVERHEARD

“It doesn't matter the state of fiscal affairs; SIU as it stands now is better off.”

Steve Rinder
spokesman for SIU President James Walker,
on the bill proposing a split between the two SIU campuses

COLUMNISTS

Self-help quizzes: the ultimate cheater's manual

With spring fever kicking in full force, I've gone on my annual self-improvement binge. From fad grapefruit diets to overpriced shampoo, my life feels as revamped as a raisin with botox injections. Thus, my bedroom floor is inevitably littered with this month's issues of Cosmo, Glamour and Redbook.

I don't know why I buy them. I think at first I just got tired of seeing Maxim and Car and Driver next to the toilet. I thought maybe adding my own little touch to the roommates' less-than-feminine dump parlor might soften the room just a bit. Not that it worked, but here's to trying anyway.

In the process, however, I've become hooked. And I feel rather silly about this. I'm not reading these magazines for the latest scoop on J.Lo's wardrobe or even 302 Ways to Blow His Mind in Bed. Nope, it's worse. I'm on a quizzing spree. I read those self-help tests to find out if I'm spending too much money on hair products or smothering my mate beyond all sanity. I have to find out if I'm the whole package or not.

They're so steeped in tricky psychobabble even Carl Jung couldn't multiple-choice his way out of a paper Gucci sack.

Turns out, nobody is, because no one ever figured out how to ace these suckers. They're so steeped in tricky psychobabble even Carl Jung couldn't multiple-choice his way out of a paper Gucci sack. And so I've decided to write a cheat book, like they do for the SATs. With my help you'll rock these tests and discover your true inner diva. The trick is thinking ahead to those ridiculous situations the quizzes place you in. Example:

Q: That hottie from your Tai Chi fencing class you've been crushing on asks you to be his dueling partner. You:

a.) Flirtatiously accept, and suggest a daring bare-armed match. Those baggy, protective tunics don't show off all those hours you spent doing tummy crunches.

b.) Jump at the chance to display your energetic epee skills; men dig a competitive woman.

c.) Smile politely, explain that you sprained your wrist a couple of days ago, and pray that he asks you again next week when you remember to wear sexier panties to the gym. You never know where this will lead, and you'd die before you let him see those cotton tighty-whities.



Not Just Another Priddy Face

BY GRACE PRIDDY
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Now discover what your responses say about yourself.

If you chose (a): Your confidence is upstaged only by your ego, which could swallow Japan faster than Godzilla on Hydroxycut. If you're not more careful, he'll find out you are the one who wrote "Foxy" next to your own name on the class roster.

If you chose (b): Good for you! You've honed in on your own abilities and are proud to show off a healthy libido. Keep your aggressive tendencies in check, though. If you offer to arm-wrestle him for the dinner tab, he might start checking for lip hair and thick calves.

If you chose (c): Boy, are you a loser. Don't worry about the panties — you're never getting to third base with those self-esteem problems. Surround yourself with your closest girl friends, because no guy is going to want to sit on the couch and watch those Lifetime specials with you.

So, what have we learned from this practice test? You're damned if you do and damned if you don't. There's no right answer. If the magazine revealed that you were already a worshipped sex goddess, there would be no need to read next month's tips on improving your male allure. So we're left with the magazine's only right answer; the one they left out — (d): You totally miss your opportunity because you weren't in class that day. You spent the afternoon foraging Barnes & Noble for every woman's magazine in the Western Hemisphere to find out why you are such a flop with men.

So have fun, ladies. But don't waste too much time circling letters and tallying scores. The next issue is due out in a few days, and if you get to the pulp rack on time, you might bump into that shy cutie browsing the GQ aisle again.

Not Just Another Priddy Face appears Wednesdays. Grace is a senior in architecture. Her views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.

Popular TV shows display the shallow side of life

I had never watched the television program *The Bachelor* because I assumed from what I heard it was a program that exploited women. Last week while channel surfing I happened to catch the last five or 10 minutes of the program. I know that you cannot reasonably judge a program from five or 10 minutes. Therefore, I went on the Internet to find out exactly what was the premise of the program and it was as I had suspected a show in which several women were hoping to win a wealthy man. In the brief time that I watched the program there were three primary issues that I found especially problematic.

First, I was baffled as to why these women were so desperate. They were shaking and trembling in anticipation of the bachelor's decision. One woman appeared to go into a mini frenzy when she was chosen. It was like they were waiting to see if they would get picked to go to heaven.

Additionally, these women are not trolls. They are all attractive and fit; some of them are educated which begs the question, why are they demeaning themselves to get a man? Is it that hard for a smart, attractive, fit woman to obtain a decent man? Maybe I am out of the loop since I have been in a relationship for over two years, but I am frankly surprised that beautiful women have to resort to almost begging for a handsome man's attention.

On a larger scale what is even more troubling is what this whole program says about women. Essentially, no matter how smart and beautiful you are your life is meaningless without a man. How can we tell young women to focus on their education and self esteem when popular culture is telling them that in the end it doesn't matter if you get a doctorate but that the main thing is you have to be hot and able to obtain a rich man. Therefore, what if you are not hot, what meaning is there for you in life?

Moreover, there are many young and older women who are going to extraordinary and even dangerous lengths to be "hot." One of the young women on *Are You Hot?* stated: "I'm not really that smart, but I am hot." Since being hot and getting a rich guy is the ultimate definition of happiness what does it say to the



Having my Say

BY LENIE ADOLPHSON
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women who don't fall into society's hot category?

Additionally, these shows create the impression that men who are not rich and handsome are inferior substitutes who should be avoided if possible. There is absolutely nothing wrong with women wanting to be attractive and fit. But, it should be for ourselves. However, the problem arises when our lives as women become defined by men, and the pursuit of men takes precedence over OUR needs. The *Bachelorette* is a show in which men go through the same ritual, it is also demeaning. Notwithstanding, *The Bachelor* is worst because historically men have not been socialized to make their entire life about acquiring a wife in the same manner that women have been from infancy to the nursing home. Men realize that their career and ambitions are equally as important as marriage and relationships. Many women have come to believe and popular culture reinforces it that we are not complete without a relationship. Therefore, no matter how much you may have to humiliate yourself and beg for the attention of a man it's better than being alone. Yet, as my daughter said these shows could not exist without the cooperation and consent of women.

Therefore, we have to educate young girls that success is not defined as a rich, handsome man who can leave, die, or become abusive but a secure, happy soul which generates real happiness. Then once you have these features you mate can complement your life, not become your life.

Having my Say appears Wednesdays. Lenie is a junior in history. Her views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.

GUEST COLUMNIST

Operation B.U.S.H. — blow up Saddam Hussein

Felix P. Linden Jr.
Daily O'Collegian (Oklahoma State U.)

STILLWATER, Okla. (U-WIRE) — Excuse me everybody, but I've just returned from eating my crow. Put a little barbecue sauce on it and it's not half bad. The crow I'm referring to is the plate I was served up last week by the pro-war enthusiasts. The images I saw last week of the "liberated" Iraqi people dragging the statue of their fallen dictator through the streets of Baghdad had the makings of a Visa MasterCard priceless commercial.

It felt good to see an oppressed people gain their freedom. And to think they didn't have to lift a finger to get it. It appears as if they have all the ingredients for future Republican Party members. Since I was one of the vocal majority who opposed this war, and didn't blindly follow our government, I have had to shift my focus to the future.

Sure we may have won the battle against

Iraq, but what can of worms might we have opened as a result of the disposing of Saddam Hussein. The most dangerous result I see arising is the precedent the United States and Britain have established. Pre-emption, or in our case "preventive war," may lay the foundation for other countries throughout the world to adopt similar policies. If it's good enough for the United States it has to be good enough for us also. This fear may run rampant and cause countries to launch attacks on others who they perceive as a threat to their national security.

The potential result could be an arms race of unseen magnitude that would result in the creation of weapons programs the United States was fearful of in the first place. What would we be able to say then? We can't say "try other means besides war." Why? Because we didn't.

We fell short of achieving true peace and victory. The information we had about Saddam's weapons was withheld. The link to Al Qaeda and Saddam was fabricated. If they were work-

ing together why did they never use any of the weapons Saddam supposedly had in any of their terrorist attacks? There was, and continues to be, a lack of skeptics in the leadership cabinet. Monday morning quarterbacks in this situation would have possibly helped mold an alternative policy towards Iraq and the region.

The second problem, which possibly could arise is the fact that now that the Iraqi conflict appears to be close to finished, who's next? There will be many other countries and citizens of oppressive regimes who will now expect the same treatment. If the United States fails to free the whole world, this may increase anti-American sentiment and also contribute to the opinion that this war was about the geopolitical and economic gain of our country.

It will be interesting to see how a country who has a better history of oppressing it's own people rather than liberation, will be able to take the lead and free others throughout the world. When will it end? Or has it?

True peace as we all know can only be achieved without war. Let's face it, war makes money and to some is a sexier proposition than having to actually face those you disagree with.

I wonder how many times George Bush, Tony Blair and Saddam Hussein sat down and actually talked about their differences before the bombs fell. Last time I checked it doesn't cost anything to talk unless it's long distance. That's one call I would have paid for myself.

And who knows what revelations could have come about as a result of a little harmless conversation. We might be seeing doves, instead of missiles flying through the skies of Baghdad.

But people as long as the true weapons of mass destruction — hate and ignorance — are proliferated, it seems as if death and destruction will be the norm for our generation and others to follow.

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AWARD

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The entries were divided into five categories: start-up businesses, existing business-new market, existing business-new product, SIUC student and SIUC faculty or researcher. The first place winner received \$5,000, followed by \$4,000 for the runner-up and \$3,000 for the third placed business. Category winners also received an additional \$2,000, and all finalists received an additional \$500.

Placing second and receiving the award for SIUC student plans was the Score Media Group, operated by SIU senior Timothy Carr and SIU graduate Nathan Hoke. "The Score," an Internet-based publication will promote music education and work to inspire young musicians.

SIUC faculty or researcher winner Bailey Bobber Decoy Co., owned by Russell D. Bailey of Vienna took third.

Bruce DeRuntz and Greg Shafer's Carbondale firm Phoenix Plastics took the start-up business division and Kelly Thomas of SHome Tours.com received top honors in the existing business-new market division.

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TUITION

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the burden of tough financial times would be passed to incoming freshman. But Blagojevich also proposed a 5-percent cap on all tuition increases.

"None of us understand," Boss said. "He presented ideas in his budget speech, but he doesn't say the how or why."

He said that ideally, a tuition freeze and cap are wonderful, but not practical. He said it is good for a student or parent to know tuition won't go above 5 percent, but this leaves no avenue for universities to increase funding to counter state budget cuts.

"People believe it will force you to say you won't invest," he said. "But when you're trying to compete in a

market for the best education, is that really what you want? Do you want them to stop that investment?"

Wendler said that within the past 20 years, tuition increases have remained under 5 percent with few exceptions, the highest being those proposed in the first two years of his four-year plan. He said SIUC has a history of low tuition, but in keeping it too low, the University cannot provide the level of service students expect.

"We have been very conscious of affordability," he said. "We don't want to differ maintenance were you inadvertently harm the campus, and you don't want to harm education."

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HONORS

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After the rest of the council gave their two cents on Neill, all positively, Dillard finalized the honoring by saying that Neill is young, still retains his job as member of the Park District Board and will continue to serve the city.

Cole knows the friendships between Dillard, Neill and the rest of the council will endure through the years.

"We're friends before the council and I look forward to working together to make the city better in the future," Cole said of Neill.

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504 S. Ash #5	502 S. Beveridge #2	906 W. McDaniel	408 W. Cherry Court	505 N. Oakland	300 E. College
507 S. Ash #1-15	602 N. Carico	300 W. Mill #4	409 W. Cherry Court	1305 E. Park	710 W. College
508 S. Ash #3	308 W. Cherry	405 E. Mill	400 E. College	913 W. Sycamore	
509 S. Ash #1-24	311 W. Cherry #2	400 W. Oak #3	400 W. College #3	404 W. Walnut	
504 S. Beveridge	404 W. Cherry Court	501 W. Oak	407 W. College #2	504 W. Walnut	
602 N. Carico	406 W. Cherry Court	505 N. Oakland	409 W. College #3	620 W. Walnut #1	
403 W. Elm #2	407 W. Cherry Court	511 N. Oakland	501 W. College #1	820 W. Walnut #2	
403 W. Elm #3	408 W. Cherry Court	1305 E. Park	501 W. College #2		
718 S. Forest #1	409 W. Cherry Court	301 N. Springer #2	501 W. College #3		
	409 W. Cherry Court	913 W. Sycamore	503 W. College #1		
507 1/2 S. Hays	310 W. College #1	404 1/2 S. University	503 W. College #3	508 S. Ash #1	718 S. Forest #1
509 1/2 S. Hays	310 W. College #2	503 S. University #2	301 Crestview	405 S. Beveridge	One Bedrooms
402 1/2 E. Hester	310 W. College #3	820 W. Walnut #1 & #2	305 E. Crestview	508 S. Beveridge	500 S. Ash #22
408 1/2 E. Hester	501 W. College #3		104 S. Forest	300 E. College	Three Bedrooms
703 S. Illinois #101	501 W. College #5	THREE Bedrooms	113 S. Forest	710 W. College	514 S. Ash #6
612 S. Logan	501 W. College #5	410 S. Ash	109 Glenview	301 Crestview	610 S. Logan
507 1/2 W. Main #B	303 W. Elm	504 S. Ash #2	500 S. Hays	305 Crestview	506 S. Poplar #8
507 W. Main #2	113 S. Forest	514 S. Ash #1	503 S. Hays	104 S. Forest	Four Bedrooms
400 W. Oak #3	500 W. Freeman #1	514 S. Ash #3	509 S. Hays	113 S. Forest	506 S. Poplar #6
202 N. Poplar #2	500 W. Freeman #5	405 S. Beveridge	511 S. Hays	500 S. Hays	
202 N. Poplar #3	500 W. Freeman #6	507 S. Beveridge #1	513 S. Hays	503 S. Hays	
301 N. Springer #2	507 1/2 S. Hays	507 S. Beveridge #2	402 E. Hester	509 S. Hays	
414 W. Sycamore #E	408 1/2 E. Hester	507 S. Beveridge #3	610 S. Logan	513 S. Hays	
414 W. Sycamore #W	410 E. Hester	508 S. Beveridge #2	402 E. Hester	402 E. Hester	
406 S. University #1	703 W. Main #W	509 S. Beveridge #3	610 S. Logan	610 S. Logan	
406 S. University #3	703 S. Illinois #203	513 S. Beveridge #1	614 S. Logan	614 S. Logan	
334 W. Walnut #1	612 S. Logan	513 S. Beveridge #2	400 W. Oak #1	400 W. Oak #2	
334 W. Walnut #2		515 S. Beveridge #4	400 W. Oak #2	404 W. Walnut	
602 W. Walnut		406 W. Cherry Court		820 W. Walnut #1	
				820 W. Walnut #2	

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306 W College, 3 bdrms, c/a, furn/furn, sun/furn, 18 leaves, 549-4808 (9am-7pm) No pets

Duplexes

1 bdrm, quiet area, carport & storage, no pets, avail ncr, \$300/mo, 549-7400.

2 BDRM UNFURN DUP, small pets ok, water incl, Cambria area, avail Aug \$375/mo, call 457-5631.

2 BDRM, 1.5 bath, w/d, dw, fenced patio, unfurn, no pets, near underpass and rec. \$530/mo, female pref, deposit & reference, 606 S Logan, call 203-0654.

205 EMERALD LN, 2 Bdrm, newly remodeled, w/d, dw, screened porch, big backyard, carport, unfurn, no pets, water/trash a/c, \$500/mo, 924-1317.

213 EMERALD LN, 2 bdrm, w/d, big back yd, avail May or Aug, no pets, \$475/mo, 529-3989.

3 LG BDRM, luxury apt, c/a, w/d, direct tv, furn, appl, near Unity Point School, Cedar Lake Area, for more info phone 529-3564, 5625.

BRECKENRIDGE APTS 2350 S IL, 2 bdrm, unfurn, w/d hooking, no pets, display 457-4387 or 457-7870.

CDALE CEDAR LAKE area, newer 2 bdrm, vaulted ceiling, deck, w/d hooking, NO PETS, June/Aug \$475/mo, 457-7036.

CDALE, 1 1/2 ml S, good location, 2 bdrm, all appl, carpet, no pets, exc cond, \$450/mo, 985-2229.

CDALE, VERY NICE 2 bdrm, lg yd w/patio, 2 ml S Rt 51, no pets, avail July 15, \$450/mo, 457-5632.

CDALE, VERY NICE 2 bdrm, Cedar lake area, quiet, private, w/d, patio, June 1, \$525/mo, 893-2726.

COUNTRY DUPLEX 1 bdrm, patio, remodeled, heat & water incl, \$375/mo, 549-3973 cell 303-3973.

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ON GIANT CITY Rd, 2 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath, loft, garage, hrg, stove, w/d hooking, avail June 1, 529-2710.

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2 & 3 BDRM, nice & quiet area, c/a, w/d, no dogs, avail May & Aug, call 549-0081.

2 BDRM HOUSE, furn, near SIU, ample parking, nice yard, 417-4422.

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2 BDRM HOUSES, \$375-450/mo, on SIU bus route, no pets, call 549-4471.

2 BDRM, 1 bath, very clean, lg yard, no pets, close to SIU, \$600/mo, call for an appt 549-9231.

2 BDRM, CLEAN, spacious & bright, ceiling fans, hrdw/d/firs, lg kitchen, lg yard & out building, non-smoker, pets ok, \$550/mo, (217) 351-7235.

2 BDRM, FENCED yd, deck, quiet neighborhood, w/d, \$500/mo, 1 pet ok, ref req, avail Aug 1, 687-2475.

2 BDRM, W/ study, c/a, w/d, new flooring, new paint, 530 S Washington, avail now, call 201-6191.

2 OR 3 bdrm, near hospital, avail Aug 1st for 12 months @ \$525, sorry no pets, 549-3174.

2/3 BDRM, E Cottage, beam ceiling, remodeled, hrdw/d/firs, near SIU no pets. \$490/mo, 549-3973/303-3973.

200 N. ALMOND, 2 bdrm, \$650/mo, c/a, w/d, study or computer room, screened porch, no pets, 201-6191.

3 & 4 BDRM, extra large rooms, walk to campus, 2 baths, c/a, w/d, no pets, 549-4808 (9am-7pm).

3 BDRM, WELL maintained, high ceiling w/ fan, 1 bath, 2 bay windows, a/c, deck, pets considered, avail Aug. \$645, 457-8194.

4 BDRM, 4 bks from campus, carpeted, a/c, avail fall, call 457-4030.

5 BDRM W/BASEMENT, 805 w college, hrdw/d/firs, w/t, avail June 1, 529-4657.

6 BDRM HOUSE, w/d, c/a, for rent \$1100/mo, big garage, call 457-4195 & ask for Tim.

APTS, HOUSES, & trailers Fall '03 listing avail, 104 N Almond or call 201-6191.

APTS, HOUSES & trailers, close to SIU, 1, 2, 3 & 4 bdrm, no pets, Bryant Rentals 529-1820 or 529-3581.

AVAIL FALL, 4 BLOCKS to campus, 2 bdrm, well kept, a/c, w/d, no pets, lease, 529-7516 or 684-5917.

AVAIL FALL, 4 BLOCKS to campus, 3 bdrm, well kept, a/c, w/d, no pets, lease, 529-7516 or 684-5917.

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CDALE NICE, 2 bdrm + extra study room, newly remodeled inside & out, a/c, carport, quiet location, avail Aug, 549-7867 or 987-7867.

CDALE AREA, SPACIOUS 2 & 3 bdrm houses, w/d, carport, free mow & trash, a/c, deck, no pets, call 684-4145 or 684-8862.

CDALE, 3 BDRM, basem. nt, c/a, w/d hookup, water & trash incl, avail now, \$675/mo, 687-2475.

CDALE, 3 BDRM, large yard, w/d hookup, \$525/mo, avail May, 417 S Washington, 687-2475.

CDALE, 3 BDRM, quiet area, lg yd, pets ok, w/d hookup, avail Aug. 716 N McKinley, \$500/mo, 687-2475.

CDALE, AVAIL JUNE 3 bdrm, 1 bath, \$530, 4 bdrm, 2 bath, \$570, 924-1275 or 529-7223.

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3 bdrm- 310, 313, 610 W Cherry 405 S Ash, 321 W Walnut 106 S Forest, 306 W College

2 bdrm- 305 W College 406, 324, 319 W Walnut

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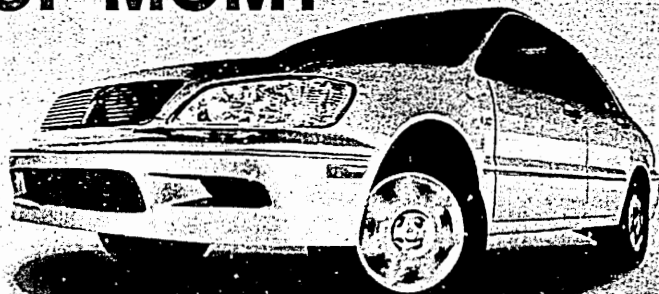
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The Daily Egyptian is accepting applications for the following newsroom positions for the summer 2003 semester and fall 2003 semester. All summer jobs require Monday-Friday regular work schedules (except where indicated), and fall jobs will also require some Sundays with flexibility to work additional hours and other days as needed. All applicants must be in good academic standing. For summer and fall employment, all applicants must be enrolled in at least 6 credit hours.

Reporters

- Report and write stories for daily paper; responsible for covering assigned specific beat.
- Knowledge of journalistic writing style preferred; strong spelling, grammar skills required.
- Average 20 hours a week.
- Daytime 3-4 hour time block required.
- Writing and editing exam required of all applicants.

Photographers

- Shoot news and feature photos for daily paper.
- Must possess own camera equipment.
- Must be able to shoot and process 35mm black-and-white film. Knowledge of photojournalism and digital processing preferred.
- Flexible 3-4 hour daily time block, including weekends
- Photocopies of 5-10 photos that you have taken should accompany your application. Portfolios are welcome, but we cannot guarantee that they will be returned.

Copy Editors/Page Designers

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Daily Horoscope

By Linda C. Black

Today's Birthday (April 16). You're smart this year and getting smarter, though you may feel as dumb as dirt sometimes. That's OK, and it's actually part of the learning process. Your brain is resting and absorbing.

To get the advantage, check the day's rating: 10 is the easiest way, 0 the most challenging.

Aries (March 21-April 19) - Today is a 6 - Complete as many of the tasks on your list as possible. If a job no longer needs to be done, it's OK to count it as completed. Something more important deserves attention.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) - Today is a 5 - Strangely enough, you could get to be the spokesperson for your group. The others can't go straight to the bottom line and explain it as well as you can.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) - Today is an 8 - There may not be enough money, or maybe there's some other reason to wait. No need to be discouraged, though. True love will find a way.

Cancer (June 22-July 22) - Today is a 6 - Once you get your place all fixed up, it'll be the perfect setting for romance. Thursday and Friday are better for that. Concentrate on your decor now.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) - Today is an 8 - Your communication skills are good now, but don't spend all day talking. There's plenty of other work to be done, and some of it is important.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) - Today is a 5 - Don't spend all your winnings in one place. Save some for later. Get something nice for a loved one, too, and something else nice for yourself.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) - Today is an 8 - You're over here, and someone you care about is over there. New technology and old friends help you keep the connection. So call already!

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) - Today is a 5 - Hotter heads want to take action, but let them convince you first. You want to make sure you get the very best return on your investment.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) - Today is an 8 - You're eager to take off but unsure of the direction you should take. Put a lid on that energy, but be ready in case you have to move quickly.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) - Today is a 5 - Try not to lose your temper when those around you are losing theirs. They'll give you a slight advantage, and that ought to be enough.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) - Today is an 8 - A little good-natured kidding could do you a world of good. Don't take yourself too seriously. You need to laugh, you laugh at old fears.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20) - Today is a 5 - Help out a friend if you can, but don't let that take up all of your time. You also need to keep taking good care of yourself.

JUMBLE

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME by Henri Arnold and Mike Arginton

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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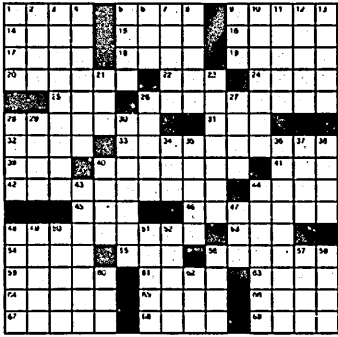
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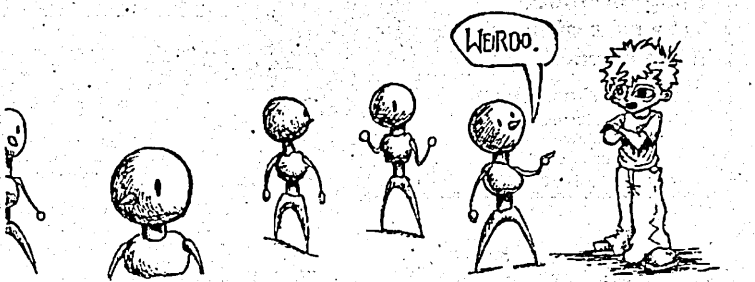
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Adam



by J. Tierney

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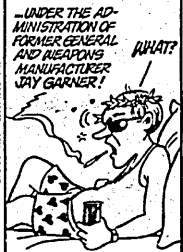
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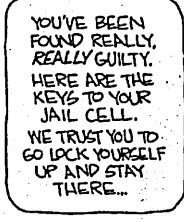
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 23. Cocked with dry heat
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 29. Minnesota pro
 30. Everlasting
 34. Sal. class
 35. Bursyn or Barkin
 36. Lineage
 37. Frosts
 38. Piece of copper?
 40. Bosc or Anjou
 43. Tow truck
 44. Brandished
 47. Turn to the right!
- ACROSS**
 48. Provide food
 49. Crockett's last stand
 50. Holy city of Islam
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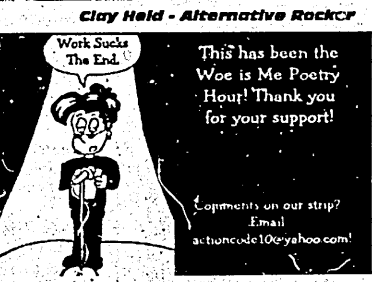
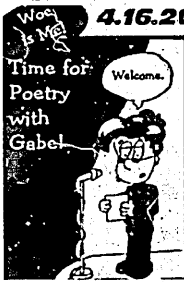


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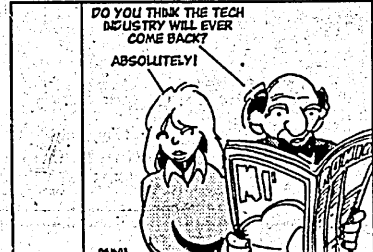


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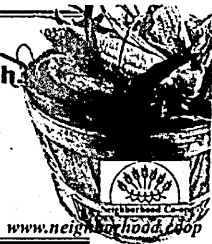
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SPEED

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and then our power hitters can hit it out."

If the hitters cannot move them over, the duo takes it into their own hands.

Bonnell has swiped a team-high 11 bases this season and Carter is second on the team with five steals of her own.

The two Saluki speedsters have excelled in the field as well with Carter doing a solid job at second base and Bonnell stepping into right field and being a defensive rock for SIU.

Dochring said Carter has become one of the Salukis' better defenders and said the two have become quite comfortable with each other on the field.

"We talk real well together," Dochring said. "She's just kind of settling in at home there."

In addition to using her speed in the outfield, another advantage Bonnell has is a cannon arm.

She showed it off during this past weekend's sweep over Southwest Missouri State when she erased a would-be single by throwing out the runner at first base from the outfield.

Due to her powerful arm, Bonnell's teammates have grown accustomed to not assuming someone is going to get

a hit just because the ball gets past the infielders.

"When a ball gets hit through the infield hard and you know you have Lindsey out there in right field, I don't necessarily consider it a hit until that girl hits the bag," Dochring said.

Though both players have meant a great deal to the Salukis' success this season, coming in, nothing was certain. Carter and Bonnell are both newcomers to the SIU program.

Carter entered the season not knowing what to expect and her original goal was simply to contribute to the squad.

"As a freshman, I wanted to try and get a spot on the team and eventually make my way into a starting position," Carter said. "This is surprising."

Another surprising thing is that Carter does all she can despite her diminutive stature. The SIU media guide lists Carter as 5-foot-1, but she admits she is not that tall.

"Technically I'm 4-foot-11 and a half, but I like to go with the book and say I'm 5-1," Carter said with a laugh.

Her lack of height has never limited her performance on the field. At Hazelwood East High School, Carter played softball, soccer and ran track. She was her team's most valuable player in softball three seasons.

Carter said her time on the track helped develop the quick acceleration she now uses as a Saluki.

"Track developed my starts off the bases, and so I got better jumps, which allowed me to get to second quicker," Carter said.

Unlike Carter, Bonnell has previous experience at the college level as she was a National Junior College Athletic Association First Team All-American at Lewis and Clark Junior College.

In her two seasons there, she had a career batting average of .517 and an on-base percentage of .565. Bonnell also stole 66 bases at Lewis and Clark.

At her JUCO, Bonnell also excelled as a pitcher going 17-5 with 117 strikeouts and an ERA of 1.67.

Bonnell said there are no plans for her to return to the mound at this time, but she still misses being a pitcher.

"I miss it a lot actually," Bonnell said. "But I love playing the field."

While both players came to SIU through different paths, they both came here for the same reason.

They want to be a part of a team on the rise.

"I wanted to be part of the program because we're going to end up going far," Carter said.

With Carter and Bonnell each in the fold for at least one more season, the Salukis are sure to do just that.

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COMMENTARY

All-American-sized dilemma

Should "Give 'em Hell" Harry S. Truman have dropped Fat Man and Little Boy on Hiroshima and Nagasaki? Should Michael Jordan have come back after going out in seemingly perfect style? Should the United States have invaded Iraq?

All of these are famous dilemmas that have drawn up much debate from both sides. Recently, the SIU men's track team has had its own dilemma with the dismissal of two-time All-American hurdler Jeff Young on April 5.

The reason for the release was because of a decision made by the 4-by-400-meter relay team to not compete in the final event of the Cardinal Classic. They had just reason to not run — mid-30s temperature and a chance of injury. But the problem arose when they did not inform SIU head coach Cameron Wright about the decision or ask him to spell them with other runners. Therefore, when it came time for the teams to lineup at the starting line, the SIU squad was not among the teams on the line. This was an embarrassment to an up-and-coming Saluki squad.

The other four runners, not including Young, were slapped with a two-meet suspension being that it was their first offense on the team. It was Young's second.

If they were concerned about injuries, Wright would be a moron not to oblige. Why would he risk injuring his top sprinters? All of them are contenders in their respective events at the MVC outdoor championships. Wright was also a former Olympian on the 1996 U.S. squad in the high jump. He knows and understands athletes.

The athletes knew there would be repercussions for their actions, which Young said was a statement against the coaches as well.

The main debate is whether Young should have been dismissed from the team for his actions, which were part of the relay team's decision.

The problem for Young is that he was on his last leg before that because of an altercation with a coach, which led to his dismissal back in November. At the time, he was told there is no third chance.

Young said he usually had arguments with an assistant coach that were mainly due to suggestions he made to better certain things in the program, but the time in question, he went overboard and said he refused to back down.

Young is a great competitor and hates losing, he was trying to better himself with the suggestions, but once a coach says to stop, that is the law. Most athletes have mild altercations with coaches throughout their career, but it is imperative they don't go too far.

Also, when you are on your last leg, you don't have the power to make a statement. Had this been his first offense, he would have received the same punishment. Maurice Moss, who was a member on the relay team, said the punishment is fair. He also said that it was not just one occurrence that led to his dismissal.

But it was his relay team's decision. That put Young in an awkward position. He said at the time, he did not think this action would lead to



Fear and loathing at SIU

BY ZACK CREGLOW
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his release. It did not even cross his mind. The other runners on the team are his best friends, and they should have realized that this put him in a horrible position.

If the group wanted to make a statement, they should have done it without Young. There are a lot of events in a meet — it did not have to be a relay that involved someone who was already in hot water. Had Young said something telling them that this is not in benefit of him, the relay team would have obliged.

Wright, though, did care, whether Young truly believes that or not. Back in mid-March, Wright called me to do a story on Young. He spoke of Young very highly, and not just his athletic prowess. He has done the same for many of his athletes and cares for all of them. The team's success is his success.

Wright became worried over a simple paraphrase that said, "Wright said to ask a non-sprinter." He worried that it might alienate his sprinters. If he did not care about those sprinters, he would not have to ask about the phrase.

If there was a way not to release Young, the coaches would have conjured it. Athletic Director Paul Kowalczuk would have discovered it. Fact is, no one wanted to release Young. He brought a great amount of athletic pride to the track program, but he just chose the wrong times to make statements. As Kowalczuk said, he left them with no options.

Truthfully, Young is a good person. When I've spoke with him, he has been sociable and thankful. He is an amazing athlete that realized his potential in Carbondale. He is a person who just needed some care. And the compassion he has is immense, but at the moment, he is just too young to realize how to apply that correctly into athletics. I'm not just saying this because he is 6-feet-2 and built and could beat me like a cop at the 1968 Democratic Convention.

Of course this is horrible that it happened at the end of his SIU career, but it is just his SIU career. Young has words of options still. This is not like he is Lawrence Phillips and will be black-listed for this. Nothing of the sort. All the coaches have said it, all the athletes who have been asked have said it — his career is nowhere near over.

So in August of next summer or 2008, turn on the tube and there is a favorable chance that you will see Young hurdling right at you.

Zack is a freshman in journalism. His views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.

GUEST COMMENTARY

It's bananas !!!

I am a man and I can accept my own fate. To get things straight, when I was first released from the team, it was my fault. My frat (Alpha Phi Alpha) has been nothing but a support system dealing with SIU and its endeavors. With that cleared up, here is my take on my dismissal from SIU track.



Deep thoughts from ...

BY JEFF YOUNG
former sprinter, SIU track and field

Danger! Danger! Danger!

Intimidating, too cocky, two-time All-American, disease to the team, leaderless man and coach-less athlete on the premises!

You do not even know me, and this is how I am seen. I am a silent threat to a majority of my teammates — maybe because I am successful, black and in a frat. Coaches should not fear any athlete and that was how I was viewed. They say Jeff Young is a menace and both coaches felt that I corrupted the team and was loud in practice.

First off, if I am everything they say, how did I get so far disrespecting authority and playing all the time? And why do I hear all of this after I am off the team. Well, it is because I guess most do fear me, but out of all people the coaches.

They have talked more than a little bit behind my back to my former teammates and friends, and the best part of all this is that they have not said anything to my face, which is sad and it also shows where the coaches and I stand.

The coaches' actions have been immature since I have arrived at this school, and the decisions made only satisfy them. This is not the first time someone has been told to run an event and they flat out just left and did not run.

When compared to the female team, they are doing real well with only a small amount of women. Now why is that? Well, when its new assistant coach arrived, he came with a plan, and he was strict from the start. His first impression was solid, whereas when I first came here the first impression of the coaches was a joke.

There were times last year when I had to coach myself for a while since my event coach would not speak to me. You do not have to like a person, but if it's your job to coach him, then do just that. Do not hold a grudge because he made some suggestions.

The coaches talked just as much junk with us as we did to each other, but at any moment they could flip and try to be strict and enforce things.

Just imagine your coach jumping and playing on the high jump/pole vault mats with his athletes. I know when I saw this I saw a big kid with a big job like Tom Hanks in the movie "Big."

I chose to transfer to this school over many others because it had a young coach, but I made a mistake in not seeing that he is new at his job

and does not understand certain people or the decisions he makes.

If you're going to punish your stand-out athlete, try not to convict him without due process because you're not curing the problem.

One of my former teammates gave me a good quote about the coach and it said: "You cannot throw away a problem every time one pops up because that is not being a man, but you must deal with it for there ever to be a change that serves the greater good and not just yourself."

Both coaches resemble this statement because neither tried to get to know me. They both just knew me as an athlete. Why was I let back on the team the first time if the coach was telling me that the team feared me and people I know were intimidated of me?

The answer to that is only two people (the coaches) felt this because they are the only two I have ever heard this from.

Another sight to see on this team is that the coaches only get along and talked when it came to handing down punishments.

Since I have arrived and after my departure, this team will always lack discipline, unity, and communication that will not be solved until something is done besides just releasing me, because all that was changed were points for conference — not issues facing the team.

My former teammates were all stars before they came here and they do everything that are told. I sometimes question the workouts because I know what it took to get where I am now.

The coaches used my skills to benefit them and look good, but as far as my skills go, who do you think is the reason for that?

Maybe I should have stayed off when I was first released, because I saw the confusion on the team. But when you love something and it is all you know, you're going to fight for it no matter what, only hoping that change will occur.

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LETTERS

Is there a double standard at SIU?

DEAR SPORTS EDITOR:

How can an All-American be kicked off the team in the last leg of his school career?

What happened to Jeff Young is a perfect example of double standards in athletics. Had Jeff been an All-American basketball player, the coach would have exhausted every reprimand he could think of, aside from kicking Jeff off the team.

If Jermaine Dearman (no offense to Jermaine or Coach Weber) were kicked off the team while the Salukis were trying to secure a bid to the NCAA's, the public, students and administration would have let Coach Weber and SIU have it!

What ever happened to the good ol' punishment in practice?

Jeff has brought so much to SIU athletics in so little time and to kick him off the team at this point is downright low.

While the men's track coach is dampening Jeff's career, I bet Jeff's presence on the coach's resume is a booster.

I hope this doesn't illustrate the respect, dedication, or loyalty SIU has for its athletes.

Betia Barker
Junior, Physical Therapy

SIU doesn't deserve an All-American

DEAR SPORTS EDITOR:

Jeff Young is an All-American track athlete representing SIU that was just being praised for his accomplishments, competitive nature and love for his sport recently in the DE. I believe he even stated that after this year he planned to be a coach's assistant.

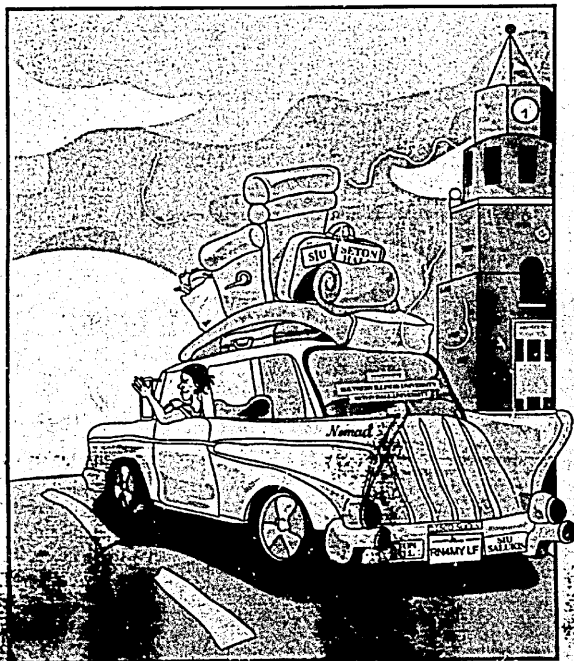
This week's article is a complete 180; he is all of the sudden kicked off the track team for being a good teammate and not running with the rest of the team in protest of injured teammates and cold running conditions. These things all being true, I began to question the integrity of SIU's track coaches, administration and entire athletic department.

I have never heard of an All-American athlete getting kicked off a team during the last leg of a promising career for something so petty.

If Jeff were an All-American in more of a spectator sport, this would have never been considered.

Imagine if SIU gets an All-American football player. The entire coaching staff and athletic administration would have to be released before SIU gives up All-American talent and a chance to win. It's just funny how athletics at SIU can become so bureaucratic and impartial when they choose to

Jermaine Beard
Finance, Junior



thwack

VS. ping

Players and coaches of the SIU baseball team weigh the pros and cons of using wood bats versus aluminum

story by BRAD BRONDSEMA

The moment you enter a major league ballpark, you are greeted by the smell of roasting hot dogs, peanuts and the sound of "thwack, thwack" as balls ricochet off the wood bats used by the players in the big leagues.

But if you stroll by Abe Martin Field, or any other collegiate ballpark, the "thwack" is replaced by a "ping" as players smash, bunt or foul off balls with aluminum bats.

But it didn't always used to be this way in collegiate baseball. It wasn't until 1974 that college games started using aluminum bats to combat the increasing cost of supplying wood.

Whether you're a supporter of wood or aluminum bats one thing is certain — aluminum bats mean increased runs, longer games and oftentimes a nightmare for pitchers.

Ken Henderson, SIU baseball's associate head coach, like many other Saluki coaches, said he is an advocate for using wood bats. Because wood has a tendency to break, Henderson said it requires the batters to focus on getting their hands through the swing quicker and hitting the ball on the "sweet spot."

"You can't be lazy with wood bats," Henderson said. "With aluminum, you can get by with cheap hits. As a hitting coach, I like hits, but not cheap hits."

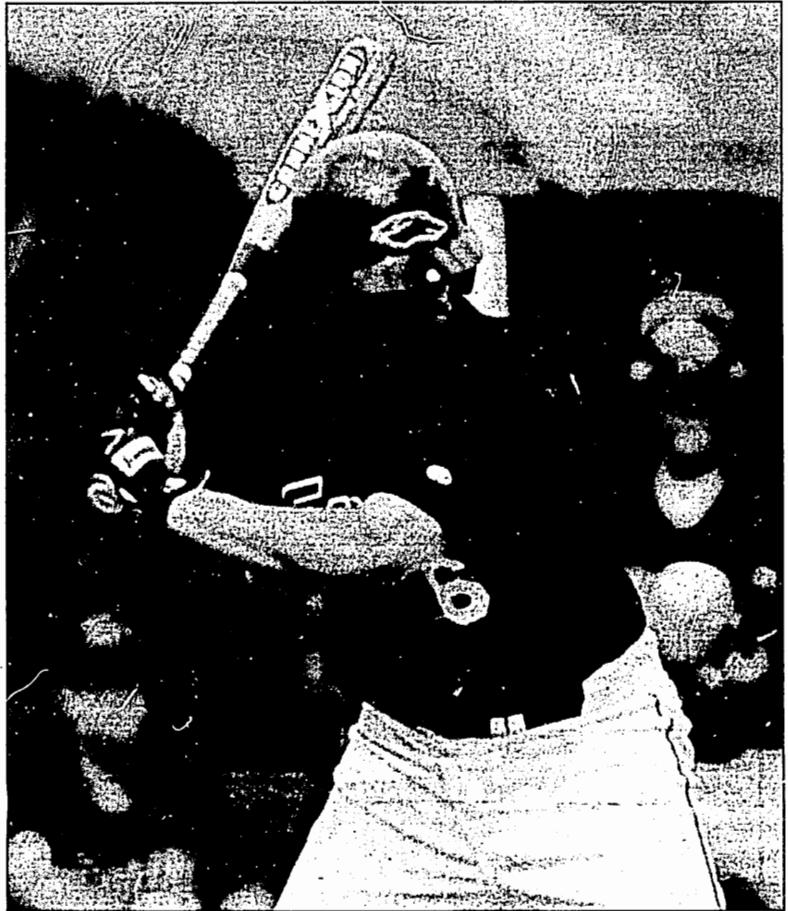
He also said pitchers would be less afraid of pitching inside if wood bats were used because pitchers could jam batters and possibly break their bats. With aluminum, Henderson said, it's easier for hitters to flare a ball over the heads of the infielders.

"I'll always be an advocate of wood," he said. "You can't get by with mistakes like you can with aluminum bats."

Other advocates of wood bats voiced similar opinions.

Dewey Kalmer, head coach of the Bradley Braves, said he prefers wood bats because it makes the game safer, shortens the length of the game and allows for more game strategy.

His team played with wood bats earlier this year when they faced the Peoria Chiefs,



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SIU senior second baseman Greg Andrews grips his aluminum bat tight while eyeing a pitch during a recent game against Northern Iowa. While major league baseball players use wood bats, players in Division I continue to use aluminum bats, which enables hitters to get more distance on the ball. Critics, however, say aluminum ruins the game by blowing scores out of proportion and putting pitchers in danger of being injured by balls traveling at extremely high velocities.

the Single-A team of the St. Louis Cardinals. In that game, Bradley players faced the likes of Cardinals' closer Jason Isringhausen and starting pitcher Jason Simontacchi.

Kalmer said that safety is a concern of his when it comes to playing with aluminum bats.

With the use of a radar gun he said he's seen 90 mph pitches get hit back with speeds in excess of 115 to 120 mph, giving a pitcher or infielder playing shallow virtually no time to react if a ball is hit in their direction.

In June of 2000 two collegiate pitchers, Shane Komice of Nebraska and a Butler pitcher, suffered broken jaws in separate incidents in a two-day span when line drives hit back at the mound gave them no time to react.

He also said that technology with wood bats have come so far that some wood bats are nearly unbreakable.

"With wood, you see less of these 20-run, four-hour games," Kalmer said. "They allow for more strategy with bunts and hit-and-runs."

Kalmer attributes the increase in home runs to players' physical conditioning coupled with aluminum bats.

"The players today are much stronger than they were 10 to 20 years ago," he said.

You would also see fewer of these one and two and eight and nine hitters hitting homeruns.

But some SIU players would rather handle the metal instead.

SIU catcher Toby Barnett, who played in wood leagues before coming to SIU, said he prefers the weight distribution in an aluminum bat and the pop he gets when he connects with a pitch.

But on the defensive end he said he would much rather face a batter with wood in his hands.

"Wood brings the short game into play," Barnett said. "If I'm catching and the batter has a wood bat, I'll come inside and try to jam him."

Senior pitcher Jake Alley said playing with wood bats makes it easier for a pitcher to make better pitches. He played with wood in the prestigious Cape Cod league in the summer of 2001.

"With aluminum there's always the chance that a good pitch you throw can go out," he said. "With wood the games are closer and ERAs tend to be lower."

Freshman catcher Ben Hoffman agrees. "Until this year, I never really used a wood bat," he said,

noting that wood traditionally tends to be top-heavy. "I like the aluminum better because it gives me better control of my swing."

Hoffman said practicing with wood has helped him strengthen his swing with an aluminum bat.

Junior infielder Greg Andrews said he likes hitting with aluminum, but enjoys practicing with a wood bat.

"The biggest difference between wood and aluminum is where the weight is distributed through the bat," he said. "[Wood] really teaches you how to hit."

But unless the NCAA changes the rules, Andrews will have to settle for a "ping" until he graduates to a "thwack."

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"You can't be lazy with wood bats. With aluminum, you can get by with cheap hits. As a hitting coach, I like hits, but not cheap hits. I'll always be an advocate of wood. You can't get by with mistakes like you can with aluminum bats."

— Ken Henderson hitting coach, SIU baseball team

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1. Costs, both wood, need to be kept in storage.
2. Tougher for hitters.
3. Can't hit ball as hard as aluminum.

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GOLF

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teams were going to struggle, but we've played in quite a bit of wind, so we weren't too worried about it. "I think there was a quiet confidence amongst the whole team that this is something we can pull off." The tournament win was SIU's first of the season. The team played well and finished second to some big-name competition at last week's Branson Creek Invitational. The Salukis play at the Greg

Palmer Classic in Morehead, Ky., Monday and Tuesday before entering the season's culminating event April 28 and 29 — the Missouri Valley Conference Championship. Head coach Leroy Newton said the team still has more work to do between now and then. "We're playing well," Newton said. "There's still some room for some improvement. The kids all know that."

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SPORTS FLASH

\$10K anonymous gift given to scholarship fund

A \$10,000 anonymous donation was given to the new Saluki Athletic Scholarship Fund, the SIU Athletic Department announced Tuesday. The fund was created to provide student-athletes with scholarships. The money will be a big boost to the Athletic Department, which is facing a third straight year of budget cuts and losses from low student enrollment. The fund drive will be the first in the school's history to benefit student-athlete scholarships. SIU ranks last among MVC schools in annual scholarship donations.

Saluki softball still ranked No. 26 in nation

For the second straight week, the saluki softball team stands at No. 26 in both the ESPN.com/USA softball and National Fastpitch Coaching Association polls. SIU was unable to move up the ranks despite a 6-0 record last week. The Salukis have received votes for nine straight weeks, which is a new school record. Prior to this season, SIU had not appeared in either poll since the late 1990's.


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Carter, Bonnell satisfy Salukis need for speed

Newcomers bring blinding speed to top of Saluki lineup

Jens Deju
 Daily Egyptian

This season the SIU softball team is on the verge of breaking every power hitting record in the books.

Newcomers such as Katie Louis and Jenny Doehring have been crushing the ball all over, and returners Katie Jordan and Kelly Creek have matured to become some of the top power hitters in the Missouri Valley Conference.

Silently, the heroes and one of the main 1-ve to SIU's 26-6 record are the first two hitters in the lineup — speedsters Samantha Carter and Lindsey Bonnell.

"Those two, they cause so much havoc," Doehring said. "People have no idea."

The duo next get a chance to cause havoc tonight in a doubleheader against Evansville starting at 5 p.m. at Cooper Stadium in Evansville, Ind.

Since Missouri Valley Conference play began, Carter and Bonnell are No. 1 and No. 2 on the team in batting average at .382 and .317, respectively. Both have hit an identical 13 hits with Carter having an on-base percentage of .432, while Bonnell's is .333.

Then once the duo does get on base, they have combined to score 20 runs in MVC play and 35 on the season.

SIU head coach Kerri Blaylock said SIU's heavy hitters would not be able to drive in all the runs they do without Carter and Bonnell setting the table for them at the top of the lineup.

"We nickel and dime people to death and then we'll come up and hit the long ball," Blaylock said. "I think this year what we finally have is a



AMANDA WHITLOCK - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Freshman second baseman Samantha Carter takes off after a hit during the first game of the double header against Southwest Missouri State Saturday afternoon, a game that the Salukis won 4-3. Carter, a newcomer to the Saluki softball team, has become a valuable asset because of her speed and ability to get on base.

combination of everything which we haven't had in a long time."

Bonnell and Carter have combined for 43 hits on the season with just five of those going for extra bases.

The majority of the remaining 38 hits have been of the bunt and infield single kind, causing numerous headaches for opposing infielders.

SIU third baseman Haley Viehhaus said as an infielder she hates players like Bonnell and Carter because you never know if they are going to be swinging away or laying down a bunt.

"It's just so uncomfortable because it's like are they going to smash it down my throat or are they going to bunt it and then I have to haul as fast as I can," Viehhaus said.

Bonnell, a junior from Bunker Hill, said causing that uncertainty amongst the fielders is one of the greatest advantages speed has because there is always the potential for errors when the defender has to hurry the play.

"Putting pressure on the defense always helps," Bonnell said.

Carter, a freshman from St. Louis, said she

thinks once she and Bonnell do get on base is when they make their biggest impact.

She said the worry about whether they are going to steal bases is enough of a distraction to cause the pitchers to lob a mistake pitch at the Salukis' sluggers.

"They don't want to throw a bad pitch because they know that we'll go on," Carter said. "I think that they try to execute their pitchers a lot more and they just end up pitching it down the middle."

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Dawgs win Billiken Invite

Ethan Erickson
 Daily Egyptian

All spring, Grant Goltz has been one of two leaders for the SIU men's golf team but after day one of the Billiken Invitational, Goltz was sitting in 45th place.

Fortunately for the Salukis, Goltz recovered to fire a second-day 68, equating the best single-round total at the event this year, leading the Salukis to a comeback win at the Billiken Invitational Tuesday.

"(Monday), I was just getting mad 'a lot," Goltz said. "The wind was kind of affecting me. I wasn't making putts, but (Tuesday) I just said to myself relax, don't worry about anything and see what happens, so I kind of played with a clear conscience."

As well as Goltz played in the final round, he wasn't even the top Saluki. That honor belonged to Tim Hoss, who didn't compete in the team's last tournament. Hoss and Goltz headed up a

strong team effort by the Salukis.

Hoss compiled a 54-hole total of 220 to finish tied for fifth and lead four Salukis who shot between 220 and 224. Goltz shot a 221 for an eighth-place tie, Wheeler finished in 16th with a 222 and Dustin Stewart shot a 224, good enough for a 22nd place tie. Freshman Andrew Gwinup shot a 229 to tie for 37th.

"We're playing as a team. If one person comes in with a tough round, usually one of us will be there to pick it up," Gwinup said. "We've got a lot of consistent players on the team, and that's what you want in college golf. That's what you want anywhere you go."

After learning they were in fourth following day one, six strokes back, and that a wind advisory had been issued, the Salukis were not discouraged.

"We saw were six back, and that's kind of a good spot to be," Goltz said. "We knew that

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Salukis land juco recruit

Michael Brenner
 Daily Egyptian

After an exhaustive search for a Junior college transfer that sent SIU head coach Bruce Weber as far away as Arizona, the Salukis found their man in their own back yard.

LaMar Owen, a 6-foot-5, 190 pound combo forward from Southeastern Illinois College in Harrisburg, is expected to sign with SIU to complete the 2003-2004 recruiting class, a source told the DAILY EGYPTIAN Tuesday night.

Owen averaged 15.1 points per game and a little over seven rebounds per game for Southeastern and led District 16 in steals.

Southeastern head coach Todd Franklin described Owen as a long, wiry guy who constantly attacks on offense and defense, but said Owen needs to improve his shot and ball-handling.

"He's a great energy guy," Franklin said. "He gets a lot of steals, a lot of dunks. A lot of blocked

shots just flying around."

He was named to the all-tournament team in the NJCAA tournament while leading his team to a seventh-place finish after losing to the eventual champion. His team was 29-1 during the regular season and 61-8 during the two years he played.

"He's extremely high," Franklin said. "He's played at a level that's extremely high. He's played against the top teams in the country."

"He's not going to have problems adjusting," Franklin also added that he felt Owen would have gone to a big program if he had been heavier, but said Owen has gained 25 pounds in the past two years and seemed confident he could put on more weight.

SIU head coach Bruce Weber is not allowed to talk about players until they have officially signed, and Owen could not be reached for comment.

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