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Survey indicates faculty morale low

Survey results released by the Carbondale Federation of University Teachers (CFUT) indicate that a plurality of faculty members feel their morale is low or very low.

Herbert Donow, president of CFUT, said Tuesday that of the 314 faculty and staff members who responded to the random survey, 52.3 percent rated their morale as low or very low.

“Physically, the response to this question indicates there are a lot of people at this University who are unhappy working here,” Donow said.

The survey, conducted by CFUT in April, comprised 10 questions and had a 6 percent margin of error.

In addition to morale, the survey questions were concerned with faculty positions above the $35,000 per year average, tenure and promotion policies, collective bargaining, University management procedures and job ratings for five department chairs.

Civil rights associate professor Richard Brandt, Frank Horton, vice president for academic affairs, and research, and the Board of Trustees.

In answer to the question, “Do you feel that the salary increases for this fiscal year were distributed fairly?” 15.5 percent of the respondents said they felt the distribution was unfair. The remaining 74.5 percent either said they did not know or did not answer.

The results of another question concerning salary distribution and a question concerning tenure and promotion policies indicate that faculty members feel they have little impact on campus policy decisions, according to research.

A majority of the faculty responded negatively to the question concerning faculty influence on salary distribution policies. While 13.4 percent of the respondents said they felt they could have had an influence on the distribution of raises, 74.6 percent said their opinions would have no effect.

Similar sentiments were expressed in answer to a question about faculty influence on the new tenure and promotion policies. Of the respondents, 61.5 percent said their opinions would have had no influence on the decision to implement the new policy, while 23.6 percent felt they could have influenced the decision.

Donow said the procedure by which the new tenure and promotion policies were adopted last fall is at least partially responsible for the lack of influence felt by a majority of those questioned.

He said that in 1976 the Faculty Senate set up a special committee that would debate the tenure issue and eventually drew up a proposed tenure policy.

“We'd like our proposal, as he appointed another committee composed of six administrators and six faculty members,” Donow said.

Tourney forgot to fill and eventually adopted had many significant changes.

“Physically, you can see that people feel their opinions on these issues are unimportant,” Donow said.

Both Brandt and Horton received average and better-than-average ratings from a majority of the respondents.

One general answered that Brandt was doing a “very good” job. 18.4 percent that they felt he was doing a “good” job. 15.4 percent would rate Brandt’s performance as “average.”

A total of 11.7 percent rated Brandt’s performance as “bad” or “very bad.”

Horton was rated very good by 51 percent of the respondents, good by 21.3 percent and fair by 6.3 percent, according to research.

His performance was rated bad by 13.8 percent of the respondents.
**Revised grading system starts in fall**

By Jill Michelch
Matthews gets off to a questionable start

The summer is a quiet time for student government, since the Student Senate does not meet. But two important questions have arisen concerning the administration of Student President Garrick Clinton Matthews.

The first involves his running mate in the student government election, Janet Stoneburner. Matthews' campaign, resigned from the office of vice-president less than a month after assuming it, she said she was forced to resign for personal financial reasons—which opened the floodgate to a sea of speculation.

The second question involves the election itself, in an indirect way, because Election Commissioner Brian Adams was hired by Matthews as an executive assistant for the summer semester. The hiring of Adams cannot help but raise some questions about the integrity of Matthews' administration.

The election in which Matthews won the student presidency's top job shows that the real etics are frequent, as one student appealed to the Campus Judicial Board for Governess, which certified Matthews as the winner. There were numerous reasons why the original results were appealed.

Some polls did not open on time, while some did not open at all. Some ballots were incorrectly marked by poll workers. It was Adams' responsibility to see that the election ran properly. He failed to do so. By the first count, Matthews beat his closest opponent, Pete Alexander, by 30 votes.

When questions were raised about the results, Matthews recounted the ballots, without supervision, discarding what he called "spoiled" ballots. But the discarding process and recount somehow produced more votes than the original tally indicated, with Matthews being the biggest gainer.

When the matter was taken to the Judicial Board, Alexander was disqualified as a candidate because of allegedly "slanderous" remarks made by his campaign manager. Adams was the one who delivered these remarks, so, on Alexander to the J-Board.

The events involved in the election may lead some critics of Matthews to claim a deal was made between the candidate and the commissioner. There is no proof of anything of a deal, but Matthews placed himself in the position of accepting such criticism when he hired Adams.

The student president's budget doesn't include an executive assistant during the summer. However, with Stoneburner's resignation, funds were available to hire an assistant. Matthews says that an assistant is needed for the summer.

Matthews says that Adams is helping with such things as preparing a budgeting process to reduce confusion in student government and preparing for the first Student Senate meeting in the fall. He also says an assistant was needed at the beginning of the semester, and Adams was the only person available.

Whether or not Adams was the only person available is debatable. He does have quite a bit of knowledge about student government. But by the same token, Adams' administration of the election can't help but raise questions about his administrative ability.

Another problem involves the idea of the election commissioner being non-partisan and independent. The hiring of the commissioner by the winning candidate after the election can't help but damage the independence of the position of election commissioner, regardless of the people involved.

The hiring of Adams won't bring student government to a screeching halt. Adams won't be working as an executive assistant in the fall. Nor does the hiring prove that a deal was made before the election. It does raise questions, however.

Matthews will just have to learn that sometimes it can be just as damaging to create an appearance of impropriety as to actually do something wrong. By being careful about appearances, perhaps Matthews can prevent questions from being raised in the first place.

Local government has bulk of growth


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New data sought on test tube babies

NEW YORK (AP)—The new federal Ethics Advisory Board will begin gathering information next month on complicated "test tube baby" issues that include the harvesting of stillborn fetuses, the selling of eggs, donor eggs and even the question of using another woman's womb to carry a baby.

"I feel fairly clear there will be a marked increase in requests for this procedure from couples whose marriage is sterile," the Rev. Richard McCormick said Wednesday. "There should also be a market among the federal funds for research." McCormick, a professor of political ethics at Georgetown University in Washington, is a member of the new federal panel, which will meet formally in September.

One of the many questions it will examine, he said, is that of discarding of fertilized eggs, donor eggs and even the question of using another woman's womb to carry a baby.

"What happens to the embryos which are discarded at the end of the procedure? Some scientist has written, "There would necessarily be many. Would that amount to abortion—or to murder?" We have no law to cope with this kind of situation."

Another question," McCormick said, "is who do you stop?" If there is no serious moral objection to donating eggs, then do they not take the next exotic step and use a host woman?"

With all these questions, it is not clear when test tube births might take place in the United States, where perhaps 18 percent of married women want to become pregnant but are unable to. A test tube baby research has been curtailed in this country since 1975 when federal funding was halted unless the projects are approved by the Ethics Advisory Board.

Established in 1975, the board had recommended the moratorium on test tube babies. Just before midnight Tuesday, President Carter signed into law a bill by California Senator Alan Cranston. It permits a woman to be sterilized for the first time. Cranston, a Democrat from California, said the baby, conceived by removing an egg from one of Mrs. Cranston's ovaries and inseminated with a sperm donated by a laboratory, is believed to be the world's first "test tube baby."

Asked if the English doctors had their letter to Cranston, Dr. Carl Fuerstenau of the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio said, "While that's a possibility, from the very strong rumors coming out of Cambridge about women or various stages of pregnancy, I would guess that they have achieved some methodological breakthrough. In other words, we don't know, but a change in methodology."

Low rating makes judges mad

CHICAGO (AP)—A letter signed by 226 judges has been sent to the president of the Chicago Bar Association praising Judge John S. Boyle of Circuit Court, who got a low rating by the association.

The letter was presented to the president at a luncheon Tuesday in response to a recent survey which rated the members Boyle lowest among judges on the bench on the November elections.

Slepak sentenced by Soviet court

By Nikil Patel

Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP)—A Soviet court convicted Jewish activist Marc Slepak of planning to emigrate to a remote area of the Soviet Union, convicted Jewish activist Marc Slepak of planning to emigrate to a remote area of the Soviet Union, believed to be Siberia, for protesting the government's refusal to let him marry a woman with a beautiful girl, and he's going to spend the "..." in Las Vegas.

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New director chosen for prevention's program

Marc S. Cohen, Carbondale, has been appointed to the post of Director of the Prevention's program of the Health Center. Cohen replaces Jim Perkins, who is leaving to study in the doctoral program at the University of California at Berkeley.

Cohen, 24, is presently the program coordinator for the Jackson County Department of Public Health in Carmi, Illinois. Cohen received his bachelor's degree in social studies from the University College of New York at New Paltz, and has master's in rehabilitation counseling from SUNY.

Marc G. Cohen, Health Service Administrative Director, said Cohen was chosen from a field of 25.

"I was particularly impressed with Mark's ability to garner outside funds, his high energy level," Cohen said.

Cohen will begin his activities as director Aug. 15.

By Marie Hovess 

Kearnytowne Editor

Bernard Paul, a local lawyer, will be fantasiing that he is Teddy Roosevelt. Bruce Walker, a dairy jobber, will take the name of "Mortimer."

Paul and Walker are not a part of the new musical, "The Last Tango in Paris." Bernard Bertolucci.

"Paradise Alley" growing community group


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Tenor to give voice recital

Joseph Accomando, of Marion, will present a graduate voice recital at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Home Economics Auditorium.

Accomando, a tenor and counter-tenor, will sing songs from operatic and musical theater by composers Giovanni Battista, G. F. Handel, Henry Dapre, Franz Schubert and Samuel Barber.

He will sing his first two pieces in counter-tenor, the balance of the recital in tenor. Susan Warner will accompany on harpsichord and piano.

Accomando is finishing work on his master of music degree in opera and musical theater. His opera appearances include roles as the witch in "Hansel and Gretel," Don Curzio in "The Marriage of Figaro," Alceste in "Dialogues of the Carmelites," in June, he was joined in "Cavalleria Rusticana" in Chicago.

Music students present "Showcase"

The 1970 Italian film will be shown at 7 and 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the Student Center Auditorium.

"...we've been about half full." she said.

The Paradise Alley Players may be contacted to reserve seats for The Paradise Alley Players next production, "Arsenic and Old Lace."


The Paradise Alley Players is a community theater group based in Marion but involves people from the surrounding communities. Its name was taken from a street called "Paradise Alley" which is by the Marion Cultural Center.


Study on kidnapping to be published

Kermit K. Alis

From the first ransom kidnapping, Alis traced the evolution of the crime from a horribly antisocial act without prescribed penalties to its present status as a capital crime.

In his book, Alis describes the behavior of the kidnappers and the victims in detailing many of the famous and not so famous kidnappings of the hundred year period studied. He also analyzes the creation of laws against ransom kidnapping.

In his research he states that there were two peaks in the number of ransom kidnappings. The first peak was in 1933, a depresssion year, the second was in 1974, a recession year. "No other crime follows this pattern of tripling in economic and political crises. There is something about kidnapping which reacts to these crises," Alis said.

In 1932, legislation was put into effect that would have made kidnapping a federal capital crime. Where the laws were finally enacted, kidnapping became a federal crime but not a capital crime.

Many of the supporters of the death penalty saw capital punishment as a way in which to deter kidnapping instances.

"Nearly in the study of deterrence in ransom kidnapping you must consider the fate of the victim. Does the knowledge of capital punishment as a sanction affect the fate of the victim? If so, is it a deterrent?" Capital punishment as a sanction may not affect the taking or the victim but it may determine the treatment the victim receives," Alis said.

In his book, Alis provides enough information to allow the reader to draw his own conclusions as to the effect of the death penalty as a deterrent on kidnappers.

Hugh Morgan 'torn apart by unknown 'damned thing'

"The Damned Thing," adapted for radio from an American short story by Ambrose Bierce, is to be produced and directed by Craig Zurica for the SIU Radio Network.

The radio play centers on a character named Hugh Morgan not the one who teaches the 311, but a man who is murdered by some unknown "thing." Auditions for the radio show will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday in Studio B in the Communications Building. Scripts are available at the SIU Radio Network Office.

Artist-Craftsman Of the Month

"The Art of Batik" with Millie Dunkel
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Crypt vacancy for sale next to Marilyn Monroe

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — For $25,000 you can acquire a crypt next to the one that holds the remains of Marilyn Monroe at Westwood Memorial Park, an expensive final resting place near to the actress' crypt and it's for sale.

The grave site is owned by Lyn Carter, granddaughter of the late movie star. Carter said that the grave site is for sale and has been advertised in a prominent Los Angeles newspaper.

"Marilyn Monroe was married to her husband, Arthur Miller, in 1956, and they had one daughter, Lark. She died in 1962, and her remains were placed in the crypt at Westwood Memorial Park," Carter said.

The crypt is currently unoccupied, and the seller is open to negotiations. Interested parties are encouraged to contact the Carter family for more information.

Thursday's puzzle

Publication aids in land reclamation

Our Reclamation Future: The Missing Link on Trees is a title of a 56-page bulletin on surface mine reclamation co-authored by four SIU researchers.

The publication is aimed at helping individuals understand the theories, technologies, and implications of reclamation. According to Mary L. Gourley, a researcher in the biology department, the bulletin should serve to help solve practical techniques, experts, county board members who will make decisions regarding surface mining and reclamation, and anyone else interested in the topic.

College education worth less

By Owen L. Hines

WASHINGTON (AP) — About one-quarter of recent college graduates who look for work through the summer will have to settle for a job that traditionally has not required a college degree, according to a new government survey.

The results of the survey, released Tuesday, show a continuation of a pattern begun in 1969, in which the number of college graduates outpaces the supply of jobs requiring college training.

The findings of the Bureau of Labor Statistics' survey are contained in the handbook "Occupational Outlook for College Graduates," which projects the job supply and demand situation for a variety of occupations through the mid-1980s.

The new report indicates that between 1976 and 1985, about 10.4 million college graduates will be vying for some 7.7 million jobs traditionally requiring a college degree, leaving about 2.7 million to look for other work.

The handbook notes that a number of occupations will be in great demand during the next decade, with good to excellent job prospects. These areas include accountants, bank officers and managers, dentists, economists, engineers, geologists, health service administrators, life scientists, physicians, computer programmers, registered nurses, statisticians and systems analysts.

For those who are interested in learning more about these fields, the handbook offers advice on how to explore them and the steps required to enter them.

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Mobile art to be shown

The Southern Illinois Art Resources Cooperative (SIARC) is bringing its mobile museum to Mount Vernon's Time Square Mall Aug. 28. The exhibit, sponsored by SIARC, is sponsored by the Department of Continuing Education and the National Endowment for the Humanities. As part of the show, which is free and open to the public, will feature an exhibit of pottery and other art forms from around the globe, and demonstrations in weaving.

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Lower costs make U.S. hot tourist spot

By Kristin Gaff

"NEW YORK (AP) - More foreign

travellers than ever are passing up the

weeks and months of planning a trip to New York. Niagara Falls and Disneyland, in favor of cheaper

vacations created by a slumping U.S. dollar and lower air fares.

"A trip to America used to be reserved as a glamorous two-week,

round-the-clock adventure that only the wealthiest millionaires could do, but now we're finding a situation where for the first time in our history, it's a widespread phenomenon," says Karl Kuhn, a

marketing specialist at the U.S. Travel Service.

The government agency predicts that 2 million overseas visitors will tour the United States this year, a

13.4 percent jump from last year. The number of foreign visitors so far this year is up 30 percent over

last year.

"We had the intention to come

here for a long time, so I can say

we would have money, but the currency made it better," Hans

Peter Langen, a student from Bonn,

Germany, said as he surveyed

New York from the top of the Em-

pire State Building.

Langen paid the equivalent of 3.63

Swiss francs (or $1.70) for the ticket to the

top of the skyscraper. Three years ago it would have taken more

than six francs to pay that price.

In the past year, the Swiss franc has gained nearly 35 percent in

value against the dollar. The Ger-

man mark has risen 10 percent and

the Japanese yen about 20 percent.

The reason is that the dollar has

become a less desirable currency in the case of inflation in the United

States and a chronic trade situation

that saw the U.S. spend $31.5 billion

more overseas last year than it took

in.

A tour of the United States still is a major expense for overseas

visitors, and Americans still spend about $31 billion more abroad since

tourists spend more each year. But travel

agents hope the "new trend will shift that difference.

Japan, with about 575,000 visitors

in the United States last year, ranks

first among overseas countries as a

source of tourists, followed by

Britain, with 533,900 and West

Germany, with 306,500 in 1977.

Japanese tourism is expected to

continue to grow, despite a lagging

Japanese economy.

The United States' closest neigh-

bors provide by far the largest

number of visitors. Government

figures showed more than 12 million

Canadians visiting in 1977 and 5.3

million Mexicans.
Grass not damaged

Weather kills campus plants

By Mary Ann McIntyre

About 10 percent of the trees and shrubs on campus have died this summer from adverse weather conditions, according to Ralph Carter, superintendent of buildings and grounds for the university.

The plants have faced a particularly cold winter followed by a dry, hot summer and some of the plants haven’t been able to take it.

"Some trees and shrubs didn’t even leaf out this year because they were hit so hard by the summer," Carter said. "The holly trees particularly have been damaged, he said.

"The SU buildings have lost more plants than normal this year," Carter said. "But I don’t think the University will lose any more than most people.

The dogwood and hardwood trees such as oak are the hardest hit by a lack of rain. These trees must be watered two-to-three times a week to remain healthy.

Carter and his staff are trying to alleviate the drought problem by watering the grounds, using regular garden hoses or a 500-gallon water wagon to reach the plants.

"We are watering mainly the shrubbery around the Recreation Center—a project that can take all day—Fanner Hall, Southern Hills, McCormack Stadium, the parking garage and parking lot no. 10 located near U.S. Highway 51," Carter said.

Although the grass may become dark and dormant, Carter said the dry conditions aren’t hurting much. His crew doesn’t water the grass and Carter says the bluegrass is doing just fine.

Victims calm during crash landing

By Greg Musgrove

For The Associated Press

Editor’s note: Greg Musgrove, an intern for the National Labor Relations Board, was aboard the North Central Airlines passenger flight that made an emergency landing Saturday in Urbana. Here is his story.

"KALAMAZOO, Mich. (AP) — I wasn’t carrying that much attention at first because I was doing some of my own work. I was in the second row from the back, and when we started, you could tell right away there wasn’t power to the engine.

The engine really didn’t sound normal. You could tell something wasn’t right.

The plane was climbing away from land, and right away people up front started to say an engine had flamed out. Everybody got their hands down so there was silence on board.

The next thing I knew were cornstarchs.

A bulbous broke, and corn and dirt was flying.

A piece of ice prop came through a window about eight feet ahead of me. That’s when I put my head down.

It was amazing. There was no panic. I can’t judge, but I don’t think we were ever more than 400 or 500 feet off the ground.

When we came down, I got out the rear door after the stewardess opened it. I can still smell the burnt taste.

Allergy, summer cold share similar symptoms

By University News Service

These miserable summer colds you seem to keep catching may not be as bad as all that, a doctor at SIU says. You may have an allergy.

"We see a whole different group of patients at this time of the year than colds—probably 10 in one," says Dr. Don Knapp, medical director of the Health Service. "When we see people who have cold symptoms at this time of the year, we think of allergies immediately."

A person who comes down with frequent colds during one season, or who catches cold each year during the same season, should see a physician to check for the possibility of an allergy or other medical conditions, he says.

"And if you don’t have an allergy? Then, you probably have the infamous summer cold—which, according to Smith, is worse now or as prevalent as the "true" colds. Many doctors believe, in fact, it’s not much different than the so-called winter cold. Both are usually caused by a virus, are contagious and manifest themselves with such symptoms as sneezing, runny nose, sore throat and low fever grade.

"We’re probably seeing 10 percent now of what we might see in the wintertime," Knapp says. "In my opinion, they are milder than winter colds, but most people feel worse because they’re not prepared."

Colds are probably less prevalent during summer, he says, because people don’t spend as much time cooped up indoors.

Solution sought in prison riots

URBANA (AP)—Prisons all over the country are old and overcrowded, and riots like the one at the Pontiac Correctional Center could happen at any time and at any place, a federal official says.

"When you have overcrowding of that magnitude, it’s really a miracle that something hasn’t happened sooner," said Dennis Kimm, associate director of the National Corrections Resource Center for Planning and Architecture, headquartered in Urbana.

With that kind of strain on the facilities, the riot should come as no surprise to anyone. It’s just a matter of time before you get some kind of breakdown," Kimm said.

About 400 prisoners at Pontiac were on a rampage Saturday morning, killing three guards, injuring three others and burning three buildings. Three inmates also were hurt.

"The prison administration should be concerned," Kimm said. "The lid on as long as they have. But, keeping the lid on is about all they can do in a situation like this.

If it was just lucky it didn’t turn out to be another Attica."

Kimm said he has talked with more than 100 prisoners all over the country and does not believe any of them are "coddled."

"When you get 3,500 people jammed into a space designed for 600, they’re not being bailed," said Kimm.

He said overcrowding is cited as the major problem at prisons.

"With the current tough public attitude about sentencing, you get more and more people in jail for longer and longer periods."

The clearance house has developed a master plan for the improvement of correctional facilities in Illinois. As of last year, there are more than 1,000 communities.

"We evaluate the entire criminal justice system," he said. "We want to see, for example, a greater use of parole or other alternative programs to help relieve some of the overcrowding. As a last resort, we recommend renovation of the old structures, or in some cases, building new ones."

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Associated Press Writer

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"test tube baby" was produced by them 300,000 years ago.

Such believers gathered in Chicago Wednesday for the Fifth
World Conference of the Ancient Society.

The birth Tuesday night of a test tube baby in England, reported
in the science section of The Times, caught Dr. Zerahia Sticich's eye, an
opportunity to advance his brief of extraterrestrial visitors rooted up our
ancestry as told in his book "The Twelfth Planet."

Sticich, 58, of New York, is described as an Old Testament
scholar and authority on Nasa and Mid-East civilizations. He
said his book took 30 years to research.

The "Twelfth Planet," he says, is in such a vast orbit that it enters into
the vicinity of Earth only every 1,000 years. But he does not know when its
next closeness will be.

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Students key to locksmith's success

By Jack R. Kelker
Associated Press Writer

F. A. L. L. O. N. / P. A. N. T. S. - Students key to locksmith's success. A small locksmith shop is located on the west side of south Illinois Avenue, quietly sandwiched between two popular establishments-Rooby's and the Vanity Theatre. "Good afternoon, what can I do for you?" asked the owner, Sam Lence, in a friendly, matter-of-fact tone. The student related the story of losing her apartment keys, handing over her roommate's keys for a duplicate set.

"I wish I had a penny for every time I used that machine," Lence said. "I'd be rich!"

The sound of metal on metal screeched as the grooves were cut out, the new keys.

The locksmith returned a minute later with a new, shiny steel pair of keys.

Lence stood behind the wooden and glass counter and lit up a cigarette with an on-top filter.

"About 75 percent of my business is from the student population, mostly doing things like that," Lence said.

The shop, named Sam's Lock and Key, is neither wide nor long, and locks and keys take up half the space-—on the walls, on the tables and in drawers and boxes.

"I know where everything is, right down to the smallest thing," Lence said.

Sam, 54, was born and reared in Carbisdale.

I started in the Illinois Central Railroad in 1948 as a breaker and a screwdriver. In 1954, they were cutting jobs off. I had a daughter starting college, so I was looking for something to do.

Lence answered an advertisement in a trade magazine and took a locksmith correspondence course.

"Chi ago crime declines

CHICAGO (AP) — Major crime in Chicago increased 6 percent in the first 6 months of 1978 compared with the comparable period last year, Police Superintendent James G. O'Grady says.

A great majority of the increase came in robberies, which dropped 11.5 percent from the Jan.-July 18 period to the Jan.-July 19 period, according to O'Grady.

The overall 1978 crime figure was down 11 percent earlier in the month.

Chicago's overall crime rate, 892 per 100,000 people, was down 11 percent in the first 6 months of 1978, compared with the corresponding period in 1977.

What's behind the drop in overall crime, which included decreases in murder, robbery, larceny and automobile theft?

Police say officers are getting better trained.

"This is the area I think we've made the biggest overall gains," O'Grady said.

The police department's new community service program, launched a year ago, has significantly reduced the number of minor arrests, he said.
Ex-coach changes jobs; ‘competitive spirit’ intact

By Ray Yablok
Staff Writer

After suffering of selling his ideas as a coach, B. Zuckerman decided he’d rather sell them as a sports shop owner.

Bleyer, 47, was a coach for 12 years at Carbondale Community High School, before deciding to enter the retail business in 1984.

His first store was located at 220 S. Illinois Ave. Now, Bleyer owns Bleyer’s Inc., a men’s sportswear shop at Willow Mall, Bleyer’s Sports, located at 51 S. Illinois Ave., and Bleyer’s Trophy Shop, located on rural, Illinois Ave.

Sitting by a round coffee table in a small room on the second floor of the sports shop, the bespectacled Bleyer talked in a low, pleasant voice as if speaking to a friend or a fellow athlete.

Why did he switch occupations?

“Coaching was too good to pass up,” said Bleyer, “but I’ve had three kids and I guess I just decided to try something new,” he added.

Bleyer said he grew up in Carville in a very athletic family. He and his three brothers were all avid athletes.

His father named all four brothers after famous athletes. Frank was named after Frankie Frisch, a baseball star for the St. Louis Cardinals. His brother Bill, now director of intramural sports and recreational activities at SIU, was named after Bill Hallahan, another Cardinal star. His brother Jim, an attorney in Marion, was named after Jim Boley, another Cardinal player. Finally, his brother Tom, who works in real estate in Marion, was named after Tom Hartigan, the Hermann Trophy winner who played for the University of Michigan.

Bleyer said his wife, Lida, 48, carried on the tradition and named their first two sons after famous Notre Dame football coaches.

Noel Rocker Bleyer, 24, known as “Rockey” to his friends, named his father in the retail business. Frank Leahy Bleyer, 22, will graduate from Notre Dame in May and then enter medical school.

Frank’s other sons are Bob, 20, a freshman at Notre Dame, Tony, 18, a senior at Carbondale High School, and Mike, 16, a junior at Carbondale High School.

Bleyer said he has always taken pride in supporting the programs of the University and of Carbondale.

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Rams will move to Anaheim

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP)—Following a trend in big league sports away from the central city to suburban settings, Carlisle Rams announced Tuesday they have moved to Anaheim. The Rams, who play in the Coliseum since 1968, will move 2 miles to Anaheim Stadium after the 1978 American League season.

In making the announcement, Hunter realizes the relative comforts and the location of the Coliseum. St. Louis was built in 1966 to accommodate the move from Los Angeles of the Angels baseball club.

Rosenblum has been associated with the Coliseum, a huge sports facility built in the 1960s in a part of central Los Angeles that has deteriorated. Rosenblum had wanted the Coliseum floor lowered and the running track surrounding the field reconfigured to improve spectator visibility.

But uncertainty over Los Angeles’ bid for the 1984 Olympics, which would use the Coliseum, delayed those improvements.

In moving to Anaheim, the Rams become the second NFL club in recent years to leave its home city for the suburbs. The Boston Patriots became the New England Patriots when they moved to suburban Foxboro, Mass. The Dallas Cowboys now play in Irving, Texas, the Detroit Lions’ home is in Pontiac, Mich., and the New York Giants are in East Rutherford, N.J.

Rosenblum said he will continue to call the Los Angeles Rams for a.

Skipper Hicks sails to victory in Crab Orchard club race

The Crab Orchard Sailing Club held the third race of its Hambletonian series Sunday at Crab Orchard Lake. The race featured seven divisions or classes. Each class has different boats comprising in races for the top spot.

The Rocks took first place in the Hobie Cat 18's division—the top spot in the sailboats. Gordon Lacy and Ed Bledsoe took second place, respectively.

In the Hobie 16 division, Mike Marsh and Mike Wallingfrom Crab Orchard were first, second and third place, respectively.

The Rocks took the top spot in the Hobie 16 division, followed by Mike Marsh and Mike Wallingfrom Crab Orchard. Steve Karastain and Tom Gardner were second and third in the Hobie 16 division.

In the C-Skows division, Barbara Chus made first and Bill Haynes and Ladd Cameron took second and third, respectively.

Skippers Leon Streigel, Ted Class and Gordon Lacy were the top three finishers in the Flying Scot division.

And in the Flying Juniors division, composed of nearly 45 club students, Roni Marshall took the top spot and John Wood took second. Runner-up Roger Smith took third.

Ernie Ares won the Sunfish division race—an was the only boat entered.

The fourth and final race of the Hambletonian Series will take place Sunday at 1 p.m. at Crab Orchard Lake.

The Hobie Cat divisions will compete in the Midwest Division 10 championships Saturday and Sunday at Machesney Park, Ill. The Hobie 18, 16 and 14 will compete at the races and top three finishers in each division will go to the national meet.

Those competing in the meet from Crab Orchard are Charles Grant, Mike Murphy, Mike Marsh and Mike Walling. The Hobie 18's division winners will be at Big Bear Lake in Utah sometime in September and the Hobie 14 national meet will be held either in Arizona or California in December.

Come sail away

Two members of the SIU sailing club raced their boat Sunday in the club’s regatta on Crab Orchard Lake. The club will hold a regatta for women only at 1 p.m. Saturday on Crab Orchard. (Photo by Scott Egro)

Volleyballers get ready for German invasion

By Doug Wilson

Staff Writer

When the West Germany-Switzerland women’s volleyball team hits the Arena Thursday night at 8 p.m., the people in attendance can expect to see excellent volleyball from teams on both sides of the net. Sabah women’s coach Deb-Hunter realizes the challenge her team faces in playing the defending New European champions but she says her team is prepared.

"We’ve trained extensively the past few weeks and expect to be competitive," Hunter says.

"I’m looking at the German team as being a very good collegiate team. One that is one of the United States open championship teams," the coach said Wednesday.

The team Hunter will field is one consisting not exclusively of SIU students. Six of the players are from SIU, including Robin Detering, Trish Deters, Terry Harris, Terry Strata and Lynn Williams. However, two players opposing the German team will be from Florissant Valley Community College in St. Louis.

Mary Beckman, who will start, and Marilyn Albert, both play on the nationally-recognized junior college team at Florissant Valley. Hunter said she asked the women to play for her because she only had six players in Carbonelte that summer and needed some extra players. Even with the addition of the players from St. Louis, Hunter said she was still having problems fulfilling the needs of the team and was "forced to cut the roster." There is no room for reserve players. Hunter said she was not surprised by the decision.

"From her coaching perspective, Hunter says she will be looking for players who have the physical stamina that differ from those used by teams in the U.S. Specifically she will look at the methods and ways the Germans team passes and sets players at the net.

For the team, Hunter says, "The thing that will be very interesting will be the net play and defense." She says blocking and spiking at the net as well as diving saves ought to provide plenty of action.

On their previous tour the team played organized by the U.S. Volleyball Association, the Germans easily defeated a team from Southern Germany. By Doug Wilson

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