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A Real Booster



In support of the SIU Alumni Association and for what SIU has done for me, enclosed find check to cover balance in full for my life estate equity in the Association.

I do this with a degree of satisfaction for what old SINU has done for me. Her training has guided me for the past 59 years. I shall ever be grateful to Southern for the teaching I received and the high standard of the old school even in her earlier days.

I was reading that in 1900, four per cent of the schools sent students to the University; by 1970 it is expected 13 per cent will attend universities—a great improvement in more than 50 years. I am in the position to prophesy a great future for the old school and with your determined effort and executive ability, the influence of the Alumni Association will reach a goal, now undreamed of. As I see the future, a greater effort is needed to reach the younger students and graduates to become members of the Association, to sell the future of SIU to the general public.

My life membership in the SIU Alumni Association is something of which I feel a just amount of pride and shall cherish throughout my future.

My having been given consideration in the Legislative Council is something I shall cherish all my life.

Braden A. Patton, ex '02
11107 Vincennes Ave.
Chicago 43, Illinois

A Salute from '92

Enclosed find check for \$2.00—dues for 1957.

Since returning from my visit to SIU last spring, I have often thought of writing and expressing my pleasure at seeing again the school where I spent many enjoyable as well as profitable hours. Yet I thought, why write, graduates of '92 and thereabouts are gone and forgotten.

Last year, while there, I was the most lonely alone person one could imagine. No one to call out "Hi, there." No one with whom to reminisce. Old Main was familiar

on the outside but not on the inside. Zetetic Hall was locked. However, old things must pass, of course, and as I looked out over the enlarged campus, the beautiful and numerous buildings in the midst of trees and shrubbery, I felt a great pride that the old school that I loved had grown into such great proportions in the years since I attended.

So, dear alumni, the "Class of '92" salutes you and wishes you many happy years of meeting together to say hail and farewell.

Mary Davis Snyder (Mrs. A. J.), '92
628 W. Euclid Ave.
Spokane 17, Wash.

Proud of His Alma Mater

I enjoy reading the Southern Alumnus magazine—the news of the big things Southern is doing. The new buildings being built, others being planned, give me a big thrill. The news of its graduates who are doing the big worthwhile things that our nation needs to hold its own tells the world that Southern is doing its bit, and all of us alumni, as well as all Southern Illinois, are proud of her.

Congratulations to the managers of the magazine—and God bless you all.

Carney Chatten, '11
451 E. Fair Ave.
Flora, Ill.

Back in the States

It is about time I notify your office about my change of address. I was reminded this morning when I received my ballot to nominate class representatives to the Legislative Council. It arrived too late because it had been sent to Europe.

We returned to the States in mid-September and are living in Santa Barbara, Calif., where my husband is an engineer for Western Design Manufacturing Company, also manufacturers for components for guided missiles.

Santa Barbara is the most beautiful city I've seen—even surpasses the places we visited on the French and Italian rivieras. Somehow it reminds me a lot of Switzerland, with a little of Trieste thrown in. It is nice to be back home again, and I don't think we could find a nicer place to live.

... Through moving, I've misplaced

some addresses and it will be months before I go through all our boxes, so I am requesting a couple of addresses. We are living in an apartment temporarily and don't plan to unpack most of our things until we get into our new house sometime this summer.

Marjorie Raback Bennett (Mrs. C. W.), '50
30 Portola Lane
Santa Barbara, Calif.

From the USS Ticonderoga

My ship, the USS Ticonderoga, is being transferred to the West Coast. (This letter was written April 20.) Our ship is traveling some 12,000 miles around South America, heading for her new home port of Alameda, Calif. We recently completed a 10-million-dollar modernization at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Portsmouth, Va. She should arrive in California around June 5—nearly two months of sailing around Cape Horn.

Our first port-of-call is Trinidad. Other stops will be at Venezuela, Chile, and Balboa, Panama Canal. Just last year the ship was completing a 9 month Mediterranean cruise. I was able to visit Italy, France, Turkey, Greece, Lebanon, Spain, Gibraltar, and North Africa.

I certainly would be happy if you would place my mailing address in the Southern Alumnus. Your magazine is very informative and makes me hungry for campus life once again.

Jerry H. Kolesky, '55

USS Ticonderoga CVA-14
X-Div., PIO
c/o PPO, San Francisco, Calif.



[Editor's note: Kolesky is editor of the ship's weekly newspaper, Big "T". He recently received a Naval Commendation from Admiral Jerauld Wright, USN, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet, for

participating as publicity director of an all-Naval musical drama, "Spirit of the Navy," presented at the Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, Va. Kolesky's home is at 100 E. North St., Crown Point, Ind. His wife and one-year-old son reside at that address.]



On The Cover

In appreciation of the untiring service which Dr. Delyte W. Morris has given Southern Illinois University since he became her president in September, 1948, a portrait of him now hangs in the foyer of the University Library.

A gift of Southern's grateful alumni, the portrait was presented to the University June 15 at the annual alumni banquet. The formal presentation was made by Dr. Guy W. Lambert, '33, retiring national president of the SIU Alumni Association, and was accepted by John Page Wham, '22, chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Unveiling the portrait were the two sons of Dr. and Mrs. Morris, Peter and Michael. Peter will be a junior at Southern this fall and Michael will be a senior in University Training School. (Incidentally, Michael is now in Boulder participating in debate sponsored by the University of Colorado High School Speech Institute. Only 20 high school boys and girls in debate and 20 in dramatics are accepted by the Institute for participation.)

Those of you who have not already contributed to the cost of having the portrait painted may still do so. Mail your contributions to the Alumni Office. Checks should be made payable to the SIU Alumni Association.

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Student Life

Honors Day convocation on May 16 recognized 195 underclassmen and graduating seniors for outstanding scholastic achievement, as well as more than 60 students who received special awards and scholarships.

Leslie B. Sims, a junior from Royalton, won four awards, the Alpha Phi Omega Scholarship, a Johnson Foundation Chemistry Scholarship, one of 11 Liberal Arts and Sciences Honor Society awards, and the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society award.

G. Randolph Hand of Carbondale was awarded the Jenkins Bare Memorial Scholarship, a Liberal Arts and Sciences Honor Society award and a Phi Kappa Phi Society award.

Other triple-award winners were Angelo Bollero, Christopher, and Cynthia Van Lente Ward, Carbondale.

Double winners were Nancy Ann Young, Marion; Inis Lee Richardson, Christopher; Charles Wade, Griggsville; Phyllis Cooke, Mount Vernon; Ruth Emge, New Athens; Sylvia Sue Wiggins, Kirkwood, Mo.; Thomas Duddy and Phyllis Scherle, both of Carbondale; and Cecil Alfeldt, Oakdale.

The Honors Day speaker was Dr. David Kenney, '47, assistant dean of the graduate school. His speech was entitled "Scholarship in the New America."

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For the second straight year, Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and Theta Xi fraternity won the annual Greek Sing. Second places went to Delta Zeta and Phi Kappa Tau. Seven fraternities and five sororities competed in the sing which performed before a near capacity audience in Shryock Auditorium. According to director Floyd V. Wakeland, the concert was the most expensive choral show ever presented at SIU. He went on to say to the audience that if those taking part had been paid student wages for their hours of practice, the concert would have cost \$13,500.

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The new officers of the Student Union are R. K. Dillinger, Carbondale, president; Judith Maynard, Marion, secretary; Kenneth Burton, Fairfield, treasurer; Richard Hunsaker, New Athens, publicity chairman; Carol Callisen, Chicago, recreation chairman; Kenneth Dry, East St. Louis, house chairman; Gwendolyn Oelrichs, Mount Olive, refreshment chairman; and Daniel Bode, Collins-

ville, dance chairman. Emil Spees, Rosiclare, is the retiring Union president.

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A pre-ministerial student from Belleville, Robert Stout is to serve next year as president of the Student Christian Foundation. Other officers include Shirley Fenner, also from Belleville, vice-president; Judith Maynard, Marion, secretary; Herbert Stemler, Waterloo, treasurer. The officers were installed at the annual Spring Retreat at the Carew Presbyterian Church camp on Little Grassy Lake May 25-26.

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Two seniors, both journalism majors, received recognition this spring in contests. Gene Cryer, editor of the *Egyptian* the past two years, won the news-feature picture division of a national photo contest sponsored by Kappa Alpha Mu, professional photographic fraternity. His picture, "Salt Spreaders," won the news-feature classification at the local KAM Photo Fair at SIU. The national contest was sponsored jointly by KAM, the National Press Photographer's Association, National Association of Student Unions, and the Encyclopedia Britannica. His picture is included in a traveling exhibit which will tour photo shows throughout the country. Cryer is from Kankakee.

Harlon Matthews, advertising major, received the first-place award in the St. Louis Advertising Club's "Selling St. Louis" contest. Senior advertising students in seven St. Louis area schools participated.

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Voted "most valuable" fraternity and sorority member for 1956-57 were Eldon Klein, Collinsville, a member of Sigma Pi, and Margaret Ritchie, Carbondale, a Pi Kappa Sigma. Both were graduated in June.

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Seniors were guests May 27 at the annual senior-alumni dinner sponsored by the SIU Alumni Association. Robert Walker, '57, served as toastmaster. This year's principal speaker was Dr. Elizabeth Greenleaf, coordinator of student activities. This marked the first time a senior class has chosen a woman as its speaker for this event.

A Pioneer College

by John W. Allen, '22

John Mason Peck was hewing timbers near a spring between Lebanon and O'Fallon in St. Clair County one day in early 1827. John Milcot Ellis, riding along the roadway between the towns, heard the chopping and stopped to investigate.

Surprise must have been mutual when the men learned how much alike their background and purposes were. Both had been educated at Eastern colleges. Each had been sent to the Southern Illinois region by a different church group as a combination religious-educational missionary. Each had been instructed to pick a location and to plan for a "seat of higher learning." Peck had selected the site for his school and was preparing timbers for the building when Ellis happened by.

Oldest College in Midwest

The school Peck founded between Lebanon and O'Fallon was known as Rock Spring Seminary and was the first institution of higher learning in the new state. In his history of Shurtleff College, published in 1900, Austin K. Deblois designates Rock Spring Seminary as the oldest Protestant theological school in the Mississippi Valley. He also designates Shurtleff as the oldest college in the midwest.

Built in the summer and fall of 1827, it opened for students in November of that year. During the four years that it operated at Rock Spring, average attendance was about 50, with a total of 242 individuals enrolled. A church paper, *The Pioneer Baptist*, was published there, the first Baptist paper in Illinois.

At a meeting of the trustees held at Edwardsville on July 26, 1831, it was decided to remove the school to Alton where Peck first had wished to locate it. Situated on the river it would be more accessible, and it would be in a locality that was thought to offer greater promise. The school's name was changed to Alton Seminary, but it was also referred to as Alton College. The building that housed the seminary at Rock Spring stood until it burned in 1852, along with Peck's great collection of Illinois historical materials. Each of seven men contributed \$125 toward a new site at Alton. With \$400 of this fund they bought 124 acres of land, later acquiring 250 additional acres at \$1.25 an acre. The purpose of acquiring so large a tract was two-fold. It could be used

as a kind of self-help or subsistence farm, and parts of it could be sold as town lots with profit to the institution. Other funds were contributed, and a building 40 by 32 feet was erected at a cost of \$1,625.

It was necessary to apply to the Illinois legislature for a new charter. Two other groups made similar applications for schools elsewhere in the state. None of these was approved, however, because several members of the legislature expressed fear that the colleges might buy up large tracts of land, tenant and control them, and thus create a kind of church state. It was not until 1835 that three other groups and some individuals of influence prevailed upon the legislature to grant charters patterned after the one held by Yale. Even so, the land that a school might hold was limited to 640 acres. The legislature did, however, permit departments of theology, previously banned.

The name of Shurtleff was given for Benjamin Shurtleff of Boston who donated \$10,000 and otherwise befriended the struggling school. Despite the help given by Shurtleff and others and the sustained efforts of John Mason Peck, it was difficult for the young college to survive. It lacked adequate buildings and properly trained teachers. Some of the latter need was supplied by young men who came as missionaries with part of their salaries paid by religious groups.

Provided Educational Leadership of Illinois

Shurtleff and other small colleges provided the early educational leadership of Illinois. With the advent of state-supported schools and the establishment of great universities, these smaller schools became less prominent, some ceasing to exist.

Many men, later to become prominent, received training at Shurtleff. Among these were governors of the state, men who attained military distinction, senators, attorneys, judges, members of congress, many ministers and missionaries, editors, physicians, and other prominent citizens.

Shurtleff has furnished educational opportunity to many an aspiring youth, some of whom have "worked their way" through. Typical of these was John M. Palmer.

In 1834 young Palmer pleaded for his father's permission to go to college. After some days of thought, the

father said: "I have no money to expend for your education, but a boy as healthy as you are needs no help. You may go tomorrow morning; I give you your time. Don't disgrace me; God bless you." Young Palmer, working at jobs that ranged from plasterer's helper to clock salesman, completed his planned course. He went on to become a successful teacher, general, governor of the state, and U.S. senator.

The name of Abraham Lincoln became connected with the school when he was employed in behalf of a boy suspended from the college. So far as can be learned, this was the last case in which Lincoln appeared in court before going to assume the office of President.

Several of the earlier buildings still are left. Perhaps the most interesting of these is Loomis Hall, built in 1832. There are other old structures and memorials that help to lend reality to the past. Though the visitor on the campus never may have attended Shurtleff, he still feels a twinge of regret at the thought of its passing.

[Editor's Note: On July 1, SIU took over Shurtleff College as a residence center. Classes are being held there this summer. Trustees of the Alton college decided last December to close the school because of financial difficulties. The present lease is for two years.]



Loomis Hall was built in 1832 and restored in 1920. It was named for Shurtleff's first president, Rev. Hubbel Loomis, who served from 1832-36.

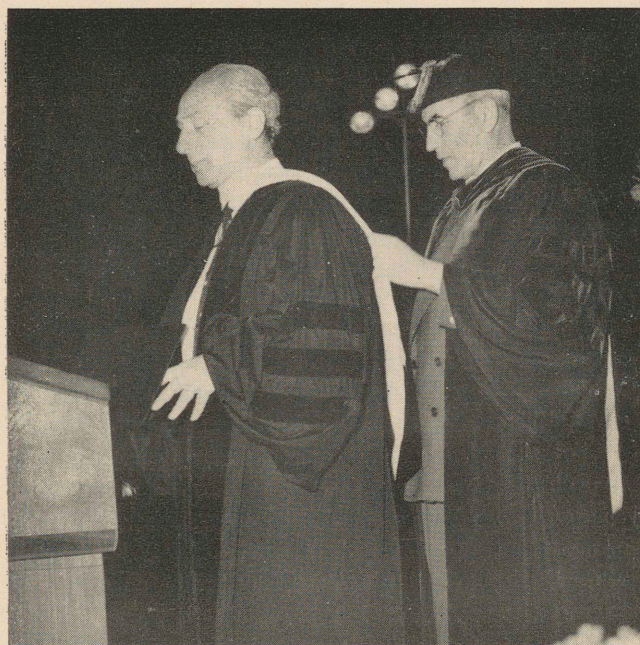
A Record Breaking Week End

Two records were broken at the eighty-second commencement—the number of graduates and the attendance.

Receiving degrees were 692. Of this number, 73 received the master's degree. Eleven were commissioned second lieutenants in the U.S. Air Force.

An honorary doctor of science degree was conferred upon Alexander P. de Seversky, "Distinguished air strategist; master aircraft designer, industrialist and pilot; internationally recognized authority, writer and lecturer on the development of military and civil aviation; author of two books: *Victory Through Air Power*, and *Air Power: Key to Survival*; twice recipient of the Harmon Trophy, awarded Medal of Merit (America's highest wartime civilian award) for outstanding contribution to our national defense; special consultant to U.S. Air Force; official lecturer to The Air University; militant missionary of air power; notable exponent of aviation education; honored guest speaker at Southern Illinois University; valued friend and supporter of its air age program."

Faculty Service Awards were presented to Elbert Fulkerson, associate professor of mathematics and secretary of the faculty, for 25 years of service; to Leland P. Lingle, '27, associate professor of physical education and



President Morris adjusts the hood for Alexander P. de Seversky following conferring upon him the honorary doctor of science degree.

head track coach; David S. McIntosh, associate professor of music; J. W. Neckers, professor of chemistry and department chairman; and Miss Charlotte Zimmerschied, assistant professor of physics, for 30 years of service. Miss Mary Entsminger, '13, who retired last year as associate professor of education, was awarded, in absentia, the 35-year award.

The commencement speaker was Dr. John R. Emens, president of Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Indiana. In his address Dr. Emens outlined some educational contradictions.

Wham Accepts Portrait

Highlighting the week end of Alumni Day and Commencement was the presentation of a portrait of Dr. Delyte W. Morris, president of Southern since September, 1948. The presentation was made to the University by Dr. Guy Lambert, '33, retiring president of the Alumni Association.

John Page Wham, '22, president of the Board of Trustees, accepted the portrait on behalf of the University. His acceptance speech was received so favorably, we are sharing it with you.

"There is no substitute for aggressive interest, understanding and constructive action of an alumni association. The Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees is ever mindful of the fact and looks upon this Association with pleasure, pride and gratitude.

"The portrait of Dr. Morris and the remarks of Dr. Lambert demonstrate a sincere interest in this University, together with an understanding, approval and support of its program.

"Much has taken place since the 1943 legislation granted this institution university status and since 1949 when it was placed within the control of a separate board. There has been a substantial increase in campus acreage, additional buildings have been constructed and there are more to come. We are pleased with these additions and show them with pride—always recognizing, however, that their true value is measured by need, usage and service—and that broad acres, bricks and mortar alone do not make a university or justify its existence.

"Our *on campus* student body now exceeds 6,000 and has more than doubled since 1952. It will further increase, as will the student bodies of all state institutions of higher education, including junior colleges.

"As a result of this unusual growth, we have been and are constantly operating on short rations so to speak—although our recent legislatures have been comparatively generous.

"Furthermore, there are ever increasing demands for additional services with the south Illinois area which,

upon the basis of merit, should not and cannot be ignored.

"Under these circumstances, careful planning and strict economy are required; and all concerned, even the Board of Trustees, necessarily become ultra sensitive to each available dollar and the wisdom of its disbursement.

"We know that the growth of this University has been, is and will continue to be a sound growth; *that each and every program is responsible to a specific and urgent need; that this University has not caused and does not intend to cause any unnecessary duplication of facilities or expenditures in the field of higher education; that it is and has demonstrated itself to be in a singular position for service within south Illinois and that such service is important to all of Illinois; that service is our goal—not size or monopoly; and that there is no inconsistency or justifiable conflict between this University and any other university or college of Illinois.*

"May we compliment you upon the choice of Dean Burnett Shryock as the artist for this portrait, not only because of his unquestionable competency but, also, because of his long connection with this institution, as a faculty member, as a student and as the son of H. W. Shryock, a distinguished President of the past who also contributed much in the development of Southern Illinois University.

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Shown at the extreme left is John Page Wham, '22, who accepted the portrait of Dr. Morris on behalf of the University. Beside him is Dr. Morris, president of Southern since 1948. The other two gentlemen are Burnett Shryock, '22, Dean of the School of Fine Arts, who painted the portrait, and Dr. Guy W. Lambert, '33, retiring president of the Alumni Association who presented the portrait to SIU. A gift of Southern's alumni, the portrait was given in appreciation of the President's untiring efforts in behalf of the institution. If you would like to contribute to the fund for the portrait you may still do so. Send your gift to the Alumni Office, making checks payable to SIU Alumni Association.

"Now to the subject of this fine portrait. The Board cannot claim credit or accept any responsibility for his selection as President of this University. He was already here and some months prior to the Board's organizational meeting had delivered an inaugural address setting forth, with extreme clarity and reason, the general purposes, responsibilities and future programs of Southern Illinois University. In passing, I might suggest a reading or re-reading of that address.

"We have found President Morris a man of unbounded energy, sincerity of purpose and deep convictions, although quite flexible and subject to further reason when the true merits of a decision are placed in issue.

"It has been charged that Dr. Morris has an over supply of ambition. At a recent committee hearing concerning a Southern Illinois University appropriation bill, one of the senators said: 'Dr. Morris, just what is your angle? What is your ambition? Are you trying to make the presidency of Columbia or some such University?' Without hesitancy, Dr. Morris replied, '*I would have no greater ambition than the economic uplift of Southern Illinois and the education of its people through Southern Illinois University.*'

"Dr. Lambert, it is indeed a pleasure to officially accept this portrait on behalf of Southern Illinois University and its Board of Trustees."

SIU SUPPORTERS DEFEND HER

In a series of two articles appearing in the June 18 and 19 editions of the *Chicago Daily News*, Helen Fleming accused SIU of "feeding its students fluff," declaring that students can flunk at Southern and still remain in school.

With obvious prejudices established before her three-day visit to the campus several weeks ago, Miss Fleming lashed out at SIU and its administration with half-truths and misinterpretations of the information about Southern which was made available to her at the time of her visit. She was shown every consideration, and a great deal of time was given Miss Fleming by members of the administration and other personnel when she came to "do a story" on SIU.

Alumni and friends of the school, as well as the Governor himself, have angrily defended the institution and its purposes.

When questioned by reporters at a press conference, Governor William G. Stratton defended the "remarkable job" being done by Southern. Said he, "Southern Illinois University is a tremendous school and has done tremendous things for Southern Illinois. I am one of its ardent supporters. Every year I've dedicated a new building there, and I hope to continue to do so."

The Governor cited "fine things in community development, industrial training and adult training" done by SIU. "Instead of quibbling over a few courses because somebody doesn't like them—there might be some courses I wouldn't care for—I think we should do everything we can to put Illinois at the top in education.

"Southern serves a great number of people in Southern Illinois. It operates a different program than most such institutions—much of it is in the development stage. They are trying to develop and encourage an economy.

"I support fully the program to raise standards, to develop the area industrially, to train a labor force. It's a school that serves special needs.

"Probably many of the students there could not attend other institutions. I prefer to let the board, the president and the faculty fix the courses."

In a statement to the press on June 20, Dr. Delyte W. Morris said in part, "It is important that we recognize that anyone representing the press should have access to information concerning the University and that questions from writers be answered freely and with full candor. Any responsible reporter has every right to compliment or criticize. We doubt, however, that many Chicagoans familiar with Southern's objectives and program will concur with Miss Fleming's conclusions."

On June 19, John Page Wham, '22, president of Southern's Board of Trustees, issued this statement: "Miss Fleming's articles concerning Southern Illinois University leave much to be desired from the standpoint of accuracy and objectivity. It is regrettable that she so completely fails to comprehend the special needs of Southern Illinois and the true education values, as well as the true academic standards, of our University.

"I am informed that Miss Fleming spent three days on the Southern Illinois University campus discovering the unusual or unique courses which she points out without indicating their relation to total programs. The University also has a course in journalism ethics which she seems to have overlooked.

"Miss Fleming admits prior discussion with certain up-state people and it is evident, to those familiar with the facts, that conclusions were fixed in advance of the campus visit which, incidentally, she made quite some time ago."

The Accordion Band Clinic is held annually at the camp.



Six-day vacation leads to

The Egyptian Music Camp

In the summer of 1942 a small group of high school band members and their instructor, A. T. Atwood, '35, enjoyed a six-day vacation at Giant City State Park. From this nucleus has grown the Egyptian Music Camp at Du Quoin, with hundreds of students from 30 or more states attending camp during its five one-week sessions each summer. The camp was first known as the Egyptian Band Camp, but with the introduction of the orchestra and later the chorus, the present name was adopted.

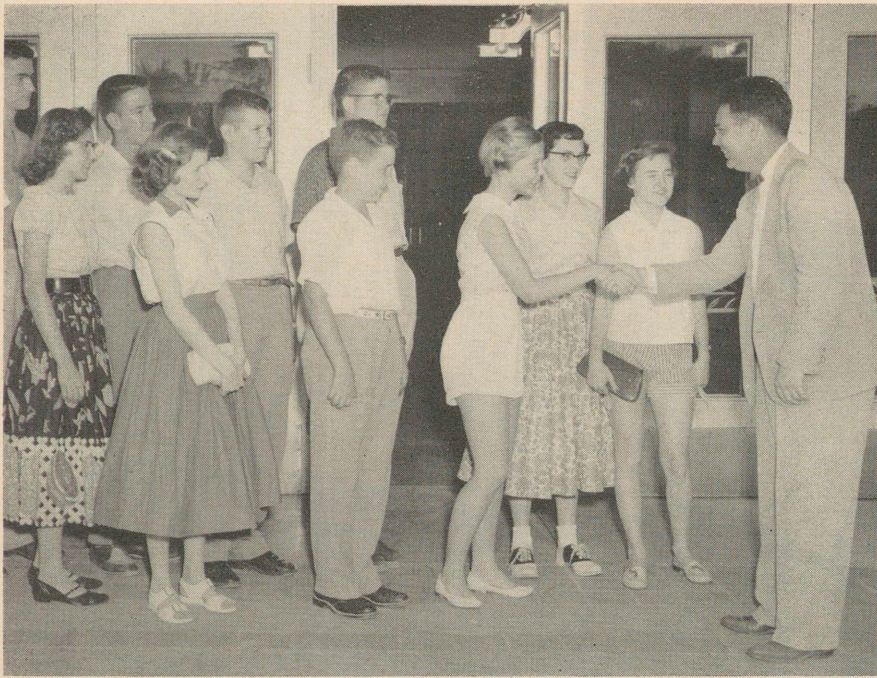
The first year the camp was set up in a tent at Giant City Park. A storm struck one night and the tent disappeared, leaving clothing and instruments and other personal effects strewn about. The tornado put the camp in the headlines and gave it a lot of publicity.

At the end of the fourth year it became apparent that larger and improved facilities were needed for the rapidly growing camp. In 1946, when the late W. R. Hayes offered facilities, the camp was moved to its present site, the Du Quoin State Fairgrounds. In 1948 a million dollar grandstand was completed.

The camp, directed by Mr. Atwood, prominent among Illinois musicians, is nationally known for its curriculum, for its outstanding faculty, and for its setting in the thousand acres of beautifully landscaped grounds. The camp now has four major subjects—band, orchestra, chorus, and piano. In addition, students may take instruction in art, dramatics, baton twirling, dance band, conducting, theory, piano, and dancing.

The faculty is made up of prominent men and women from leading universities and schools throughout the United States, including Southern faculty members and alumni. There is a registered nurse who serves as dean of girls, and an experienced counsellor and educator serving as dean of boys. There is a dietitian, a religious leader, and other necessary personnel for the smooth running of the camp.

Life at the Egyptian Music Camp is not all fun and play. These hopeful and talented musicians put in at least five hours a day with classes and practice sessions. The band, orchestra, and chorus give weekly concerts. In



A. T. Atwood, '35, welcoming students to the Egyptian Music Camp at Du Quoin which he directs. The camp was open this summer for five one-week sessions, from June 3 to July 6. Mr. Atwood also owns and operates a music store in Du Quoin.

addition, exhibitions are given by the baton twirlers, the piano ensemble performs, and there is also an accordion program. The camp's activities have been climaxed in recent years by the presentation of an operetta.

Any student who is a member of a junior high school or a high school band or orchestra or chorus is eligible to attend the camp, as well as students who play the piano.

A student may attend any or all of the five sessions.

D. W. Hortin, ex '48, is director of public relations for the camp. Mr. Hortin is assistant principal of Du Quoin Township High School. Other Southerners working at the camp include Earl Bozarth, '38, principal at West Frankfort; Melvin Siener, '49; William Theobald, a graduate student of Southern; and Floyd Wakeland, associate professor of music at SIU.

Engineering Bill Defeated

After being deadlocked by two tie votes, Senate Bill 5, which would have repealed the prohibition against Southern Illinois University offering courses culminating in a degree of engineering, was defeated by a 9 to 5 vote of the Senate Education Committee.

In his report to the Legislative Council last month, just after the defeat of the bill, Dr. Delyte W. Morris said he had been told that the efforts against this bill were the greatest made against the interests of this institution since 1943 when SIU was first made a university. The defeat of this bill was, in part, brought about by the efforts of another institution of higher learning in this state, he said.

"We had good and sound reasons," Dr. Morris continued, "to believe this would not happen and so we approached this from a different angle than we would have had we known the nature of the opposition. The bill

did not receive consideration on its merits." Without divulging the name of the senator, he quoted one who admitted that he was ashamed of his vote—a negative one—and called it the "worst vote I ever made."

Southern's hopes for an engineering school have been dampened for the time being but she has high hopes that another legislature will not succumb to the same type of pressures. If the general assembly creates a Commission on Higher Education this issue will undoubtedly be presented to it for consideration. This area needs an engineering school. There is certainly room for two schools in this state. If not, why have some of our pre-engineering students been refused admittance to another institution of higher learning, which has an engineering school, because "there isn't room?"

Governor William G. Stratton told reporters recently that the issue is certainly not dead.

Tupelo Children's Mansion



Mr. Klopper, '42

For "the purpose of the care, maintenance, and education of orphaned children and other unfortunate children," the Tupelo Children's Mansion was chartered by the State of Mississippi on December 31, 1952.

The girls' cottage was built in 1952, the first of seven buildings to be erected eventually on the site along Highway 78 in

Mississippi and the only orphanage in the northern third of that state. The second building, the Administration Building, was completed in 1953. At present it houses the office, reception room, dean and matron of boys' and secretary's apartments, laundry, storage rooms, the chapel, and temporary living quarters for the boys. The two buildings and grounds are now valued at about \$60,000.

Four orphaned girls from Alabama came to the Mansion in December of 1953, the first to make their home at the Mansion. These girls live in two adjoining rooms, still maintaining as much as possible their family ties.

Superintendent of the home is the Reverend *Raymond P. Klopper*, a 1942 graduate of Southern. The second to

serve in this capacity since the Mansion's founding, he went to Tupelo in April, 1955. He and his wife serve as "father" and "mother" to each of the 19 children. As you might imagine, this keeps them pretty busy. Mr. Klopper's job in public relations for the home requires him to talk to PTA groups, as well as civic and church organizations.



Miss Klopper, '51

In January his sister, *Ilene Klopper*, '51, came to the Mansion to act as secretary-treasurer. After graduation from Southern, Miss Klopper worked on campus as a faculty assistant in the Audio-Visual Aids department. She was later employed as a bookkeeper in Grayville.

Because the Mansion is in its pioneer stage, the "improvements and new buildings being constructed and made are a challenge to us, much as the vast expansion and building program at Southern is to the personnel there."

Mr. Klopper is married to the former Betty Cagle of Herrin. They have two children, a son, Raymond, II, who is 11, and Claudette Kay 6.

Girls' cottage and administration building at Tupelo Children's Mansion in Tupelo, Miss. These are two of an eventual seven planned for the Mansion.



Summary of Spring Sports

By Bill Hollada, '51

Golf grabbed the sports limelight at Southern this spring as the team ran up an impressive 9-2 record—its best since Lynn Holder introduced varsity golf at Southern in 1947.

Paced by Andy Barnett, West Frankfort, and Bill Belvivy, New Albany, Ind., both of whom often shot par golf, SIU lost only to Illinois Normal and St. Louis University and later defeated both these teams to gain revenge.

Meanwhile, the Saluki baseball team, hindered by heavy rains, won 10 while losing only five. In Interstate Conference play, SIU finished third with a 7-5 mark. Southern did not lose any nonconference tilts, defeating Evansville College twice and Washington University.

One of the big disappointments was the cancellation of eight home games, including two with the University of Illinois, one with St. Louis University, and two with Bradley University.

One-run games followed Southern the entire year, with 11 of the contests (including exhibition games) being decided by one run, SIU coming out on top in five of the decisions.

Track and tennis had disappointing seasons, the SIU tennis team winning only two, while losing seven, and tying 1. The track squad had a 1-4 mark. At the Interstate Conference meets at Charleston, May 24-25, the SIU golf and tennis teams finished fourth and the track team seventh.

Most valuable players named for the sports: baseball—Richard (Itchy) Jones, Herrin; track—Sammie De-Neal, Harrisburg; golf—Andy Barnett and Bill Belvivy (tie); and tennis—Ron Underwood, Granite City.

TO WORK ON ADVANCED DEGREES

Two Southern coaches, James Wilkinson, head wrestling and assistant

football coach, and Jim Sells, assistant basketball coach, will be engaged in working on doctoral degrees next year.

Wilkinson, who has piloted his wrestling teams to two straight Interstate Conference championships in 1956 and 1957, will be at Indiana University, while Sells, who was junior-varsity basketball coach the past two years, will be at Columbia University.

Replacing Wilkinson as head wrestling coach next year will be Robert Franz, present head line coach in football. Franz, who joined the staff in 1952, is a native of Crystal Lake. He played tackle and guard at Tulane, captaining the team in 1948. Following graduation, he joined the Chicago Cardinals in 1950. A knee injury halted his pro football career. Franz will continue as an assistant in football.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Robert Dunkel, senior from St. Louis, has been named recipient of the first annual Interstate Conference Scholastic Athletic award.

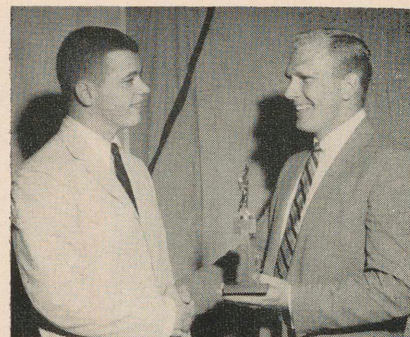
Dunkel, who has slightly over a "B" average for his four years, won three varsity letters in wrestling and was captain of the 1957 team. He won titles of the Wheaton, Interstate, and Ozark AAU meets this season.

The award, which was established by the Conference publicity directors last December, will be given each spring to the highest ranking senior who has won at least two varsity letters in one sport or a combination of three letters in three sports.

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Southern has been selected as the site of the first annual Interstate Conference gymnastic meet set for March 8, 1958.

One of the leaders in the movement



Roger Council, right, receiving from Benny Miller, president of Sigma Pi fraternity, the Henry Hinkley Memorial Award, which is presented each year by the fraternity to Southern's outstanding athlete. Council, who is from Wood River, received the award at the All-Sports banquet June 4. He was named Southern's Most Valuable Athlete in a poll of more than 125 1956-57 SIU lettermen. Council and Marion Rushing, Pinckneyville, have been SIU's only triple letter-winners for the past two years. Most remarkable of Council's feats is winning letters in both swimming and gymnastics during the same winter season. He is a specialist in diving, the trampoline, tumbling and the pole vault. Thanks to him and teammate Bruce Coleman, West Frankfort, Southern has never lost a diving event in the 26 dual meets during the past three years.

to bring back the prestige of gymnastics on both the college and high school level, Southern asked conference officials at the league meeting at Charleston for the opportunity to stage the first meet.

Led by Coach William Meade, the gymnastic team for the first time in two decades had a full schedule of meets this past year, four of the foes being Big Ten schools.

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The New York Giants professional football team once again has added a Southern grid star to its roster. The latest addition to the Giants, Eastern Division champions last

season, is Ed Hayes, 240-pound stand-out tackle for SIU. Hayes, who is also an outstanding wrestler and shot putter, will report to the Giants' training camp at Winsooky, Vt., July 19.

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Bill Spratt, Salem, won the new annual Bob Batura football service award which was announced by Coach Al Kawal at the All-Sports banquet June 4. The award is named for a former SIU football player who was killed last winter. Batura was a first string end for the 1956 grid team.

Spratt, who was sidelined all last season by an injury, continued to captain the team and to serve as a coach in a nonpaying capacity.

1957 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

A November 9 Homecoming game against powerful Central Michigan College highlights a nine-game SIU football schedule.

The Chippewas of Central Michigan, undefeated last season, have not lost since being upset by SIU, 14-13, in the early part of the 1955 campaign.

Three new teams—Austin Peay State (Tenn.), Arkansas State, and Great Lakes—have been added to the schedule.

Complete schedule:

Sept. 21—at Austin Peay State (Tenn.), 8 P.M.; Sept. 28—Arkansas State, here, 8 P.M.; Oct. 4—at Western Illinois, 8 P.M.; Oct. 12—Eastern Illinois, here, 8 P.M.; Oct. 19—at Illinois Normal, 2 P.M.; Oct. 26—at Eastern Michigan, 2 P.M.; Nov. 9—Central Michigan, here (Homecoming), 2 P.M.; Nov. 16—Northern Illinois, here, 1:30 P.M.; and Nov. 23—at Greak Lakes, 1:30 P.M.

Alumni may order season reserved seats (west stands) for the four home games for \$4.50 (regular price: \$5). Single game admissions will be \$1.50 for the west stands and \$1 for the east stands.

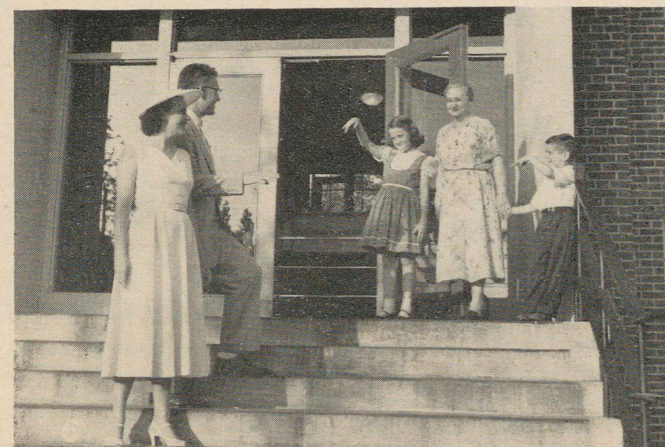
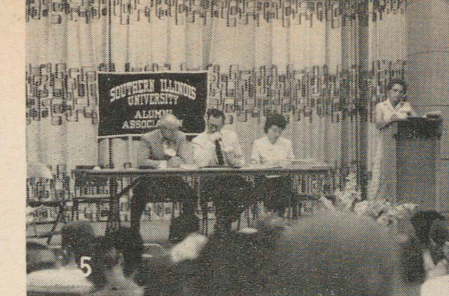
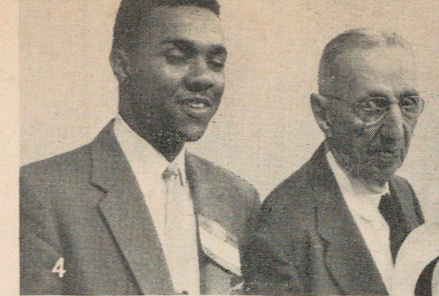
Ticket requests should be sent to the SIU Ticket Office, Carbondale, Ill.



SPORTS CAPTAINS FOR 1957-58 include Andy Barnett, back row left, West Frankfort, golf; Carl Meier, Altamont, cross country; Marion Rushing, Pinckneyville, football; Seymour Bryson, Quincy, and Warren Talley, Pinckneyville, co-captains, basketball; Anthony (Buddy) Velasco, Christopher, track. Front row: Lee Grubbs, Overland, Mo., wrestling; Robert Montgomery, Grafton, swimming; Jerry Oettle, Hardin, and Gene Salmon, Grayville, co-captains, gymnastics; and Ron Ayers, Flora, baseball. Not present when the picture was taken were John Orlando, Overland, Mo., co-captain, wrestling; and James Jarrett, Decatur, tennis.



Many former SIU baseball players returned to the campus May 18 for a Varsity-Alumni baseball game, but a heavy rain washed out the contest. Coming the greatest distance was Joe Jones, ex '51, Nevada, Iowa, who drove 565 miles. Still around at the time this picture was taken were Alumni Coach Bill O'Brien, '47, Carbondale, back row left; Richard Sandrin, '57, Carbondale; Don F. Ragsdale, '53, DeSoto; Scotty Marlen, ex '47, Dupo; E. B. Dunn, '47, Gorham; Bob Ems, '56, Fisher; Jerry Stevenson, Chicago; Bob Dallas, '51, Carrier Mills; Louis Viecelli, '48, Carbondale. Row one: Coach Glenn (Abe) Martin, '32; Bill Bleyer, '49, Danville; Jones; Fred Brenzel, '51, Staunton; Ed Thies, '52, New Athens; and Melvin Ebbs, ex '50, Carbondale.



PICTORIAL HIGHLIGHTS OF ALUMNI WEEK END

(1) Class of 1913, both "pure" and "un-pure," with the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, meet annually for dinner at Giant City Lodge on the eve of Alumni Day. (2) John Page Wham (l.), chairman of the Board of Trustees, giving Gov. Wm. G. Stratton a box of pertinent material to be placed in cornerstone of one of the buildings at Thompson Point which the Governor dedicated June 16. (3) Two

loyal members of 1907 on campus to observe their golden anniversary were Mrs. Ben LeMaster and Harley Harris. Mrs. Harris (r.) is also shown. (4) The oldest and youngest class representatives at the Legislative Council meeting, Carl Anderson, '56, and John Miller, '85. (5) Mrs. Lewis calls roll at the Council meeting. Dr. Lambert, president of the Alumni Association (l.), Alumni Director Odaniell and his

secretary, Mrs. Steele, seated. (6) The Gerald Obrechts left their children with a "sitter" while they attended reunion activities. (7) Facing camera is W. W. Vanderveer, former president of the Association. (8) Where were you hiding, 1937? (9) Mr. and Mrs. Dilla Hall receiving life membership certificates from Bob Odaniell. (10) Michael (l.) and Peter unveiling portrait of their father, Dr. Morris, which

was presented to the University following the alumni banquet. (11) Mrs. LaMaster receiving her 50-year certificate. (12) John Miller (nearest camera) and Judge Fred L. Wham at Legislative Council meeting. (13) Alexander de Seversky (l.), Gov. Stratton and Dr. Morris at Thompson Point dedication. (14) Council members pause for refreshment in the library lounge. (15) Edmund Phelps, senior class president,

presents check to Dr. Lambert covering 100% membership for '57 in the Alumni Association. The class also made a gift to the Roscoe Pulliam Scholarship Fund. (16) Mrs. Marlene Earl registering Mrs. Clara Berger Diers. Gentleman in background is Judge Wham. (17) Student assistants in the Alumni Office serving punch and cookies in the Student Union to Carl Gregg, Syracuse, N.Y., and Wm. H. Ball

(r.), El Paso, Tex. (18) Alumni enjoying program in University School auditorium following alumni banquet. (19) W. A. Etherton and Carl Burkhart, both '87, "reunite" outside Woody Hall before the banquet. (20) D. R. Fulkerson of California came the greatest distance. (21) Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Robertson receiving life membership certificates. (22) Scene at President's reception.

Alumni Board and Legislative Council Meet

At the June 15 meeting of the Legislative Council two new members were elected to the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, Dr. Martin Van Brown, '25, and Bill Hudgens, '48, both of Carbondale. Mrs. John Lewis (Elizabeth Harris, '32), also of Carbondale, was re-elected to the Board.

Annual reports were made by the president, treasurer and executive secretary of the Alumni Association. Since the fiscal year had not come to a close at the time we went to press, the executive secretary's report on last year's activities will not appear in the *Alumnus* until the September issue. At that time you will be given a complete account of the progress made in 1956-57 by the Alumni Office and the Association.

An Alumni Awards Program Committee was appointed, to be chaired by Dr. David Kenney, '47, assistant dean of the graduate school at Southern. Other members of the committee are William Carruthers, '29; Dr. Orville Alexander, '31; Dr. I. Clark Davis, '39; Dr. Guy W. Lambert, '33; Donald L. Bryant, '40; and Robert Odaniell, '51.

This committee will set up a plan and present it to the Board of Directors for approval at the board's next meeting, November 8, so that it can be put in effect and awards can be made at the alumni banquet next year.

Miss Hilda Stein, '22, reported for the committee which was appointed last year to study the possibility of changing the constitution with regard to Legislative Council representation. The committee recommended that the matter be further studied due to complications involved in setting up a new system of representation.

The Board of Directors met twice during the week end. At the first

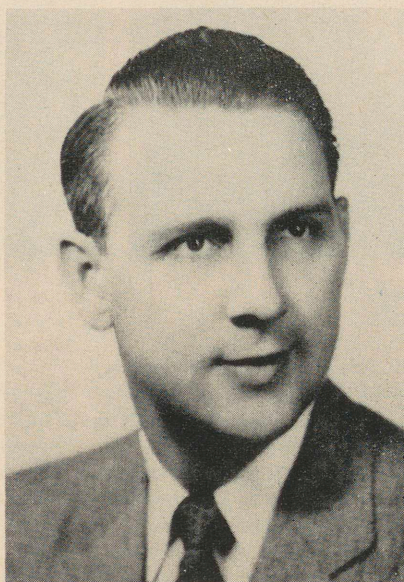
meeting on Friday, June 14, the members approved the budget request of the Office of Alumni Records and Services for the fiscal year 1957-58.

Last year the board recommended that the University appoint an archivist. It was announced at the meeting that Miss Dorothy E. Heicke has been designated as archivist for University historical materials and that Dr. John Clifford, '47, has been designated as archivist for Southern Illinois area material. Both Miss Heicke and Dr. Clifford are members of the University Library staff. Alumni having material in either category which they would like to present to Southern may do so by contacting the Alumni Office.

Raymond L. Terrell, '48, was reappointed to the Alumni Association Endowment Committee for a term of nine years. Lowell E. Roberts, '15, was reappointed for a two-year term to the Joint Alumni Council.

The board made the following appointments to the SIU Foundation Board of Directors: Albert Ede, '12;

ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT



Donald L. Bryant, '40

John K. Feirich; Mrs. Loren Wasson; Fred Harrison; Charles Mayfield, '39; Robert A. McIlrath, '24; L. Goebel Patton, '38; C. A. Robertson, '28; Jack L. Stroman, '16; and Claude Vick, '17. Mrs. Wasson is the only new member. She replaces Clyde Harris, '11. The appointments are for a three-year period.

At its second meeting, the board elected officers to serve the Alumni Association during 1957-58.

Donald L. Bryant, '40, Ladue, Mo., was elected president. Mr. Bryant is agency manager at St. Louis for Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States. With the company since 1946, Bryant has served in various capacities for Equitable and has been honored several times for his work. During World War II he served with the Navy. Before entering service he was area director in Southern Illinois for the War Manpower Commission.

Mr. Bryant has served on the board of the Chamber of Commerce, on the Lions Club board, and he is past president of the Parent-Teachers Association. He has served as Cub Scout Pack chairman, chairman of the First Baptist Church Building Committee and as staff member of the Community Chest. He has been a member of the Board of Directors of the SIU Alumni Association since July, 1955. Mr. Bryant and his wife have four children.

Other officers elected were Paul McRoy, '34, first vice-president, and Dr. Martin Van Brown, '25, second vice-president. Both are from Carbondale. Mr. McRoy owns and operates radio station WCIL and is also vice-president of the Carbondale Building Loan and Homestead Association. Dr. Brown is a well-known dermatologist. Son of the late Dr. W. O. Brown, professor at SIU for many years, he

served 24 years in the U.S. Navy Medical Corps and holds the rank of Rear Admiral.

Mrs. Lewis and Glenn W. Storme, '29, were re-elected corresponding secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Dr. Guy W. Lambert, '33, retiring president, will replace Aubrey J. Holmes, '35, as ex officio member of the board. Mr. Holmes served as national president of the Alumni Association during 1955-56.

Other members of the board include Dr. David T. Kenney, '47, Carbondale; Carlos Pleshe, '49, Herrin; Mrs. Roscoe Pulliam (Mabel McGuire, '26), Carbondale; James Schmulbach, '53, Ames, Iowa; Mrs. Earl Throgmorton (Ruth Keith, '22), Carbondale; and George T. Wilkins, '37, Granite City.

Tribute is due Mr. Albert Ede, '12, whose term expired June 30, for his loyal support of the Association and his Alma Mater. As mentioned earlier in this story, the board appointed him to serve on the SIU Foundation's Board of Directors.

Due to increasing costs of operating the alumni program, the Board of Directors recommended an increase in dues. Dues were set up in 1946 and have not been raised since that time, despite the fact that new phases have been added to the alumni program and the frequency of the *Southern Alumnus* has been increased from one issue in 1951 to six issues annually. In light of these facts, the Legislative Council voted to amend By-law V pertaining to alumni dues.

Single membership was increased from \$2.00 to \$4.00; family membership from \$3.00 to \$5.00; a single life membership from \$50.00 to \$100.00. A new type of membership was established—family life—at \$125.00.

The new rates will be effective as of September 1. This increase will not affect those people who are now paying on life memberships or those paying annual dues before September 1.

There are now 54 life members.



An eight-inch rainfall in the St. Louis area kept Dr. J. Lester Buford, '28, retiring president of the SIU Foundation, and Warren Gladders, ex '37, newly-elected president, from attending the foundation's meeting June 15.

Those attending the meeting are shown above. Row one, left to right: Winton Walkup, ex '16; Everett Prosser, vice-president; Jack Spear, '39; L. Goebel Patton, '38; R. A. Bonifield. Second row: Mrs. Lois Hickok Nelson, '44, executive secretary; Dr. Guy Lambert, '33; W. W. Vandever, ex '09; and Mrs. J. W. Barrow (Lucy Patten, '98). Third row: Claude Vick, '17; Robert Gallegly, '39, who represented the treasurer, Edward Miles, '29, who was unable to be present; Albert Ede, '12; Clifford Fore, '33; Dr. W. C. Thalman, '50; C. A. Robertson, '28; Harry Emerson, and Dr. D. W. Morris.

Why not join the ever-increasing number who are taking out this type of membership? This is the "last call" before the rates double. Remember, you can pay for life membership in installments as small as \$5.00 until September 1.

Following the alumni banquet, 20 paid-up life membership certificates were presented, either in person or in absentia, to:

George R. Arnold, '39; Mildred Caviness Arnold; Frank J. Bietto, '51; Donald L. Bryant, '40; Carrie Malone Bunn (Mrs. D. C.), '08; Helen Dry (Mrs. Maurice), '43; Charles E. Foehner, '44; Dilla Hall, '24; Belva Hunter Hall (Mrs. Dilla), '27; Dr. Guy W. Lambert, '33; Braden A. Patton, ex '02; Martin Schaeffer, '32; James Seibert, '37; John Page Wham, '22; and Luella Anna Williams, '24.

C. A. Robertson, '28, himself a life member, made it possible for five members of his family to receive certificates at this time. They were Vera Robertson McCurdy (Mrs. Frank), ex '47; Thelma Robertson Eldridge (Mrs. Edgar), '41; Capt. Claron A. Robertson, Jr., ex '44; Mona Williams Robertson (Mrs. Robert), '52; and Robert N. Robertson '53. The presentations were a surprise, but a welcome one.

RENDELMAN DAY

In appreciation for drafting legislation for the fiscal reorganizing of the Illinois state government, Governor William G. Stratton proclaimed June 21 John Rendleman Day. Rendleman, ex '47, is legal counsel for Southern Illinois University.

NAMES MAKE NEWS

1901

T. B. F. Smith of Carbondale is in the Veterans Hospital at Marion.

1905

Mrs. *Leona Etherton Dippell*, who lives in Riverside, Calif., has moved to 3680 Tenacina.

1911

Mrs. *C. E. Feirich (Alice Parkinson)* no longer lives at the old Parkinson homestead that many knew but she says the "door is always open for old friends at my new address, 107 N. Almond St., Carbondale."

1916

Marian McAnally still teaches English at Joliet Township High School. Her Joliet address is 11 S. Eastern Ave.

1917

Mrs. *Donald I. Bohn (Gertrude Eckhard)* has moved from Pittsburgh, Pa., to 377 Country Club Rd., Asheville, N.C.

Walter F. Gower is in the communication maintenance department of the Illinois Central Railroad. He and his wife live in Centralia at 236 N. Hickory.

Glenn H. Sutherland of 801 W. Jourdan St., Newton, is owner of Sunland Motor Finance Company.

1919

Mary Esther Hodson is an elementary teacher in the St. Charles, Mich., schools. Miss Hodson has studied quite a bit at Teachers College, Columbia University.

1920

Mrs. *C. G. Gunderson (Minnette Doolen)* lives at 4602 Sleaford Rd., Bethesda, Md.

1921

Mrs. *Ivan P. Davidson (Daisy Mayne)* is associated with the Harbeson Fischer Manufacturing Company in Fort Worth, Tex. She is a widow and lives at 1704 E. Bessie St. Mrs. Davidson has a married daughter living in Wichita Falls, Tex.

Mrs. *Curtis E. Stover (Helen Mahl)*, formerly of Miami, Okla., now lives at 54 Centennial Ave., Cranford, N.J.

1922

Mrs. *Frank Lavelle (Ruth Gibbs)* is an elementary teacher in the public schools of East Alton. Her husband is deceased and she lives on R.R. 1, Alton.

1923

Benton R. Miles owns a children's ready-to-wear shop in Flora.

Alger L. Shelton retired in 1954 from his work with Koppers Company, Inc. He and his wife live at 911 Oxford Way in Modesto, Calif.

MEET IN STUDENT UNION ON ALUMNI DAY



Seated, left to right: Lois Farley; Theodore Gross, husband of Ruth McInturf Gross; Maida Kelley Patheal (Mrs. Lloyd); Mrs. Ede, wife of Albert Ede; Myrtle Martin Ball (Mrs. William H.), ex '21. Standing: Mr. Patheal, '13; Mrs. Gross; Grace Crain Smith (Mrs. Roy); Vera Perkins McBride (Mrs. O. L.); Mary Crenshaw Kraatz (Mrs. Carl); Mr. McBride; Mr. Ede and Mr. Ball.



Seated, left to right: Mrs. Lilly Maddux-Schmidt, Jessie Stewart Sparr (Mrs. Herman), Jennie Stewart Kershaw (Mrs. S. J.), Lois Gram Hawkins (Mrs. Troy). Standing: H. Carl Gregg, Lois Carter Churchill (Mrs. A. B.), Charlotte Grinnell Robertson (Mrs. Lloyd), Claude Vick, Winnie Free Penquite (Mrs. Robert), Frank Lackey, Raymond Gregg.

1924

Wesley B. Asbury lives at 726 N. W. Third St., Miami, Fla.

After serving 44 years as a teacher and school administrator, *Arthur William Cox* retired June 22. At the time of his retirement he was principal of Longfellow Elementary School in Long Beach, Calif. In a feature article about him which appeared in the May 27 edition of the Long Beach Press Telegram, Mr. Cox told how his career started in Jackson County in Illinois in 1913 and how he made the fire and swept out the schoolroom before the children began to arrive. He rode six miles on horseback to the school. He commented on the closer contact today between the school and the home and referred to it as the "biggest single improvement in elementary education. It has resulted in producing a wonderful educational climate in which to work. A teacher can't do his best job unless there are understanding and co-operative parents." Continuing the interview, the retiring educator said he felt there is no material difference between the behavior of today's pupils and the boys and girls of past generations. "If anything, juvenile delinquency is less common nowadays," he said. "Today's children have a superior background and far better educational facilities in which to work." Mr. Cox hopes to continue active participation in the Downtown Lions Club and the First Methodist Church in Long Beach, and plans to keep seeing baseball games. His Long Beach address is 3856 Lime Ave. Mr. Cox received his two-year degree from Southern in 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. *Dove S. Holmes (Lela*

Cox) are both retired teachers and live in Champaign at 1106 S. Arbor. They keep Illinois University students in their home. Mr. Holmes taught 37 years and Mrs. Holmes, 28. They have three married daughters, all teachers. One is a talented music teacher. All are graduates of the University of Illinois. The youngest is married to a physician and she and her husband have three children. The oldest daughter lives in London. Her husband is a well-known chemist. The other is married to a teacher at the University of Illinois.

A retired teacher, *Clara Kramer* resides at 6200 Kenwood Ave., Chicago 37.

Cecil G. Schroeder is retired and lives at 1809 Lake Brown Dr., Haines City, Fla. He taught industrial arts and building trades in Villa Grove before retiring.

William H. Welge lives in Butler.

1925

Herman C. Luse of Billings, Mont., is in the real estate investment business. He is married and has four children. Joe is 20; John, 19; Martha, 17; and Willie, 2.

Bertis Roe Penn's address is R. R., Box 284, Cairo. Miss Penn has a two-year degree from Southern.

1926

Mrs. E. H. Beckmann (*Anna Merz*) teaches first grade at Bennett (Iowa) Community School. Her husband is a minister in Bennett.

Ernest H. Gummerscheimer is assistant farm adviser for Washington County. He and his wife and 14-year-old daughter, Emma Louise, live in Nashville at 101 E. Lebanon.

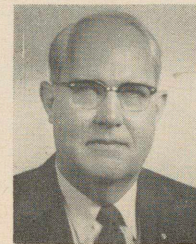
Elizabeth Lyle, 1522 Parkview Ave.,

Whiting, Ind., teaches biology. Miss Lyle received both the B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of Chicago.

Eunice Thompson teaches biology and science in the Chicago schools. Her address is 931 W. Foster Ave. Miss Thompson received a two-year degree from Southern in 1923 and an A.M. degree from the University of Colorado in 1932.

Mrs. Leonard J. Wood (*Peggy Smith*) 2201 Broadway, Mount Vernon, is assistant professor in the Graduate School of Social Work at Washington University. Mrs. Wood received her master's degree in 1946 from Washington University.

1927



Oliver F. Redd joined the Dravo Corporation this spring as technical service consultant in the Process Equipment Department. Before going with Dravo in Pittsburgh, Pa., Mr. Redd

was director of technical service for the Patterson Foundry and Machine Company in East Liverpool, O. He served as a consultant to the sales and engineering departments and conducted extensive research on processing machinery for the chemical industry. During World War II, he was a civilian physicist with the Army Signal Corps Development Laboratories, the Signal Corps Standards Agency and the Air Technical Service Command. Author of numerous technical papers and articles on various phases of chemical processing, Mr. Redd has more than 20 years experience in the process equipment

CLASS OF 1922 ENJOYS REUNION AT MYERS' HOME



Row one, left to right: Ruth Keith Throgmorton (Mrs. Earl); Lucille Reinheimer Hurst (Mrs. Elmer); Faye Chambers Brooks (Mrs. C. M.); Hilda Stein; Evelyn Davis Rieke (Mrs. Herbert); Mary Peace; Hazel Ervin Abbott (Mrs. T. W.), ex '29; Genevieve Felts Myers (Mrs. M. J.), '20; Mrs. Williams, wife of Carl; Mrs. Schroeder, wife of Henry Schroeder, '21; Margaret Browne

Karraker (Mrs. R. W.), '15. Second row: Mr. Williams; Lowell Roberts, '15; Mrs. Browne, wife of Gordon Brown who is pictured next; Mr. Rieke; Mr. Schroeder; John Allen; Mr. Myers; John Page Wham; Raymond Crocker; Burnett Shryock; Dean E. G. Lenz, well-known emeritus faculty member of Southern; Albert Becher. The reunion was held at the Myers' home.

field. He received his B.S. degree in engineering physics from the University of Illinois and took graduate work in physics at the University of Chicago. He received a two-year degree from Southern in 1925.

Mrs. Charles H. Beattie (*Esther Reinhardt*), formerly of Preston, now lives in Evansville.

Mrs. *Lawrence H. Harriss (Georgia Goad)* received a bachelor of education degree this year from San Jose State. Mrs. Harriss teaches first grade in San Mateo, Calif. She and her husband and daughter live at 418 La Jolla. Mrs. Harriss received a two-year degree from Southern. Mr. Harriss was graduated from Southern in 1929.

Dr. *Charles H. Rushing*, orthodontist, still practices in Elgin where he and his wife and 17-year-old daughter, Mona Jane, reside at 359 Wing Park Blvd. Dr. Rushing received his doctor of dental science degree in 1938 and his master of dental surgery degree in 1944.

Dr. *Lemen J. Wells* of the University of Minnesota Medical School represented Southern May 8 at the inauguration of James P. Shannon as president of the College of St. Thomas.

1928

Mrs. Frank J. Kerrigan (*Rachel Knapp*) teaches in the elementary school system in East St. Louis. She and her husband and 18-year-old daughter live at 647 N. 23rd St.

Mrs. *George S. Queen (Gladys Fern Wright)* teaches citizenship education in Brockport Central High School, Brockport, New York. After receiving a two-year degree from Southern, Mrs. Queen attended the University of Illinois and Teachers College in Brockport. She holds both the A.B. and M.A. degrees. Her husband, who received a two-year degree from Southern in 1929, is a 1931 four-year graduate. The Queens' Brockport address is 116 Monroe Ave.

1929

George B. Calhoun, retired school superintendent, is an educational sales consultant for A. N. Palmer Company in Chicago. He and his wife (*Hettie Marie Cagle*, '28) have a son. The family lives at 2127 N. 76 Ct., Elmwood Park.

Mrs. *Georgia Baker Kennedy* is a classroom teacher at Harrisburg Junior High School. She lives in Eldorado at 1312 Walnut St.

Mrs. *Lowden F. Pruett (Irene McClusky)* is an elementary teacher in Rosiclare. Her husband attended Southern from 1926 to 1929.

1930

Mildred E. Bell lives in Drain, Oregon.

CLASS OF '27 OBSERVES 30th REUNION



Dilla Hall, '24, husband of Belva Hunter Hall seated at his left; Merritt Allen; Mrs. Allen; Leland P. "Doc" Lingle; Vinita Hickok Wood (Mrs. Dallas); Muriel Mannen McLafferty (Mrs. Joe) and Miss Lucinda Huck.

Everett M. Crossin is an investigator for the Securities Division, State of Illinois. He and Mrs. Crossin (*Leona Reese*, ex '27) live in New Berlin.

Beulah Thomas Johnson, formerly of Marion, now resides in Gary, Ind., at 6216 E. Third.

Mrs. *George W. Karraker (Pauline Hunsaker)* is a nurse's aid in Jacksonville. Mr. Karraker, '30, died in 1954. Mrs. Karraker lives at 221 Pine St.

Arthur N. Trammell of 119 Prairie, Red Bud, is superintendent of Unit District No. 132. Mr. Trammell received his two-year degree from Southern in 1928. He is married to the former *Jennie Hiller*, ex '21. They are the parents of three daughters, Betty, Shirley, and Sharon. Mr. Trammell received his M.S. degree from the University of Illinois in 1937.

1931

Clyde W. Anderson teaches at Springerton in the elementary school system.

Dr. *John Mees*, principal of University School, is chairman of the Carbondale YMCA board.

Dr. *George S. Queen* is professor of social science at State Teachers College in Brockport, N.Y. Dr. Queen received both the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Illinois. He and his wife (*Gladys Wright*, '28) live at 116 Monroe Ave., Brockport.

Theodore B. Thompson, formerly of Flossmoor, is New York district manager. Union Switch and Signal Company, Westinghouse Air Brake Company. He and Mrs. Thompson (*Joan Longeay*, '31) live at 25 Dellwood Dr., Morristown, N.J. Thompson received his two-year degree from Southern in 1929.

1932

Mrs. E. W. Valentine (*Cecile Kuhnert*) is a radar instructor at Fort Monmouth, N.J. A two-year graduate of Southern, she received her B.A. degree in 1952 from McKendree College. She did graduate work in radio at St. Louis University and also attended Rutgers. She and her husband have two children, Euclid W. and Norman E.

1933

Mrs. L. J. Baldwin (*Grace May*) teaches second grade in Fairview School in St. Louis, Mo. She and her husband and two children, John, 12, and Charlotte, 8, reside at 5444 Janet.

Ina Brown, who resigned last spring after teaching 10 years at Pinckneyville Community High School, will teach this fall at Carbondale Community High School. Miss Brown teaches English and art.

Mrs. Louis Dehn (*Lucille Schlesinger*) teaches first grade in Jefferson School in Belleville. She and her husband and their three children, James, 15, Betty, 12, and Dennis, 9, reside at 2706 E. Main.

Mrs. Leroy W. Griffith (*Ruth Davis*), formerly of Wood River, now lives at 407 Palisade Ave., Bogota, N.J.

Barbara Hoyle teaches eighth grade at Menlo Oaks School in Menlo Park, Calif. She resides at 552 Hamilton in Palo Alto.

1934

Raymond A. Samford, ex '34, teaches in the Fairfield grade schools.

Samuel J. Scott is special assistant to General Services Administration's general counsel. GSA is second in size to the Veterans Administration among government bureaus. It provides administrative

assistance to other governmental departments and agencies by supervising such matters as building space, records storage, archives keeping, care of official records and transportation for personnel. The staff includes a personnel of 26,000. Scott is from Metropolis. His present address is 3004 S. Second St., Arlington, Va.

H. R. Stelzriede, ex '34, of 901 E. Elm St., West Frankfort, is a coal preparation engineer for the Freeman Coal Mining Corporation. Mrs. Stelzriede is the former *Ruth Eadie*, '27.

Mrs. *A. J. Williamson (Josephine Krill)* teacher of child care in Los Angeles, Calif., has been on leave of absence.

Formerly of Eldorado, *Lawrence E. Wise* now lives in Peoria at 1704 W. Lincoln.

1935

Harry C. Wilson has been promoted to system communications engineer for the Central Illinois Public Service Company and transferred from Marion to the general offices at Springfield. He has been sub-station engineer



for the Southern Division at Marion since 1950. In his new position, Wilson is in charge of CIPS' micro-wave and carrier telephone systems, and telemetering operations and VHF radio. A lieutenant commander in the Navy during World War II, Wilson studied advanced engineering at Harvard and advanced radar engineering at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He received his master's degree in organization and administration from Northwestern University. He is married to the former *Laurene Jones*, ex '36, and has four sons, Don, Steve, Bill and Jockie.

Paul Houghton, ex '35, is assistant superintendent of Niles Township High School. He and his wife live in Skokie at 4927 Louise Ave.

1936

Dr. *George E. Dudley*, ex '36, is now a captain in the Navy. Dr. Dudley has been senior dental officer for the past three years at Anacostia Naval Air Station, Washington, D.C. He and his wife and three children reside at 2117-32nd Pl., S.E., Washington.

Mrs. *Olin Hileman (Oneida French*, ex '36) of Madison is a teacher for the physically handicapped.

Mrs. *Michael Purtil (Jane Federer)* and her husband, ex '32, have moved from Du Quoin to 7647 Catalina, Scottsdale, Ariz. Mrs. Purtil received a two-year degree in 1931.

CLASS CELEBRATES SILVER ANNIVERSARY



Row one, left to right: *Leora Hartley Lambert (Mrs. Guy)*, *Elizabeth Harris Lewis (Mrs. John)*, *Mrs. Lovellette*, *Norman Lovellette*, *Mary Yates Veath (Mrs. I. J.)*, *Clarabelle Crandle Lungwitz (Mrs. Leonard)*, *Ruth Berry Newton (Mrs. Thomas A.)*. Row two: *Dr. Lambert*, '33, *Glenn "Abe" Martin*, *Martin Schaeffer*, *Harley Teel*, *Mrs. Teel (Harriet McMinn)*, '33). The reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teel.

Joy Dow Vandever is principal of Goreville Township High School.

1937

Woodrow G. Maloney is director of bands in Pinckneyville. He is married and has two daughters, Peggy, 14, and Jean, 4. Maloney received his master's degree in music in 1954 from Vandercook College.

Elmer D. Murray, 317 W. Coal St., Caseyville, is a school administrator. Murray received his two-year degree from Southern in 1928. He is married to the former *Nadine Pittman*, ex '47.

Robert T. Warmack of Grantsburg works at Union Carbide in Paducah, Ky. He received his two-year degree in 1933.

1938

L. V. Lipe, president of the Randolph County Alumni Club for 1957-58, is also vice-president of the Southern Illinois Association for the Crippled, Inc. He is vice-president of the Randolph County Education Association and principal of Chester Community Grade School. His son *Verdon* will be a senior at SIU next fall. Another son, *Larry*, was a freshman last year at the Missouri School of Mines. Mr. Lipe's daughter *Janet* will be in the seventh grade next year. Mr. Lipe and his family live at 1408 Riechman St., Chester.

Wayne Peeler, ex '38, of Cypress teaches in Dongola.

Waldo Stevens, ex '38, is employed at Anna State Hospital.

1939

David M. Krause, ex '39, is auditor for the Chicago Coliseum. He lives at 4301 N. Troy, Chicago.

1940

Anna McCann is a reading instructor at Belleville Junior College. Miss McCann received her two-year degree from Southern in 1929 and her master's in 1946.

Mrs. *Russell L. Miller (Ann Langdon)*, formerly of Dallas, now lives at 8939 Theysen Dr., Houston, Tex.

Rev. *Stephen B. Phillips* is pastor of the First Methodist Church at Wood River. He and his wife have two children, *John Stephen*, 33 months, and *Jana Darlene*, 17 months. The Phillips' address in Wood River is 526 Lorena. Mr. Phillips is a graduate of the School of Divinity at Southern Methodist University.

Mrs. *Randall S. Quindry (Eleanor Merritt)*, ex '40) teaches second grade in Fairfield. She and her husband, ex '36, live at 508 N. First.

Frederick W. Then owns and operates an insurance agency in Alton. He and his wife and two sons, *James*, 7, and *John*, 4, live at 2430 Maxey Ave.



Merle T. Welshans has been promoted to rank of full professor of finance at Washington University. Dr. Welshans, before going to Washington University three years ago, was chairman of the Department of Business Administration at George Washington University. In addition to teaching in the School of Business and Public Administration, Welshans is coordinator of the Washington University Management Development Program for businessmen of the area. He is married and has three children. His home address is 609 McLain Lane, Kirkwood, Mo.

1941

Dorothy Redmond has been assigned as a librarian with Army Special Services overseas. The assignment is for two years. Miss Redmond's address is Special Services Library, Bad Kissingen Installation, APO 800-Unit 2, New York, N.Y.

1942

Henry S. Frazer is electrical well-servicing district superintendent for Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company. He and his wife have three children and live at 1032 S. Hobart in Pampa, Tex.

Georgia Mae Garrett teaches at Burgess High School in Flora, Miss.

Charles E. Holmes, ex '42, is an engineer technician for the St. Louis District Corps of Engineers. He and his wife and three children, Mark, 6, Kim, 3, and Sandra, 1, live at 1 Thilman Ct., Caseyville.

1943

Nancy Davis, who received her two-year degree in 1934 and her master's degree in 1949, lives in Cartersville and teaches in the Herrin Junior High School.

Troy Mallory, ex '43, who received his bachelor's and master's degrees in accounting from the University of Illinois, is a certified public accountant in Chicago. He lives at 451 Melrose St.

1944

Rev. *Merle D. Broyles* lives at 1126 S. Wesley in Oak Park and is pastor of Willard Memorial Methodist Church at Euclid Avenue and Harvard Street.

Alma Catherine Darsnek lives at 10457 52nd Avenue, N., St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Gilbert Hall (*Jean Dorries*) lives at 2662 Lincoln St., Granite City.

Rev. *Edgar B. Purdy* is minister at the First Methodist Church in West Frankfort. He and his wife have three children, Jack, 18, Janice, 13, and Bruce, 5. Mr. Purdy received his B.D. degree from Garrett Biblical Institute in 1953.

Roy C. West, Jr., who received his master's degree in '48, is safety department supervisor for Union Carbide Nuclear Company in Paducah, Ky.

1945

Dr. *Howard Rudolph Peters* lives at 211 N. Third, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

1946

Scott Gill, M.S., '53, a member of the coaching staff at Mount Vernon for the past 12 years, has been named basketball coach. He has been serving as assistant to Harold Hutchins, coach the past five years, who resigned this spring.

Jack R. Hedges, instructor at Santa Monica City College in California, recently received his doctorate in education from the University of California at Los Angeles. The title of his thesis was "History of the California State Curriculum Commission." While doing research for his doctorate, he was a teaching assistant and taught extension courses at UCLA. Dr. Hedges is a counselor and instructor of psychology and political science. He received his master's degree from SIU. Dr. Hedges spent two years in the Naval Air Corps. His wife, the former *Anne Placko*, '44, is a kindergarten teacher in Culver City. The Hedges and their 9-year-old son live at 5626 Hazelton Ave., Culver City, Calif.

Mrs. John R. Morray (*Edythe Gahan*) is still serving as head of the home economics department at York High School in Elmhurst. Her husband is completing work toward his degree in medicine at

the University of Illinois School of Medicine in Chicago. Their 5-year-old son is attending the Jack and Jill Kindergarten. The Morrays' Elmhurst address is 317 S. West Ave., Apt. 17.

Roy W. Tidwell, ex '46, is personnel officer for Central Intelligence Agency in Washington, D.C. Tidwell received his B.S. degree in public administration from American University in 1955. He and his wife and children, Nancy, 4, and John, 1½, live in Falls Church, Va., at 5702 Lumsden St.

1947

Dwane E. Busse, ex '47, is president of Debco Equipment Company, Inc., in St. Louis. Busse received his B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Oklahoma. He and his wife and two sons, Mike, 6, and Mark, 3, live in St. Louis at 9715 Edgefield Dr.

Dr. *Steve Gale* is educational adviser to the commander of MATS Transitional Transport Training Base at Palm Beach Air Force Base in Florida. His residence address is 355 Edmore Rd., West Palm Beach.

Vincent O. Kallenbach of Crossville is in the wholesale and retail oil and gasoline business.

Jennie Kaestner is teacher and librarian at School 48 in Dupo.

Mr. and Mrs. *Robert F. O'Brien* (*Icey Casey*, ex '47) have moved from Victor, Ia., to 1333 Altgeld St., South Bend, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. *Carlos Schoettle* (*Virginia*

CLASS OBSERVES FIFTEENTH REUNION



Front row, left to right: Thelia Lewis Callis (Mrs. Robert), '41; Russell Harrison; Vesta Corzine Morgan (Mrs. Earl); Mrs. William Freeberg whose husband is a member of the class but was unable to attend; Ettelye Hanser Horrell, whose husband, C. William Horrell, also a member of the class, took this photo; Mrs. Helen Pulley McReynolds. Second row: Mr. Callis; Jane Crichton; Lucille Trovillion Steiner (Mrs. A. I.); Earl Morgan; Jean Webster Ricci (Mrs. Elmo); Albert Horrell and Mrs. Horrell.

CLASS OF 1947 OBSERVES TENTH REUNION



Seated, left to right: Dorothy Camden Armstrong (Mrs. Fred), Wanda Carter Kenney (Mrs. David), '48, Monte Jean Johnson Stotlar (Mrs. John), Bernice Fritz Obrecht, '46, Neva Woolard Isbell (Mrs. Dean). Standing: Mr. Stotlar, Mr. Kenney, D. R. Fulkerson, J. R. Swayne, Mr. Armstrong, Gerald Obrecht.

Lauderdale, '41) have moved to Kingsville, Tex., where their address is Apt. 296, 129 Ranger Ave.

Warren Simpson has accepted the superintendency of the Beecher City Unit School District No. 20. He and his wife moved to Beecher City the first of July. Mrs. Simpson is the former Martha Obermark, '47. Simpson, until his new appointment, served as principal of the East Unity Junior High and Elm School, Sidney.

Mrs. Orval York (Frances Robinson) teaches third grade in National City, Calif., where she and her husband reside at 2641 Highland Ave.

1948

Captain Charles B. Ablett, M.A., '49, has returned from overseas and is stationed at Fort Monmouth, N.J., with the Student Officer Detachment.

Homer H. Badgett is project engineer in electronics for Ryan Aero Company in San Diego, Calif. Badgett and his wife and 4-year-old daughter Sharman live at 2955 Luna Ave.

John C. Deadman, who received his LL.B. degree from Chicago-Kent College of Law in 1954, is an underwriter for Fireman's Fund Insurance Company. Deadman and his wife and two children, Mark and Mary, live in Richardson, Tex., at 713 Nottingham.

Fayetta Elkins, ex '48, teaches in the

Community Consolidated District No. 2, Tunnell Hill. Miss Elkins is from Vienna.

Formerly of Salem, Lawrence E. Green is now residing at 11664 Beatrice St., Culver City, Calif.

Anna Marie Harn is a physical education instructor in Granite City.

Ruth Harris teaches fourth grade at

Cahokia Commonfields Unit District No. 187 and lives at 10 S. 37th St., Belleville. Miss Harris received her two-year degree from Southern in 1934.

George W. Lewis, who lives at 405 Airline Park Blvd., Metairie, La., is vice-president of Chemical Cleaning, Inc., of New Orleans. Lewis is married and has two children, Benny, 10, and Debbia, 4.

Paul Kenneth Lynn, M.S., '52, is assistant professor of industrial arts at Murray State College. He and his wife and 8-year-old son Kenneth Perry live at 106 S. 14th St., Murray, Ky.

Dr. James R. McIntire, ex '48, practices dentistry in Du Quoin. His address is 211 S. Division St.

John Mulkin, M.A., '52, started the first of the month editing and publishing a new weekly newspaper called *Herrin Spokesman*. Mulkin was formerly editor of the *Metropolis News*, published by Charles Feirich, ex '26.

Cecil Neunaber, ex '48, is an architectural draftsman in East Alton. He and his wife have a 2-year-old daughter, Denise Jaye. They reside at 66 Northmoor Pl. Neunaber attended Southern two years and received his B.S. degree in architecture from the University of Illinois.

1949

Lynn DeVard, ex '49, serves as assistant to the managing editor of Adult Education Association of U.S.A. and at night works toward her degree. She has studied at both Northwestern University and the University of Chicago. She lives in Chicago at 5900 N. Sheridan Rd.

Benjamin K. Harkins, who received his

ONLY A FEW OBSERVE FIFTH REUNION



Left to right: Marilyn Brewster Odaniell (Mrs. Robert), Erwin Brinkman, Florence Brewer (non alum), Rita Presley Maulding (Mrs. Richard), Dr. Maulding, ex '51, George Carmack, '50.

master's degree in 1953, teaches industrial arts and mathematics at Robbins. He lives at 14025 Claire Blvd.

Charles E. House is principal of Hays Elementary School and director of special education in the Urbana schools. House and his wife have three children, Janice, 9½, Christina, 7, and R. Scott, 3½. The family's address is 707 E. Florida Ave.

John E. Hughes is a salesman for the Lehon Company. He lives in Evansville, Ind., at 12 N. Norman Ave. Hughes is married and is the father of three children.

A buyer—engineering purchasing—for International Business Machines Corporation, *Thomas D. Middleton* lives at 366 S. Willard, San Jose, Calif.

Emmett J. Moll is assistant supervisor of School Housing Research in the Milwaukee, Wis., schools. Moll and his wife and three children live at 7110 W. Wilbur.

Rev. *Charles H. Morris*, ex '49, and his wife have been approved for appointments as missionaries under the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. Morris is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Metropolis. He and his wife and two sons, Charles, Jr., and Eric, have been tentatively assigned to Malaya. They will go to Waco, Tex., for missionary orientation June 6-14 and plan to sail in January, 1958. This fall the Morrises will take special missionary courses at Southern Baptist Seminary and Carver School of Missions in Louisville, Ky. Mr. Morris will conclude his work at Metropolis August 25. He has held pastorates in Cobden and Carmi.

Andrew W. Nichols received his master's degree from SIU in June.

Billy L. Phifer of Princeton, Ind., is manager of the Interstate Finance Company. He and his wife and two daughters, Kathy, 4, and Beth, 2, live at 115 Water.

Rev. *Jack L. Stewart*, ex '49, is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Geneva, Fla. He and his wife, the former *Etolie Jackson*, ex '48, have two children, Mark, 7, and Catherine, 5.

Ralph D. Stoajer is district manager of World Book Encyclopedia. He lives in Centralia at 516 Linden.

1950



Donald Rees Birkner, ex '50, received his doctor of dental surgery degree June 4 from St. Louis University School of Dentistry. Birkner was honored this spring by election to Omicron Kappa Upsilon,

national dental honor society. Membership in the fraternity is restricted to 12 per cent of any graduating class. From Murphysboro, Dr. Birkner served with the Air Force during the Korean War.

Olive Boner teaches first grade in Edwards School in West Frankfort. Miss Boner, who received her two-year degree in 1929, lives at 212 E. Elm.

Jack Bullar is an insurance adjustor for General Motors. Married to the former Carolyn Sue Newton, ex '49, he is the father of Lu Ellyn, 3½, and Audrey Lee,

who will soon be two. The Bullars live in Mount Vernon at 618 S. 18th.

Russell W. Davis, ex '50, is assistant cashier of the Bank of Alton. His wife, the former *Jean Dake*, ex '50, and he have three children, David, 5, Jim, 3, and Lynne, who was born in January. The family lives at 1205 Main St., Alton.

Jim R. Friedline, ex '50, is a commercial pilot with Delta Airlines. His address is 609 Pine Ridge Dr., Forest Park, Ga.

Lois Foltz of 6006 Hohman, Hammond, Ind., is a librarian in East Chicago, Ind.

Tom Gher, Metropolis football and track coach last year, has resigned to go into private business at Carbondale. Gher formerly coached at Goreville High School and at Carbondale Lincoln Grade School.

Robert Hutchison, a member of the Herrin Township High School faculty since 1950, was named head coach in May.

Carl Jones, Jr., M.S., '52, is principal at Lakeland Elementary School in Carbondale. He and his wife and son, Timothy, live at 715 N. Bridge.

Frank W. Kassner of Paducah, Ky., is associated with Union Carbide Nuclear Company. He and his wife and small son, David Lee, live at 4135½ Minnich Ave.

James Lovin, M.S., '55, resigned in May as head football-track coach at West Frankfort High School to accept a similar job at Taylorville High.

Cecil E. Spain, ex '50, is sales representative for the San Francisco Division of Scientific Products. He and his wife live at 2311 Evergreen Dr., San Bruno, Calif.

Richard Vorwald and his wife (*Pat Colligan*, '50, '52) have moved to 6340 Simpson Ave., North Hollywood, Calif. Vorwald, who received his master's degree from SIU in 1952, is with Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

Rev. *Jerrold E. Williams* is pastor of Water Street Baptist Church in Pontiac. A graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, he received his B.D. degree in 1956. Mr. Williams is married to the former *Helen Hoffner*, ex '50, and is the father of three sons. They are Tommie, 6½, Philip, 3½, and Michael, who is 2.

1951

Glen Asselmeier completed work for his M.D. degree on June 21. He has been attending the School of Medicine, University of Illinois, in Chicago.

Mrs. *Melvin Bauer* (*Louise Lux*) and her husband and 3-year-old daughter Susan, live at 12 Manas Drive in Belleville. Mrs. Bauer teaches at Marissa Township High.

Ambrose F. Kiestler, 114 S. Vine, Harrisburg, is health educator for the Egyptian Health Department. Kiestler received his master of science in education degree from



The Peoria alumni met May 3 at Bradley University Wigwam, with *Erskine Lee Webb*, '51, president of the club, serving as toastmaster. Dr. *C. Horton Talley*, Dean of the School of Communications at Southern, was principal speaker. Dr. *Guy W. Lambert*, '33, national president of the Alumni Association, and *Robert Odaniell*, '51, alumni director, spoke briefly. *Jay King*, '51, field representative, was also in attendance. Officers elected for the coming year are *Ralph Norton*, '42, president; *Dwane Bruns*, '55, vice-president; and *Mrs. Harry Bauder* (*Irene Ayre*, '40) secretary.

Southern in 1954 and in June, 1956, he received the master of public health degree from the University of Michigan. He and his wife (*Mary Ann*, ex '55) have a daughter, *Kathryn Eileen*, who will be a year old next September 26.

Mrs. *Clarence Kroeger (Laura Jean Hammond)* writes, "I am living in Wood River at 1441 Ladd Ave. We have two children, *Richard*, 5, and *Dorothy*, 3. At present I am a housewife and am not teaching."

Mrs. *Edmund E. Kueker (Violet Hartman)* of Waterloo is a home economics teacher.

Sidney E. Smith of Carbondale is technical advisor of the Division of Highways.

John D. Sutter teaches in the Hammond, Ind., city schools and lives at 7814 Delmar Ave.

Lawrence Taliana, M.S., '52, is author of an article entitled "What Youth Worries About and Why" which appeared in the February edition of *National Parent-Teacher*, official PTA magazine. Taliana is working on his Ph.D. degree at Purdue University.

Carolyn L. Thomson is director of Christian education in Fort Wayne, Ind., where she lives at 2323 Fairfield Ave.

James M. Walker has been utilities maintenance shift foreman for Goodyear Atomic Corporation in Portsmouth, O., since 1955. Walker is married and has two children, *Gail*, 6, and *David*, 4. The family lives at 1413 Layton Dr.

1952

Richard L. Brown teaches social studies and language arts in the junior high school at Madison. He and his wife have a son, *Richard Gordon*, about 8 months old. Brown received his master's degree in education from St. Louis University.

John Capron teaches at Morton School in Cicero and lives in LaGrange at 620 S. Seventh Ave.

George A. Casleton, 505 N. Horn St., West Frankfort, is principal at Logan.

In June *Richard Durrant* received his master's degree from Michigan State. He will continue studying for another advanced degree. Last year he completed four years in the Navy. Durrant's East Lansing address is 204 Kedzie Dr.

Margaret Gillespie, who received her two-year degree in 1933, teaches at Centerville Station School, Cahokia Commonfields District 187, St. Clair County.

Lt. *William L. Green* is a pilot at Mather Air Force Base. His wife (*Betty Kleinmann*, ex '50) is working in civil service. They have a large trailer home and "love their work." The Greens' address is 3440 Fulton Ave., Cameltia Gardens, Sacramento 21, Calif.

Jack Hagler of 1225 Ridge Rd., Highland Park, is a reporter for the *Waukegan News-Sun*.

Marie Kern is recreation staff worker for the American Red Cross in Korea. Miss Kern received her master's degree from SIU in '56.

Dale W. Morris, Jr., of Salem is a draftsman and purchasing agent. He and his wife and her daughter, *Ramona Earl*, 4, live at 501 S. Franklin.

Samuel D. Nolan of Joliet is a claims representative for the Social Security Administration. Nolan and his wife have two daughters. *Linda Susan* is 4; *Donna Marie* is 8 months old. The Nolans live at 223 S. Chicago St., Joliet.

Don E. Sollars writes that he enjoyed meeting friends at the state basketball tournament last spring. Sollars is a livestock dealer. He and his wife and 2½ year-old daughter live in Potomac.

John Harlan Wittmer is pastor of the Ullin Baptist Church in Ullin, Ill. He and his wife have three children, two girls and a boy.

Michael W. Zekas, M.S., '55, is industrial education instructor at Jinks Junior High School in Panama City, Fla. Mrs. Zekas is the former *Virda Sill*, ex '52.

1953

Andrew Bitta is basketball coach at the high school in Westville where he lives at 312 Kentucky St.

O. Dean Calhoun, M.S., '55, is principal of McAllister-Lincoln School in Waukegan. He resides at 1400 Muirfield Ave.

Charles F. Chrestman is manager of

Chrestman & Company in Cairo. He and his wife and son, *Kevin Patrick*, who will soon be two, live at 526-30th St.

Donald R. Creus, 5512 Renwood, Peoria, is in the engineering department of Caterpillar Tractor Company.

Thomas A. Dougherty is an instructor at Ferris Institute in Big Rapids, Mich. He and his wife (*Nan Shelton*, '46) live at 228 N. Warren St.

Dr. *Eldon Evans*, ex '53, and his wife (*Wilma Aydt*, '54) moved to San Diego, Calif., this month. He is an intern in the U.S. Navy.

George Fogel is sales manager for Stephenson Service Company in Freeport. Fogel and his wife have a daughter, *Patricia Jane*, who is about 18 months old. The family lives at 833 S. 14th Ave.

Ivan I. Gibbs, M.S., '56, is superintendent of Rome Community Consolidated Schools in Dix. He and his wife and three children live on Route Five, Mount Vernon. The children are *Diane*, 8, *Greg*, 6, and *Brett Neal*, 5.

A career officer in the U.S. Air Force, Captain *Marion B. Hopkins'* address is AO 1910609, 2710th A.P. Sq. APO 393, San Francisco, Calif. He is married and has two children, *Linda* and *Samuel*.

Edmund E. Kueker, R. R. 1, Waterloo, is assistant farm adviser.

Ralph Moore is planning to register for the fall term at the International Training Centre for Aerial Survey. The address is 3 Kanaalweg, Delft (The Netherlands).

W. E. Nesbitt, who received his discharge from the Navy last December, has



Clifford S. Kantor and Robert D. Aydt (right) were graduated from Officers Candidate School at Newport, R.I., May 15. Ensigns Kantor and Aydt were both graduated from SIU in 1956. Kantor's service address is U.S.S. Bordelon (DDR 881), c/o FPO, New York, N.Y. Aydt is from Dahlgren, but we do not have his present assignment.

since been doing graduate work at Ohio State University. He is scheduled to receive his M.B.A. in accounting in December. Working as a graduate assistant, Nesbitt teaches 401 and 402 accounting courses. After graduation, he and his family plan to settle in St. Louis where he will again be in public accounting work with Arthur Andersen & Company. The Nesbitts' present address is 186½ E. Norwich Ave., Columbus 1, O.

Mrs. Clifton Neudecker (*LaDonne Deadmond*) teaches in the Cahokia Common-fields School. She and her husband live in East St. Louis at 400 N. 70th.

Walter Frank Page, 1359 Greenwood, Deerfield, is associated with the Harris Trust Company.

1954

Lt. *Henry F. Berg* is an instructor in the U.S. Air Force. His address is Box 264, SCAFB, Waco, Tex.

On April 26, *George R. Casey* and his wife received the master of religious education degree from Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary. On May 1, he began serving as minister of education at the First Baptist Church in Klamath Falls, Ore. Mrs. Casey is serving as church secretary and organist. Their address is 505 N. Ninth St.

Rev. *Kenneth L. Dean* is pastor of Harmon Methodist Church and a student in the School of Theology at Dubuque University. Dean and his wife have two children, Michael, 4, and Sherri, 2.

Lt. *Ada J. Harris* is stationed with Headquarters Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, on the Island of Oahu in Hawaii. Her mailing address is Wm. Co., H & S Bn., Hq FMF Pac, c/o FPO, San Francisco, Calif.

The former *Hazel A. Lowery* is now Mrs. Elvin Sykes. She and her husband live at 312 N. Saline St., Fredericktown, Mo.

Robert L. Silber is head of the science department at Central High School in Evansville, Ind. He and his wife have three children, Deborah, 7, Randall, 3, and Gregory, 19 months. Their address is R. R. 5, Wortmen Rd., Evansville. Mr. Silber teaches chemistry.

Jewell Yarbrough (Mrs. Everett) of 10756 S. Loomis, Chicago, teaches mathematics. She and her husband have a 4-year-old daughter, Portia.

1955

David D. Bollinger is an appraiser for Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States and is located in Peoria. He lives at 924 Hamilton, Apt. 211.

Mrs. Denzil Briley (*Kathryn Webber*) teaches in Benton.

Mrs. Thomas E. Drone, the former *Daisy Fink*, teaches third grade at Lodge School in Evansville, Ind. Mrs. Drone and

her husband live at 1905 Southeast Blvd.

Charles D. Freese studied at Baylor University this past year, and he and his wife live at 1705 S. Ninth, Waco, Tex.

Lt. *Robert D. Garrison* is stationed at Goodfellow AFB where he is an instructor in the basic multi-engine school. He and his wife and son are "certainly enjoying the friendly people and atmosphere here in San Angelo." The Garrisons' address is 212 LaSalle, San Angelo, Tex.

Mrs. Bill Joseph (*Phyllis Knight*) has been hired as librarian at Carbondale Community High School.

Joseph A. Kalla is physical education co-ordinator for grades 1-6 in the Hinsdale public schools. He lives in Chicago at 2854 W. 57th St.

Lt. *Edwin H. Krutsinger* of Louisville, Ill., is serving overseas with the 7030th Support Squadron. His APO number is 12, New York, N.Y.

2d Lt. *Alexander M. Low, Jr.*, has been transferred from Malden Air Base, Mo., to 3565 Nar-Tng Wing Class 57-QP, J. Conally AFB, Box 705, Waco, Tex.

2d Lt. *Lindel R. Martin*, M.S., '56, is in pilot training at Stalling Air Base in Kinston, N.C.

Delano Mowery, VTI, is in military service and has been stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. He hopes to complete his tour of duty in February, 1959.



2d Lt. *James Richard Jenkins* of Kankakee received his silver pilot wings April 12 in graduation ceremonies at Goodfellow Air Force Base, San Angelo, Tex. Lt. Jenkins completed primary pilot training at Moore Air Base, Mission, Tex., and basic multi-engine pilot training at Goodfellow. His present assignment is at Lockbourne AFB, Columbus, O. Before entering the Air Force, Jenkins was employed by the Illinois Central Railroad in Kankakee.

Kenneth S. Moxey is studying at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary for his bachelor of divinity degree. He and his wife and two children, Bonnie, 6, and Ernest, 1, live at E-2, Seminary Village, Louisville, Ky.

Donald Mueller, who received his master's degree in 1956, teaches personnel management at Scott AFB.

Mrs. W. C. Perkins (*Geraldine Brown-ing*), who taught last year in Murphysboro, will teach in Attucks School in Carbondale this fall.

PFC *Charles W. Rhinesmith's* present address is Billeting Sec. USAAC-J, APO 500, San Francisco, Calif. He is in Japan

and will return to the States in October when his address will be 3319 Bain Pl., Tyler, Tex.

Donald L. Roper will receive his master's degree from Southern in August. He has been serving this past year as a graduate assistant in sociology and anthropology.

Carol Schoenman, VTI, is a dispatcher in the office of Eastern Airlines in Chicago. She lives at 5659 S. Kildare Ave.

Bob L. Scrivner is in the heat treat and plating department of the Ford Motor Company in Chicago. He lives at 3318 W. 65th St.

2d Lt. *Ben A. Shuppert* has been transferred from Chanute AFB to 17th Field Maintenance Sq., Eglin AF Aux Field No. 9, Fla.

In April PFC *Lowell L. Smith* of Broughton was named Enlisted Aide for a Day to the commander of the First Division's 28th Infantry at Fort Riley, Kans. A mail clerk in Company A of the 28th, he was selected "for his soldierly appearance, knowledge of duties, and military courtesy." Smith entered the Army in September, 1955, and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

For the past two years *James R. Tosetti* has been studying at the University of Illinois' College of Medicine in Chicago. His address is Phi Rho Sigma, 816 S. Ashland, Chicago.

James Bryan Wilson, ex '55, is serving a four-year enlistment with the U.S. Navy. He is stationed in Hawaii. Wilson's mailing address is Div. G, U.S. Naval Radio Station, Navy 85, FPO, San Francisco, Calif.

1956

William T. Brown of Vienna was inducted into the Army on May 15. He had been serving as a graduate assistant in the geology department at Southern.

Stanley L. Evans has moved from New Athens to 1305 Julian St., Carlsbad, N.M.

Ernest J. Flota is an agent for the New York Life Insurance Company. He and his wife, *Luann*, '56, live at 103 Gerson, Godfrey.

Jennie Glaeser teaches at Scott Wherry School in Mascoutah. Miss Glaeser received her two-year degree in 1933.

Gloria Horsley will teach art in the seventh and eighth grades in Joliet next fall.

Frederick L. Kennerly plans to work on his master's degree this fall at the University of Missouri. At one time associated with the Aeronautical Chart and Information Center in St. Louis, he has been teaching social studies at Coolidge Junior High School in Granite City.

PFC *Donald A. Kilian* is serving overseas. His wife (*Patsy Hicks*) is with him.

Their overseas address is 8th Q.M. Co., 8th Inf. Div. APO 111, New York, N.Y.

Norma Lowry, who taught last term at Galatia Community High School, has accepted a teaching position in home-making at Waltonville for the coming year.

Henry T. Maddox is a student at the Chicago University School of Law.

Joseph I. Moss, 205 Park Road, Joliet, who teaches in the junior high school in Joliet is president-elect of the Joliet Teacher's Association.

Thomas J. Petersen has been attending Northwestern University and teaching at Amundsen High School in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. *B. Don Pigg (Evelyn Baggs)* are living at 1212 Quintard Ave., Anniston, Ala. Pigg is stationed at Fort McClellan.

Richard H. Reynolds will teach in Gary, Ind., this fall.

An ensign in the Navy, *Larry G. Riggs* is stationed at Norfolk, Va., where his address is CINCLANT Flt., BOQ, Building 21, Room B208.

Allan Rodgers has accepted a position for 1957-58 as director of Eliot Hall, a men's residence at Ball State Teachers College in Muncie, Ind.

Sara Schwartz is a speech correctionist at Kankakee, where her address is 757½ Myrtle.

Mildred Triebel is a recreational therapist in Galesburg St. Research Hospital.

WEDDINGS

1933

Mrs. *Lorene Thurmond* Warrick was married last December 24 to *Jessie Moore*. She and her husband reside at 604 E. Broadway in Johnston City.

1937

Marcelia Wollerman, ex '37, was married October 27, 1956, to *Louis H. Rives, Jr.* They live at 5638 W. Lovers Lane in Dallas, Tex. Mrs. Rives is secretary to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

1951

Word from the former *Lowenn Cook*, ex '51, brings news that she was married last August to *Stanley E. Land*, a Christian minister who received his bachelor of divinity degree this spring from Texas Christian University. Mrs. Land received the bachelor of science degree in religious education from Phillips University. She is head stenographer for National Educators Life Insurance Company in Fort Worth, Tex. The Lands' address in Fort Worth is 3000 Waits.

We find that the former *Evelyn Guthrie* was married almost a year ago—August 3, 1956—to *W. T. Van Slyke*. They live in

Lodi, Calif., at 406 Cherry Dr. She teaches in Stockton, Calif.

1955

Jane Ellyn Meyer was married March 1 to *Robert J. Armstrong* of San Francisco. The couple lives at 1054 Huntington Ave., E., San Bruno, Calif.

1956

Max E. Anderson and *Patty Lou Parson*, ex '56, were married last January 19 at the Crossville Methodist Church. Anderson is associated with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company at Granite City, where the couple lives at 2440A Madison Ave.

Lt. *Danny Cox* and *Mildred Louise Ahner*, ex '57, were married February 23 in the Zion Lutheran Church of Mascoutah. The groom is in the Air Corps. The couple lives in San Antonio, Tex., where Lt. Cox is in pre-flight training.

Nancy June Martin was married April 14 to *Sherrill W. Anderson* at the Glen Oak Christian Church in Peoria. The couple lives at 5305 E. Belmont in Tulare, Calif., where she is still teaching.

Pvt. *Thomas D. Schwartz* and *Kathryn Hooker*, '57, were married March 9 in the Methodist Church in Murphysboro. Schwartz is serving with the Army in Germany. His service address is 57th Engr. Depot (maint.), APO 227, New York, N.Y.

BIRTHS

1931

Frank C. Eovaldi, ex '31, and his wife, 1606 Spruce St., Murphysboro, announce the birth of *Mark Frederick* on March 24.

1937

Kent G. Taylor and his wife announce the arrival in February of *Marley Flynn* is 8. Taylor, who received his M.S. degree from the University of Illinois, is a chemist for A. E. Staley Manufacturing Company. He and his family live in Decatur at 649 W. Main.

1947

Dr. and Mrs. *John R. Boswell (Patricia Ann Murrie)*, '49) write that *John David*, born last November 26, is "making life very enjoyable for his sister, *Becky Lou*, age 3." The Boswells live at 105 W. Spring in Anna.

1948

Lawrence J. Rossel and his wife have a daughter, *Lynn Ann*, born last December 21. After leaving Southern and teaching for a year, Rossel went to Missouri University and received a B.S.E.E. degree. He is now assistant plant manager at Lever Brothers in St. Louis. The Rossels' address in St. Louis is 5930 Cates Ave.

1949

Mr. and Mrs. *Robert P. Enrietto (Mar-*

jory Moise, '47) of Pleasant Plains have a new daughter, *Cindy*, born last January 26. The other children are *David* and *Sallie*.

1951

Mr. and Mrs. *Glen R. Martin (Betty Davis)* announce the arrival of *Kevin Robert* on May 14. Kevin's sisters are *Kolina Kay*, 6, and *Kristie Lin*, 2. The Martins' address is 111 Hicks Rd., Kuala Lumpur, Malaya.

Mr. and Mrs. *Robert Odaniell (Marilyn Brewster)*, ex '52) are the parents of a second son, *Timothy William*, born May 27. Odaniell, alumni secretary at SIU, and his wife have a daughter, *Cora Ellen*, who is 5. David will be 4 in September.

1953

William McClure, ex '53, and his wife are the parents of a second son, *Steve*, born in March. Their other son, *Tom*, is 2½. McClure is a civil engineer for Goodell Engineering Associates. He received his B.S. degree in civil engineering from the University of Illinois.

1954

James R. Nordberg and his wife have a daughter, *Beth Ellen*, born last March. Nordberg is industrial arts instructor and freshman coach at Spring Valley. He and his family live at 503 W. Erie.

Donald L. Pratt, coach and athletic director at Girard, and his wife announce the birth of *Peggy Jo* the last of April.

Mr. and Mrs. *Martin Schrodel (Joyce Vancil)*, ex '49) are the parents of a son, born March 27 in Pinckneyville Community Hospital.

1955

Mr. and Mrs. *Gregory Conlon (Norma McArthy)*, 3207B-35th, Lubbock, Tex., are the parents of *Philip Gregory*, born May 3.

1956

Carroll D. Hampleman and his wife have a son, *Daniel*, who is now about eight months old. Hampleman and his family live at 8800 S. Roberts Rd., Oak Lawn. He is in radiation safety.

Harry Surwald, ex '56, and his wife (*Delores Kerwin*, ex '54) write that they have a new baby daughter, *Jeanette Mae*. Surwald completed the training program and is now a salesman for Crane Company in Lima, O. The Surwalds live in Lima at 662½ S. Elizabeth.

IN MEMORIAM

Lloyd Pepple died suddenly on March 20 in the Jefferson Memorial Hospital in Mount Vernon. A retired mathematics teacher, Mr. Pepple received both the B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of Illinois. He received a two-year degree from Southern in 1917.

Southern Sketches



Dr. H. R. Long

Dr. H. R. Long, chairman of the Department of Journalism, will be a visiting professor at the National Political University of the Republic of Nationalist China in Taipei, Formosa, next year. He will teach classes in its Graduate School of Journalism. In addition to teaching at the Chinese university, Long will conduct seminars for Formosan newsmen and will visit weekly newspaper editors as a representative of the National Conference of Weekly Newspaper Editors, which meets annually at SIU. He also will carry credentials from the national president of Sigma Delta Chi. Dr. Long will be accompanied by his wife. The two plan a trip around the world, by air, before returning to the SIU campus in September, 1958. They will leave the States at the end of the summer quarter . . .

Gustav Bohstedt, professor of animal husbandry at the University of Wisconsin since 1928, will serve during the coming school year as visiting professor in the SIU School of Agriculture. A native of Guissau, Germany, he is head of the animal husbandry department at Wisconsin . . . *Herbert L. Portz* assumed his new duties the first of July as assistant dean of the School of Agriculture. Portz received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Wisconsin and his doctorate from the University of Illinois. He has been serving as assistant professor of crop production at SIU . . .

Marking the first in a series of free campus entertainments to be featured this summer was the appearance June 20 of the Irish Players—Dermot McNamara and Michael Conaree—in excerpts from four dramas. Melvin Stecher and Norman Horowitz, duo-pianists, will present a recital July 11. Rod Strong, choreographer and dancer, will be presented July 16 in a program combining tap, ballet and modern dance. Pianist JoAnn Crossman and Donald Stenberg, baritone, a husband and wife team, will give a dual recital July 25. Pantomimist Harry Bartron will appear on the campus sometime during the summer. Those in the area are urged to watch their local newspapers for the date. All performances will begin at 8:00 p.m. in the air-conditioned University School Auditorium . . .

A traveling theater troupe, SIU's Southern Players, which stages adult and children's productions in communities throughout the Southern Illinois area, is planning a fall tour to replace its traditional spring trip. The eight towns booked on the October 14 to December 1 schedule are Greenville, Highland, Vandalia, Nashville, Sparta, Salem, Golconda and Rosiclare. Dr. Archibald McLeod, director of the theater, says this year's bill will include for the high-school-adult audiences either "The Importance of Being Earnest" or "The Glass Menagerie," and for the children's play it will be either "Flibertygibbet," "The Sleeping Beauty" or "Little Red Riding Hood." Students taking part in the tour are responsible for all technical and production aspects. In return they receive from two to 12 hours college credit . . . *The Southern Players* went to Kelso Hollow Theater at New Salem State Park June 17 for a series of six dramatic productions. Each play will run five nights. The first, on July 3, is "George Washington Slept Here." Others scheduled are "Our American Cousin," "The Shepherd of the Hills," "Abraham Lincoln," "The Skin of Our Teeth," and "A Midsummer Night's Dream." The last performance of the season will be on August 11. The park is 17 miles from Springfield. Season tickets for adults are \$5; single admission, \$1. Children under 14 will be charged 25c . . .

The Student Union held a *Dub-a-Dog* contest this spring to select names for the four Saluki pups. (The other three were returned to Pine Paddocks Kennels in Ohio.) The two creme puppies were named "Burydown's Desert Dusk" and "Burydown's Desert Dawn." "Dusk" is a male puppy; "Dawn," female. The black and tan male has been named "Lord Sundanya," and the black and tan female, "Lady Syriana." Becky Ferris named the creme Salukis, while Marilyn Epperson's choices for the black and tan were the winners . . .

Southern had four entries in the "Miss Illinois" competition. They were Dolores Ann Bell, who was crowned "Miss Mattoon" in May; Bobbie Jones, "Miss Wood River"; and Suzanne Garner, "Miss Salem." The fourth entry was Marilyn Michels who was crowned beauty queen of Mount Vernon on June 1. Miss Bell also received a \$500 scholarship with her crown. She had previously been named 1956 Iowa State Band Champ Queen and "Miss White County."