Holidays in Ethiopia

Happy New Year from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia! We celebrated the Ethiopian New Year in September and are going to celebrate their Christmas on January 7, 1959.

The highlight of our first Christmas here was the American community caroling in front of the Jubilee Palace on Christmas Eve. The Emperor and Empress listened from the balcony, and afterwards we were invited in for champagne and a buffet supper.

It was our first visit inside the new palace, and we were impressed with the beauty of the furnishings. We entered the reception room by fours —marched halfway to Their Majesties—curtsied or bowed and then stood on the side until everyone had entered. We left the room the same way—except that we had to walk backwards.

On Christmas Day our two children, Danny, nine, and Jeanie, seven, entertained 15 Ethiopian friends with movies, Christmas candy, nuts, and bubble gum. It was such a treat to see the enjoyment on those little faces —many of them had never seen a movie before.

Our stay in Ethiopia becomes more interesting every day as we learn about new customs and see new places. Dan has been able to travel over a large area visiting schools—many places are inaccessible by car and he has to go by plane, Land Rover, or horseback. He has also been able to do some hunting. His big trip is coming up next week when he is going out into lion country. He will try out his 300 H&H Magnum for the first time.

Our Southern Alumnus arrives a month after it is issued, but we enjoy every item in it. We would like to see more items in it about the graduates from the years 1947 through 1950.

Norma Drake Cox, ex '49
Dan Cox '49, M.S. '50
U.S.O.M., A.P.O. 319
New York, N. Y.

(Editor's note: Mr. Cox, SIU as assistant professor in the Teacher Training Department, is on a two-year leave of absence from the University to serve as educational adviser to Ethiopia under the State Department's Point Four Program.)

And From Turkey—

Please change our address to the following:
Capt. D. R. Dodson, AO-1104126
TUSLOG Liaison Office, Box 414
APO 254, New York, N. Y.

We left McGuire AFB in New Jersey by MATS (Military Air Transport Service) on 4 January and came to Ankara, Turkey, via Newfoundland, Scotland, and Germany. The entire trip was fascinating, but after a year in Arizona, we're all freezing to death.

I see so little news from the Class of 1943 in the Alumnus. We visited Marge and Paul Enrietto (Robert Morse Enrietto '47) briefly in Pleasant Plains while home for Christmas.

No doubt we shall meet up with someone else from Southern while here—in fact, we met Warren Peters, ex '40, in the PX here. He's an Air Force captain and was on temporary duty from Germany. We first met him in Biloxi, Miss., in 1955.

Our best to Southern; it amazes us continually how the place is growing.

Dorothy Downey Dodson '43
Donald R. Dodson '55

The American Traveler

I'm sorry I'm late with my membership dues, but I've been away from Los Angeles during the past few months.

I taught school at The Marian Colbert School of Individual Instruction again last year. On July 15 I started for Illinois and made the trip fine, driving alone with my little chihuahua. I visited relatives in Illinois. Later my husband joined me. We drove to the East Coast and visited places of interest along the way—coming back to California around the coast to Key West, the Tamiami Trail, to the Grand Canyon, Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, a tour through Hoover Dam and Carlsbad Caverns—12,500 miles. America is surely a wonderland.

Mrs. Henry Wahrenberg
(Chloe Nooner '31-2, '39)
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Southern Alumnus
In This Issue

Congratulations are in order, somewhat belatedly, to the Southern Illinois University Press, which had its third birthday in January. Age alone does not warrant special recognition to this department, but the outstanding job done despite its youthfulness is worthy of the attention and praise of people within and without the University.

The story about the Press appears on pages four and five.

In the book of by-laws, statutes, and regulations of the SIU Board of Trustees, a very official-looking and prosaic publication, Section One of Part One reads, “Board of Trustees Created. There is hereby created a body politic and corporate which shall be styled the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University to operate, manage, control, and maintain the University . . .”

Section Two goes on to say, “The Board shall consist of seven members appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice, and consent of the Senate, and the Superintendent of Public Instruction ex officio . . .”

In digging out material concerning the nature and function of the board, little could be found outside the board’s annals except the listing of its members in various publications. This seems to be the natural course of events. The board, upon whose shoulders rests a great responsibility, works along in its own quiet and unobtrusive way.

Because trustees serve without compensation, an expression of gratitude is little enough for the countless hours and unflagging efforts they expend for Southern Illinois University.

A survey of members shows that two attorneys, three bankers, a housewife and civic worker, a businessman, and an educator are on the Board of Trustees.

A salute to these fine people appears on pages six and seven.
Class of '58 Scatters to Jobs

SIU graduates of the Class of '58 have accepted positions in 26 states and 11 foreign countries, according to an annual report by Roye R. Bryant '28-2, '30, director of Southern's Placement Service.

Most of the record-breaking 1,121 graduates remained in Illinois, however. And of the total number of graduates who took jobs, 57 per cent are working in the southern 31 counties of the state.

Interviewers came from 25 states and the District of Columbia to recruit SIU graduates. Greatest demands were in the fields of teaching, accounting, marketing, insurance, chemistry, mathematics, statistics, and engineering.

"Although beginning salaries for graduates who enter the teaching field have increased each year since 1950, they still remain lower than those received by non-teaching graduates," Professor Bryant states.

The average annual salary paid

He volunteered for service after Pearl Harbor and was commissioned in the Air Force. Responsible for developing security training systems accepted throughout the Air Force, Colonel MacMillan later was appointed Inspector General of the Air Training Command, then the world's largest known military organization. Before coming to Southern he was serving with the Third Air Force in England.

Colonel and Mrs. MacMillan are on a vacation tour of Europe and the Mediterranean Sea area.

Lt. Col. Emmett Cockrum '31-2, '35, is in command of the SIU unit until Col. George H. Blase, strategic planner with the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Washington, arrives in August. Colonel Blase is the husband of the former Ferne Joan Johnson '39 of Harrisburg. They have four children.
SLU's University Center

Ground will be broken this spring for construction of Southern Illinois University's long-awaited University Center.

Contracts for the building have been signed with J. L. Simmons Company of Decatur, which already has several projects underway on the Carbondale campus. These projects are the Home Economics group, addition of the auditorium to Parkinson Laboratory, and nine small dormitory units west of Thompson Lake.

Bid calls for the imposing four-story center went out early in January and were opened February 10. Estimated cost was $3,795,451 and the Simmons' bid was $3,767,000. Eleven bids were submitted.

Construction of the University Center, to be located right where South Thompson Street now runs, is being financed by state and federal loans amounting to $4,600,000. Cost of the building will be paid through student union fees (which went into effect five years ago) and through services.

Burnham and Hammond, Inc., Chicago architects-engineers, are the architects for the center. SIU architect is Charles Pulley.

The center is designed to be built in three stages—"to grow as the University grows"—and finally will accommodate a student population of 15,000. The first stage of construction, to be completed by the fall of 1961, will be the most expensive part and will include all exterior walls, heating and plumbing facilities, and the finishing of 64 per cent of the interior. The rest of the construction will be done as the student population grows and as money becomes available.

University Center will contain a large cafeteria which can serve 3,000 meals a day and seat 500 persons at a time; a snack bar for 1,900 customers; a ballroom area; recreation area, lounges, bowling alleys (eight in first stage, 16 when final stage is completed in 1965), and other facilities. Private dining rooms, overnight lodging facilities, a ballroom lounge, and quarters for alumni gatherings are included in second-stage plans.

Leading to the center will be a broad campus drive. To the west will be Thompson Woods, a small forest in the center of the campus. One of the two terraces of the building will be a dining terrace looking out toward the woods.

University Center will replace the present student union, a modified barracks structure covering 9,120 square feet, including the University Post Office. The new building in its first stage will contain 122,282 square feet of space—and 250,000 square feet of space when finally completed.

Eight student unions throughout the country were studied prior to drawing of plans.

March, 1959
Southern Illinois University Press observed its third birthday January 15. Only a youngster in the highly competitive field of publishing, it has gained a reputation and a prestige that many of its older associates hope to attain in time.

There was no particular celebration, no cake with candles, as Director Vernon Sternberg and his small and highly talented staff went about their work to meet an ambitious and demanding schedule.

This spring the Press will publish three books—"Prescott and His Publishers" by C. Harvey Gardiner, SIU professor of history; "Fifty Years for Freedom: The Story of Sigma Delta Chi’s Service to American Journalism—1909-1959" by Charles C. Clayton, past president of Sigma Delta Chi and present editor of The Quill; and two editions of Walt Whitman, for collectors only a special limited edition of "A Whitman 1855-56 Notebook: Toward the Second Edition of Leaves of Grass," and a regular edition of the Notebook.

Eleven Publications

The Press has a list of 11 publications in its catalog of books—as well as a number of awards for distinguished work. First four books were "Shakspere’s Love’s Labor’s Won" by T. W. Baldwin; "The French Face of Edgar Poe" by Patrick F. Quinn; "The Major English Romantic Poets: A Symposium in Reappraisal" edited by Clarence D. Thorpe and others; and "The Rational and Social Foundations of Music" by Max Weber.


Awards for Work

The Press started collecting awards bright and early. In 1957 it received three—for "Indian Shakers" and "Shakspere’s Love’s Labor’s Won" from the Chicago Book Clinic, and for "Shakspere’s Love’s Labor’s Won" from the Midwestern Books Competition. In 1958 "Modes of Being" and "American Labor Unions and Politics" were among the 22 books selected by the 1958 Midwestern Books Competition as "the outstanding titles of the year in design and production."

"Modes of Being" has been selected by the U. S. Information Service for libraries overseas.

Southern Illinois University Press is the successor of the Southern Illinois University Editorial Board, which had published three books during its five-year period. Charles D. Tenney, vice president for instruction and head of the Editorial Board, is chiefly responsible for the establishment of the Press. Authorized in 1953, the Press came into being three years later as a University department.

The Press solicits and selects manuscripts, 40 per cent of which come from faculty members at Southern. After selection of a manuscript, the Press then edits, produces, warehouses, and ships the publication. Most of the actual manufacturing work is done by large book printers. A free-lance designer is selected for the designing of the publications.

Two principal reasons are behind the phenomenal growth of the Press: distinguished production and immediate publication. From a small operation it has grown international in scope. The Press has two foreign...
distributors—W. S. Hall and Company, of Amsterdam, Netherlands, and New York City, representatives for Europe, including the British Isles, and also Feffer and Simons of New York, for all export markets and overseas USA territories with the exception of Canada, Europe, Great Britain, and Japan.

Start of Press

Southern Illinois University Press is a member of the Association of American University Presses, a distinguished group of 42 members. To be admitted, a university press must be in operation a minimum of two years and must have published 10 books. That is the goal set by Mr. Sternberg when he assumed directorship of the Press early in 1956, and he lost no time in procuring it. In June of 1958 Southern Illinois University Press was listed as a member.

Vernon A. Sternberg, the first and only director the Press has had, came to Southern from the University of Wisconsin Press, where he had been an associate editor for three years. A native of that state, he had received his bachelor and master degrees in English from the University of Wisconsin and later did graduate work at the University of Oregon. Along came World War II, and he served three and a half years in the Navy. He still holds a commission in the Navy Reserves. He also has been on the faculty of the University of North Dakota.

His staff includes: two editors, Miss Sina Spiker and Raymond P. Fassel, both from the University of Wisconsin; a promotion manager, A. B. Mifflin; a secretary and office manager, Mrs. Marilyn Hails; and a billing clerk, Mrs. Carol L. Ferree.

Plans for 1959

The Press has scheduled the publishing of 10 titles during 1959. Great plans are underway for the

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A SALUTE TO THE

Chairman of the SIU Board of Trustees is John Page Wham '22-2, Centralia, member of the law firm of Wham and Wham. He has served on the board since 1949—as chairman since 1953. Mr. Wham comes from a prominent Centralia family and is a past president of the Rotary Club and the Chamber of Commerce in that community and a past director of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce. He has been a member of the board of directors of the SIU Alumni Association and of the SIU Foundation. He is a member of Sigma Chi and Phi Delta Phi.

The only woman on the board is Mrs. Stella Jennings Collins, wife of Walter E. Collins, ex '27, West Frankfort. She has served since 1953. She is active in a number of community organizations—P-PTA and Red Cross among them. In the Illinois Federated Women's Club she has been president of the 25th district, state chairman of the citizenship committee, and vice president and director of the southern region. She taught elementary school before her marriage and during 1928-33 was secretary to the commandant of the Air Corps Technical School, Chanute Field.

Lindell W. Sturgis, Metropolis, vice chairman of the board, has been a member since 1949. President of the City National Bank at Metropolis and a director of the Good Luck Glove Company and of Wilson Stove Manufacturing Company, he has served on the State Teachers College Board eight years and was chairman of the advisory committee. On the SIU board he has served on the executive committee. He is a native of Metropolis, where he is active in civic, service, and church groups.

Secretary of the board is Melvin C. Lockard, ex '24, president of the National Bank of Mattoon. He was appointed a trustee in 1953. He is a past president of the Illinois Bankers Association (in which he also had served as treasurer and vice president) and member of the executive council of the American Bankers Association. A native of Union County, he had been president of the First National Bank of Cobden and commissioner of Union County Consolidated Road District 1-A. He is married to the former Zella Mangold, ex '23, and they have a son, William.

Kenneth L. Davis '36, proprietor of The Athletic House in Harrisburg, was appointed to the board in 1949 and has served as secretary and member of the executive committee. Before entering business he taught in Illinois public schools for nine years and was Saline County superintendent of schools for eight years. He is a past president of the Harrisburg Rotary Club and is a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Phi Kappa. Mrs. Davis is the former Adelyn Hendrix, ex '36, and they have a daughter.

Since 1954 Harold R. Fischer has been a trustee. He is president and a director of the First Granite City National Bank in Granite City, being associated with it since 1942 and serving as president since 1946. He formerly was with the Union State Savings Bank and Trust Company in Kewanee, and later he did state bank liquidation work. He is past president of the Tri-City Chamber of Commerce, Quad-City Community Chest, and Granite City Optimist Club. He also is active in boy scouting, church work, and American Red Cross.

Newest appointed member of the Board of Trustees is Martin F. Oehnke, who has served since 1957. He is a member of the law firm of Oehnke, Dunham and Roman in East St. Louis and is a former master in chancery of the circuit court in St. Clair County. He is a veteran of both world wars and during the second one served as a lieutenant colonel in the Judge Advocate Office of the Army. Mr. Oehnke is a past president of the East St. Louis Bar Association. He is on the executive committee of the Board of Trustees and on the SIU Foundation Board.

Newest member is an old friend of the University—George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, who is an ex officio member since he took office in January as Illinois State Superintendent of Public Instruction. His entire career has been devoted to the field of education. He taught in rural and urban schools six years, then spent some 30 years as school superintendent, high school principal, and athletic coach and official. Before he took office he was Madison County superintendent of schools. He is second vice president of the SIU Alumni Association.
Campus News

SIU Board of Trustees has approved a long-term lease of Southern Illinois Airport facilities which will run, by renewals, for 20 years under a lump-sum arrangement and covers Southern's use of the airport for educational purposes.

The lease has been under study for some time. The University expects to expand its Air Force ROTC flight training program and to use airport facilities in other educational work, such as instruction in weather observation or ground school courses for non-military persons.

Radio or TV?

You can choose between radio or television for your class right in your own living room. SIU and St. Louis radio station KMOX are co-operating in presenting a 16-week radio course in child psychology.

The course, broadcast on Saturdays from 12:15 to 1 p.m., is open to any high school graduate or person over 21 years of age. Leslie Malpass, associate professor of psychology, is the instructor, and he discusses the day's lecture topic with guest authorities in such fields as pediatrics, education, and psychology.

Topics include the effects of heredity on child development, child rearing practices and their effect on behavior, teacher attitudes and child adjustment, delinquency, and other issues in the field.

Students receive a course outline and weekly lessons in addition to the course text. They are required to keep notes on the broadcasts and attend four two-hour classroom lectures held at both the Carbondale and East St. Louis campuses.

Southern took its first step into educational television by offering five hours of college credit to persons successfully completing the second half of a "continental classroom course" in physics over the NBC-TV network.

The second half, which started February 11 and continues through June 5, is televised from 6:30 to 7 a.m., Monday through Friday, over Channel Five in St. Louis and Channel Six in Paducah, Ky.

Dr. Harvey E. White, of the University of California, is teaching the course, which is called "Physics for the Atomic Age." Although it is designed primarily for high school teachers, SIU is allowing college upperclassmen, graduate students, and others who have completed one year of college physics to enroll.

Students must view the lectures, attend two-hour meetings on the Carbondale campus every other Saturday, and once a week mail answers to the problems assigned daily. There also are mid-semester and final exams.

Alaska on List

Weekly newspaper editors in Alaska have been added to the list of American journalists who may be nominated for the 1959 Elijah Parish Lovejoy Award for Courage in Journalism.

Nominations will be accepted from all 49 states until March 31 by the SIU Department of Journalism.

Established four years ago, the award honors small-town newspapermen who have exhibited editorial courage despite economic, political, or social pressures brought against them by members of their own community. Purpose of the award is "to encourage outspoken, yet responsible, participation in local issues and controversies on the part of weekly editors."

Nominations must be submitted in writing by one personally familiar with the circumstances of a weekly editor's courageous actions during 1958. The winner, to be selected by a jury, will receive the award July 19 during the National Conference of Weekly Newspaper Editors at Southern Illinois University.

The Lovejoy Award is named for the crusading Alton, Ill., editor who became the first martyr to a free press in America. He was killed by a mob in 1837 when he refused to cease publication.

First-Hand Experience

Under a program started last month Southern's student nurses are getting practical experience in their field at the Carbondale Clinic.

The seven nursing students who will be the first SIU nursing graduates are working two afternoons a week with clinic nurses. Under super-
vision of clinic personnel they take blood pressure, observe methods of handling patients, records, etc., and perform some technical nursing duties.

Purpose of the program is to acquaint the students with clinic procedures. Later this spring they will go to Chicago to work in the University of Illinois Educational and Research Hospitals.

Scholarly Aid

Next summer Southern will offer an expanded program previewing college science courses for area high school students.

Offered for the first time last summer, the series of no-fee, no-credit courses in microbiology, zoology, chemistry, botany, physics, and health education drew more than 60 prospective college students. These students not only endorsed the project by regular attendance but voted for adding more courses next summer.

Courses in geography, geology, sociology, mathematics, psychology, and economics probably will be added to the schedule. In evaluating the program at the end of the term, students were much in favor of expanding it to encompass freshman-level samplings in most of those fields.

Boning for C.P.A. Exam

Prospective certified public accountants will be given a chance to bone up on the tough C.P.A. examination problems in a spring term course scheduled at Southern.

“Advanced Accounting Problems,” a senior-graduate level course planned around questions drawn from recent C.P.A. exams, will meet from 8:20 A.M. to noon on Saturdays beginning April 4.

Ralph D. Swick, chairman of the Accounting Department, says the “coaching” course will be open to qualified C.P.A. aspirants in area industry.
Norbert Rumpel, freshman swimmer from Bavaria, broke his eighth record in four weeks February 7 when he shattered the American and National Collegiate breaststroke marks against St. Louis University.

With a capacity crowd at the SIU pool shrieking him home, Rumpel flashed to the win in 2:21.6, bettering the existing standard of 2:24.3 by 2.7 seconds. Southern won their fourth meet in five outings, 66-20, over the Billikens.

In only four weeks since joining the Salukis at the beginning of the winter term, Rumpel has sped to six school and pool marks. He narrowly missed the national records in his first home meet January 17, when he was clocked at 2:24.7.

Rumpel arrived on the campus just in time to participate in the Salukis’ second swimming meet of the year. The 6-2, 188-pound native of Schweinfurt in Bavaria, displayed beautiful form as he won his 200-yard breaststroke events with only three days of practice.

He lopped :20.1 off the school mark as he won against Loyola University of Chicago with a time of 2:24.6. This time is only three-tenths of a second slower than the American record of 2:24.3 established last year.

He then helped defeat the University of Chicago in a 20-yard pool, covering the distance in 2:23.9, which is only 2.9 seconds off the American standard of 2:21.

With four years of collegiate competition ahead of him, Rumpel is a cinch to break all existing breaststroke marks, according to the elated swimming coach, Ralph Casey.

“The boy is a wonder,” Casey says. “Anyone who can score two wins with only a few days’ work, and after a lay-off of four months, is in the top bracket of swimmers. He is able to set records that will stand for some time.”

Rumpel, who began swimming at Meiningen High School in Schweinfurt, is four-time German breaststroke champion at 100- and 200-meters. His first national title came in 1953 when he won both the 100- and 200-meter events in the times of 1:17.1 and 2:50.6 respectively. (Comparable U.S. events are the shorter 100- and 200-yard events. These records are 1:05 and 2:24.3.)

In 1954 he took the 200 in 2:47.2 and again in 1956, lowering the time to 2:42.0. Between times he branched out to compete at the Allgaeuer Skiing Championships in his native Bavarian Alps.

Before coming to America in 1957 to “choose my own career,” Rumpel worked in his father’s meat packing firm. In New York he worked for a company that imported German beer, and he swam for the New York Athletic Club.

Under the NYAC banner he captured the national AAU 200-meter breaststroke championship with a 2:47.8 clocking. After moving to Toronto to re-enter the meat packing business, Rumpel competed in the Canadian championships and won the 110- and 220-yard crowns. His last swimming effort, prior to his first collegiate meet for SIU, was in the Canadian championships in August, 1958.

Rumpel, competent in all swimming events, will concentrate on the breaststroke for the Salukis. His new duties in the American breaststroke, however, cast him in the role of sprinter.

“In Germany we swim more of an Olympic program—shooting for the longer distances,” he says. “Our efforts were turned more toward endurance rather than speed. I prefer the long course, but the shorter distance is exciting.”

At Southern Rumpel is majoring in business administration—and breaking swimming records.
Basketball

Harry Gallatin's high-scoring youngsters, on their way to breaking all existing school scoring records, ran their win streak to nine before succumbing to Wheaton's nationally ranked Crusaders, 79-73, in the vastness of Chicago Stadium.

The loss gave Southern a 13-7 record for Gallatin's first season at the helm. The Salukis also top the Interstate Conference standings with a 6-2 record, one-half game ahead of second place Illinois Normal and Western, tied at 5-2.

Charlie Vaughn, almost a shoo-in for all-conference honors his first year at SIU, needed only seven points to crack the single season individual scoring record going into the Eastern Illinois game February 13. Vaughn, of Tamms, has scored 479 points in 20 games to maintain an average of 23.9 points per game.

The old SIU mark of 485 points in one season was set by Tom Millikin, former Saluki great from Pinckneyville, in the 1950-51 season.

The Salukis are bound to break the season scoring mark of 1,771 points, needing only 17 going into the Eastern Illinois contest. Southern has an 87.9 average per game, fifth among NCAA small college listings, with 1,758 points.

Five games remain on the schedule, including four league games. Victories against Eastern Illinois, Eastern Michigan, Central Michigan, and Northern Illinois could insure Southern of at least a part of the IIAC crown—the first in 12 years.

Wrestling

Co-Captain Lee Grubbs, Overland, Mo., senior, is rounding out one of the most spectacular college wrestling careers in the Midwest as he leads the Salukis toward their second unbeaten season in a row.

Grubbs, after seven dual meets this year, has compiled a record of 79 wins, six losses, and one tie. He is unbeaten in dual competition over the last three seasons and has an unbeaten string of 27 straight running.

In building his win streak, Grubbs has paced the Salukis to a victory string of 20 straight, covering the last two years. Southern's last defeat was February 7, 1957, by Indiana, 19-9. Since then they have been unbeaten in dual meets, winning nine last year for the first unbeaten season in school history.

This year the Salukis opened with a 25-8 decision over Central Michigan and followed with wins over Illinois Normal, 23-9; Wisconsin, 23-9; Northwestern, 23-3; Ritenour YMCA of St. Louis, 27-3; Illinois, 24-4; and Indiana, 18-13.

Southern will try for its third Wheaton Invitational title February 20-21. The conference meet will be held here March 6-7.

Coach Stotlar Goes To West Indies

John W. (Bud) Stotlar '47, assistant professor and track coach at SIU's University School, has accepted a five-month State Department assignment to the Netherlands West Indies.

He was granted a leave of absence to accept the post with the International Education Exchange Branch of the U. S. Department of State.

Duties of the assignment include establishment and direction of physical education and athletic programs in the secondary schools of the island of Curacao.

Coach Stotlar will leave March 31 and return in August. Mrs. Stotlar, the former Monte Johnson, ex '47, and their two children, Connie, nine, and David, six, plan to accompany him or join him later.

A member of the Southern faculty and staff since 1948, Stotlar holds a doctor of physical education degree from Indiana University. He is junior high school basketball coach and high school track and assistant football coach at University School.

He is the son of Mrs. Constance Raymond Stotlar '08-2 and of the late John Y. Stotlar '02-2, of Carbondale.
Dr. H. K. Croessmann (right), Du Quoin optometrist who sold his extensive James Joyce collection to the University, shows one of his favorite copies of Joyce's "Ulysses" to Alan M. Cohn, SIU humanities librarian and a Joyce scholar. The collection will be invaluable for scholarly work in research and graduate study programs.

Joyce Collection at Morris Library

"At home" in SIU's Morris Library is "one of the nation's really significant collections" of James Joyce materials. It is the collection purchased for the University Library from a Du Quoin optometrist and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Harley K. Croessmann.

The purchase was made in December with the assistance of the SIU Foundation, a non-profit corporation for receiving and administering gifts and property. Moving of the papers, books, and pictures was done shortly after that, but months of cataloging will be required before the collection is available generally for use by faculty and students.

Ralph E. McCoy, director of libraries, says the Croessmann collection will be valuable for scholarly work in the University's growing research and graduate study programs.

James Joyce, a native of Dublin, Ireland, is an important and controversial European author who died in Zurich, Switzerland, in 1941. He is best known for his "Ulysses," which once was banned in England and America.

The collection includes important editions and translations of Joyce's works, writings about the author, materials in some way associated with him, much personal correspondence, and pictorial items. Included are most of the first editions of his writings, some signed and presentation copies of his books, and volumes from his personal library.

Outstanding among the correspondence items are the important papers of Herbert Gorman, Joyce's semi-official biographer, and all that is left of Joyce's exchange of letters with his German translator, Georg Goyert. Much of the Goyert correspondence was lost in the 1943 bombing of Berlin.

A comprehensive catalog will be published later by the library. Special facilities for housing the Croessmann collection and other rare collections are being planned in the Morris Library building.

Charles E. Feinberg, Detroit, who earlier presented a collection of private press books and Walt Whitman materials to the library, is adding items of his own Joyce collection and is contributing funds toward the Croessmann collection purchase.

The Southern Illinois University Press has scheduled for spring publication a book, "James Joyce Miscellany," which will contain selected articles about Joyce and his work. Edited by the Joyce scholar, Marvin Magalaner, the book will include an article by Dr. Croessmann and will contain numerous illustrations which chiefly are from the Croessmann collection.

Dr. Croessmann, who has practiced (Continued on page 15)
The Alumni Office machinery has been put into motion and soon will be going full speed ahead for a memorable Alumni Day on Saturday, June 13.

Ballots are being returned for candidates to the Legislative Council, the Achievement Awards Committee is holding huddles to consider nominations for these honors, reunion class representatives are being consulted regarding reunion programs.

There seldom is an idle moment in the Alumni House—and certainly never a dull one.

Reunions and the Alumni Banquet quite naturally hold the spotlight on Alumni Day. But many other events are being given full attention.

Classes ending in four and nine, and the youngsters of the alumni family, the Class of '58, will meet—to reminisce, compare notes, and enjoy congenial fellowship. Climax of the day is the Alumni Banquet in Woody Hall Cafeteria. Alumni Achievement Awards will be presented, as well as association life membership certificates, and the 50th anniversary alumni certificates.

An Alumni Luncheon will be held at the University Cafeteria for the alumni spending the day on campus. And to show off the campus in all its glory, plus the newest structures and those under construction, guided tours will be conducted all day. Alumni will be driven about, individually or in groups, anywhere they wish—Crab Orchard, University farms, Little Grassy Lake, as well as the immediate campus area more familiar to everyone. There is much to see, for the campus changes from day to day.

During the morning of Alumni Day, the Alumni Association Legislative Council, composed of one member of the association from each class of graduates, will hold its sixth regular meeting. It will elect three members of the Alumni Board of Directors. Those whose terms expire are Donald L. Bryant '40, Mrs. Ruth Keith Throgmorton '22-2, and Paul McRoy '34.

**Summer Camping**

For the second year of the Alumni Family Vacation Camp program, the Alumni Association is offering a new plan in addition to the one used last year.

For the “do-it-yourself” camper who likes to rough it, more or less, and has all of his own gear, these special rates are offered. For those who want to provide all of their own food and all of their own equipment, the rate will be $5 a week for the whole family for a site and participation in the recreational activities. For those who want to bring their own gear but wish to take their meals in the dining hall, the rate is $7 per couple per day, plus $2.75 for each additional member of the family.

Those who want to camp under the regular program—with everything furnished but the linens—the rates remain the same. For adults, $27.50; children 3 to 12, $22.50; and children under 3, $12.50. All meals are included—from Monday morning breakfast through Saturday breakfast. Meals are served by a staff of cooks.

The dates for the two weeks are August 16 through 22 and August 23 through 29. Reservations must be made by Wednesday, July 15, and must be accompanied by a check in the amount of one-fifth of the week’s total cost for the family.

Since the program is open only to members of the association, non-members wishing to take part must also enclose $4 for a one-year membership.

All types of outdoor activity will be available, and campers can participate in as many or as few as they wish. Here is what is available at Little Grassy—swimming, boating, canoeing, fishing, horseback riding, archery, rifle range, skeet shooting, handicrafts, hiking, nature studies, and all types of group sports.

Or if you want to just loaf and relax, there will be ample opportunity and many ideal spots for that wonderful pastime.

Recreational activities are supervised by a full complement of trained counselors. A nurse will be on duty for health service.

**Club Meetings**

The roster of alumni clubs holding spring meetings is filling up rapidly. Here is the list to date:

**Perry County**—An alumni meeting will be held Thursday, March 26, in conjunction with the Perry County Teachers Institute at a luncheon at noon in the Pinckneyville High School. President Clarence A. Reeder '24-2, '35, is in charge.

**Saline County**—Friday, April 3, is the date for the spring gathering of the Saline County Alumni Chapter. The place is the Harrisburg Junior High School. Refreshments will be served following the program. Dr. John D. Slightom, ex '42, is president.

**Springfield**—George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, Illinois Superintendent of Public Instruction, will be guest speaker at the spring meeting of the Springfield Area Alumni Chapter Saturday, April 4, at the Southern Aire.
Dinner is $2.50 and will be served at 7 P.M., preceded by a social hour beginning at 6:30.

**White County**—Spring meeting Friday, April 10, at Norris City High School, Norris City.

**Franklin County**—A dinner meeting will be held by the Franklin County Alumni Chapter at 7 P.M. at the West Frankfort Country Club Saturday, April 11. President is Willard L. Zimbleman '39, M.S. '51.

**St. Clair County**—April 17.

**Macoupin County**—Macoupin County Alumni Chapter will meet for a dinner meeting Tuesday, April 21, at 6:30 P.M. at the Fireside Inn, on Route 138 in Benld. Parents of students from that county are invited. President Charles R. Heinz '50 is in charge.

**Wayne County**—Prof. Arthur E. Lean, chairman of administration and supervision in education at SIU, will be the speaker at a dinner meeting at 6:30 Friday, April 24, at the Holiday Motel in Fairfield.

**Kankakee Area**—Organizational meeting Sunday, May 3 in Kankakee.

**Madison County**—Spring meeting of the Madison County Alumni Chapter will be held Monday, April 27, at the Horace Mann School in Alton. Refreshments will be served following the program. President Paul Morris '55 is in charge.

**Macon County**—Tuesday, May 5, is the date for a dinner meeting of the Macon County Alumni Chapter. Place is the Colonial Room in Decatur. Time is 6:30 P.M. Prof. Ralph A. Micken, head of the SIU Speech Department, will be the speaker. President C. Wayne King '50 has charge of the meeting.

**Evansville, Ind.**—SIU alumni of the Evansville, Ind., area will meet Thursday, May 7, at the Shrine Mosque (Hadi Temple), at Riverside and Walnut in Evansville, for their spring meeting.

**Chicago Area**—Speaker at the spring meeting of the Chicago Area Alumni Chapter Saturday, May 9, will be Superintendent of Public Instruction George T. Wilkins '29-37. A social hour and dinner will be held at Toffenetti's.

**Peoria Area**—President Euell Lindsey '37 is chairman of the spring meeting of the Peoria Area Alumni Chapter. Superintendent of Public Instruction George T. Wilkins will be the speaker at the meeting Monday, May 11, at the Ivy Club.

**Williamson County**—Herschel W. Ellis '46, M.S. '49, Herrin, president of the Williamson County Alumni Chapter and chairman of the spring meeting, has arranged a dinner meeting for Tuesday, April 14, at the Marion Junior High School Cafeteria. John H. Clayton, Jr. '41, Williamson County judge and former Chicago juvenile court judge, will be guest speaker. Musical entertainment also is planned for the program.

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**SIU Press**

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October publication of "The Ordeal of Southern Illinois University" by George K. Plochmann, associate professor in SIU's Department of Philosophy. Along with the book will be a portfolio of nine paintings, and this is being done by Mrs. Plochmann.

Contracts have been signed for a mammoth 10-volume history, "Day-by-Day Account of the London Stage, 1660-1800" by Dr. George Winchester Stone, Jr., professor of English at New York University. Many publishing houses have sought this work, and it will be by far the largest undertaking of the Southern Illinois University Press to date—another important milestone in the Press' own short but impressive history.
Alumni in the News

Former Teacher Honored
On 79th Birthday

Birthday cards arrived by the dozen recently at 1009 St. Louis Street in Edwardsville. They came from all over the country—from Florida, Missouri, Indiana, Minnesota, Georgia, Tennessee, California, Mississippi—and from as far away as Kaiserslautern, Germany, and Winnipeg and Toronto, Canada, but most of them were from Illinois.

These greetings were sent to C. Cooper Groves ’00-2, in honor of his 79th birthday, by former students.

Mr. Groves taught high school for 25 years—starting at Altamont and ending in Chester. In between, he had taught at Sumner, Nashville, Collinsville, Greenville, Edwardsville, and Neoga. He taught science and mathematics and helped direct and coach school musicals.

After he retired from teaching, Mr. Groves worked for the Madison County Title and Abstract Company in Edwardsville for 25 years.

He never lost his interest in youth or his desire to be active and lead a useful life. Five years ago he formed what he calls his "Boys Club." After his wife's death, he turned his home into a meeting place for neighborhood boys. Eight members were in the original group, and since then as many as 50 boys have been to his home at one time or another.

The barrage of mail was a complete and happy surprise to Mr. Groves and was instigated at Nashville when a story appeared in the community newspaper.

Elected New President
Of Traffic Club

A veteran railroader in Carbondale is the new president of the Transportation Club of Little Egypt. He is Winton E. Walkup, ex ’16, district traffic agent for the Illinois Central Railroad.

Mr. Walkup has been with the railroad 41 years, the last 32 years in the traffic department at Carbondale.

He is a member of the SIU Foundation, a director of Southern Illinois Incorporated, and a member of the Illinois State Chamber of Commerce. He is a past commander of the Donald Forsyth Post 514 of the American Legion, past exalted ruler of BPOE Lodge 1243, past president of the Carbondale Business Men's Association and of the Sphinx Shrine Club, and a former commissioner for the City of Carbondale.

Mrs. Walkup is the former Helen Foley, ex ’13.

One of the new directors of the transportation club is Ralph McBride ’38, owner of McBride Express Company in Marion. Mrs. McBride is the former Verniece Helm, ex ’38.

Joyce Collection ...

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optometry in Du Quoin for 33 years, first became interested in Joyce in 1923 while a student at the Northern Illinois College of Ophthalmology and Otology in Chicago. He saw in a book dealer's shop a smuggled copy of Joyce's newly-published "Ulysses," which was banned in this country at the time. However, most of his collecting dates from 1948 when he met another Joyce collector, James F. Spoerri.

Most of the Croessmann collecting has been done by correspondence. The optometrist has been in touch with most of the private Joyce collectors in this country and abroad. His collection compares favorably with the Joyce collections of Yale, Cornell, Kansas, and Buffalo universities.

Also in the collection Southern acquired a number of important items of early printing, including a page from the famed Gutenberg Bible, a page from the Catholicon of 1460, and other books printed before 1500 A. D.

March, 1959
1885
A message in January from Mrs. Katharine Griffith Rawson, ex '51, read, "John E. Miller, 16 SOUTHERN ALUMNUS underway. She is writing an account of old sister went to the hospital a couple of weeks back to health." Mr. Miller, a teacher and school administrator for 57 years, was honored November 20 by the Optimist Club of East St. Louis as the world's oldest active Optimist. Mr. Miller has another distinction—he is also still there. Both are progressing slowly back to health.

1893
Mrs. Frank L. Moss (Sarah Curtis, 2), of Paris, in eastern Illinois, who leads a very busy life, has an ambitious project underway. She is writing an account of old times, customs, etc., of Edgar County for her younger grandchildren—and having lots of fun doing it.

1897
Continuing loyalty is displayed by James T. Kirk, of 1120 West Church Street, Champaign, who sent in his membership dues recently. Mr. Kirk is the son of the late Prof. James Kirk, who was superintendent of the Training School at Southern when he was a student. He is a retired high school principal, superintendent of schools, and college professor.

Two sisters and two brothers also are alumni. In Kankakee are Vida '02, retired school teacher and assistant bank cashier, and Mary '02, retired teacher. Donald D. '06 is in Chicago, an accountant for the city, and his twin brother, Bonam Lee '06, is an attorney in Champaign.

1899
Sixtieth Reunion
June 13, 1959

1902
Mrs. Lillian Tanner Hoyt, 2, who divides her time between Mt. Vernon, Ohio, and Ft. Worth, Texas, has returned to Mt. Vernon, where she is living at 315 Adamson Street.

1904
Fifty-fifth Reunion
June 13, 1959

1909
GOLDEN REUNION
June 13, 1959

1914
Forty-fifth Reunion
June 13, 1959

Sympathies are extended to Mrs. Bertha Klopfer Huddle, 2, whose husband, H. Elmer Huddle, died April 16, 1958. Mrs. Huddle now is living at 1205 Main Street, Highland.

1915
Mrs. Harold M. Meisenheimer (Pearl Rendleman, 2), is a substitute teacher in the Anna schools. She has been teaching in the schools of Union County for the last 10 years. Two children are Jasper David and Mary Francis.

In Portland, Oregon, Mrs. Harley W. Covalt (Bessie Smith, 2) lives at 2316 North East Tillamook, Portland 12. For many years she was a teacher in the Portland High School. She and her husband both are graduates of the University of Oregon.

Ruth Wilhelm, 2, a Household Arts graduate, lives in Carbondale. She is retired, working from time to time for W. B. McGinnis' women's apparel shop in the University community.

1916
Floyd P. Bracy, ex, Herrin insurance dealer, recently was re-elected president of the Herrin Chamber of Commerce. Ray Hubbs, ex '13, is executive secretary of the group.

Cecyl B. Davis, 2, who retired in 1954 from teaching and who at one time was on the faculty of George Deen High School in Santa Cruz, Calif., is living at 945 Larkin Street, San Francisco 9, Calif.

1917
Mrs. Gale Morrison (Ruth Margaret Liller, 2) writes that she and her husband have just built and moved into a new home at 610 South Calumet in Marion.

In Traverse City, Mich., the address for Mrs. Chester L. McGlothlin (Vera De Viney) is Route 3, Box 114. She has two children—Harold and Esther.

Bertha M. Moyer, 2, P.O. Box 91, Montara, Calif., says that she has located several old friends through the Southern Alumnus. She is a retired U.S. Health Service hospital dietician.

Mrs. Max A. Springer (Lena Mary Westernman, 2), La Grange Park, teaches at Nazareth Academy, girls' high school. She taught before her marriage in 1921 and returned to the profession after her four children were grown.

1918
New address for Mrs. Simon E. Hunt (Marion Clancy, 2) is Richmond, Mass. She formerly lived at Mineola, N.Y.

Fortieth Reunion
June 13, 1959

1921
John Paul Foster, 2, of 228 Walter Hays Drive, Palto Alto, California, is assistant property manager for Allstate Insurance Company. A law graduate of the University of Illinois, he formerly was operating manager for Allstate. He is married and
has two children, Judith Lynn and John Arlan.

Mrs. Daisy Edwards Briley, 2, retired school teacher, lives at R.R. 2, West Frankfort. She has two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Pickard and Mrs. Mildred Hicks. Her husband, Wesley Briley, ex ’16, died in 1953.

In Du Quoin Mrs. Zyphora Maclin Willi, 2, lives at 509 East Main Street. She has two sons—Donald and Justin.

1924
Thirty-fifth Reunion
June 13, 1959

Capt. Julia M. Mikals (Mikalauskas, 2), physical therapist in the U.S. Air Force and member of the military forces since 1943, has been transferred from Parks Air Force Base in California to Fairchild Air Force Base in Washington. Her address is 4162 USAF Hospital, SAC, Fairchild AFB, Washington.

Pamela, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lossie E. Morris, 2 (Pauline J. Morris, ex), Collinsville, was married during the Thanksgiving holidays to Gary Klein, also of Collinsville. Both are students at Southern. Mr. Morris is in the insurance and real estate business.

1925

Mrs. Robert Ullom (Lois Rutger, ex) Nashville, teaches in the Mascoutah Junior High School. She has two children, Tom and Sandra.

Mrs. Nona Winn Matheny, ex, has moved from Elizabethtown to Springfield, where her address is 114 East Cook. Her husband, A. R. Matheny, was county clerk of Hardin County 15 years before he died at Rosiclare in 1956.

1927

Mrs. Mary Martha Brown Stoever ’25–2 now lives at 924 Manzano Avenue, N.E., in Albuquerque, N.M. Her husband, Herman J., is with the mechanical engineering department of the University of New Mexico. They formerly were at Ames, la., at Iowa State College. They have two children, William and Susan.

Mrs. Thora Seal Holloway, ’25, 55, Carbondale, teaches mathematics, English, and physical education at Vergennes High School.

In renewing her membership in the Alumni Association, Mrs. E. J. Sanders (Madge Troutt ’21–2) sent along this message—“Just keepeth the worm. I don’t needeth it. We have plenty out hereth.”

“Hereth” is 1013 North Oakland in Carbondale.

1928

Mrs. Thelma Shackleton Cripps, 2, ’57, teaches third-B grade in the Detroit, Mich., public schools. She and her husband, Oral C. Cripps, have seven children, and live at 1282 Montclair, Detroit 14.

1929

Thirtieth Reunion
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Mrs. Virgil L. Davis (Pauline Davis, 2) sells real estate in Tucson, Ariz. She lives at 5725 East Sixth Street.

1930

Ray A. Williams ’27–2 is regional manager for the Niagara Chemical Division of Foods Machinery and Chemicals Company. He and Mrs. Williams recently moved from Ayer, Mass., to 60 Crescent Road, Leominster, Mass.

1931

A man with a dual career is George B. Campbell, ex, of Coffeyville, Kan. He is operating engineer for the CO-OP Refinery (with which he has been associated since 1946) and also minister of the First Christian Church at Mound Valley, Kan. His son, George Bryan, is a seminary student.

1932

Dr. Dan Foley is a physician and surgeon in Edwardsville. He is a graduate of the Chicago Medical School, Class of 1943. Mrs. Foley is the former Jean Smith, ex ’37, and they have two daughters, Alice and Mary. Mrs. Smith, ex ’52, wife of Thomas A. Vought ’58, South Roxana. Dr. Foley formerly practiced in Carbondale and was associated with Doctors Hospital.

Mrs. Paul F. Mackey (Lois Mallory ’30–2, M.S. ’83) teaches in the Herrin city schools. Her oldest daughter, Paula, is a freshman at Southern. Two other children are at home—Janis, 16, and Paul, 13.

1933

News of two members of the diastaff side of the class—

Ella W. Ellington, 2, is teaching in the schools of East St. Louis.

New address for Mrs. Earle V. Gardiner (Winona G. Haynes, 2) is 8011 Kengam Avenue, Los Angeles 45, Calif. She formerly lived in Canoga Park, Calif.

1934
SILVER REUNION
June 13, 1959

Sympathies are extended to Inda Norman Alexeychik, 2, whose husband, R. J. Alexeychik, died last June 25. She is teaching in the Chicago schools and at the end of the term will go to Jackson, S.C.

1935

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Holshouser (Helen Hauss ’34), who recently moved from Pittsburgh, Pa., to Benton, Ark., have moved again—this time to 800 Ridge Crest Drive, Little Rock, Ark. Mr. Holshouser is a buyer for the Aluminum Company of America. They have two children—Noel, 17, freshman at Purdue University, and Judith Ann, age six.

Frances K. Phillips, assistant professor of health education at SIU, has been named a member of the Illinois Joint Committee on School Health. She will represent the Illinois Public Health Association on the committee, organized two years ago as an advisory body to the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Department of Public Health.

At Morton Grove Mrs. Hayward Stovall (Jean E. Hughes, 2) is on the faculty of Melzer School. She is attending night school at Northwestern University and Chicago Teachers College to complete work on her bachelor’s degree. She and her family, including David, 18, Ruth, 15, and Dennis, eight, live at 5603 Kirkwood Road, Rolling Meadows.

1937

After receiving his Ph.D. from the State University of Iowa last August, John B. Whitlock joined the faculty of the University of New Hampshire as assistant professor of music education. He and his family, including John L., Stanley, and Susan, live at 15 Mill Road in Durham, N.H. At SUI he was associate director of bands and instructor in percussion instruments.

George S. Blette is doing industrial relations for Western Electric Company in Oklahoma City, Okla. He is married and has two sons, Philip and Karl.

At Mare Island Naval Shipyard in San Francisco Bay, California, John H. Allen is assistant head of the training division, one of the Navy’s largest civilian training programs. He and his wife, Anna Belle, have two children, Barbara Joanne, 21, and James E., 19. They live at 27 El Camino
Financial Alumni Are Many

Want to borrow a buck? A number of SIU alumni are in the banking business, and in recent stockholders’ meetings several were elected as officers or directors.

President of the Carbondale National Bank is J. Everett Etherton, ex '08. On his board, of which he is a member, are his son, William C. Etherton, ex '38, vice president and cashier; Dr. John S. Lewis, ex '31, Carbondale physician and surgeon; and F. M. Hewitt, ex '27, pharmacist and owner of Hewitt’s Drug Store in the University community.

At the First National Bank of Carbondale Glenn W. Storme '29-2 has been promoted from cashier to executive vice president. Mrs. Margaret Reynolds Hoye, ex '30, is assistant cashier in the savings department. Re-elected as directors were Mr. Storme, Warren Gladders, ex '37, Tom H. Mofield, ex '28, Walker A. Schwartz, ex '11, and Clarence E. Wright '23-2.

Goffrey Hughes '24-2, '27, Christ­opher, executive director of Southern Illinois Incorporated, has been re-elected a director of the Bank of Christopher.

At the 59th annual stockholders’ meeting of the First National Bank of Cobden, G. Wallace Rich '50 was promoted from cashier to president. Former president Melvin C. Lockard, ex '24, was named chairman of the board of directors. He is president of the National Bank of Mattoon.

In Marion Wayne Green, ex '36, was re-elected vice president and director of the Bank of Egypt. He is owner of Green’s Paint and Wall­paper Store in Marion.

Real in Vallejo, Calif.
Loren F. Travelstead, ex, of Marion, is working for Caterpillar Tractor Company, Peoria.

1939

Twentieth Reunion
June 13, 1959

In November Norman W. Beck was re­elected county superintendent of schools of Monroe County for his third term. He lives at 806 North Metter in Columbia.

1940

In Mt. Vernon Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Boswell (Wilma Barnard, ex) both are on the faculty of 12 in the Summersville Grade School, which has an enrollment of 315. Mr. Boswell is teaching the eighth grade and coaching, and his wife, who is continuing her work for a bachelor’s degree, is teaching the first grade.

Gene House is a salesman for Ryan Equipment Company, St. Louis. He, his wife, and two children—Martha Jean, 16, and John Keith, 11—live at 830 Bellarmine Lane in Florissant, Mo.

1941

The annual June Vick Memorial Style Show and Luncheon were held in January on the SIU campus. Sponsored by Beta Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, it is held to raise funds for scholarships for two girls who plan to attend Southern.

June Vick, member of Beta Xi chapter, died in 1942. She began losing her sight when she was a junior in high school and, despite an operation, later became totally blind. She was graduated from SIU with honors and by the time of her death, at 28, was nationally known for her braille translations.

1942

Spencer A. Bullard has joined the Martin Aircraft Company in Denver, Colo. He lives at 1780 Meadowbrook Drive, Little­ton, Colo.

Eleanor J. Thompson is teaching busi­ness subjects at Chester High School.

1943

Russell D. Meredith, ex, is farm adviser for Cass County. He lives at 221 East Springfield, Virginia, with his wife and two sons, Roger, 10, and David, seven.

1944

Fifteenth Reunion
June 13, 1959

Concerning Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prelec, Jr. (Jessie Ruth Blankenship '45), 5655 Allandale Drive, North Olmsted, Ohio, Mrs. Prelec writes: "Joe is still meteorologist for the United States Weather Bureau and works at the Cleveland Hopkins Airport. Anyone from SIU who is flying this way may contact him in the office on the second floor of the Terminal Building or call CL 1-4000. Our home phone is SP 7-3152. I am a teacher for the Cleveland Board of Education and am doing post­master's work at Western Reserve University."

1945

In Alexandria, Va., Mrs. Don Mont­gomery (Retta Grace Witzel) is a social worker with the Alexandria Welfare De­partment. She lives at 154 Cambridge Road in Alexandria.

1946

Lebern N. Miller, M.S. '49, is an associate professor of education at Trenton, N.J., State College. He, Mrs. Miller, and their two daughters, Jeanine, five, and Tina, two, live at 2196 Pennington Road, Trenton 8.

Two alumnae are continuing or resum­ing their education in New Mexico. Vir­ginia B. Heflin is serving as a graduate assistant in the School of Teacher Educa­tion at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales. She is working on her thesis, “Laboratory Materials and Methods for Teaching Arithmetical Understandings,” and expects to receive her master’s degree in May.

Virginia Sullens Foltz, ex '49, wife of Harry B. Foltz, is a junior in New Mexico A. and M. College, enrolling after working for the government on the guided missile project at White Sands, N.M. Mr. Foltz is assistant principal of Las Cruces High School. They live at 1821 Boxton Drive in Las Cruces.

Also out west is Morris Polan, ex, who is chief of reader services for the Los Angeles State College Library. He, his wife, Cecelia, and their two daughters, Miriam, nine, and Ruth, eight, live at 11130 Greenlawn Avenue, Culver City, Calif.

1947

Class members in the teaching profession:
Aria E. Burris, ex, is a teacher at the Dunbar School in East St. Louis.

In Mt. Vernon Mrs. Leo Harlow (Ruth Hails Harlow, ex, '58) is teaching the educable mentally handicapped students at Summersville Grade School. She has
three children, and lives at 1010 Lamar.

*Curtis Lee Englebright,* ex, '58, is a teacher-coach for the seventh and eighth grades in the Wayne City Grade School. And in Paris Marion K. Blythe, M.S. '58, is principal of the Tanner Elementary School. His wife is the former Marjorie M. De Lap '49, M.S. '50.

At the University of California in Davis, Calif., John C. Lingle is an olericulturist—a member of the staff of the vegetable crops department.

*John B. Brush* is with the Soil Conservation Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Carmi. Mrs. Brush is Laura Jarrett, ex '46.

1948

*Robert Gene Isom,* ex, is a student of medicine at Marquette University, Milwaukee. He is married and lives at 4554 North 49th Street, Milwaukee 18.

Another appointment for *Donald R. Grubb,* assistant professor of journalism at Southern—he has been named to the Committee on Journalism in Secondary Schools of the Association for Education in Journalism. He also is director of the Southern Illinois School Press Association.

1949

Tenth Reunion
June 13, 1959

*Bertis Lee Jones* is director of neighborhood councils for United Community Fund of San Francisco. He is writing his dissertation for a doctor of education degree at UCLA. The Jones family, including wife, Betty, son, Larry, 13, and daughter, Linda, six, live at 1309 Cleveland Avenue in San Mateo, Calif.

The honor of national circulation for a series of ads was awarded in January to *Edward L. Randolph,* ex, classified advertising manager for the *Southern Illinoisan,* Carbondale, since 1955. The January issue of the "Used Car Salesman," a nationally distributed trade publication, reprinted his series entitled "Sports Car Quiz" as an example of good advertising. Last July the magazine ran Mr. Randolph's series dealing with real estate sales.

*June Lee Gross* is assistant coach and teacher at Ottawa High School. He is married and has two sons.

In Murphysboro *James R. Williams,* M.S. '58, is principal and teacher at Orchard Hills Elementary School. Mrs. Williams is the former Bette Louise Bellm, ex '46, and they have four children.

From Western Reserve University in Cleveland where he was a research associate, *William Zebrun* has moved to the University of Texas in Dallas to become an instructor in its Southwestern Medical School. His address now is 3105 Rosedale, Dallas 5, Texas.

*Warren Van Arsdalen,* Jr., ex, is a physical therapy assistant in the Eugene du Pont Hospital, New Castle, Del. And his wife, Jeanne, live at 425 Moore Avenue in New Castle.

Principal of the Tuscola High School is *Charles B. Whalen,* M.S. '52. He and Mrs. Whalen (Helen Elizabeth Masters, ex '46), and their two children, Charles Baxter, Jr. and Elizabeth Ann, live at 215 East Daggy Street in Tuscola.

1950

At recent ceremonies at Indiana University *James W. Burch* was initiated into Beta Gamma Sigma, national honor fraternity. Membership is the highest honor bestowed by a college school of business on a graduate. Mr. Burch teaches business education at the Woodstock High School, and his wife (Mabel Jones, ex '47) teaches second grade in the Woodstock Elementary School.

On the teacher list are—*Maxine Mann,* M.S. '58, primary teacher at Cahokia Commonfields Unit. She lives at 37 William Avenue, Apt. 4, Belleville. *James R. Lightle* is an art teacher in St. Charles. He and his wife, Betty, have a two-year-old daughter, Mildred Alyce.

At Taylorville *Earl B. Byers* teaches in the junior high school. He is married and has three children—Cathy, Rosemary, and Roger.

And in Christopher *Glenn R. Byars,* M.S. '58, is coach of the junior high. He and Josephine Venegoni Byars '49 have a son, James Randall.

*Charles A. Aiken,* ex, lives at 1641 Euclid (Box 431) in Flint, Mich., and is a sales representative for Rexall Drug Company.

1951

*Forrace L. Derickson* is a commercial sales representative for Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, St. Louis. He is married and has a son, Richard.

*William G. Martin* is an engineer with Vickers, Inc., of St. Louis. He lives at 701 Devonshire Drive in Belleville with his wife and two-year-old daughter, Cheryl Lynn.

In Decatur W. *Eschol Jackson* is principal of Excelsior South School.

The Rev. *Orle L. Shannon* is a case worker and chaplain at the Anna State Hospital in Anna. Married, he has two sons, Michael and Curtis.

1952

*Maurice D. Dickerman* children A lively household, the C. E. Dickermans at 4720 Forest Avenue in Downers Grove. The picture above is explanation enough. Mollie (christened Mary Ellen) is three, and she is holding her twin brothers, John and Joel, born October 28. They are the children of Charles E. Dickerman, M.A. '52, physicist with the Argonne National Laboratory in Lemont, and Mrs. Dickerman (Barbara Swartz, ex).

*Mrs. Maurne Pursell Taylor* teaches the third grade in the Champaign Public Schools.

1953

Anne Shelton, wife of Donald Gene Shelton, writes, "We moved to Las Cruces, New Mexico, in September when Don entered New Mexico A. and M., studying for a degree in civil engineering. We plan to be here about three years, after which we will return to Carbondale, and Don will continue working with the Illinois State Highway Department, District 13. We'll look forward to the alumni magazine to keep in touch with old friends." The Sheltons' address is P.O. Box, Mesilla, N.M.

Two books, "Handbook of Microbiology-Isotopes," his second and third, by *Maurice Gerstein,* M.S., will be published this year. Mr. Gerstein is a microbiologist in
Joins Montgomery Ward in Chicago

Winston S. McAdoo '39, has joined Montgomery Ward and Company in Chicago as financial projects specialist, reporting to the financial vice president.

For the last five years he has been vice president and treasurer of the George Getz Corporation in Chicago. Before that he was vice president and treasurer of Tru-Ade, Inc.

A certified public accountant, he started his business career with the accounting department of the Jewel Tea Company in Barrington. In 1944 he became a member of the Arthur Andersen accounting firm in Chicago.

Mr. McAdoo received his bachelor of arts degree from Southern in mathematics. He did graduate work in accounting at Northwestern University.

Mr. and Mrs. McAdoo and their three children live in Barrington.

Brooklyn, N.Y.

Clifton W. Burgener, Carbondale, is a research mathematician with Universal Match Company. He is married and has a son, David Craig, two.

In Oakland, Calif., Mrs. S. Dave Porter (Lila Blount) is teaching the sixth grade in the city schools. She lives at 1614 Grant in Oakland and has three children—David, Lynn, and Dalene.

And in Madison Mrs. Carrie Ketchie Hinkle teaches the third grade at Blair School. Her daughter, Carolyn, is enrolled in nurses' training at SIU.

Robert Waeltz is engaged in poultry farming at Mascoutah. He has three daughters—Kathy, Susie, and Lorie.

George W. Fogel, Jr. is sales manager for Stephenson Service Company in Freeport. He lives at 836 South 15th Avenue in that community with his wife and two children.

1954

Fifth Reunion

June 13, 1959

At Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Ala., John P. Heaman is a physicist with the Army Ballistic Missile Agency.

Dr. Victor L. Oberheu, who received his medical degree from the University of Illinois Professional Colleges in Chicago, is interning at St. Louis City Hospital.

Curtis L. Hamilton, M.S. '58, is teaching in the Goode-Barren Township High School in Sesser. He lives in Valier with his wife, Joyce, who is a student at Southern, and his three-year-old daughter, Susan.

Another teacher is John W. Douglas, M.S. '58, in Pompano Beach, Fla. He and Carolyn Wasson Douglas '53 have two daughters, Stephanie Sue, five, and Victoria Louise, two.

Lowell A. Kelly, Jr., ex, is an electronics engineer with McDonnell Aircraft Company in St. Louis.

Coulter S. Puttmueller is an industrial arts teacher in the high school at Mahomet. He and his wife, Marilyn, ex, have two children.

After completing his National Science Foundation Fellowship at Harvard, Robert Lee Aaron, M.S. '57, joined the faculty of Fairfield High School to teach chemistry and general physical science. He and Mary Sue Wardell Aaron, ex '53, have three children.

A man and wife are teacher and student at Southeast Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau, Mo. Lloyd E. Robison, M.S. '55, is on the faculty, and Mrs. Robison (Joyce Meyer, ex '50) is attending.

Mrs. Denver Corn (Mildred Corn) is an elementary teacher in Benton.

1955

Andrew M. Patterson, M.A. '56, is a cartography surveyor for Gulco Surveys in Teheran, Iran. He is married and has four children—Andrew, Jr., five, Phillip, four, Gizelle, two, and Mary Elizabeth, one.

Mrs. Carl Shewmaker (Lorene Patton, M.S. '58) is a speech correctionist in the Harrisburg schools. She lives at 619 South Land Street in Harrisburg and has a seven-year-old daughter, Susan.

In Danville Charles Lee Rogers, ex, is purchasing agent for the Sugar Creek Creamery.

Gerald Ray Steffy is a seminary student in Ft. Worth, Tex., and pastor of the Powderly Baptist Church in Powderly, Tex. Mrs. Steffy is the former Betty Lou Hoxsey, ex '52, and they have two children, Vicki Lynn, and Gerald Ray II.

At the University of Illinois O'Dean Hubbard is a graduate assistant in the Department of Agricultural Economics. He received his master's degree from the University of Arizona. The Hubbards have three children—Linda, Gregory, and Patricia.

William H. Urban, M.S. '58, is a rehabilitation counselor at Alton State Hospital. He lives at Bethalto with his wife, Virginia, and their three-year-old son, Michael.

Jean Harvey Wilson is the wife of Lt. (j.g.) John S. Wilson, graduate of the U.S. Navy Academy at Annapolis. They live at 702 Chaney Drive, Apt. 104, Takoma Park 12, Md., and have a baby daughter, Linda Jean.

In Coral Gables, Fla., Mrs. Roberta Krause Yancey is a teacher for the Dade County Board of Public Instruction.

And in Florissant, Mo., Mrs. William Needle, Jr. (Ruth Reichert) is a kindergarten teacher at Robinwood School. She lives at 204 East Church Street in Collinsville.

Another teacher is Sally Brockman Hess, M.S. '58, home economics teacher at Waltonville. Her husband, Paul A. Hess, is attending SIU. They have a daughter.

1956

This is a busy season for Matthew D. Turcol. He is with the Internal Revenue Service in Litchfield. With the service the last two years, he lives at 214 Park, Benid, with his wife, Margie.

Bryon S. Fortney is an industrial arts instructor in the Centralia High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Farid Nicola Dahdah (Mary Sue Milligan '57) live at 4522 Westminster in St. Louis. Mr. Dahdah is an engineering trainee with the Cement
A one-man art exhibit last fall in Eldorado featured the work of George Carr, industrial arts instructor at Harrisburg Junior High School. Mr. Carr has been teaching for 25 years and has done many commercial and fine arts in California and here in Illinois. He has painted a mural for the McKinley Baptist Church in Harrisburg. An oil painting of his was reproduced on the cover of the Electrical Workers Journal.

Dominick A. Frigo, M.S., is a teacher and coach at West Junior High School in Kankakee.

Richard W. Garner, M.S. ’58, is on the faculty of Webber Township High School in Bluford. Mr. and Mrs. Garner (Jo Ann Stubblefield) live in Sesser.

Mei-Ling Hsu, M.A., is a graduate student at the University of Wisconsin.

And in Carbondale Glen Clifford Sands is a bacteriologist with the Illinois State Health Laboratory. He and Lorna Mayo Sands ’55 live between Carbondale and Murphysboro.

New job for Lee Rule, Jr. is that of special agent of the Sangamon County Agency staff of the Illinois Agricultural Association Insurance Service. He is servicing the insurance needs of Farm Bureau members in Woodside, Rochester, Cooper, Ball, and Cotton Hill townships. He and his wife (Juanita Peradotto ’55), physical education teacher at Edimburg High School, live at 1128 North Grand Avenue East in Springfield.

Mrs. Darwin D. Manuel (Betty Frassato, M.S. ’58) teaches the second grade at Brush School in Carbondale. Her husband is attending Southern.

Mr. and Mrs. John William McIntosh (Shirley Baker, ex ’51) left the campus in August and went to California where he is a training analyst for System Development Corporation in Santa Monica. They are living at 3644 Mays Street, Los Angeles 65.

George H. McNeil, M.S., ’58, is on the faculty of Hayes School in Villa Ridge. He is married and has a son.

Another teacher is Mrs. Hubert Rowland (Marjorie E. Sands), who teaches the fourth grade in the Granite City School system. She lives at 1416 Baugh, East St. Louis.

Shirley Garrison has moved to Benson, Ariz., to become a teacher in the elementary schools there.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Pryor (Margaret

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Stella Fildes ’55) live at 544 Brooklyn Avenue in Jacksonville with their two daughters, Vera and Lisa. Mr. Pryor is a sales representative for Cities Service Oil Company.

1957

Carolyn Jean Werner, VTI, who lives at 509 South Seventh Street in Springfield, writes that she is secretary to the executive director of United Cerebral Palsy of Illinois.

“I am teaching a combination 4-5 grades in Weston School in Galesburg this year. I enjoyed Homecoming very much.”—Mrs. John F. Beasley (Mary Baker Beasley), 560 North Chambers, Galesburg.

Lt. Jack L. Thatcher, 38th Tactical Missile Wing, APO 109, New York, N.Y., writes, “Came on duty with USAF 26 April 1958. Am now Information Services Officer for 38th Tactical Missile Wing stationed at Hahn Air Base, in the Huns­ ruck Mountains in Western Germany.” Jack formerly was a reporter for the Flora Daily News-Record.

At last report Lt. John S. Teschner was attending navigation school at James Connally AFB, Texas—“along with another SIUer, Jerry L. Wallace ’58.”

Joann Arensman Hamack, ex, writes that her husband, Ens. John E. Hamack, received his naval aviator’s wings in October. They are living at 1081 Delaware in Imperial Beach, Calif., moving there from Corpus Christi, Tex.

In San Antonio, Tex., John R. Slow, M.S., is head of the English Department at Texas Military Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richard Davis (Enzina Borello Davis) both are teaching elementary grades in the Mt. Vernon city schools.

Carroll Logan Doerner is mathematics and mechanical drawing teacher at La Moille High School.

Last August 21 Donald Lee Harmon and Mrs. Harmon became the parents of twin girls. He is high school basketball coach at Arcola.

A Murphysboro man who was declared “killed in action” in the Korean War has re-enlisted in the Army. He is Joseph C. Johnson, ex, who spent almost three years in a prisoner-of-war camp, one year incomunicato. He first enlisted in the Infantry in June, 1948, and was sent to Japan that November. When the Korean War broke out in 1950, he was sent to the battlefront. He was taken prisoner in November, 1950, and after his release from prison camp, was discharged from the Army as a corporal in October, 1953. He now is a private in the Army Corps of Engineers at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Phillip Gollther, M.S. ’58, is an English teacher at Pleasant Hill High School.

William McCollum, Jr., VTI, Bourbonnais, is a salesman for Sears, Roebuck and Company.

John Joseph McDonnell is speech correctionist in the Välmeier Community Unit Schools, Monroe County.

In the Libertyville schools Martha E. Nelson teaches English and French. Her address is R.R. 1, Box 297, Lake Zurich.

At Ohio State University Richard D. Rieke is director of forensics. He and his wife (Regina Miller, ex ’58) live at River Road Dorm No. 9, Columbus 10, Ohio.

Frances C. Pohlman, Amboy, is a feed and plant food salesman for Illinois Farm Supply Company. He is married and has four children.

Don L. Riley, VTI, is an electronic technician in Champaign. The Ryelies (Jacquelyn Summers Riley, VTI-1) and their two children, Raymond and Cindy, live at 2009 Southwood Drive, Champaign.
Foundation Post
To J. V. Skeels

State representative in southern Illinois for The National Foundation (originally "for Infantile Paralysis") is John V. Skeels '56, of Carbondale.

In his new position Mr. Skeels has a number of duties. He works with volunteers who make up the membership of the 42 county chapters in the southern area. He helps these chapters in assisting polio patients and leads efforts to bring Salk vaccine protection to the maximum number of people in this section of the state.

In addition, he assists in work in the fields of virus diseases, arthritis, and birth defects, which are included in the expanded program of The National Foundation. He also works with volunteers in conducting the annual March of Dimes during the month of January.

Mr. Skeels, a native of Rosiclare and a graduate of Southern in business administration, served in the U. S. Air Force four years. He is a former field representative in northwestern United States for the South Bend, Ind., Lathe Works and also a distributor in California for National Sales and Manufacturing Company.

William B. Mathews, Jr., M.A., is a medical student at Tulane University in New Orleans.

Copy chief for Leonards Department Store in Ft. Worth, Tex., is Marshall Riggan. He, his wife, Betty Sue, and daughter, Kelly Sue, live at 3800 Shellbrooke, Ft. Worth.

Charles Downing is principal of the Central Elementary School at Metropolis. He is married and has three daughters—Charlene, Janice, and Joann.

Mary Virginia Chandler is an art teacher in the Alton public schools. Her address is 576 Central Avenue, Wood River.

At Decatur James S. Allen is a fish biologist for the State of Illinois. He is married and has a year-old son, James Lloyd.

Brian Lee Gauss, VTI, is an illustrator at Scott Air Force Base and a student at SIU's East St. Louis Residence Center.

Carol Anne Strackeljahn is assistant home adviser for Macoupin County at Carlinville.

Ronald W. Yates is a laboratory technician for the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation at Metropolis.

Down Texas-way Everett D. Aubuchon, Jr. is a coach and teacher in Amarillo High School. He and his family, including Glenn Alan, four, and Ellen Marie, three, live at 5007 Crockett, Amarillo.

Also in the Lone Star State is Herbert W. Chaffin, VTI, junior accountant for the Three States Natural Gas Company in Dallas.

Thomas A. Vaughn is assistant works auditor for Laclede Steel Company in Alton. He is married to the former Mary C. Foley, ex '52. They have two daughters, Mary and Amy, and live at 320 Broadway, South Roxana.

Earl B. Burris is a seventh grade teacher in Centralia. He is married and has two children.

Joyce Ann Gillilan, Chester, was one of 46 young men and women who went abroad last fall to begin three-year tours of overseas mission service for the Methodist Church. Miss Gillilan went to Japan to do educational work. Before she left the States, she took a six-week special training course at Scarratt College of Christian Workers in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Marilyn Hallam Collins is teaching the third grade at Carterville. Her husband, Verl C. Collins, is attending SIU, and they live at Southern Acres.

In Chicago Dennis G. Frey is a production engineer for Kellogg Switchboard and Supply Company. He lives at 6134 Keating Avenue.

On the Carbondale campus Margaret
Cornerstone Ceremonies
On Campus May 26

Cornerstone laying ceremonies on the SIU campus this spring will be held on Tuesday, May 26, and will involve a total of 18 buildings.

Governor William G. Stratton will be the speaker and will dedicate plaques for the family housing area, the small group housing area, and lay the cornerstone for the University Center. Students, faculty, and staff will participate in the program. Alumni are invited to attend.

There will be no cornerstone laying ceremonies on Alumni Day as in previous years. They are being held in May during the school session so that students can participate in the program which so vitally concerns them, especially the University Center which has been planned and designed to be “intimately connected with the day-to-day lives and activities of the students.”

“Good luck” was the byword as ground-breaking ceremonies for the center were held on Friday, March 13. An imposing array of equipment was on hand as University officials and students gathered to see the beginning of a dream come true.

Welcome Mat Out

SIU is offering its visitors guided tours of the campus during weekends this spring.

Seven tours will be conducted the weekend of March 14-15, each weekend in April and May, and the weekend of June 6-7. All tours originate at the Student Union and will include classroom buildings, Morris Library, and residence halls.

Departure times will be 9, 10, and 11 A.M. and 1:30 and 2:30 P.M. on Saturdays, and 2 and 3 P.M. on Sundays. Southern Illinois University operates on central standard time.

JOHNSON FOUNDATION CHEMISTRY SCHOLARSHIP winners for 1959 are, seated from left to right, Carl Mitchell, Christopher; Charles Wade, Griggsville; James Howell, Chester; and Donald Harriss, Chicago Heights. Prof. James Neckers, chairman of the Chemistry Department, stands behind them. Mr. Howell, a senior, was awarded $200 and the others, all juniors, $100 awards, recognition for academic achievement by chemistry majors.

ICA's Overseas Intern Program

Young alumni interested in jobs abroad are offered a number of opportunities in the International Cooperation Administration’s Overseas Intern Program.

The International Cooperation Administration is an organization operating under the Mutual Security Act to furnish technical cooperation to underdeveloped areas in the world.

More than 60 overseas programs are now in operation in Africa, the Near East, the Far East, and in Latin America. In these areas specialists from the U.S. work with specialists of the host government in the interchange of technical information and services in such fields as education, agriculture, public health, public administration, engineering, and industrial development.

Technicians in fiscal management, program planning, and general administration are needed as are business managers, controllers, accountants, auditors, budget officers, program analysts, economists, and personnel officers. Also people skilled in the handling of supplies, housing, properties, travel, and other supporting logistics.

The intern spends up to one year in Washington in professional training and orientation, then is assigned to an overseas program for about 30 months. He is allowed to take his family abroad with him. The intern should be in the 23 to 28 age bracket. Salaries vary between $4,730 and $6,600. At the end of the initial tour he can apply for the Regular Corps of the Overseas Service.

For a booklet on the ICA Overseas Intern Program write to the Alumni Office, SIU, Carbondale.
Appointed Assistant To Superintendent Wilkins

An alumna has been named an administrative assistant in the office of George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, superintendent of public instruction for the State of Illinois in Springfield.

She is Mrs. G. Kendall Wills, the former Lorene Kerley, '47, M.S. Ed. '49, of Decatur. Mrs. Wills has been on the faculty of Lakeview High School in Decatur for the last 10 years and more recently has been an assistant to the principal. She has been an outstanding teacher at Lakeview, teaching common learnings from the time the school opened. She continued to teach one class a day in addition to her duties as dean of girls and administrative assistant.

In her new post Mrs. Wills will assist with guidance and counseling for public schools in the southern half of Illinois. She will assist with programs which receive aid through federal and state funds.

In addition to her work at SIU she has studied at the University of Chicago and the University of Illinois. Her major field is testing and guidance.

In 1954 she was an unsuccessful candidate for Macon County superintendent of schools.

Mrs. Wills, her husband, and young son have a home at 235 South Crea Street in Decatur.

1950

Ola Maxine Bumpus, ex, became the wife of James W. Ambrey January 24 in Chicago. Mrs. Ambrey is a former field representative for the American Red Cross and taught first aid and swimming throughout the Chicago area. Later she was a bookkeeper and stenographer for Van Hecker, Inc., in Chicago.

1951

Mary Mossman, ex, and Fred Storment, Jr. were married December 30 at Ridgway. They are living in Ridgway. She is office secretary and receptionist at the Gallatin County Farm Bureau Office in that community, and he is with the Kaparn Drilling Corporation of Salem.

1953

Audrey Marie Burdick, ex, of Grand Tower, became Mrs. John W. Sauer on November 29 at Raddle. She is secretary for Hartford Fire Insurance Company in Carbondale, and her husband is associated with his father in the fruit and cattle business on Route 1, Murphysboro, where the couple is living.

1956

On January 17 in Salem John L. Wyatt, ex, was married to Darlene Fry. He is engaged in farming southeast of Salem, where they are making their home, and she is working at the Salem National Bank.

1957

Kenneth Lee Jones, VT, of Eagleville, and Carolyn Jean Stone, of Bunker Hill, were married in Bunker Hill November 15. They are living in Benld. Mr. Jones is employed by Sedlak's Service Station near Mt. Olive, and Mrs. Jones is with the state auditor's office in Springfield.

Mary Evelyn Kessler, Belleville, and James B. Williams, SIU senior from East Alton, were married last fall in Belleville. They are living at 415 South 16th Street, in Murphysboro, where she is a mathematics instructor in the Murphysboro Township High School. Mr. Williams is a member of Phi Kappa Tau.

Mrs. Beverly Lamar Schwehr was married October 10 to Welby R. Carpenter, SIU business senior, and they are at home at 116 South Third Street, Grayville. An English instructor, she formerly lived at Crossville.

1958

In Roseville on December 13 Anna Curtis became the bride of Robert G. King. They are living at 5417 North Kenmore Avenue, Apt. 302, Chicago 40. Mr. King, of Murphysboro and a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon, is an underwriter with Hartford Insurance Company in Chicago, and Mrs. King is a receptionist for the Council on World Service and Finance of the Methodist Church.

Lt. Gale E. Fosse, Marion, was married August 23 to Norma Sue Baker in Marion. Their address now is 956 Fifth Southeast Street, Apt. 3, Winter Haven, Fla. Lt. Fosse is assigned to Bartow Air Force Base in Florida.

Joann M. Humphreys, Carbondale, became the bride of Ronald K. Stewart, Vandalia, November 27 in Carbondale. A graduate in music education, she is a member of Mu Phi Epsilon and Pi Theta sororities. She is the daughter of Mrs. J. B. Humphreys (Essie Edwards Humphreys '26-2, '38). Mr. Stewart is a senior at SIU. On August 15 in Salem James W. McHatton of Kinnmundy was married to Carolyn Collier. They now are in DeKalb, living at 1027 South Fourth Street, and Mr. McHatton is teaching the sixth grade at Littlejohn School.

Barbara Ann Price and William M. Epperheimer were married November 27 in Herrin. She is from Louisville, Ky., and is a laboratory technician at the Crab Orchard plant of Universal Match Corporation. Mr. Epperheimer, of Harrisburg, has been editor of the Carterville Herald since last May. Their home is at 212½ East Grand, Carterville.

After their wedding on June 17, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald A. Oettle (Violet R. Reynolds) are living at 2614 Bostwick, Alton. He is from Summerland Key, Fla., and she is from Metropolis. Mrs. Oettle is teaching the second grade in the Alton schools.

Lou Ann Sheppard, ex, Anna, was married to Howard W. Johnson, Jonesboro, December 20 in Anna. Mr. Johnson, who recently was graduated from the Navy Electricians School in San Diego, Calif., is assigned to the aircraft carrier USS Hancock CVA-19.

On December 27 Emilie Uchtman, ex, of Steeleville, and Gilbert Roehrkasse, of Baldwin, were married in Bremen.
BIRTHS

1937
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sharknas, West Frankfort, are the parents of a daughter born January 15 in Benton.

1947
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George D. Hines, ex (Rachel J. Waters, ex '48), of Murphysboro, on January 13 in Carbondale.

1950
Valerie Lynn arrived on Sunday, November 23, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert J. Loftus, M.A. '51, who live at 112 North Lincoln in Addison. She has two sisters, Kathleen, three, and Carol, two, and a brother, Patrick, one.

Michael Lee, second child of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm L. Milliner, M.S. '51 (Bonnie Nelle Coggan '51), was born June 6 in Littleton, Colo.

1951
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gene Berger (Mildred L. Martin '50), 7111 Carr Drive, Belleville, are the parents of a baby girl, Kelly Louise, born October 20.

1954
A son was born December 3 in Carbondale to Mr. and Mrs. Zamir Bavel, B.S., B.A., B.M., M.A. '55. Mr. Bavel is a lecturer in mathematics at Southern.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Fedora, M.S. '56 (Evelyn J. Martin '56), Granite City, have a second child, a son, Joseph Jay, born August 1. Their first is a daughter, Jolene Kaye. Mr. Fedora teaches physical education and driver education at Granite City High School and also is assistant in football, wrestling, and baseball.

1956
New Year's Day is the birthday for Barbara Jean Boyd, born on that holiday at Second General Hospital in Landstuhl, Germany, to Lt. and Mrs. Harry V. Boyd (Joyce Hastings, ex '57).

Kathryn Rose, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horn (Gloria Heil) was born November 30 in Joliet.

In Havelock, N.C., Capt. and Mrs. John Witt Irion, Jr. (Mildred F. Anderson) became the parents of a daughter, Prisca, on December 19.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Merwin W. Moore January 13 in Du Quoin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Thomson, ex (Mary Lou Lundeen '58) have a son, David Randall, born January 12 in Mattoon. Mr. Thomson left Ft. Devens, Mass., February 25 for his next Army assignment at Frankfurt, Germany. His wife and young son will join him later.

1957
Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Hunter (Sue E. Baker, ex '51) have a second daughter, Patricia Louise, born in Carbondale August 21. Their first is two-year-old Terry Lynn. Mr. Hunter is a partner of Hunter Motor Company in Carbondale.

A daughter was born January 25 in Carbondale to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne D. Long (Wanda Jane Long) of Carterville.

Blond, blue-eyed Katherine Jo Michel was born October 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Michel (Marilyn Joyce Petty) of Olney.

1958
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan K. Cooper, VTI (Barbara Beadle, ex '53), have a daughter born December 10 in Carbondale.

Susan Ann was born June 28 to Mr. and Mrs. George R. Tyler (Joan Jablonski, ex '57), of Caseyville. Mr. Tyler is with the Comfort Printing Company, St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Winter (Carol Jean Keeney '57) announce the birth of their first child, a son, Jeffrey Scott, October 13, at Bloomington, Ind.

1946
Loraine L. Waters, M.S. '47, curator of exhibits at Southern Illinois University Museum since 1947, died in Percy July 31 at the age of 40. She had been seriously ill for several months but was able to continue at the University of Kentucky, where she was working on a doctorate degree.

Miss Waters was well known throughout southern Illinois for her floats and displays. She prepared for area fairs and centennials. She served as art adviser to the SIU Area Services Department. She also had written many articles on area folklore for newspapers and magazines.

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She had graduated from SIU with honors and the following year joined the staff as a graduate assistant in history. From 1956 to 1958 she was on sabbatical leaves to study at the University of Kentucky under a Haggan Memorial Fellowship.

From 1943 to 1945 she was an artist for the Illinois State Museum in Springfield. She was a member of Southern Illinois Historical Society, Illinois Folklore Society, American Association of University Professors, American Association of University Women, of Kappa Pi, art honorary, and Phi Alpha Theta, honorary historical society.

Her parents and a brother survive.

(Its is with great regret that the death of Miss Waters has not been reported until now. In the process of moving office quarters and changing editors, notice of her passing was omitted from the Southern Alumnus.)

1949
James W. Levan, Jr., ex, supervisor of Levan Township in Jackson County, died January 12 at the age of 29. Born in Levan Township in 1929, he was a lifelong farm resident of the Ava rural area.

He was elected supervisor in 1955, one of the youngest members of the Jackson County Board of Supervisors. He was a member of the Illinois Association of Supervisors and County Commissioners, the Illinois Farmers Union, Township Officers of Illinois, and was president of the Ava Grade School P-TA.

His wife, two sons, his parents, and three sisters survive.
A popular paperback edition of general zoology, co-authored by Harvey I. Fisher, chairman of the SIU Zoology Department, has gone into its second printing less than a month after the first edition of 100,000 copies. "Zoology: An Introduction to the Animal Kingdom" is the first in a new series of illustrated, pocket-size publications by Simon and Shuster of New York. Professor Fisher and R. Will Burnett, professor of science education at the University of Illinois, were selected to author the first volume in the new series which deal with basic scientific principles. Containing over 450 color plates, the one dollar book includes sections on "Animals with Backbones," "Maintaining the Race," and "The Lower Animals."

Tornado Warning Weak

One afternoon last month students, faculty, and staff took shelter in designated Safe Places during a simulated tornado alert. All went well in the civil defense storm warning test except for the failure of the new siren which was supposed to have a range of three to seven miles. It was audible for just a mile or so. During the test, all phone service was discontinued except for emergencies, and Robert Odaniell, the Alumni Association executive secretary, was cut off right in the midst of a call to New Jersey.

Prof. James B. Mowry, of the co-operative Illinois Horticultural Experiment Station at Southern, has been re-elected a director of the American Pomological Society and also elected a fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science. John Rendleman, ex '47, SIU legal counsel, has turned radio news commentator. His commentaries are features of a series of 13 programs produced and released by Southern and carried by six area radio stations.

Of Diets and Fashions

Two very unusual and interesting courses are being offered by SIU's Technical and Adult Education Division. A non-credit course in weight reduction through controlled diet is being cosponsored by the Illinois Heart Association. It is designed for persons whose weight problems endanger their health and is open only to people referred by their doctors. For a $2.40 tuition fee 20 women are studying "Easier Living," a four-week course covering worksaving hints for housework, the use of household equipment, appliance management, and money-saving ideas. The women also will be introduced to the secrets of "Sprucing Up for Spring," tips on fashions and warm-weather fabrics with respect to color, budgets, and personality.

Who's Who—Les Femmes

Seven faculty members are listed in the first edition of "Who's Who of American Women." Eileen Quigley, dean of the School of Home Economics; Anna Carol Fulls, chairman of the Home Economics Education Department; Vera Peacock, chairman of the Foreign Languages Department; Margaret Kaeiser, associate professor of botany; Elizabeth O. Stone, assistant director of University Libraries; Ritta Whitesel, associate professor of clothing and textiles; and Mrs. Bryan Ridley (Agnes Fenster '52, M.S. '54), home economics instructor who is on leave, are the seven. The 1,438-page volume, described as a "biographical dictionary of notable living American women," was published recently by Marquis Who's Who, Inc.

Top-Notch Students

Southern Illinois University has cited 856 students on the Carbondale campus for posting honor roll grades during the fall quarter. All maintained a 4.25 grade average (high B) or better for the term. At a recent Zoology Department seminar Gerald Loret, Chicago sophomore, was presented a $25 scholarship award for having the highest standing among the 200 students in Zoology 100, first-year zoology class.

Archibald McLeod, chairman of the Theatre Department, left February 10 for a five-month European tour which includes stops at London, Edinburgh, Madrid, Paris, Copenhagen, and Rome. Main purpose of the trip is to attend foreign drama and opera productions. A native of Edinburgh, he plans to spend much of his time in the British Isles. Mrs. McLeod and their daughter, Ann Catherine, are accompanying him.