NEW HOME ECONOMICS BUILDING OPEN FOR FALL TERM

Southern Alumnus

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Traveling Teacher

During the past four years I have been employed by the Department of the Air Force as an educational specialist. As a result of this job I've seen most of the United States and parts of Newfoundland, the Azores, and Africa. Oh yes, and somehow I found time to meet, date, and marry Phyllis S. Brown of Wilmington, N. C.

By the way, I think "The Alumnus" is a very informative publication—keep it coming. For the past few years it has been the only contact I have had with Southern and my fellow students.

I would enjoy hearing from some of the other, not lost but widely dispersed, '55 graduates. Our address is Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Mueller, 535 Trudell, San Antonio, Tex.

Don J. Mueller '55, M.S. '56

Letter from Luxembourg

Coming home from Oxford University it is always a pleasure to read the latest issues of the "Southern Alumnus" and learn about the things happening back at SIU. It is good to hear about all the progress that Southern has made during the last few years. I was especially pleased to learn that the Graduate Student body has passed the 1,000 mark and that the first Ph.D. has been conferred recently. I take advantage of every opportunity to acquaint both European and American students studying in Europe with my American alma mater.

In March-April last I had the good fortune to attend the 61st session of the "Salzburg Seminar in American Studies," Salzburg, Austria. The session was devoted to "Labor and Industry in America." The 50 students, representing 15 European nations, who attended the seminar, cross-examined the American faculty from every possible angle. It was a great experience I shall cherish throughout my future.

During this summer I shall, besides doing research for my Oxford dissertation, attend the summer session in "Comparative Economics" held at the International University of Comparative Sciences, Luxembourg.

Camille A. Becker, M.S. '57
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Differdange, Luxembourg

'Tis a Small World

This news item seems to confirm the "small world" theory. While eating at a drive-in restaurant in Santa Barbara, my husband and I noticed a dog in the next car. On talking with the owners we found that it was a Saluki. Naturally I brought up S.I.U.'s mascots. Much to my surprise I learned that their dog was one of the pups born to the S.I.U. dogs while I was attending school.

Mrs. Donald D. Van Winkle
(Ann Trieb '57)
1018-D Hill Street
Santa Monica, Calif.

Druggist Doerr

The S.I.U. has made a great progress since I attended the old S.I.N.U. in the years 1913-14. I did not graduate from S.I.N.U. and was wondering if I could belong to the Southern Illinois University Alumni Association.

I taught school in this county for three years before going into the drug business in Murphysboro.

E. A. Doerr, ex '14
Doerr's Drug Store
Murphysboro

Off to Sweden

This last year I taught at Libertyville, a very pleasant experience. This summer I leave for Europe for a two-year stay. No need to say how excited and thrilled I am for this opportunity.

I hope the Southern Alumnus will be sent to me at my new address, c/o Gunnar Wikstrom, Gallo, Jamtland, Sweden, as I look forward to receiving this magazine so much—to read about Southern's progress and to follow the travels of other alumni.

I'm very proud of Southern and speak of it often to my students.

Martha E. Nelson '57

Second Time 'Round

I am now assistant sales officer on the USS Saratoga (CVA-60). We are getting ready for a seven-month cruise to the Mediterranean, our second trip since I came aboard. Good luck to old SIU.

D. L. Tadlock '57
Lt. j.g. (SC) USNR
Sales Office, USS Saratoga
(CVA-60)
c/o F.P.O., New York, N. Y.
**On the Cover**

September and a new school year and the opening of a new building on the Southern Illinois University campus at Carbondale!

Here is a view of the Home Economics Building, a $2,200,000 building located on Grand Avenue between University and Illinois avenues. Strolling along one of the walks are Rochelle Gerlach, Sparta, and Frederick W. Cubin, Shelbyville.

Only about half of the interior of the three-section building will be ready for use this fall. Moving in will be a portion of each department of the School of Home Economics—clothing and textiles, foods and nutrition, home and family, and home economics education. The entire Department of Nursing will be located there and the University Registrar will use several classrooms.

The L-shaped, one-story section will house classrooms, administrative offices, a family-living laboratory, and home economics education. The four-story wing will be devoted to specialized laboratories, classrooms, and research areas. On the roof of this section, with a fine view of the community, will be the home management house. Eight girls and a supervisor will live there for periods of six weeks to apply the theories they have learned in various courses.

To the east of the four-story wing, connected by a passageway, is a small lecture-demonstration hall to be used for multiple-section classes, demonstrations, TV, and meetings.

Home economics began at SIU in 1909, when a Department of Household Arts was established. For the first two years there was only one teacher, Grace Jones. First degree students were graduated in 1937 and in 1943 the name of the department was changed from household arts to home economics.

The School of Home Economics was established in July, 1957, with Eileen E. Quigley as dean.
Larger class groups probably will be the rule at Southern this fall. At mid-August advance registrations at Carbondale had reached 5,750, indicating a main-campus student body of over 8,000.

The advance admissions included 2,100 new students—freshmen and transfer students who previously have not attended the University. Final enrollment at the Residence Centers is anticipated to be over 3,100. That would make total enrollment to be about 11,200. The big rush of new student registration was expected between August 17 and 31 when only freshmen were allowed to sign up.

Last fall 7,469 students attended classes on the Carbondale campus with 2,949 at the Alton and East St. Louis Residence Centers.

In the required subjects such as health education and English, classes up to this year have averaged about 30 students each. With a higher enrollment this fall this figure may rise to between 35 and 40, depending on the distribution of students among the various subjects.

SIU will add about 40 persons to its faculty and staff this biennium. Of these, almost half will be at the residence centers.

Enrollment will be regulated somewhat by the amount of housing available. Coeds have been finding it more difficult than the male students to locate adequate housing.

Housing

Each housing 45 students, will be ready for occupancy by fraternities and sororities. Moving in will be Sigma Pi (Nu Epsilon Alpha) and Tau Kappa Epsilon (Delta Delta Chi) and the two sororities, Sigma Sigma Sigma and Alpha Gamma Delta (Delta Sigma Epsilon). Five more halls will be completed for later occupancy by the Greeks.

Half of the rooms in these residence halls will be for freshmen, according to University regulations which cover all campus housing. The rules state that 50 per cent of the space must be for new students—to alleviate a chronic shortage of living space during the annual fall enrollment avalanche.

At Southern Hills on South Wall Street 48 two-bedroom units will be ready for married students and faculty and staff members. At completion there will be 128 living units for family housing.

Tuition

Beginning with the fall term, tuition at SIU will be hiked $7 a quarter for Illinois residents and $9 for out-of-state students. This change is in line with tuition adjustments in other Illinois state universities.

Full-time students will pay $42 a term if they are Illinois residents and $92 if they are not. For the Summer Session rates will be $31.50 and $69, increases of $5.25 and $6.75.

The tuition boost is the second approved by the Board of Trustees in the last two years.

Part-time students will be assessed smaller increases in tuition rates, which now will be $21 for Illinoisans and $46 for non-residents. Extension students will pay $6 instead of $5 per quarter hour.

FIRST DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREE IN THE HISTORY of Southern Illinois University was awarded at June Commencement to Paul H. Roosevelt (left), who received it in speech correction. With him is Willis G. Swartz, dean of the Graduate School. Mr. Roosevelt is a member of the faculty of East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce, Tex. His wife is the former Kathryn Jack '49 and they have two children.
Books and Learning the Self-Service Way

In a couple of weeks a self-service system on the ground floor of Morris Library will make a supermarket look as slow as an old-fashioned corner grocery. This is the Textbook Service of the University, one of the largest, if not THE largest, among schools in the country.

Students at Southern rent their textbooks for $5 a term. This does not include expendable materials such as notebooks, manuals, and the like. Usually one book is needed per course although some courses, especially the literature courses where novels are studied, require three, four or more.

As soon as a student registers at the beginning of the term and receives his schedule of classes and his fee statement, he trudges to the Library and down to the Textbook Service to collect the books he will need. He doesn’t have to wait long, for the self-service system runs 500 students through an hour.

On the shelves is every textbook used on campus. Books are arranged alphabetically by department—from agriculture through zoology—with numerical listing, by author and course number. The student goes to one section, collects his book, moves on to the next one.

When he has finished, he checks out at a bookcharging machine. He has a record number plate (similar to a department store charge plate) which he uses all through college for checking out textbooks each term and for taking books out of the library.

In the back of each textbook is an envelope containing a card with a code number of the book. These cards are stamped by the bookcharging machine with the student’s record.
number and then put in a file, not to be removed until the book has been returned at the end of the term.

At the end of the term the student must return his books by noon of the day following the last scheduled examination. Late returns bring a penalty of one dollar per book. Some books are lost by the wayside and these are charged to the student through the bursar's office.

Students are supposed to take good care of the books, of course, but some are careless in handling them. The life of a book usually is nine terms or three years. By the end of three years, as a rule, it has to be replaced. New books for a course can be adopted only after an interim of three years. This fall there will be 85 new texts adopted for various courses.

Students who want to keep their books for reference or use later on are allowed to buy them at a 20 percent discount.

The man who directs the Textbook Service is Heinie Stroman '34, who insists on Heinie, not Henry. A deeply browned man with crew cut who looks like he spends every leisure moment outdoors, he has been in charge since June, 1956. On his staff are one other permanent member, one temporary member, and 12 students. He can remember when there was a slack period once in awhile but now the service is caught up in the ever-increasing pace of the University.

Last inventory showed a $400,000 stock of textbooks with some 100,000 on the shelves. Most of the books are ordered new from eastern publishing houses. With the increase in cost of books, the rental fee has gone up accordingly. When the service was started in 1937 the fee was $2.50. Now it is $5 and indications are that it may have to be raised again to cover higher costs.

The Textbook Service was started in the fall of '37 for economic reasons—to bring costs down for the students. The Faculty Book Store Committee operated it, with J. Carl Trobaugh in charge, in the east wing of Parkinson Laboratory. In the fall of '56 it became a separate department and Mr. Stroman was put in charge. The Instructional Aids Council sets the policies and the Library operates the service.

The service serves not only the Carbondale college campus but also the University School, Alton and East St. Louis centers, VTI, and 35 extension courses. In time the branches will have their own textbook services.

Supplying enough copies of texts and giving fast and efficient service is a big job. In May Mr. Stroman asks the more than 60 departments for the names of the books to be used for the fall term and how many will be needed. These departments must supply the information by June. With a larger and larger attendance each fall, a crystal ball would come in mighty handy to estimate how many students will be enrolled in the various courses.

Sometimes there aren't enough books to go around. Then there's a last-minute flurry of telegrams and phone calls for fast delivery of books from the publishers to the students.

The student (at left) consults her class schedule for the books she will need during the term, going from one section to another (at right) to collect them. Five hundred students an hour go through the self-service system.

Getting ready for the fall term and 8,000 students requires a great deal of planning, manual labor, and stamina. These people are arranging some of the 100,000 plus textbooks handled by the Textbook Service.
Prof. Donald Bloss, Geology Department, and Prof. Robert Van Atta, Chemistry Department, weigh milk ash in their collaboration on research to remove cancer-causing Strontium 90 from milk.

STRONTIUM 90 RESEARCH AT SIU

Two Southern Illinois University researchers, working mostly in their spare time, have discovered a way to remove cancer-causing Strontium 90 from milk.

Announced at SIU this summer, a process developed by the two scientists, Robert Van Atta and Donald Bloss, cut 65 per cent of the Strontium 90 from a sample of St. Louis area milk. Strontium 90 is a radioactive byproduct of H and A-bomb explosions which falls out on pasture forage, is consumed by cows, and passed through their milk to humans. Since it is chemically similar to calcium, it is mistakenly assimilated by the bones where it may produce cancer of the blood or bone.

Strontium 90 fallout poses a knotty problem because it has a "half life" conservatively estimated at 17 years. This means that doses of the element deposited around the earth from the Eniwetok Hydrogen Bomb tests seven years ago will lose only half strength by 1969.

Donald Bloss, an associate professor of geology whose specialty is geochemistry, and Robert Van Atta, associate professor of analytical chemistry, teamed up last year to
analyze uranium samples for a milling firm. It was during the early stages of this work that they became interested in the Strontium 90 problem.

Says Professor Van Atta, "We kept reading about the buildup of radioactives in milk samples taken throughout the country, particularly in St. Louis, and began to kick around the idea of a removal process. The more we talked about it, the more practical it seemed until one day last winter we decided to go to work in earnest."

After four months of spare-time laboratory work, the two professors ran a half gallon of St. Louis milk through their newly-found process and shipped the sample to the Robert A. Taft Sanitary Engineering Center, a U.S. Public Health Service installation in Cincinnati.

A month later the center's final report came in: Strontium 90 reduced from a dangerous 34.1 micromicrocuries per liter to only 12.1, and Cesium 34.1, another dangerous fallout ingredient now showing up in milk, cut down by more than 80 per cent. Moreover, the Van Atta-Bloss method boosted the milk’s calcium content "by a significant amount."

The SIU team's process has demonstrated a superiority to other experiments in three ways. Professors Van Atta and Bloss believe the system (similar to the exchange methods in commercial water softening) can be applied at a cost of a penny per quart of milk. Secondly, the test was run on milk straight from the carton instead of a sample "spiked" with up to a million times the existing Strontium 90 content to simplify measurement.

Professor Van Atta said previous spiked experiments elsewhere have produced milk with "60,000 times more radioactive material than ours had to start with." Furthermore, other removal processes have cut down on the milk’s calcium content as well as the dangerous radioactives.

The two professors now are seeking an outside research grant to perfect the system for industrial use. They will attempt to secure $30,000 to cover their research expenses during the next two years.

It will take 160 more analyses, at $60 to $70 apiece on a contract basis (the Cincinnati laboratory ran the first test free of charge) to get the process to the blueprint stage.

The next step will be to the U.S. Patent Office.

Professor Bloss is a three-degree graduate of the University of Chicago and has been at Southern since 1955. He said the idea for removing the radioactives from milk was first made during observations in 1952 when he helped a mining firm devise methods of chemical prospecting for zinc.

Professor Van Atta joined the SIU faculty in 1954. He holds degrees from Ohio Northern, Purdue, and Pennsylvania State universities.

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**NSF Grants for Research**

The National Science Foundation has awarded nearly $12,000 to enable Southern Illinois University students to work side-by-side with faculty members on 13 research projects ranging from butterfly evolution to yeast genetics.

The funds were made available July 1 as part of an experimental program to determine if close co-operation between superior students and productive scientists can improve science education in colleges.

**Shechmeister to Direct**

Isaac L. Shechmeister, associate professor of microbiology who will direct the program at Southern, said the foundation gave unqualified approval to each of the 13 research projects advanced by five University departments and allotted the entire $11,740 SIU requested for the student researchers. The departments in which the research will be undertaken are botany, chemistry, microbiology, physiology, and zoology.

Students selected to assist faculty scientists will be provided with stipends of $600 and money for travel and laboratory supplies. The NSF requires that they be actual participants in the research—not merely helpers or observers—and that they "be intimately associated with the research atmosphere and with research personnel."

Professor Shechmeister said the Undergraduate Research Participation Program would elevate students interested in research from mere laboratory assistants to "junior colleagues" in studies of scientific significance.

**Projects and Supervisors**

Some of the investigations in these research projects will involve tissue cultures, improved procedures for reduction of phenols to aromatic hydrocarbons, and the effects of x-ray, ultraviolet rays, and various chemicals in inducing mutations in yeast cells.

Supervising the projects will be these research scientists—Robert H. Mohlenbrock and S. Lane Wilson, botany; W. N. Moulton, chemistry; Carl C. Lindegren and Dan O. McClary, microbiology; H. M. Kaplan, physiology; and John C. Downey, Charles L. and Florence M. Foote, William Lewis, and Howard J. Stains, all in zoology.

Two other National Science Foundation grants made possible this summer at SIU courses for high school students interested in science and for high school biology teachers. No-fee, no-credit courses in microbiology, zoology, chemistry, botany, physics, and health education were given 320 outstanding high school juniors and seniors. Fifty-two biology teachers attended a special eight-week institute.
Summer internships, workshops for superior high school students, and a National Science Foundation Institute for Biology Teachers were among the new features offered during the SIU 1959 Summer Session.

Enrollment hit a new record—4,699 resident students, up 521 over last summer and slightly more than twice that of five years ago. College of Education with 1,382 students led the other Carbondale campus academic units, and graduate students in all units were in the majority.

Seven students were city manager trainees this summer under a new program set up by the Local Government Center. Most of them are working on master's degrees in political science. Fourteen rehabilitation counseling students received on-the-job training, seven of them interning at Anna State Hospital. Gerold Hanford, Belleville, was the only SIU student selected for an eight-week internship in livestock marketing at the East St. Louis National Stockyards.

Three workshops—in speech, drama, and journalism—were conducted for four weeks for superior high school students. A full roster of outstanding high school juniors and seniors, recommended by their school principals, studied preview courses in basic sciences under a program sponsored by the National Science Foundation. Planned for 300, the program was opened to about 320, with 67 applicants turned away.

More than 500 applicants asked to attend a special institute for high school biology teachers co-sponsored by Southern and the National Science Foundation. Fifty-two were accepted for the eight-week course.

Nearly 400 handicapped children and adults used the facilities of Little Giant Camp, SIU's newest camping area. Completed last fall and especially designed for the handicapped, the camp includes a therapy center, split-level dining hall, two group living units, and 20 cabins.

Fourth annual summer field course given by the Geology Department had 17 students probing the Ozark uplift in southern Illinois and southeast Missouri.

Other Summer Session events included a Rehabilitation Institute; Work-Conference for Nurses, the fourth in a series of summer conferences for graduate nurses, with Frances Ginsberg of Boston in charge; conference on “Work Simplification for the Disabled Homemaker,” first of its kind in Illinois; National Conference of Weekly Newspaper Editors, during which the Elijah P. Lovejoy Award for Courage in Journalism was presented to John F. Wells, editor of the Arkansas Recorder at Little Rock, Ark.; School Lunch Workshop for 100 administrators and food handlers who heard food and kitchen specialists from New York, St. Louis, Chicago, and Springfield.

Pop concerts were held each Tuesday evening on the patio of Woody Hall under the direction of symphony conductor Carmine Ficocelli. Students directed portions of each concert. The Southern Players had their first summer “at home,” presenting four shows in their newly air-conditioned Playhouse. With the Opera Workshop they produced “Most Happy Fella.”

Summer Commencement took place August 14 in McAndrew Stadium with 458 graduates receiving degrees. Robert G. Buzzard, former president (continued on page 10)
Among Alumni Literarians

Several alumni authors recently have made news in the literary field. Foremost is Robert Lewis Taylor, ex '33, who received the Pulitzer Prize for the best American novel of 1958 for his "The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters."

Added to the growing number of books on the shelf in the Alumni Office reserved exclusively for alumni writers are these—

A book of legends from the Kentucky mountains, "Tales from the Cloud Walking Country," Marie Campbell '29-2, '32; a novel about southern Illinois during the Civil War, "Vinnie and the Flag-Tree," Mrs. J. Lee Rauch (Mabel Thompson, ex '07); a novel centered around juvenile problems, "Spare Not For Their Crying," John Skinner '36;


Giant-Sized Yarn

Collier Ford, acting head of the SIU Journalism Department last year when Robert Lewis Taylor's "The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters" was published by Doubleday of New York, predicted at the time that the "rollicking and rambunctious" book would be slated for Hollywood production.

And that is just what has happened. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has bought movie rights for it. Because of the press of business in Hollywood, Mr. Taylor could not attend Alumni Day on the campus June 13 to receive his Alumni Achievement Award from the Alumni Association.

Mr. Taylor, whose own story since he worked on the Carbondale Herald would make good movie material, is well known for his profiles in the New Yorker magazine. His prize-winner is his seventh book and his writings have ranged from biography to short stories. A native of Carbondale, he has cycled through Europe, traveled to Tahiti and New Zealand, now spends his time between Florida and his home in Sharon, Conn. He is married and has two children. Right now he is at work on a book about the Florida Keys.

"The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters" is a picturesque novel, opening in Louisville and the southern Illinois region and ending, after a fast, furious, and fantastic pace, in San Francisco during the Gold Rush days.

Fairy Tales—Kentucky Style

Marie Campbell '29-2, '32, associate professor of English at Glassboro State College in New Jersey, has recorded in "Tales from the Cloud Walking Country," published by Indiana University Press, 78 tales from the oral tradition of the eastern Kentucky mountain area, where she lived and worked a number of years ago.

They were told to her by six "right main tall-tellers"—Aunt Lizabeth Fields, Big Nelt, Uncle Tom Dixon among them—who "took a sight of pleasure in tale-telling." These are homebred Kentucky versions of the well-known European folk tales such as "Snow White," "Cinderella," and "The Golden Goose," told with dialectal flavor and embellished with the narrator's comments.

The usual attitude of older people was that the folk tale or ballad "belonged to be told or sung, not put down in writing." "But," as Aunt Lizabeth Fields told Miss Campbell, "iffen you don't trust your recollection, then I reckon you're a-bound to write things down. And I'll be more'n glad to tell or sing to oblige you and to please myself."

Miss Campbell's recording of Kentucky folklore began in the summer of 1926, but except for publication of three tales in the Southern Literary Messenger in the '40s, she did nothing until she went to Indiana University in 1953 to complete work for a doctorate under the internationally known folklore scholar, Stith Thomp-
Marie Campbell

When she started transcribing her notes, the transcription amounted to nearly 1,500 pages of folk tales which have been organized for publication in five volumes. "Tales from the Cloud Walking Country" is the first.

Miss Campbell has had three books published by Rinehart and Company—"A House with Stairs," "Folks Do Get Born," and "Cloud-Walking." A native of Illinois, she has taught in public and private high schools in Illinois, Alabama, and Georgia, and in the Kentucky mountain settlement schools. She has done research and writing under Guggenheim, Kentucky Press, and Rosenwald fellowships.

In Glassboro Miss Campbell recently bought a white house with a commanding view of the countryside, including some 125 acres of peach orchards.

Civil War in Southern Illinois

Southern Illinoisans will derive much pleasure in reading about familiar locations, names, and incidents in "Vinnie and the Flag-Tree," first novel by Mrs. J. Lee Rauch (Mabel Thompson, ex '07), published by Duell, Sloan and Pearce, Inc., New York.

The book is described as "fiction based on historical facts," but seems to have more fact than fiction. Hero is Theodore Thompson, from a family which settled near North Pass, now known as Makanda. Mrs. Rauch's father was Theodore Thompson. Heroine is Lovina (Vinnie) Rendleman.

The story concerns the split by war feelings amongst families and neighbors—and a tall poplar tree atop a hill near North Pass from which an American flag was flown during the Civil War.

With the publication of this book, Mrs. Rauch has succeeded in placing "Little Egypt" on the literary map, a project of a good many years during which she has written over 250 stories and articles (many about southern Illinois) for American, Canadian, and British magazines.

"I don't believe any alumnus is tied closer to the University than myself," she wrote some time ago. "...I lacked about one term's credit to graduate. My class would have been 1907. I gave up my teacher's education for my music at Belmont College in Nashville. But no one could love the old SINU more than myself. For two reasons: first, I started in the first grade and went completely through the school, except in the last term and graduation; second, the entire section of land which was my father's farm and the beautiful lake which he constructed are now all part of the University Campus."

Mr. and Mrs. Rauch, of Hollywood, Calif., have lived on the West Coast for many years. Mr. Rauch, who is from Anna, was a motion picture executive. They have two children.

About High School Students

Some analysts say that a writer's first novel likely will be autobiographical to a great degree. "Spare Not For Their Crying" is the first novel by John Skinner '36 and though not autobiographical is written about a subject in which he has firsthand knowledge.

The story is about a young man recently returned from military service who resumes his work in the teaching field. In his new job as principal of a senior high school he encounters problems and prejudices of school consolidation, juvenile delinquency, and small town life.

Mr. Skinner has been in education most of the time since graduation from SIU. He now is on the faculty of Glenwood High School in Canton, O.

At interims between 1941 and 1950 he served with the Air Force in England and with the federal govern-
ment in Washington. He took a year off to complete his master's degree at the University of Colorado and at the time took creative writing. This led to writing short stories and plays. Two years ago he again took a year off and wrote "Spare Not For Their Crying," published by the Christopher Publishing House of Boston.

**Documents of American History**

For students of American constitutional history, for all Americans interested in the development of the Constitution throughout the years, "Liberty and Justice, A Historical Record of American Constitutional Development," edited by James M. Smith '41 and Paul L. Murphy, will prove helpful and illuminating.

Here are gathered 276 documents covering the chief episodes in which the written Constitution has been molded into living law. These documents, organized chronologically and topically into 28 chapters, include the leading decisions of the Supreme Court, congressional debates, presidential messages, and less formal records—personal letters, pamphlets, news stories. Alfred A. Knopf, New York, is publisher.

"Seventeenth-Century America" is a series of provocative essays by nine specialists in early American history who examine some of the more important aspects of the 17th century colonial experience and present such topics as colonists and Indians, people and society, church and state, and history and historians.

James M. Smith is editor of publications of the Institute of Early American History and Culture at Williamsburg, Va., and lecturer of colonial history at The College of William and Mary. With the institute since 1955, he formerly taught at Butler and Ohio State universities.

He is author of "Freedom's Fetters," the standard study of alien and sedition laws which was published in 1956. His articles and reviews have appeared in a number of scholarly journals—Mississippi Valley Historical Review, New England Quarterly, Review of Politics.

Native of West Frankfort, Mr. Smith served in the Coast Guard during World War II. He is married and has two children.

**CAMPUS NEWS**

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of Eastern Illinois University and now a distinguished visiting professor at Southern, was the speaker.

**New Faculty**

The ever-changing scene at Southern shows a number of new faces on campus this fall.

New chairman of the Sociology Department is Paul J. Campisi, who comes from Washington University in St. Louis. He has taught at Chicago City Junior College, Indiana University, and U. S. Army University in Florence, Italy. He succeeds Joseph K. Johnson, who continues to teach and also becomes editor of a sociological journal to be published at SIU.

Another new chairman is Warren Brandt, in charge of the Art Department. A former animator for Walt Disney Studios and a freelance illustrator in New York, he has been art chairman at University of Mississippi. British ceramist Nicholas Vergette is a number of familiar faces are missing from the campus.

On the newly-retired list is Fount G. Warren, who estimates he taught 25,000 students during his 46 years at Southern. He was professor of education. Charles Paterson '36, director of instrumental music at University School for 25 years and organizer of instrumental music department in the Carbondale city schools as well, also has retired, as has Mrs. Herbert L. Rieke (Evelyn Davis '22-2), counselor of girls and foreign languages teacher at University School, who requested retirement.

Lewis A. Maverick, professor of economics on disability leave, is the fourth retiree.

Among the faculty who have left for other positions are Prof. Henry A. Bruinsma, chairman of the Music Department, to Ohio State University as chairman of the School of Music; Prof. Walter Murrish, debate coach, to University of Kansas City as associate professor of speech and director of forensics; W. L. (Pat) Randle '34, M.S. '47, supervisor of the Adult Education Program, to Arlington Heights High School as vocational guidance counselor; Harold Schwarm, art director for Printing Service, to San Fernando Valley State College in California as associate professor of art; and Richard H. Morton, commercial art program coordinator at VTI, to Columbus, O., Art School as assistant dean.

**Former Faculty**

A number of familiar faces are...
CARMEN PICCONE in his first year as head football coach for the Salukis casts an enthusiastic glance at the schedule.

FOOTBALL OUTLOOK 1959: Strength aplenty up front and a backfield with all the thunder and lightning removed.

These prospects confront young and eager Carmen Piccone as he prepares to open his first season as head football coach at SIU.

When the new crop of Salukis gathered for opening drills September 1, Coach Piccone found one-third of the varsity's top 27 hands gone. Loss of nine lettermen crumbles a fine backfield that had been cemented tightly the last four years, but causes only minor comfort to the forwards.

Top Players Gone

Gone from the lists are Carver Shannon, Cecil Hart, Bill Norwood, Ranette Lewis, and Lane Jenkins—all of whom were swift of foot and could score from any spot on the field. Also graduated is Dave Wheeler, No. 1 punter and No. 2 quarterback.

Only two regulars are missing from the line, but both are from key spots—guard and center. Guard Charlie Steptoe and Center Jim Marano will be hard to replace. The line owns 13 of the 17 returnees, giving it a wide margin over the backfield where the four holdovers were second line or reserve in '58.

Quarterback Needed

Biggest headache for Rookie Piccone is quarterback. Where can he find a replacement for All-Interstate Conference and All-State Norwood?

Untried Ron Winter, Carmi, and Duke Sutton, Penns Grove, N.J., were understudies last fall, and one or both could come into his own this year. In brief appearances Winter demonstrated a strong throwing arm but slight accuracy, while Sutton performed well as a field general but his passes lacked authority or accuracy—partly because of an injured arm. Sutton's arm apparently healed during the winter layoff (he had a 6-0 pitching record last spring), and he may be first in line for the job.

Amos Bullocks, Chicago, looks like a real money winner at halfback. He leads a stable of pony backs that includes Don Miller, Cairo; Jan Janseo, Johnston City; Tom Bruna, Thayer; and Frank Harrington, Evansville, Ind. At end newcomer Jim Battle, Chicago, was a standout in spring drills, bumping vets Gale Dawson, West Frankfort; Dick Nelson, Wheaton; and Gerald Eskoff, East Chicago, Ind., from a starting spot.

Plenty of Tackles

Tackle is definitely the strongest position, boasting five mammoths who won letters last fall. Heading the list is 260-pound Houston Antwine, all-conference from Memphis, Tenn., followed by Dick Carpenter, Centralia; Bill Seilheimer, Chicago Ridge; Don Bates, Paulsboro, N. J.; and Bob Bourque, Lynn, Mass.

Capt. Willie Brown, Memphis, Tenn., another all-conference selection in '58; Paul Brostrom, Chicago; and Nick Re, Dowell, are the only returning guards.

Only Shaun Hawthorne, North Adams, Mass., will be back at center. A knee injury requiring surgery last winter is a question mark in his future. If it has healed, the Salukis will have top experience at the pivot and also a punter.

Some 70 candidates were expected to greet Coach Piccone and his staff opening day. Two-a-day sessions, early morning and night to beat the heat, will continue until the opener September 19 at Evansville.

Assisting Piccone this fall are Bob Franz, line; Harry Shay, backfield; and Andy Vaughan, ends.

Order Tickets Now

Tickets for the four home games are on sale at the SIU ticket office.

Season reserved seat books are $6 for alumni, and single game admission is $2 for reserved seats and $1.50 for general admission. Homecoming (October 17) prices are $2.50 reserved seats and $1.75 general admission.

Ticket orders should be sent to the SIU Ticket Office, Men's Gymnasium.

The home schedule:

Oct. 3—Northern Illinois, 8 P.M.
Oct. 17—Eastern Illinois, 1:30 P.M. (Homecoming)
Nov. 7—Bowling Green, 1:30 P.M.
Nov. 14—Central Michigan, 1:30 P.M.

October games are on Daylight Saving Time.

Games away are at Evansville, September 19; West Virginia State, September 26; Western Illinois, October 10; Illinois State, October 24; and Eastern Michigan, October 30.

Basketball schedule appears on page 22.
Among those who attended the 55th Reunion of the Class of 1904 in Carbondale on Alumni Day were Dr. and Mrs. William Lee Ozment, 2, of Leitchfield, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Homer David Etherton, 2, of LeRoy; and Robert W. Teeter, 2, of Berwyn.

Dr. Ozment is a physician and surgeon. Mr. Etherton is a retired high school teacher, farmer, and orchardist. Mr. Teeter is assistant state supervisor of the Illinois Division of Vocational Rehabilitation and one of the winners of the first Alumni Achievement Awards given in 1958.

In St. Louis Dr. Bennett Y. Alsis, 2, practices ophthalmology. He received his medical training at St. Louis University. He is married to the former Lettie Hughes '05-2 and they have two children, Edmund B. and Mrs. Lillian H. Schrader.

Although she could not attend the Golden Reunion of her class, Edith Palmer, 2, Berkeley, Calif., wrote to her classmates: "Graduation time this year reminds me that this is the 50th anniversary of my graduation. I would like to be there at the reunion to see old friends and take part in the activities but have planned to go to Europe this summer and it is not convenient for me to do both.

"I retired from Richmond schools after 30 years of teaching and now my special interest is work in the children's division of our church school and in the Woman's Society of our church.

"I have two sisters living in California. My youngest sister Mildred lives in Modesto and Mrs. B. A. Banker (Lucy Palmer '08-2) in Oakland. Myrtle Irene '99-2 taught in Oakland until she retired on account of illness. She passed away in May 1957."

Another member who could not be present was Mrs. Harrison Wilson (Velma Harris, 2), Ava: "I thank you sincerely for sending me the certificate given to those who have been an alumnus for 50 years. I treasure it. My thoughts were with the members of my Class of 1909 during the afternoon of the class meeting, but circumstances beyond my control prevented my being present. I shall always be interested in the progress of Southern Illinois University and in the activities of the alumni."

After 40 years in the ministry of the Methodist Church in southern Illinois, the Rev. Heber E. Burge, ex, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Herrin for the last eight years, retired at the end of May. He and Mrs. Burge now are living on the family farm near Centralia. There they are busy running the farm, including a herd of 23 registered cattle. Also for the next three years Mr. Burge has scheduled annual camp meetings, one each in Arkansas, Michigan, and Georgia. He has previously held evangelistic meetings in 11 states. Mr. Burge was a school teacher two years in the rural Centralia area before he decided to enter the ministry. He completed his college work at Asbury College, Willmore, Ky., and his first assignments in the church were at Kell, Nashville, Odin, Irvington, and East St. Louis. He also has served at Salem, Olney, and Eldorado.

The Burges have four children-Mrs. Robert Burkhart (Genevieve Burge, ex '34), Rocky River, O.; Mrs. Phyllis Forkerson, Freeport; Revos, a personnel director in Houston, Tex.; and Dr. Fletcher, Columbia, Mo., dentist.

Two staff writers of the Miami, Fla., Herald recently took opposing views on whether children should be spanked in school. To pursue her opinion that children should not be spanked in school, one of the writers interviewed Mary Entsminger, 2, associate professor emerita of education and one of Southern's most beloved and popular teachers. In her 35 years of teaching, Miss Entsminger never felt she had to resort to corporal punishment nor did her student teachers feel that way. She had been on SIU faculty since 1922 and she retired in 1956. She moved to Hollywood, Fla., at that time and continues to be active in community affairs as she had been in Carbondale. She does substitute teaching and also is interested in ceramics. A large picture accompanying the feature story about Miss Entsminger shows her with part of her ceramic collection.

Because he could not attend his class reunion, David F. DeLap, 2, Bozeman, Mont., real estate broker, sent this interesting and informative letter—

"It really would be wonderful to be there to celebrate our 45th Reunion and to reminisce those SINU days of long ago. Yesterday I attended Commencement exercises at Montana State College here in Bozeman where its Class of 1914 was having a reunion. Each member was introduced to the audience by Dr. Renne, the college president. Naturally, it made me wish to be in Carbondale at our reunion and I hope to at some future date. I have not been back during Commencement these 45 years.

"I know of no classmates living close to Montana but hope that sometime, someday, one of you will be touring this part of the West and drop in to see me. It was my pleasure during World War II while serving with the Armed Forces two years in Alaska to spend a weekend with Elbert E. Harris '16-2, '31, in Palmer where he was superintendent of schools.

"Occasionally I get to talk with Dr. Gordon Herwig who is with our local hospital as a physiotherapist and who was on the Southern faculty a few years back. He has told me about the big things being done there.

"At present I am retired from the Army: also from teaching, having had 36 years teaching experience, the last seven as a math instructor at Montana State. I retired from teaching in 1954 and rather than sit down with nothing to do but 'mow the lawn and take care of the garden' I opened up a small real estate office. It is a lot of 'fun' and the remuneration has outstripped teaching income by far. My old head is getting bald-

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er but I still enjoy living and meeting new people.

"Mrs. DeLap is a wonderful cook and housekeeper, so we drift along from day to day. We have a small cabin in the West Gallatin River Canyon on Hell Roaring Creek where we spend weekends during the summer, where it is always cool during July and August, seldom above 80 degrees. I easily catch all the fish we can eat. Occasionally we take a day or two trip around Montana and at this time of year Montana is beautiful—green rolling hills and mountains everywhere.

"If any of you should come this way at any time, please stop. The latch string will be hanging on the outside."

1915

Walk into the First National Bank at Golconda and you'll find the Ollin R. Kerleys in charge. Ollin R. Kerley, ex, is president and Mrs. Kerley (Mary Covany '17-2) is cashier. They have two children—Dr. Thomas G., ex '43, Paducah, Ky., married to Florence Bauer, ex '40; Mary Ruth, wife of Dr. C. D. George, Metropolis.

1918

Dr. Raymond G. Colyer, 2, is medical director for the Detroit Central Plants of Fisher Body Division, General Motors Corporation. A three-degree graduate of the University of Illinois, including its College of Medicine, he lives at 284 Pilgrim, Birmingham, Mich. He has two sons.

1919

"So many miles between make it impossible for me to attend our 40th Reunion," wrote Mrs. H. W. Allen (Oma L. Davis, 2), Seattle, Wash. "However my husband and I plan an eastern and southern trip in September after he retires and we will visit the campus sometime during the fall. I have been back several times. Somehow it always makes me a little sad. How the memories come rushing in."

"After graduation I taught in the grade schools of Harrisburg for two years. Then I met and married Mr. Allen, an engineer for Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company of Milwaukee. We have traveled quite a lot over the U. S. and Alaska in his business. We have no children, so I went along everywhere and have enjoyed it very, very much.

"We came to Seattle in May, 1923, and have never wanted to live anywhere else. This Northwest country is beautiful, and Seattle, hemmed in by lofty, snowcapped mountains and lovely Puget Sound is beyond description. All of the waters in and around Seattle are dotted with boats, from outboards to sailboats, cruisers, and yachts. I hope you all want to visit our city, if not before, to the Worlds Fair "Century-21" in 1961. July and August are the truly summer months. The nights are always cool. The climate is mild—average winter temperature 41 degrees and summer, 63 degrees. I know you've heard it always rains in Seattle, but don't believe it. If we didn't have that Washington mist where would we get that lush green all the year round?"

Mrs. E. D. Wallace (Margaret Mary Hempler, 2) lives at 686 South 43rd Street, Louisville 11, Ky.

1920

New address for Ben J. McCrery, 2, is Box 394, Niceville, Fla. It formerly was Aurora.

Mrs. Ralph B. Vanston (Ruby Cerny, 2) is with the Chicago Board of Education as a teacher at the Nixon School.

1922

Last month at the end of the Summer Session at SIU, Mrs. Herbert L. Rieke (Evelyn Davis, 2) retired from teaching. She had been on the faculty at Southern since 1937 and during that time had served as supervisor of Latin, counselor of girls at University School, and foreign languages teacher. She had taught Spanish, English, and drama. She retired as an assistant professor. Two sons are alumni—Herbert L. '56, M.S. '57, Mendota, married to Esther J. McLean, ex '56; and Richard D. '57, Columbus, O., married to Regina Miller, ex '58.

Mrs. Wanda Sizemore Fowler, 2, '41, East Alton, is a teacher in the Roxana Community Unit.

1923

Two changes of address are reported for members of the class—Richard J. Dickson, 2, is at Ashland. He formerly was at Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Galbreath, 2, (Myrtle Cooper, ex '27) have moved from Glen Ellyn to Denver, Colo.

From Milwaukee Edward J. Zeiler, 2, reports: "Twenty-seven years in Whitefish Bay, Wis. Nineteen years as an elementary principal of the Richards School, eight years as superintendent of schools. Staff has more than doubled in the past eight years. The community has more than doubled the teaching stations through a generous building program."

1924

James McClellan, ex, retired school teacher, lives at 301 West Lebanon, Nashville.

Arthur W. Cox '20-2 recently was elected

Dr. Bailey Retires From U. of I. Chicago Post

On September 1 Dr. Percival Bailey '12, distinguished professor of neurology and neurological surgery and clinical professor of psychiatry at the University of Illinois College of Medicine in Chicago, retired after 20 years on the faculty of that university. He then became full-time director of research at the new Illinois State Psychiatric Institute in Chicago.

Dr. Bailey, who became a professor in 1947, also had served as clinical director of the State Psychopathic Institute. His home is in Evanston.

Last year Dr. Bailey was one of the first to receive the Alumni Achievement Award. He is a former president of the SIU Alumni Association.
FIFTY YEARS LATER THE FLAG OF THE CLASS OF 1909 is exhibited and presented at Alumni Day. Left to right are Paul McRoy '34, immediate past president of the Alumni Association, Mrs. C. F. Anderson (Ruth McCreery '09), Mt. Vernon, President Delyte Morris, and Dr. Martin Van Brown '23-2,'25, new association president.

Class Flag Shown at Golden Reunion

For 50 years the flag of the Class of 1909 lay lost and forgotten in the home of the C. F. Andersons (Clarence F. Anderson '08 and his wife, the former Ruth McCreery '09), of Mt. Vernon.

Made by some of the girls of the class, each stitch put in with pride and affection, the flag never was displayed on Commencement Day. In the hustle and bustle of Commencement—and it was an event of even greater importance, for that famous American, William Jennings Bryan, was guest speaker—the flag never was run up on Old Main.

On Alumni Day last June the flag was almost overlooked again, but before the day’s activities were brought to a close, it was displayed and honored.

The Golden Reunion Class of 1909 had a joyous reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Etherton (J. E. Etherton, ex '08, and his wife, the former Julia Mitchell '09), in Carbondale. Members of the class, their families and guests, faculty members and friends from around made it a happy occasion.

At the Alumni Banquet that evening Mrs. Annie Hayden Young gave this class toast—

"People came from miles around to see US graduate!
In all of Southern's history, a most momentous date.
William Jennings Bryan came, to honor that fine class,
Down from the hills, and up from the hollows the populace came en masse.
After 50 more years living—and taking 'Geritol'—
We thrill to that memory old timers still recall!"
Myrtle E. Booth, 2, teaches the fourth grade at Louis Baer School in Madison. This summer Prof. J. Cary Davis '25-2, of SIU's Foreign Languages Department, taught Spanish in a summer language institute at the University of South Dakota, a seven-week program supported by National Defense Education Act in cooperation with the U. S. Office of Education Language Development Program. Professor Davis has been on the Southern faculty since 1930.

Edwin C. Heinzeck '27-2, Caseyville, is head of the social studies department of Collinsville High School.

Mrs. Willard Bannor (Mildred Pfeifer, 2) lives in Grayville and has a son, George, 12.

New address for Mrs. Zella A. Cook, 2, '46, is 20 South 88th Street, Belleville. She formerly lived in East St. Louis.

Louis P. Shannon '25-2 is a division manager in the public relations department of the DuPont Company, Wilmington, Del. He and his wife Helen live at 271 Dallam Road, Newark, Del., and have two sons, Louis E. and Richard T.

In Washington, D. C., Mabel Louise Eads '25-2 is with the Far Eastern Division of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce, U. S. Department of Commerce.

Mrs. Litta Kimler Roberson, 2, Ashley, O., is director of women's activities for the Ohio Farm Bureau. She has a son, Robert, 11.

Elbridge W. Harris, 2, is a senior drivers license examiner for the State of California. He and his wife Lucy live at 4236 Clairemont Drive, San Diego. They have two children, Robert and Marilyn.

1930

Margaret Armentrout '28-2 is a Latin teacher at the Benton High School.

Mrs. Lillian Lindsey Stanley, 2, is a teacher in the Cook County schools. She lives at 739 Busse in Park Ridge and has a daughter, Norma Elaine.

New address for Mrs. Winifred Harris Perry, 2, '41, is 614 South Fifth, Springfield. She formerly lived in Marion.

A. Norwood Adams '28-2 is an astronomer with the U. S. Naval Observatory and his wife (Ruth Williams '29-2) is a fifth grade teacher. They live in Arlington, Va.

1931

Homer H. Fields '28-2 is a member of the faculty of the Lyons Township High School and Junior College and a salesman for Rich Port Realtor of LaGrange. He is a former president of the village of Westchester and a past president of the Chicago Area Alumni Club.

Mrs. C. W. Burch (Jane Miller) lives at 4050 Berkshire Drive, Jackson, Miss., and has a daughter, Mary Jane, 12.

A teacher in the Granite City school system is Mrs. Wilbert Engelke (Georgia M. McCormick, 2). She has two sons.

1932

Robert E. Zarbock, ex, is plant manager for Continental Can Company in New Orleans. He and his wife, Eloise, have two sons, Robert S. and William.

President of the King Coal Girl Scout Council is Leora Hartley Lambert, 2, wife of Dr. Guy W. Lambert '33, West Frankfort, member of the SIU Alumni Association Board of Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest V. Monical (Emilie Szeitzer, ex '30) live at 13 Heber Drive, Alton, and have two children, Tom and Sue. Mr. Monical is superintendent of high explosives manufacturing for Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation.

Emma Penny Holmes, 2, '57, is a teacher with the Sparta Community Consolidated Schools. She and her husband, Gilbert Holmes '27-2, '49, M. S. '58, have three children, two of whom are students at Southern.

Mrs. John W. Chandler (Georgia Hankla) lives at 1813 California Avenue, Ft. Wayne, Ind. She has three children—John, Dick, and Mary Beth.

1933

Helen A. Wright, 2, is a secretary with the Chrysler Corporation in St. Louis. She formerly was with Chrysler in Evansville, Ind.

In Mascoutah Jennie Bertie Glaeser, 2, '56, is a first grade teacher at the Sixth Street School.

Mary Parmenter, 2, '58, is a teacher in the Du Quoin school system.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Johnson, ex, (Leona Odell, ex '31) now live at 209 North Hinkley Avenue, Rockford. They formerly lived in Franklin Grove.

1934

At a meeting of the Illinois Association of School Administrators last spring on the Southern campus, Robert E. McKinney '26-2, Marion superintendent of schools, led a discussion on school legislation. He recently was appointed to a second three-year term on the legislative committee of the group.

Because she could not attend the Silver Reunion of the class in June, Mrs. Clyde Hester (Norma Rose Nighswander, 2), Sandoval, wrote, "At present I am attending school at McKendree College, Lebanon. I will receive B.A. degree on July 31. I have taught 20 years since leaving SIU. We have two daughters, Marilyn, a senior at Sandoval High School, and Janet, a sophomore. For the past seven years I have taught the first grade at Sandoval. Greetings and best wishes to all."

Mrs. Anderson Wolfe (Afton Beasley), West Frankfort, is in the English Department of the West Frankfort High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon D. Reach (Vera Thorp, ex '25) live in DeKalb where he is director of Summer Session at Northern Illinois University. They have two children, Darryl Keith and Dale.

In Canton Wilbert McMurray '31-2 is principal of the Willard School.

Russell A. Neal is a salesman for Follett Publishing Company. He lives in Nevada, Ia., is married, and has three children.

One of the featured participants in a School Lunch Workshop this summer at SIU was Marjorie Robinson, a staff nutritionist for the American Institute of Baking in Chicago. She also has been an elementary teacher in Jackson and Williamson Counties.

Mrs. William F. Rose (Ardell Smallenberg, 2) lives at 229 North Fifth Street in DuPau. She has a 10-year-old daughter, Coralee Rose.

"I am sorry I will be unable to attend the Silver Reunion of our class. I find getting a day off most difficult when working for oneself and husband. For the past nine years we have owned and operated a package liquor store in Du Quoin. After graduation I taught 10 years in the Du Quoin Public Schools. We have two children, Karl Joe, almost 13, and Carolyn Sue, 10. It's astounding how Southern has grown in the 25 years. I am proud to be able to say I am an alumnus."—Mrs. S. C. Ritter (Geraldine Jones, 2).

1935

From Coral Gables, Fla., Mrs. William Spire (Mary Elizabeth Batson, ex) writes, "Have lived in Florida two years and love it. My husband has an advertising agency whose main account is General Development—the Mackle Brothers—Florida's largest land and home developers."

Mrs. Wallace Karstens (Marie Mollman) lives at 4231 Oak Lane, Belleville. She has two children and is a member of the board of directors of the St. Clair County Alumni Chapter.

Dr. Hazel E. Atherton, medical gradu-
ate of the University of Iowa, specializes in gynecology and obstetrics in Memphis, Tenn. He and Mrs. Atherton (Elizabeth Ross, ex '37) have two children.

Harry E. Bauder is on the faculty of the Peoria High School. He is married to Irene Ayre Bauder '40.

1936

On July 1 Loren H. Allen joined the staff of Illinois Superintendent of Public Instruction George Wilkins '29-2, '37, as director of instructional materials. He moved to Springfield from Peoria, where he had been librarian of Richwoods High School.

Lt. Col. Lowell A. Davis has returned to the States and now is assistant professor of Air Science on the staff of the AF ROTC at Ohio State University, Columbus. After 25 years of teaching, Mrs. J. C. Penn (Lovia Bell Penn), Carbondale, has retired. She taught four years in Tamms High School District and the last 21 years in Bannaker School in Pulaski District 10.

Gilbert W. Anderson, 2, Covington, Ky., is a railway postal clerk. He is married and has two children.

Mrs. James H. Benson (Catherine Hurley, ex) is a resident of Rock Springs, Wyo., and has a son, James H., eight.

1937

In New Brunswick, N. J., Robert W. Kell is a patent attorney with the pharmaceutical firm of Johnson and Johnson. He and Grace Hubbard Kell '34-2 live at 161 Mali Drive, North Plainfield, N. J., and have three children, Martha, Russell, and Roger.

Holly C. Marchildon, Jr. is superintendent of Chester Public Schools. He and his wife Mary have three children—Gerald, Judith, and Janet.

Mrs. Franklin Gates (Aileen McCue) is home economics teacher at Eldorado High School.

1938

Milton B. Cook is with the Anderson Clayton Company in Sao Paulo, Brazil, S. A. His wife is the former Juana Skaggs '37.

Mrs. Ralph V. York (Edith Stephens, ex) is an elementary teacher in the Du Quoin city schools.

At Long Island, N. Y., Sue Crain is a school principal at Manhasset. She lives in Port Washington, N. Y.

Mrs. Thomas S. Kandul (Mary B. Lee, ex) lives at 411 Freyer Drive, Marietta, Ga. She has two sons and three daughters.

Another Du Quoin teacher is Robert C. Huntley, Sp. Cert. '57, science instructor in the Du Quoin High School.

1939

From Evansville, Ind., Mary Triplett Smith, ex, writes for her husband, Wallace T. Smith, ex, and herself—"We don't know a bit of outstanding news. I teach at Union Township School here in Evansville and Wallace is with Bendix-Westinghouse Company. Our two boys are getting bigger (as boys seem to do) and that's all we know."

Cmdr. Harry B. Keller, ex, in June received a master's degree in engineering administration from George Washington University, Washington, D.C. He has attended the U. S. Naval Academy and MIT. He is married to Lois Lee Smith Keller '41.

Another military man is Maj. Harry K. Klie, assigned to Ft. Reilly, Kan.

Report on the Thomas A. Sink family of 1004 Pitner Avenue, Evansston: "I am the principal of the Nichols Junior High School in Evanston. Mrs. Sink is the former Selma Summers of West Frankfort. We have a 14-year-old boy, Timothy, and an 11-year-old girl, Mary Lou."

1940

The Richardson dosimeter, a pocket-size radar and microwave detector used as a safeguard against radiation and weighing about one ounce, has been invented by Alfred W. Richardson, associate professor of physiology at St. Louis University and scientist at the Cape Canaveral, Fla., space project. The dosimeter, about the size of a package of regular cigarettes and designed to fit easily into a shirt or jacket pocket, responds to microwaves and serves as a warning signal to persons working on radar fields. It also records the amount of radiation that will affect the human body. In addition to the space project, Professor Richardson is a consultant on the biologic effects of heat-producing microwaves for the Armed Forces and does research in co-operation with the Office of Naval Research. From 1946 to 1949 he worked with the Air Force on a project involving microwaves.

In Marion John K. Miller, ex, is associated with his father in the abstract and real estate business. He and Mrs. Miller (Venita White, ex '41) have two daughters.

1941

Maj. LaVerne Gualtney lives at 354 MacKenzie Drive, Santa Clara, Calif., with his wife Violet and daughter Bonnie. He is staff meteorologist for the Satellite Test Wing of the U. S. Air Force.

At Shelbyville Joseph C. Deaton is superintendent of Community Unit District Four.

Forest M. Buxton is title officer with the Central Title and Trust Company in Maitland, Fla. He is married and has three children.

Cherry George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. George (Cleona Rea George '42), Springfield, represented Springfield High School in the American Field Service Student Exchange program this summer. She sailed for Germany in June and returned in September after living with a family on a farm in the province of Schleswig-Holstein. Students were selected for the program on the basis of scholastic records, school activities, and community service. Cherry is an honor roll student, majors in English and history, and plans a career in social work. "We have three other children—Derek, almost 15; Cyndi, eight; and Alicia, three. Carl is still building Midwest Homes—and wonder of wonders, has started building one for us. Enjoy the Southern Alumnus very much."—Cleon A. George.

1942

Two members of the class are members of the faculty of Glenbard High School, Glen Ellyn. William Campbell, Jr., is a biology and general science instructor and lives in Glen Ellyn. Roy R. Chenoweth, M.S. '53, Westchester, also teaches at Glenbard.

Robert F. Catlett, M.S. '47, is superintendent of schools of Cahokia District 187. Chief pilot for Midwestern Air Service, Carbondale, is John E. Ketting, ex. He is a graduate of St. Louis University, is married, and has four children.

At Neenah, Wis., the Rev. L. Clarence Kelley is minister of the Neenah First Methodist Church which has a membership of 1,100. The Kelleys (Veta H. Galin '43) have four children.

Albert R. Horrell is a social studies instructor at O'Fallon Technical High School in St. Louis. He and his wife Irene have five children—Philip, Sylvia, Lucie, Dan, and Paul.

1943

"I am teaching language arts in the seventh and eighth grades in a new elementary school in Oak Lawn. It is a challenge to teach this age group after not having taught for several years."—Mrs. Banks H. Cheatham (Dorothy Miller), Oak Lawn.

Mrs. Ruby Neal Sanders, M.S. '53, is a member of the Carbondale Public Library staff.
Capt. John L. Hart, ex, is assigned to the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence in Washington. He and his wife Wanda and their two children, John and Rebecca, live in Arlington, Va.

Capt. Don H. Reynolds, ex, West Point graduate, has joined the faculty of West Point this fall on a three-year assignment as an English teacher. He has been attending Columbia University for his master's degree.

At 1856 Apache Boulevard in Tempe, Ariz., live Dorothy Kunath Gericke, her husband, Ernest F. Gericke, and their four children—Lillian, Ernest, Jr., Jonathan, and Ruth Anne.

1944

Mrs. Bernice Lafoon Sickman '32-2, '49, is principal of an elementary school in the Decatur public school system.

In Carmi Mrs. V. Thomas Collard, Jr. (Mary Elizabeth Norris, ex) lives at 24 Montgomery Circle with her husband and two sons, Douglas and Jeffrey.

The Rev. John Wesley Stations now is in Perryville, Mo.

1945


Mrs. Glenn Cain (Edith Vinyard, ex) is a primary teacher in Raleigh.

Mrs. James R. McSmith is the former Patricia Greathouse. She and her husband, a Jewel Tea salesman, and their five children—Steven, Deborah, Susan, Wanda, and Nancy—live at Route Three, Carbondale. Bella Claybrook, ex, retired teacher, lives in Centralia.

1946

In Harrisburg Claude F. Piersall is field representative for the Social Security Administration. He and his wife Marjorie have a son, David, and three daughters, Judy, Linda, and Nancy.

Walter H. McDonald, M.S. '49, is assistant professor of geography at Eastern Illinois University, in Charleston. He is married to Martha D. Vaupel '42 and they have three sons—Alan, John, and Brian.

Norman W. Massie, ex, is a teacher and coach in the Fairfax Public Schools.

Another coach is Scott P. Gill, M.S. '53, Mt. Vernon, who also teaches physical education. Mrs. Gill is Mary Frances Gilbert, ex '40.

The Rev. James Clarence Greer is pastor of the First Baptist Church at Casey.

Broken Arrow, Okla., is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanebutt (Eileen Guebert, ex) and their three children.

1947

One of the participants in the Summer Institute for Teachers of Mathematics at St. Louis University was Arthur Hallar, M.S. '49, mathematics instructor at Central School, Effingham. He has taught in that community since 1948 and is married to Dorothy Dinan, ex '43.

A busy woman is Mrs. Dwain Speer (Ethel Jennings, ex), Junction. She is a housewife, mother of two children, buyer for Speer Department Store, and an insurance agent.

Mrs. L. C. Kerley (Betty Lou Timmerlake Kerley, ex) is secretary for the office of the Bureau Township Schools, Princeton. Her husband is Loren C. Kerley '35 and they have two children.

Dean of the Southwest Egyptian Conference cage coaches, Edward H. Moody, M.S. '57, will not coach basketball at Du Quoin High School any longer. He will continue as athletic director and baseball coach. He had been basketball coach eight years.

Mrs. Edgar Meier (Erna Donaldson Meier, ex), eighth grade teacher at Sparta, has completed 35 years of teaching in Randolph County, the last seven years at Sparta Community Consolidated Grade School.

1948

One of the new directors of the Southern Illinois chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, is John W. Mulkin, M.A. '52, of the Herrin Spokesman.

Mrs. Myrtle Nichols Coffey, ex, this fall starts to teach the second grade in the Sunnybrook School, Chicago Heights. Joseph Toms, Jr., M.S. '53, Logan, is administrative assistant and guidance counselor at Lincoln-Way Community High School, New Lenox.

Superintendent of the Carmi Children's Home of the Illinois Baptist State Association is S. Otho Williams, ex.

Oral L. Telford is owner and operator of a grain elevator in Centralia.

At Amarillo Air Force Base in Texas Donald M. Rogers, ex, is an instructor in the Officer Supply School.

Wardell A. England is a mail clerk for the federal government in Washington, D.C.
Robert A. Knoke, ex, is with the Mississippi Valley Barge Line Company in Houston, Tex.

In Washington, D.C., Willis E. McCray, M.A. '50, is an administrative assistant of the United Mine Workers of America Welfare and Retirement Fund.

Mrs. Thomas L. Teft (Wilma Jean Chambers), Champaign, is teaching the third grade at Tolono.

1949

The Rev. Charles R. Walker is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Carterville.

Also in that community is Kenneth G. Rushing, M.S. '51, principal of the Carterville High School.

While her husband, Hubert G. Norville, is an artist in residence at James Millikin University in Decatur, Phyllis Jean Snow Norville is helping in the teaching of music in the Decatur Public Schools.

State's attorney for Jackson County is William G. Ridgeway, Murphysboro. He and Elizabeth Greer Ridgeway, ex, have a daughter, Carol Ann.

Mrs. Harold W. Ruschmeyer (Maris Gary, ex), Normandy, Mo., is a senior records clerk for the National Research Council.

Bill V. Isom is an associate in the Carbondale district office of the Franklin Life Insurance Company.

At Columbus, O., Robert E. Luetzow is a senior engineer in design for North American Aviation, Inc. He lives in Baltimore.

William R. Qualls, M.S. '51, social studies teacher and director of audiovisual aids at Herrin Township High School, resigned from the Herrin Park Board to serve as manager of the park swimming pool during the summer.

First woman principal in Carbondale Grade School District 95 is Mrs. Mary Marberry Swindell '30-32. She becomes principal of Brush School this fall after 21 years as vocal music teacher in the Carbondale grade schools. She is a member of the board of directors for 1959 of the Jackson County Alumni Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Whiteside, M.S. '50 (Juanita Whiteside, ex '50) and their two children, Dennis and Gail Ann, live at 926 North Dunton, Arlington Heights. Mr. Whiteside is director of guidance of Arlington High School and Mrs. Whiteside teaches the first grade in the Wilson School.

1950

In Macomb John D. Parsons, M.S. '51, is associate professor of biological sciences at Western Illinois University. His wife is

Hannah Troutt Parsons.

Ronald Frank Wingate, ex, Aurora, is a pilot with Ozark Airlines.

Mrs. Clair Munns (Shirley Mae Heyen, ex) teaches in the Weyerhauser, Wis., schools. She has two children—Nancy and Jim.

Robert E. Lanier is a social worker with the Mental Health Service of the Illinois Department of Public Welfare, serving as administrator for the Downstate Illinois State Hospital Service. He and Geraldine Edmison, ex '48, have four sons.

Harold D. Miere is director of industrial education for Robinson High School.

Mrs. Virgil Stewart (Mary Esther Marlman) is teaching second grade in Metcalf.

At Clinton Marion E. Kallenbach is principal of the DeWitt School.

Capt. Donald E. Boesch, ex, is supply officer for Laughlin Air Force Base, SAC base at Del Rio, Tex.

James W. Gidcumb is credit supervisor for General Motors Acceptance Corporation in Jefferson City, Mo. He is married and has two children.

Out west Edwin C. Bryan, ex, owns and operates a 280-acre ranch and apple orchard at Winthrop, Wash.

Van Eugene Craig teaches industrial education for Johnston City High School, Unit One.

1951

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll J. Little, M.S. '53 (Doris V. Little '56) both teach in the Decatur city schools, he in the sixth grade and she in the first.

Andrew R. Rendleman, M.S. '55, St. Joseph, Mich., is a sales engineer for P. R. Mallory Company. He is married and has three daughters.

In Chicago Mary Jane Kiwler is a research assistant for the American Medical Association.

Mr. and Mrs. George Madison (Bertha P. Pixley '50) live at 1017 Summer Street in Chattanooga, Tenn., with Stephen, Paula, and twins Mark and Martha. Mr. Madison is educational director of the Northside Baptist Church in Chattanooga.

Mrs. Harry H. Bresnan (Esther Inman) lives at 2038 South McLean, Bloomington.

Head football coach at Mattoon High School is Charles Oyer, former SIU fullback.

In Garland, Tex., Paul M. Morgan is an IBM 709 computer programmer for Temco Aircraft Corporation.

1952

Three members of the class are ministers—

A. B. Plunkett is pastor of the Twenty-first Avenue Baptist Church in Rock Island. His wife, Rosa Plunkett, is a fourth grade teacher in the Rock Island schools. They have two children.

Benjamin F. Anderson is minister of the Brookport Methodist Charge. He and Iola LaVerne Mower Anderson have three children—David, Debra, and Douglas.

And Harold L. Smith is a Baptist pastor in Johnston City. His wife is Josephine Smith, ex, and they have two children, Celeste and Barry.

Donna Jean Zimmerman Smith is the wife of T/Sgt. Iril W. Smith, assigned to the Sioux City, Ia., Municipal Air Port. They have two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Donahue (Jacquelyn Bittner) live at 8083 Crossmont Drive, St. Louis. He is child welfare supervisor for the Children's Services of St. Louis.

Maridea Padison is on the faculty of Lincoln Community High School in Lincoln.

Emogene Bourland is a second grade teacher in the Decatur schools.

1953

Mrs. William G. Humphrey (LaVerne L. Williams) is a first and second grade teacher at Roosevelt School, Racine, Wis.

In Cincinnati Robert N. Robertson is with the sales department of Dow Chemical Company. He is married to Mona Lou Williams '52.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Odle (Mildred Peebles Odle '52) live at 3531 Arden, Brookfield, with their two children, Phillip and Cheryl. Mr. Odle is a chemist with the Illinois Department of Highways in Chicago.

Earl Doughty, Jr., M.S. '54, is a fourth grade teacher in the Alton schools.

In St. Louis Joan Schlueter, ex, is bookkeeper and receptionist for Wine and Spirits Wholesalers of America.

Mrs. Armand V. Hanff (Marion Jean Davis), Belleville, is a secretary at Scott Air Force Base.

Dr. Paul D. Randolph, ex, graduate of Illinois College of Optometry, Chicago, practices optometry in DeKalb. His wife is Barbara Jane Smith, ex, and they have a daughter, Julie Carol.

1954

Norman Roedenberg is band director of Central High School in St. Louis. He and his wife (Helen Nicholson '49), and their son David live in Duplo.

Mrs. Orville Talbert (Maxine Brach) is a teacher at the Center Street School in Fairfield.

A piece of sculpture by William Robert...
'TWAS SPRING AT KOTZEBUE, ALASKA, when this picture was taken April 18 of Harold Floyd '37, Portland, Ind., and the polar bear he had just killed. Mr. Floyd, manager of Jay County Rural Electric Membership Corporation, Portland, 10 years, visited the 49th state to make a movie and hunt bear.

Youngman, M.A., art instructor at the University of Illinois, has been installed in the lounge of the new student union building at Eastern Illinois University, Charleston. The sculpture, six feet long and two feet wide, is made of steel and nickel and depicts the growth of nature. Mr. Youngman has been at Illinois since 1953 and has received a number of awards for his work. He is married to Shirlle Grain Guard,ex '54.

William R. Swanson is a management trainee with State Farm Insurance Company, Bloomington.

Jim H. Hartley is engaged in farming near Centralia. He and Elaine Ann Hartley '55 have two children.

1955

Robert E. Hamilton is a meteorologist for the Air Force at Scott AFB, Belleville. He and his wife (Betty Lou Freeman, ex '54) and two daughters live in O'Fallon.

In Harrisburg James M. Guard owns the Guard Mobil Service Station and manages the Harrisburg Drive-In Theatre. He and Shirley Crain Guard, ex, have a son, Mark.

Alden D. Bruns, Shelbyville, Ind., is a salesman for Belknap Hardware Company of Louisville, Ky.

Lt. Richard C. Erickson is assigned to Fifth Air Force Headquarters in Japan. His wife, the former Jane Meyers of Belleville, is with him.

In Louisville, Ky., Charles D. Freese is a seminarian at Southern Baptist Seminary.

Robert B. Rogers has been named secretary to three fruit growers organizations—Illinois Fruit Council, Illinois Horticultural Society, and National Peach Council. Offices are in Carbondale. Mr. Rogers formerly was an Illinois Agriculture Association insurance representative and also public relations man for a milling company in Beardstown. His wife is Mildred Dean, ex '54.

1956

Paul E. Beatty, M.S., is a science teacher and assistant coach at Roxana High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip A. Eigenmann (Patricia Priest Eigenmann '57) both are on the faculty of Johnston City High School, he as band director and she as an English teacher.

Rickliffe S. Henry, M.S. '58, is industrial arts teacher at Mt. Carmel High School. He is married and has a son, Stephen Brian.

John L. Hoague, VTI, is an engineer with the Illinois State Highway Department, and his wife (Shirley Edwards Hoague '57) is English and physical education teacher at Sesser. They live in Carbondale.

In St. Louis Mrs. Joe Thomas (Jean Thomas, M.S.) is a vocational guidance counselor for the St. Louis Urban League. Principal of Wayne City High School is Harry N. Irwin, M.S. His wife is Frances Simmons Irwin '52 and they have one child.

Fred Osick, Jr., VTI, Evanston, is a field man for Cotter-Karcher Shoe Company.

Mrs. Frank Whisler (Mariee Nisbet), Ava, teaches the fifth grade at Ava, in the Trico unit.

In Mt. Vernon Thomas W. Edwards, ex, is a television repairman for Gaunt's TV Shop.

1957

Carl W. Gates, who received a master's degree in economics last year from the University of Missouri, is in management administration with the Northern Illinois Gas Company, Aurora. He and his wife Nancy E., ex '56, have a son, Craig.

Speech and dramatics instructor at Bloomington High School is Dorothy L. Reck, M.S. '58.

Ida Hartline, B.S. '58, is a member of the faculty of Mattoon Community High School. Her home is at Ashley.

Harold T. Perry, of Detroit, Mich., is in the Army and stationed in Alaska.

Also in Alaska is Margaret A. Ritchie, teacher at Elmendorf Air Force Base near Anchorage.

Bobby G. Lemmon, VTI '54, Harvey, is machine shop teacher at Thornton High School and Junior College.

Another teacher is Mrs. Lilly Russell, who is on the faculty of Center Street School in Fairfield.

Virginia Smith Pruett, VTI-1, is the wife of Sgt. Ernest L. Pruett, stationed at Scott AFB. They live in O'Fallon.

"Last September I completed my dietetic internship at Hines Veterans Administration Hospital and am now a dietitian on the staff of the V.A. Research Hospital in Chicago. I certainly enjoy receiving the Southern Alumnus and reading all the news of my former classmates and the development of SIU."—Violet Sabo.

Donald J. Sherman, Woodlawn, has been named an appraiser with the Federal Housing Administration in St. Louis. After nine months of FHA training at the Appraiser Training Center in Detroit, he will return to the St. Louis office.

Ruth C. Emge is librarian at Glenbrook High School, Northbrook. She lives in Glenview.

1958

Beverly Jeannine Fowler, Metropolis, is an English instructor at Jerseyville High School.

John L. Patterson, VTI, is a salesman for the Golden Rule Insurance Company of Lawrenceville. His home is in Harrisburg.

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ALUMNI CLUB NEWS

By mid-August 10 alumni clubs had reported plans for fall or winter meetings. As summer comes to an end, club officers are getting together to make plans for their 1959-60 program. One club has even set the date for its spring meeting.

Here is the list of club meetings—

September 13, Chicago Area, picnic at Bemis Woods on Rte. 34 west of Wolf Road.

September 13, Macon County, potluck supper at Nelson Park, Decatur.

September 18, Jackson County, fish fry, 6:30 P.M., Jackson County Country Club reserved.

September 20, Kankakee Area, picnic.

September 30, Evansville, Ind., Area, picnic.

October 3, Missouri Chapter, picnic at 5 P.M., Babler State Park.

October 4, Springfield Area, picnic.

October 8, Richland County, informal meeting with high school seniors as guests, Olney High School.

November 18, Champaign Area, dinner.

December 19, Missouri Chapter, Christmas party.

May 7, 1960, Missouri Chapter, spring banquet.

As definite plans for the picnics and meetings are received, they will be published.

Los Angeles Meeting

A dinner meeting was held June 23 by the Los Angeles Alumni Club at the Bell Hurst County Club. Guest speaker was James L. C. Ford, SIU professor of journalism, who spoke on the University’s developments and plans.

New officers of the club for 1959-60 are President Dolen W. Ginger ’50, Garden Grove; Vice President Charles V. Brockett ’49, Arcadia; Secretary Lillian Gebhardt Ginger ’51; and Treasurer Edith Enright Cochrane, ex ’49, Anaheim.

AAC Award

The SIU Alumni Association received an honorable mention for single piece entry in special events promotion of the direct mail competition at the 44th annual general conference of the American Alumni Council held this summer at Mackinac Island, Mich. The entry was the mailing piece announcing the Alumni Family Vacation Camping Program for 1959.

Last year the association won first place in the homecoming and reunion promotion in the direct mail competition and third place in the alumni dues billing series.

Attending the conference at Mackinac were Alumni Executive Secretary Robert Odanell ’51 and Alumni Field Representative Jay King ’51.

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In Springfield, Mo., Frank Dinka, M.A., is an instructor in the Department of Political Science of Southwest Missouri State College. He is married and has a daughter, Jane Marie.

Max Marie Schneider, VTI-1, Freeburg, works in the office of the National Disinfectant Company in St. Louis.

Bernard P. Dunnigan, Jr., VTI, is a machinist for Olin Mathison Corporation in Herrin.

From Pinckneyville, where he is minister of St. Paul’s United Church of Christ, the Rev. Harold A. Schultz, M.S., writes, “Am Chairman of Religion and Health in South Illinois Synod of United Church of Christ. Also contribute various articles in guidance and counseling, inspirational and devotional, as well as poetry to a variety of religious and secular periodicals throughout the U.S. and Canada. My wife Joan and my boys, David, eight, and Edward, three, are proud of SIU, too.”

Lillian O. Hirsch, M.A. Sycamore, is an instructor of biology at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb.

Paul A. Vohs, Jr., Carbondale, is a project leader for the Illinois Department of Conservation. He is married and has two daughters, Martha and Toni Lynn.

NEW CREDIT TRAINING DIRECTOR

of J. C. Penney Company in New York is James L. Stahler ’52. He is in charge of training personnel in stores where Penney’s plan to extend credit. He started with the company in Watseka, where his father was manager, and before his recent promotion was manager of ready-to-wear department for Penney’s in downtown Racine, Wis.

In St. Louis James B. Netemeyer is a business analyst for the St. Louis Bank for Co-operatives.

Mrs. Jinnie Gulledge Mausey, VTI-1, owns and operates a grocery store in Cartherville.

Jean A. Williams, Naperville, is a foreign exchange student at the University of Hamburg in Germany.

In Wellton, Ariz., Frank R. Chamberlain, M.A., teaches Spanish at the Antelope Union High School.

Wayland E. Downen, VTI, is a sign painter in Kansas City, Mo. He and his wife, Luan M. Smith, ex ’57, have a son, Gregory Allen.

Norbert J. Flam, formerly of Cobden and now of Kutztown, Pa., is a salesman for Niagara Chemical Company.

Music teacher at Allendale is Roy E. Schmitt, Mt. Carmel.

Edward S. Miller, Park Forest, is a claims examiner for the U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, Chicago.

Mrs. Lloyd L. Patheal (Naomi Faye Reid Patheal) is the librarian at the Carbondale Community High School. She has three children.

Principal of the Johannisburg School is Kenneth L. McKinzie, VTI ’55. He and his wife (Betty Butler, ex ’53) live in Nashville.

Southern Alumnus
William T. Patterson is a design draftsman with the Norge Company in Herrin. He makes his home in Salem.

Marvin W. McIntire does sales work for the Bryden Fixture Company, designers and manufacturers in Flora. He is married and has a daughter Karen.

In Shawneetown the Rev. Charles F. Hurt is minister of the Baptist Church and a teacher in the elementary schools. He has three children—Marty, Tonda, and Debby.

Mrs. G. L. Stilwell (Martha E. Stilwell, VT1-1) is a practical nurse in West Frankfort.

Howard N. Schlechte, VTI, lives in Godfrey and is a customer engineer for IBM in East St. Louis.

Teaching the seventh grade of the Millstadt Consolidated Grade School is Frederick A. Hotz.

In Springfield Richard Moreland, VTI, is an architectural hardware consultant with Schlitt Supply Company.

James E. Davis is a student in the School of Theology of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky. William R. Connelly, East Chicago, Ind., is a salesman for the Pfizer Laboratories.

After he received his degree from SIU, M. W. Goda Baker returned to his home in Monrovia, Liberia, Africa, to join Liberia's Bureau of Mines and Geology as a geologist.

Ruth B. Jones is business teacher at Steeleville High School.

At Pueblo, Colo., Francis E. Coxen is director of physical education for the YMCA. He is married and has a daughter Carrie.

In Chicago John C. Marshall is a market research analyst with Bauer and Black. He lives in Villa Park with his wife Nancy and two children, Douglas and Donna.

William F. Smith, ex, Salem, is a cadet at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.

Another member of the class in service is Joseph E. Blandford, VTI, electronic technician third class, U.S. Navy, serving aboard the USS Newport News (CA 148).

Otto C. Bassler, M.A., is a mathematics teacher at Rich Township High School in
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THE TRAIL TO DODGE CITY

Thanks to TV, Dodge City, Kan., is back on the traveler's map. Known as the "Cowboy Capital of the World," it is one of the fastest growing tourist attractions in the country.

Attesting to this fact is the assistant executive director of Boot Hill Enterprises in Dodge City, William E. Keller '54, M.A. '56. Mr. Keller spun some yarns about Dodge when he returned to campus last spring for his class reunion.

In 1958, 370,000 tourists passed through the turnstile at Boot Hill, and this summer the mark was expected to reach half a million. What brings these people to this little spot in southwestern Kansas? Well, with a boost from TV in spotlighting the history of the old west, Boot Hill Enterprises is promoting the famous spot and era.

The Dodge City Jaycees, who established a non-profit organization, constructed in 1958 a replica of Front Street, which made Dodge well-known. Since then other attractions have been added and plans are underway for an auditorium and other buildings to accommodate the increasing stream of visitors.

There's a mock cemetery on Boot Hill. Also, there are two museums with many relics of the early Dodge City and surrounding area, including a rather large gun collection, gambling devices from the original Long Branch Saloon, and pictures of the famous Wyatt Earp, Bat Masterson, Luke Short, and other Dodge citizens.

Floor shows, 1875 variety, are held at the Long Branch, where you can enjoy a swig of that gentleman's drink, sarsaparilla. Guided tours are conducted daily, square dancing is very popular, and during early August there are the antics and excitement of the annual rodeo.

Before he went to Dodge City and became a part of western history and life, Mr. Keller attended Northwestern University and got his history from books while working on his doctorate. He is writing a book to be published next year. From Jonesboro, he majored in history at Southern and was a member of the Governmental Club and the International Relations Club.

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"WE POINT WITH PRIDE" CITATION recently was awarded to Lt. Glendel C. DeNeal '55, Harrisburg, by the Air Defense Command for his work in bringing safely to Ellington AFB, Houston, Tex., an Air National Guard RF-84-F fighter jet lost over the Gulf of Mexico. Lieutenant DeNeal, control officer with the 747th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, has guided several other aircraft to safety during his 30 months at Ellington.

**BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**

Two Christmas holiday tournaments and 11 home games feature Southern's 1959-60 basketball card.

The Salukis will compete December 18-19 in the Kentucky All-American City tourney at Owensboro and in the Quincy NAIA Invitational December 28-30. Southern was third in '57 at Owensboro and consolation champ last year at Quincy.

Coach Harry Gallatin will open his second season as SIU head coach December 7 at Quincy College. Last year under Harry the Horse, the Salukis won 17, lost 10, and finished second in the Interstate Conference as they broke all scoring records.

Newcomers to the slate include Tennessee A & I, the NAIA champions; Belmont Abbey; and University of California, Davis. The Salukis lost to A & I 108-87 last year in the Quincy tourney and to Belmont Abbey 77-70 at the NCAA college division playoffs. It will be the first meeting with California's Aggies, coached by former SIU staffer Jim Sells.

The complete schedule:

- Dec. 7—at Quincy College
- Dec. 12—at Tennessee A & I
- Dec. 18-19—All-America City Tourney, Owensboro, Ky.
- Jan. 4—Kentucky Wesleyan
- Jan. 7—at Indiana State
- Jan. 8—at Central Michigan*
- Jan. 9—at Eastern Michigan*
- Jan. 14—Eastern Illinois*
- Jan. 16—at Northern Illinois*
- Jan. 18—Belmont Abbey
- Jan. 22—Illinois State*
- Jan. 23—Western Illinois*
- Feb. 5—at Eastern Illinois*
- Feb. 6—at Kentucky Wesleyan
- Feb. 12—Central Michigan*
- Feb. 13—Eastern Michigan*
- Feb. 19—Tennessee A & I
- Feb. 20—Northern Illinois*
- Feb. 22—Illinois State
- Feb. 26—at Western Illinois*
- Feb. 27—at Illinois State*

*—Interstate Conference games

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Park Forest. He lives in Richton Park.

R. Dale Jackson resigned as manager of family housing at SIU to become on June 1 a sales representative in the southern Illinois territory for International Business Machines. He works out of the East St. Louis office. Originally from Taylorville, he is married and has two sons, David and Daniel.

"Am now undertaking training in the Basic Pilot Training Program with the 3640th Pilot Training Squadron, Laredo AFB, Tex."—Lt. Lynn D. Adams.

Mary Jane Kidd, Granville, plans to return to the SIU campus this year to work on a master's degree in arts.

One of the corps of experts who assists in the printing of the Southern Alumnus is Lester H. Cramer, VTI, photolithographer with the SIU Printing Service. He and his wife Loraine and their son, Bryce Lee, live in Murphysboro.

Also in Murphysboro is Harriet Sue Duncan, VTI-1, meter order clerk with the Illinois Electric and Gas Company.

Charlotte Lee Hoffman is a kindergarten teacher in the Steban School at Kanka kee.

William Y. Wyatt, VTI, is a Univac computer field service technician in St. Paul, Minn.

After attending summer school at the University of Oregon in Eugene, Ore., Richard R. Gardner returned to Edinburg, where he teaches the sixth grade.

Elizabeth Toney, piano teacher in Christopher, her mother and brother, left the States in late May for a vacation trip through Europe and Africa.

New head baseball and assistant basketball coach at O'Fallon High School is Robert Bellina. A former Royalton High School athlete, Mr. Bellina for the last year has been a research assistant for SIU's Division of University Extension. He is completing work on a master's degree in education administration and supervision. Recently he was elected to Phi Delta Kappa honorary fraternity for men in education. At O'Fallon he also will teach physical education and driver education.

From Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Beggs (Mary Ellen Johns '41), Harrisburg—"I am working in the office of the state superintendent of public instruction since July 1 as coordinator of transportation for handicapped children and my wife has been a teacher in the mathematics department of Harrisburg Township High School for five years. We have two children—Drex Ellen, 13, a freshman, and Samuel George, five, a first grader."
The Class of 1959

Introducing the newest members of the Alumni Family and reporting where they are and what they are doing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard K. Leistikow (Carole Olsen Leistikow, ex '58) and their two-year-old daughter Cynthia are living at 2773 Worden, San Diego 10, Calif. He is an associate engineer with Convair Aircraft.

In West Frankfort Ruth A. Batts is teacher of music in the Logan School. Another teacher is H. Alvin Bridges, member of the faculty of Roxana Junior High School. He and his wife Patricia live at 203a South Ninth Street, Wood River.

Mrs. Louis Polovich (Mildred Leonardt Polovich), home economics graduate, lives in Benld, where her husband is athletic coach and teacher in the high school.

At Jacksonville Roy G. Seamen is an investigator with the Retail Credit Corporation. He is married to the former Joan D. Blatnick, ex '56.

This month Paul M. Bryant joins Clifton High School as biology and science teacher. He is married and has two children, Kathryn and Mark.

George P. Blatter is a production control clerk with Norge Corporation, Herrin. He and his wife, the former Marilyn Mich, VTJ student, live near Carterville.

This fall Richard L. Hughes, Grand Tower, enters the University of Illinois College of Medicine in Chicago.

Mrs. Harold E. Bruntjen (Darlene H. Bruntjen) is teaching home economics at Raymond. She lives at Harvel.

New employee of the Illinois Division of Highways is William B. Millsap, Cobden. He is an engineering technician. Married to the former M. Sue Aldridge, ex '54, they have two daughters, Andrea Lea and Teresa Sue.

Johnnie E. Payne, ex '51, who received his training at the School of Medical Technology in Nashville, Tenn., in 1953, is a medical technologist at Herrin Hospital. He is married and has three sons and a daughter.

Ret. Raymond L. Simmons is taking Army basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. His home is in Litchfield.

In Manhattan, Kan., Mary Jane Denton is a residence hall director for Kansas State University.

Loren D. Moehn, M.S., is a biology instructor at Cottey College in Nevada, Mo. Working for the McCullough Tool Company in Carmi as a logging engineer is Ronald A. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob E. Stauder, ex '55 (Betty L. Rengstorff '51) and daughter Barbara live at 408 George, Bellaire, in Herrin. He is chief project engineer for the Universal Match Company.

On July 1 Marilyn Womack O'Neil began her new job as home adviser of Johnson County. Her home is in Ozark and she is married to Harold Ray O'Neil '58.

David E. Phillips is a member of the faculty of the Riverview Gardens Senior High School, Metropolis. His wife is the former Carolyn Sue Hard, ex '57.

Mrs. J. B. Naumer (Helen Tenney Naumer) lives at 324 East Olive in Du Quoin with her family, which includes two sons, Richard and Tenney.

At Christopher Mrs. Margaret B. Crove is librarian and a teacher in the high school. Her husband, Charles T. Crove '52, M.A. '58, is a principal in that community. They have three children—Joel, Christine, and Linda.

Pfc. Lawrence Brisker is serving in the Army at Sandia Base, Albuquerque, N.M. He is married to Ruby J. Daniels '56, former Rockford teacher.

Hadley J. Pfeiffer, Springfield, is teaching at Bloomington Junior High School.

At Salem Ali Bayat is a geologist with Rochester and Goodell Engineers. He is married and has a son, Perry B.

Raymond V. Rothermel is an engineer with the Schlumberger Well Surveying Corporation in Woodward, Okla.

Out west Mrs. Nathan L. Veach (Beverly Moore Veach) is home economics teacher at Humboldt County High School in Winnemucca, Nev.

Donald T. Helregel, VTJ, East St. Louis, is a customer engineer for International Business Machines. His wife is the former Sara Jane Kautz, ex whom he married June 20.

News editor of the Jefferson Republic and DeSoto Press, DeSoto, Mo., is Richard A. Darby. He is married to Nancy Kay Mabry, ex '58.

At Carmi Cecil E. Allen is an office manager trainee with the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service. His home is in McLeansboro. On June 20 he was married to Mae Cantrell.

Another resident of Carmi is James F. Gray, VTJ, draftsman with the White County Lumber Company, which owns two yards.

William C. Mathena is engaged in farming at Kell. He and Donna Jean Mathena '57 have a son, William Jon.

Down Texas-way Robert L. Howald is an advertising copywriter for Leonard's Department Store in Ft. Worth. He is from Macomb.

Olive M. Paddock, M.S., has been a teacher with the East Alton Public Schools, District 13, for 17 years. She lives at 198 West Elm, Alton.

Another teacher is Bobbie G. Henderson, who teaches social studies in the seventh grade of the University City, Mo., schools. He and Jane Glassmeyer Henderson, ex '58, have a daughter, Elizabeth Gwyn.

Jo Frances Kirby, Ridgway, is a speech therapist in the Des Moines, Ia., public schools.

Stephen R. Reel, Jr. is farming at Pinckneyville.

Ann Marie Kuhn, Alton, is teaching English in the Kankakee public schools.

1944

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Adams are at home at 201 South Lincoln, Urbana, following their marriage June 27 in Champaign. Mrs. Adams is the former Helen Schafer, member of the faculty at Dr. Howard School in Champaign. Her husband is a member of the Air Force assigned to Chanute Field, Rantoul.

1947

Lavern J. Dietz, ex, and Patricia Sue Jackson were married last spring in Creal Springs. Mr. Dietz is a partner
with his father, engaged in dairy farming near De Soto.

1954

On June 20 Loretta B. Kelley, VTI, became the wife of James D. Harris in Carbondale. She is a library clerk at Southern and he is with the Koppers Company. They live at 411 East Sycamore in Carbondale.

1955

The marriage of Lt. James R. Aiken and Kay Charlton took place May 30 in Shreveport, La. In June he arrived at Osan Air Base in Korea, where he is radar officer in a Tactical Missile Group. Also at Osan is Lt. Dale McDonald, helicopter pilot. Mrs. Aiken is attending Middle Tennessee State College in Murfreesboro, Tenn.

On May 9 Ralph E. Becker was married to Jane Mulholland of St. Louis, Missouri University graduate. They are living at 610 South Thompson in Carbondale. Mr. Becker, after almost three years in the Air Force, was released in March when he returned to his former position on the SIU faculty in the Radio-TV department. He is faculty supervisor of WSRV-FM.

James Robert Lindsey, son of Mrs. Lenora Perdue Lindsey '23-2, Urbana, was married May 2 at Santa Monica, Calif., to Annette Ogden of Grand Junction, Colo. They are living in St. Johns, Newfoundland, where he is with Systems Development Corporation. Their address is 37 Top Sail Road, St. Johns, Newfoundland.

1957

James K. Adams took as his June bride Jo Anne Phillips, ex '51. The ceremony took place June 6 in Carterville. They now live at 502 North Bridge in Carbondale. She is with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and he is on the staff of the Southern Illinoisan in Carbondale.

On April 25 in Carbondale Earle E. Bitzer, Jr. married Sandra Ann Modlin, ex '59. They live at 605 St. Louis Road, Collinsville. Mr. Bitzer is business manager for Bitzer Motor Company in East St. Louis.

The marriage of Orland Haun, ex, Richview, and Marcella Wojtowicz took place last spring in Du Bois.

Phyllis Jane Ragsdale became the bride of Richard Edwards June 6 in Metropolis. They are living in Mt. Pulaski where she is an instructor of speech and English in the high school.

Sandra Rae Heilig, ex, and Carroll D. York were married April 5 in Carbondale and now are at home at 837A Lemon Avenue, Belleville. She attended Barnes Hospital School of Nursing in St. Louis. He is a field representative of Aetna Casualty and Surety Company in St. Louis.

1958

After their marriage in Mt. Vernon June 14 Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. Van Meter (Sara Ann Schroeder) lived in Bourbonnais during the summer. Now they are in Athens, Ohio, where he serves as head of residence for Bush Hall at Ohio University while finishing work on a master of arts degree. Sara plans to teach in the local school system there.

June 13 was the wedding day for Alice Joan Vette and George Christian in Elmhurst. They live at 515 South Ardmore, Apt. 2-D, Villa Park. She was on the faculty of Maine Township High School in Park Ridge. Mr. Christian is a teacher at York Community High School in Elmhurst.

Wilma Louise Weaver was married March 28 at Wayne City to Virgil A. Beadle, Jr., of Carbondale, a student at SIU. She is a junior at the University of Illinois in Urbana. Their address is 600 South Thompson in Carbondale.

BIRTHS

1946

A daughter was born July 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Taffie Hellyen, ex (Esther Jane Craver) in Herrin.

1950

Mr. and Mrs. Dolan W. Ginger (Lillian Gebhardt Ginger '51), Garden Grove, Calif., announce the arrival of a daughter, Daniel, on June 7. They also have three daughters—Karen Sue, seven, Sandy, five, and Teresa (Terry), three. Mr. Ginger, native of West Frankfort, is a former Southern Illinoisan reporter in Carbondale.

1952

On March 5 a son, Robert Andrew, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lupella, M.A. '53 (Yvonne Kiriakos, ex '53), of 1914 West Lunt, Chicago 26.

1953

Second son was born July 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton W. Burgener of Carbondale. Mr. Burgener is a research mathematician with Universal Match Company.

Now it is a boy and a girl for the Willey E. Nesbitts of Belleville. Susan Kay was born to them January 28. In April Mr. Nesbitt was promoted to senior accountant with Arthur Andersen and Company.

1954

Daniel Robert Wayne was born July 12 in Carbondale to Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Bullhorst (Audrey Zeschke, ex '52), whose home is in Maywood.

In Berkeley, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Don E. Moore (Julia I. Strelov) have a son, Christopher Eric, born February 23. Mrs. Moore has taught at Riverview Gardens Senior High School in St. Louis County the last two years.

Second son, David Lee, was born January 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Murphy, M.S. 57, of Herrin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Witkewisz (Joanne Borella), Chicago, named their son, born December 28, Peter Louis.

1955

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brewer (Lucy Jane Sharp '56, M.S. '58) a son was born June 17 in Urbana.

A daughter was born July 16 in Carbondale to Mr. and Mrs. Clark L. Vineyard, ex.

A Valentine for Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Waller (Shirley Mae Randle), St. Louis, was Susan Crystal, born February 14.

1956

Lt. and Mrs. Donald J. Corzine (Nancy Kay Hogue, ex) announce the arrival of Brian Keith on June 23 at Ft. Devens Army Hospital, Ayer, Mass. Lt. Corzine is assigned to the 6520th Multi-Engine Test Group, Four Engine Branch, at L. G. Hanscom Field in Bedford, Mass.

A daughter was born February 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Roger C. Hake (Sara Loran '58), of Pleasant Hill.

In Rawlins, Wyo., a daughter was born May 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCoy, formerly of Carbondale.

First child, a daughter, Martha Jean, was born April 18 in Columbus, O., to Mr. and Mrs. William L. Simmons. Mr. Simmons received a master's degree in psychology in March from Ohio State University and now is at work on a Ph.D. in clinical psychology.

1957

Mr. and Mrs. Louis V. Bessen announce the birth of a daughter on Easter Sunday, March 29. They live at 61 Lippincott Avenue, Long Branch, N. J.

SOUTHERN ALUMNUS
1958

On June 4 first child, a son, Steven Michael, was born to Lt. and Mrs. Jerry L. Wallace (Joy Jones) in Waco, Tex. Lt. Wallace graduates this month from radar interceptor training at James Connally AFB.

Mary Bostwick Day, head librarian at SINU from 1912 to 1916, died in Chicago June 30 at the age of 76. She had retired in 1940 as librarian of the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago after 11 years in that post. She also had served as librarian of the Portland Cement Association and the National Safety Council.

Emil Zaslawski, associate professor of government and member of the SIU faculty since 1955, died in Carbondale June 18 from injuries suffered in an automobile accident June 6. A native of Poland, he had served 10 years as legal adviser to the Polish Embassy in Paris and later to the Polish Embassy in London. He came to the United States in 1951. At the time of his death he was writing a book on the “International Responsibility of States” and was engaged in several projects for a special committee on World Peace through Law of the American Bar Association in preparation for a 1960 world conference on “The Rule of Law.”

1898

Mrs. Maurice Phillips (Ida Gilbert, 2), of Cleveland Heights, O., is reported deceased. No details are known. She had been a teacher 35 years, several years in the Jackson County rural schools and Carbondale schools and 20 years in the Cleveland elementary schools.

1903

Emma L. Bowyer, member of the faculty of SINU and SIU from 1912 to 1947 when she retired and head of the English Department from 1926 to 1947, died in Carbondale August 8 at the age of 76. She was a native of Carbondale and had attended Southern from the third grade through the teachers normal school. She received bachelor and master’s degrees from the University of Chicago. After teaching several years in the schools of Centralia, Harrisburg, and Robinson, she joined the Southern faculty in 1912 and taught Latin in the Department of Languages before transferring to the English Department. She became a professor in 1926. A women’s residence hall at Thompson Point is named in her honor. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Mabel B. Taylor ’06, and several nieces and nephews, including Dr. J. B. Taylor, ex ’34, and Robert Lewis Taylor, ex ’33.

Miss Bowyer

A notable and distinguished person, teacher, and administrator, she was an outstanding member of the University. Her eulogy was delivered by Prof. Ted Rodge dale ’28, former student and faculty associate.

1930

Maurine Pillow, 2, ’41, member of the faculty of Lincoln School in Marion and a teacher in the Marion city schools for 28 years, died July 19 in Marion at the age of 48. She had retired in December because of ill health.

1933

John H. Carruthers ’33, Sp. Cert. ’58, Murphysboro area teacher, died in Murphy sboro July 13 following a long illness. He was 55. Native of East St. Louis, he formerly was high school principal at Tamms and at Cairo. He received his master and doctorate degrees from the University of Illinois and was a member of the Illinois and National Teachers Associations. He was a brother of the late William Carruthers ’27-2, ’29, Murphysboro Unit School District superintendent. LaVern L. Phenister, ex, died of a heart attack in Mt. Vernon October 27. He had been in the real estate and insurance business there and was a former president of the Rotary Club. He is survived by his wife, the former Sevah Rendleman ’34, and a son.

Kenneth E. Cross, assistant principal and student counselor of Mt. Vernon Township High School and member of its faculty for 21 years, died in Mt. Vernon June 23 after a long illness. An educational and civic leader, he had been honored in May by the city at a “Kenneth Cross Appreciation Day.” He had served as president of the Kiwanis Club and Mt. Vernon Teachers Association, head of the Community Chest campaign, and chairman of youth groups for Elks and Moose lodges. Mrs. Cross (Mildred Glenn Cross ’33) and three children survive.

1939

It recently was learned that Wayne H. Douglas, clerk for Central Illinois Public Service Company, had died in Murphysboro in 1957. He is survived by his wife (Dorothy Mifflin, ex ’40) and two children.

1952

Berta Alma Kimmel, Du Quoin elementary school teacher, died in St. Louis in November at the age of 65.

1959

Several students have been killed in automobile accidents in southern Illinois during recent months. Fred A. Bertram, ex, music major who was to have graduated in June, was killed in an automobile accident March 19 near McLeansboro while en route to his home in Carmi. He was 22, well-known at SIU for his work in music, and only the week before had been named full-time music director of the Marion First Baptist Church. A posthumous performance of his work for choir, “Christ Is Risen,” was presented in April in a concert of student compositions.

James Lee Daniels, ex, freshman from Kankakee and an agriculture major, was killed June 6 when his car collided head-on with one driven by Prof. Emil Zaslawski, SIU associate professor of government, who died June 18. The accident occurred east of Carbondale. Mr. Daniels, native of Kankakee, was 19.

Larry B. Mann, ex, Herrin, junior in journalism, was killed June 6 when his car overturned near Herrin. He was 25, an Air Force veteran of the Korean War, and while attending school was a display advertising salesman for the Southern Illinoisan. Before returning to Southern, he had spent two years as a draftsman in Miami, Fla.

Lionel H. Picheny, ex, Chicago, died shortly after the car he was driving collided with another near Southern Acres May 24. A junior majoring in psychology, he had transferred to Southern from Wilson Junior College, Chicago. He was 19.
After six accidents at the Grand Avenue railroad crossing involving SIU people (two of whom were killed), crossing gates and flasher signals have been installed. Harwood Avenue crossing has been closed to auto traffic but remains open to pedestrians.

An $18,300 National Science Foundation research grant has been awarded to Prof. John C. Downey, Zoology Department, for a three-year study of variation in the evolution of insects. Added to a grant of $1,420 from the American Philosophical Society, the funds made it possible for Professor Downey to gather 20,000 insects from 100 different geographical populations during a 13,000-mile field trip this summer in 13 western states, parts of Canada, and northern Mexico. Comparison of specimens collected at such widely scattered points aid in the long range study of species variation as affected by environment. Many specimens were shipped alive to SIU zoology labs for breeding experiments.

S-s-sh, SIU Grades Confidential

No need to worry about that F you received in Health Education 100 being revealed. The Board of Trustees has adopted the policy that students' grades are confidential information and will be sent to prospective employers or other inquirers only upon the request of the student. However, other educational institutions or government agencies may have the grades when required for official purposes. Dates a student attended Southern and degrees earned are considered public information and will be given without restriction.

Illinois Congress of Parents and Teachers has granted $4,000 for scholarships to SIU. This includes $3,000 for scholarship aid to needy students in teacher education and $1,000 for aid to students in field of special education. George Bueltmann, Mokena senior math major, was elected president of Student National Education Association at a summer meeting at University of Kansas. SNEA is the largest organization in the nation for students preparing to be teachers. Mr. Bueltmann was president of the Illinois and SIU groups.

A health education survey conducted last year in Paducah, Ky., by Prof. Sheldon S. Steinberg, Health Education Department, and Prof. Eugene D. Fitzpatrick, chairman of the Guidance Department, received a top award from the American Public Relations Association. The four-phase project, financed by the American Osteopathic Association and approved by McCracken County Medical Society, measured the effectiveness of communications media in disseminating information about a health problem.

SIU Foundation Officers

At the annual meeting of the SIU Foundation Donald L. Bryant '40, past president of the Alumni Association and now a member of its board of directors, was elected Foundation president. From Ladue, Mo., he is agency manager for Equitable Life Assurance Society in St. Louis. Other officers are J. Lester Buford '24-28, superintendent of Mt. Vernon schools and member of Alumni Board of Directors, vice president; Robert Gallegy '39, University business manager, treasurer; Kenneth R. Miller, executive director; and Mrs. Lois Hickok Nelson '44, secretary. Mr. Miller and Mrs. Nelson are members of President Morris' staff.

The Board of Trustees is considering the possibility of a chapel on campus to provide a meeting place for any small religious group and also a place of meditation for individuals of any faith. The non-denominational chapel, built with donations and not state funds, would be located on a knoll west of the Morris Library parking lot. Designs were submitted to the board by a second-year class in architectural mechanical drawing under Instructor Paul J. Lougeay at VTI.

I.D. Tags for Campus Trees

Not serial numbers but identification of types of trees will appear on tags attached to the trees on campus. William Marberry '35, assistant professor of botany and assistant to the director of the Physical Plant, has announced that a name tag will be placed on each of the several thousand trees to acquaint students and visitors with the extensive collection of native and exotic trees.

Alack 'n alas for SIU swimmers! One time when everyone would have welcomed plenty of rain to fill the renovated Thompson Lake, Dame Nature turned contrary and sent along a dry spring instead. So there has been no swimming this summer and the newly-completed beach, bath houses, and other facilities will have to wait until next year to be used.