Long Distance Service

It pays to read the Southern Alumnus in detail. From the July issue I learned under “Names Make News” of Mr. Herman O. Duncan’s (SINU 1918-2) long experience as a historical research man in Washington, D.C.

Because I wanted some information about the U.S. government archival setup, I wrote a letter to Mr. Duncan, c/o SIU Alumni Services, since I did not know the exact address of Mr. Duncan.

The letter was promptly forwarded to Washington by the Alumni Office, and Mr. Duncan kindly dug up the information I needed for my Oxford University dissertation.

I wish to thank both Mr. Duncan and the Alumni Office for this truly “long distance” service which connects Southern’s alumni all over the world.

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Differdange, Luxembourg

The Spirit of Southern

We are now in Jackson, Mich. My husband, Maurice Rapp '60, is working for McCullough Tool Company. I am not teaching full time this year. I have enjoyed substituting a little, but I have really appreciated being home with our three-year-old, Eddie.

The main thing I wanted to say was that we went to Mt. Pleasant, Mich., November 12 and were delighted to see the Salukis play. We saw very few people we knew, but it was a pleasure to see the “Southern Spirit” this far north. Even though most of the faces were unfamiliar, the “Spirit” was not. It made me proud to acknowledge the fact that I am an SIU graduate.

I would like to compliment the ROTC boys for their enthusiasm. I’m sure it was appreciated by the team.

Mrs. Maurice Rapp
(Paula Turner '57)
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Jackson, Mich.

A Backward Glance

Our trip back to Ann Arbor to visit our son was just wonderful. We went Union Pacific, had a nice drawing room on their Domeliner, the food was good, and I did enjoy seeing America go by the windows. Air travel, one just whooshes! and you’re there these days. Ann Arbor is heavily wooded, much like Egypt, and the fall colors were at their most gorgeous beauty when we arrived.

How I wished I could have visited Carbondale and my old school and homeplace, being so near, but I could only do so much on this trip. However, it proved I could take another one to Egypt next time.

Even with the old home gone, there are many familiar things left I loved as a child. One little hillside in the Woods back in the Agriculture Building, used to be completely white with spring beauties in May. I knew many of the big oak trees as my very own play-houses. Along the road where the big new Student Union is going up, I saw the ox teams pulling the moving wagons, going to the Oklahoma Land Rush in ’98. There will always be a thousand memories for me on the Campus!

Mrs. J. Lee Rauch
(Mabel Thompson, ex '07)
759 North Citrus Avenue
Hollywood 38, California

Summer Camp Booster

Just a few lines to say the camp vacation was the best return from our alumni dues that we have had. Many of our friends wish their universities had the same thing.

Also, I’m writing to see if Southern is being represented in Peoria during College Week at the high schools. I believe there is one week when all five high schools in the area invite college representatives. As alumni we have been encouraging interest in our school, but a follow-up of a representative at College Week is needed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Webb '50
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Peoria
On The Cover

The cover this month was designed especially for the Southern Alumnus to highlight the sixth annual Festival of Fine Arts to be held on the Southern Illinois University campus from February 12 through February 25. Theme this year is “Asia and the Arts.”

Purpose of the cover design is to express symbolically the directions of art of Asia. In an effort to create an impression of Asia, the traditional forms were rejected as being too specifically local in outlook and style.

The abstraction is an original design by Gary De Courcy, Springfield, graduate student in design. It strives to convey the dynamic new approach of reconsidered forms and techniques. This is in keeping with one aspect of the Fine Arts Festival, which is to illustrate the interrelationship of the traditional and the contemporary in the arts of Asia.

Visitors to the festival will have the opportunity to see fine examples of both the traditional and the contemporary. On exhibit will be 20 embroidered pictures, Burmese Embroideries showing scenes from the life of Buddha and the Jatakas. This is an art that dates back to the 14th century Ava kings.

A Chinese play will be premiered during the Festival and a Japanese opera will be presented. SIU Asian students already are preparing for an Asian Student Variety Show on Friday, February 17, and for an Asian Costume and Fashion Show on Friday, February 24.

To make exhibits and events more meaningful to the people of southern Illinois, the Festival committee is arranging for conducted tours for school children and area clubs and organizations.

On pages four, five, and six appear the story, pictures, and the schedule of the Festival of Fine Arts at SIU.
Entrance Requirements
Stricter at SIU

SIU has tightened entrance requirements for the second time within a year.

Effective next fall term high school graduates ranking in the bottom third of their graduating classes will be permitted to enter—on academic probation—only during the winter, spring, and summer quarters. Only if they show high scores on the SIU entrance examinations will they be admitted during the fall quarter.

Requirements will be even stricter for out-of-state students. All those in the lower half of their high school graduating classes must defer registration until the winter, spring, or summer quarters unless they achieve top entrance test scores. The deferred entries also will be placed on academic probation.

In announcing the more rigid policy, the SIU Board of Trustees said it would not bar any student who really wants to attend, but would "improve the quality of our student body and spread the enrollment more evenly throughout the year." The board said the out-of-state clampdown would encourage a desirable number of superior non-residents, but would tend to discourage weak or undesirable students from other states.

Entrance restrictions covering high school graduates in the bottom fourth of their classes took effect last term.

Student Wins Opera Role

Robert Walker, ex '54, Herrin, who is studying with Research Professor Marjorie Lawrence, former Metropolitan Opera star, will make his professional opera debut April 12 with the newly-organized St. Louis Civic Opera Association. He will sing the part of the sacristan in Puccini's opera "Tosca." He has been in "Finian's Rainbow," "Carousel," and "Most Happy Fella" at SIU.

Now It Can Be Told--
It's Official! Bond Issue Passes

Illinois voters approved the two state bond issue proposals in the November election, according to the official canvass released December 14. The Universities Bond Issue and the Welfare Building Bond Issue both carried by wide margins.

The $195-million educational building bond issue, for construction at the six state universities, received a margin of 371,273 votes above the required number. It received 2,633,869 yes votes and 1,266,490 no votes. Total legislative vote was 4,525,191 in the record Illinois vote. A majority of the highest legislative vote was required for passage of the bond issues.

While it is not known how much Southern Illinois University will receive from the bond proceeds for construction needs, $25 million is expected to go to the Southwestern Illinois Campus at Edwardsville for initial construction at that branch.

SIU building needs will have to be approved by individual project by the Illinois Legislature as is regularly done in SIU requests for buildings.

Although confident that the bond issue had passed, Southern officials welcomed the official tally announcement. From President D. W. Morris—"The success of the Universities Bond Issue is a ringing victory for the cause of higher education in Illinois, and an inspiring commentary on the farsightedness of Illinois' citizens. Southern is now equipped to fulfill the obligations inherent in her unique position. My sincerest gratitude is extended to those many alumni whose diligent labors in behalf of the Bond Issue helped assure its passage."

George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, president of the SIU Alumni Association and Illinois Superintendent of Public Instruction, said, "SIU's alumni, alumni clubs, its Alumni Office, the University personnel and students all are to be commended for their untiring efforts in promoting the Universities Bond Issue and its successful passage. This was a wonderful show of cooperation of campuses statewide—a grand victory that will make it possible for higher education in Illinois to meet its responsibility in the '60s."

Bids for Residence Halls Approved

Bids totaling $2,965,970 have been approved by the Board of Trustees for construction of five new student residence halls and expansion of a dining hall for students.

Major share of the total is $2,305,151 for constructing five additional residence halls in the Thompson Point project for men and women students. The five new halls will house 600 students, boosting total capacity in the 11 halls to 1,320 men and women.

J. L. Simmons Company, Decatur, received the general construction contract for $1,757,000.

The dining hall expansion will double the capacity of Lentz Dining Hall at Thompson Point. All contracts of this project will total $173,782. Contracts for utilities for the five residence halls will amount to $187,037.

The contracts are the first to be awarded in an $8.1 million housing expansion program financed by the government and commercial agencies through self-liquidating bonds.

SOUTHERN ALUMNUS
SIU TV in Operation Late This Year

Release of $417,000 in state funds by Governor William G. Stratton last month assures activation of Southern Illinois University's new VHF television station. The funds will cover planning and construction of the antenna tower and transmitter on a site near Tamaroa, the coaxial cable, and a microwave unit at the Carbondale campus, where studies will be located.

If everything goes just right, the TV station may begin operating in September, according to Buren Robbins, SIU broadcasting service director.

No changes in present television sets will be needed for area residents to tune in Southern's new VHF TV station. Channel 8, which was assigned to the University earlier by the Federal Communications Commission for an educational television station, can be received in current sets simply by setting the station selector on eight.

Charles Pulley, University architect, reports that a call for bids on the contracted work must await preparation of plans. The tower and antenna will rise about 900 feet above the ground at a 20-acre site southwest of Tamaroa. This location was necessary for best coverage of the area and to meet FCC requirements that stations in the midwest operating on educational channel 8 must be at least 170 miles apart. Other midwest stations broadcasting on this channel are at Jonesboro, Ark., Columbia, Mo., and Indianapolis, Ind.

The SIU TV station will broadcast public service type programs geared to the cultural and educational interests and needs of the area, Mr. Robbins states. Studies now are going on under an $18,000 Ford Foundation grant under the supervision of Prof. Jacob O. Bach, director of the SIU Educational Research Bureau, to determine the station's educational programming. Preliminary planning was started at a conference of selected area school officials in October.

Another conference will be held this month for further planning and to organize an area advisory group to assist the station in planning its educational programs. Besides its public service function, the station will provide student training in the field of television programming and station operation.

Programs originating in the Carbondale campus studios will be relayed to the transmitter by microwave. Eventual programming by microwave relay from Southern's Southwestern Illinois Campus at Edwardsville is being considered but its activation must await development of facilities on that campus.

Programs available from Ford Foundation's large library of educational TV films and tapes include classroom series in mathematics, sciences, spelling, and similar subjects for which credit can be arranged by listeners who register with SIU; lectures by top-ranking scholars from their laboratories or classrooms; and presentations of plays, such as the illustrated lecture on Shakespeare's play, "Hamlet," shown on film at SIU last year.

SIU also plans to televise lecture-demonstration programs on home activities from the Home Economics Auditorium, which is designed for this type of use and other types of lectures and demonstrations for TV.

Airport Operated by Southern

SIU now operates an airport—the Southern Illinois Airport near Carbondale.

The SIU Board of Trustees last month approved the purchase by the University of the physical facilities of Midwest Aero Service, Inc. and the acquisition of its lease to operate Southern Illinois Airport. The move was made to serve as an adjunct to Southern's educational offerings in the field of aviation, mainly a new program of aircraft maintenance and operation to be started by the SIU Vocational-Technical Institute.

Other fields of study benefiting by the purchase are the Department of Air Science (Air Force ROTC), Climatology Laboratory, and various Technical and Adult Education programs in flying and weather.

The board's action followed a resolution by the Southern Illinois Airport Authority requesting that SIU take over as a "fixed base operator" because Midwest Aero Services, Inc. "is finding it increasingly difficult to assist in the discharge of the Board's obligation to the public at large and at the time carry on its own operations in a profitable manner."

Gene Seibert and J. Elliott Ketring, ex '42, of Carbondale, were principal stockholders in Midwest Aero Service, which Mr. Seiber has managed and operated for the last 10 years. Estimated purchase price of their assets—including four planes—is $56,000. The Airport Authority will pay SIU $500 monthly to operate the facility.

SIU legal counsel, John Rendleman, ex '47, announced that the airport's public service feature will be continued. Administratively it will be run by Southern's Division of Aux-

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The sixth Fine Arts Festival at Southern Illinois University February 12–25 promises to be the most ambitious and inclusive ever held since the series began.

This year the theme is "Asia and the Arts" with full participation of SIU students from Asia and Asia Minor. These students will present their native songs, dances, and customs in an Asian Student Variety Show February 17. They will model their native dress in an Asian Costume and Fashion Show February 25. In addition, they will serve as tour guides and as hosts and hostesses at receptions and various events.

Purpose of the festival is to create an atmosphere where appreciation and understanding are encouraged of the arts, customs, and of the Asian people themselves. It will attempt to educate, to promote a cultural exchange, and certainly to entertain. The program includes concerts of music, opera, dance, and drama, lectures on art, music, and folklore, and exhibits of paintings, prints, books, embroideries, textiles, photographs, and many examples of folk art.

In addition to the participation of the Asian students, a number of guest artists and groups will come to the campus. Two of the concerts will be presented by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra under the direction of the brilliant young Belgian, Edouard Van Remoortel. A concert for children will be given the afternoon of February 16 and that evening a regular performance.

Henry Cowell, celebrated American composer, editor, and lecturer, will appear February 19 and 20 to lecture with musical illustrations on various aspects of Asian music. Carola Goya and Matteo, world famous ethnic dancers, will give a concert February 18 with exotic and primitive dances of the East.

The Fine Arts Festival and the Theater Department will present the premiere performance of the Chinese play, "The Dream of the Red Chamber," by Chu Tung February 21. Translator is Tai Yih-Jian, director is William Dannenberg, both SIU graduate students.

Lectures will be given by Richard Ettinghausen, curator of Near East Art at the Freer Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C., on February 1 and by the Chinese artist, David Kwok (Kwo Da-Wei) February 22.

Among the exhibits will be one of Burmese Embroideries, an art that dates back to 14th century Ava kings. Twenty embroidered pictures showing scenes from the life of Buddha and the Jatakas are in the collection. The work of Chengshiang Kuo, SIU student in art from Formosa, will be shown. She is the daughter of a well-known Chinese painter.

An active program of campus-community interchange has been planned for the festival. Scheduled are tours of exhibits for area grade school children, tours of exhibits and group attendance of events for area clubs and organizations. The community, joining in promoting the event, will have an "Asia and the Arts" Day.

Miss Mo, of the Chinese Opera in New York, will appear in the Asian Student Variety Show February 17.
FINE ARTS FESTIVAL

FEBRUARY

Sunday, 12
Opening Program, Shryock Auditorium, 3:30 P.M.
Reception and Opening of Exhibits, Allyn Building, 5 P.M.
Asian Films, University School, 8 P.M.

Tuesday, 14
Richard Ettinghausen, Lecture, Morris Library, 8 P.M.

Wednesday, 15
Japanese Opera, Shryock Auditorium, 8 P.M.

Thursday, 16
St. Louis Symphony Children’s Concert, Shryock, 3 P.M.
St. Louis Symphony Concert, Shryock, 8 P.M.
Grade and High School Student Tours, 1–3 P.M.

Friday, 17
Asian Student Variety Show, Shryock, 8 P.M.
Asian Movie, “Pather Panchali,” Varsity Theater, all day

Saturday, 18
Goya and Matteo Dance Concert, Shryock, 8 P.M.

Sunday, 19
Henry Cowell Concert, Shryock, 4 P.M.

Monday, 20
Yury G. Arbatsky, Asian Folklorist, Lentz Hall, 8 P.M.

Tuesday, 21
Chinese Play, “Dream of the Red Chamber,” Library, 8 P.M.

Wednesday, 22
Kwok Lecture, Agriculture Building, 8 P.M.

Thursday, 23
Kanemitsu Lecture, Allyn Building, 2 P.M.
Israeli Folk Dance and Music, Shryock, 8 P.M.

Friday, 24
Asian Fashion Show, Home Ec Lounge, 8 P.M.

Saturday, 25
Fine Arts Ball, Lentz Hall, 8:30 P.M.

Matteo, of the world-famous ethnic dancers, Goya and Matteo, who will present a concert February 18.

The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, under Director Edouard Van Remoortel, will present two concerts February 16.
On exhibit will be paintings, prints, embroideries, textiles, books, photographs, and many examples of folk art from Asia. Above is a Chinese landscape by Wong Wang Ung, 1943, an example of the classical style. To the left is an ivory statue of Kuan-Yin, goddess of happiness, longevity, and fertility, from the Middle Ming Dynasty. Below is a group of three bronze fishes from the 17th century, each collected separately from a distance of a thousand miles apart. These art pieces are from the collection of William M. Marberry '35, SIU professor of botany.
SIU Graduate Program Grows

Southern Illinois University now offers a doctoral degree program in home economics and master's degree programs in Inter-American Studies and in Rehabilitation.

The SIU Board of Trustees, in approving a Ph.D. program in home economics, stipulated that no candidates for the degree be accepted until additional research space is completed in the new Home Economics Building. The Inter-American and Rehabilitation programs will be effective immediately.

The Inter-American Studies program will carry a master of arts degree and will be offered by SIU's three-year-old Latin American Institute. The institute, a service and research agency, will draw on faculty throughout the University for its teaching staff. Action followed surveys by outside consultants who said SIU's strategic location in the Mississippi Valley and "more than adequate" faculty, library, and graduate work "might make Southern the midwestern center for Inter-American relationships."

Demand for trained Latin American specialists is great.

For the last five years the Rehabilitation Institute has been training rehabilitation counselors in a graduate program financed through federal grants. The new curricula will be geared mainly to existing rehabilitation workers and trainees who want to administer or coordinate rehabilitation programs. Master of arts and master of science degrees will be offered.

Dean Emerita Marie Dye of Michigan State University, outside consultant called in to evaluate the proposed doctoral program in home economics, recommended it on the basis of "an excellent staff with a high proportion of doctor's degrees, library holdings for research, and an unusually good Home Economics Building."

The board said early approval will permit the School of Home Economics to plan courses and staff organization before classroom adaptation is completed and candidates are accepted.

At the beginning of the fall term two more departments began doctoral degree training. Ph.D. candidates are now accepted by the Department of Anthropology and the Department of Health Education.

These programs were instituted after extensive investigation of the department faculties, library holdings, laboratory and physical facilities, and basic courses by outside specialists from Yale, Stanford, the University of Oregon, and Florida State University.

Other departments at Southern offering Ph.D. training are government, speech, pathology, microbiology, secondary education, psychology, speech correction, zoology, elementary education, and educational administration and supervision.

In the fall of 1961 the Department of Physical Education (men and women) and the Department of Physiology will inaugurate doctoral degree programs.

Willis G. Swartz, member of the faculty since 1930, is dean of the SIU Graduate School. Enrollment for the fall term numbered 1,328 students.

Graduate courses were first offered in the summer of 1944 leading to the graduate degree of Master of Science in Education. Since then 2,183 graduate degrees have been granted, through the 1959-60 academic year, including nine doctoral degrees.

Mrs. Roosevelt at SIU UN Session

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will be the distinguished guest at a mock session of the United Nations General Assembly February 10 and 11 at SIU.

She will address the first plenary session of the General Assembly at 8 P.M. in Shryock Auditorium on the first day of the event. Some 100 delegates, including student representatives from other Illinois colleges and universities, are expected to attend.

Co-sponsored by the SIU Student Government and the state Collegiate Council for the United Nations, the two-day session will include three major events. Following Mrs. Roosevelt's address, two sessions will be scheduled for committee discussions of major issues on the assembly agenda: the seating of Red China, the Congo situation, economic aid to underdeveloped nations, and disarmament. Some 20 Illinois schools have been invited to send four delegates each, along with a faculty adviser.

Mrs. Roosevelt previously had visited the Southern campus—in 1954 when she also was a speaker for a model UN program. She is national chairman of the American Association for the United Nations.
In Illinois and the Nation

Engineering and Agriculture Jobs for SIU Students

In a report published last spring more than half of the 204 SIU agriculture students who had graduated since 1947 were listed in agricultural work. About three-fourths were employed in Illinois.

Of the students whose occupations were known by the School of Agriculture, one-fourth was working in industries related to agriculture, one-fifth in the armed forces, one-sixth teaching in elementary or high schools and universities, one-seventh in farming, one-seventh doing graduate work, and the remainder in governmental, church, or recreational occupations.

Of the 55 students in agriculture-related occupations, 25 were with farm supply companies, 14 with soil service agencies, nine with farm organizations, and seven with production credit associations.

The field of work varied widely and many are achieving success in widely separated places.

John C. Lingle '47 is a member of the vegetable crops department of the University of California's Davis Branch. George Von Tungeln '51, M.S. '56, is a member of the agricultural economics faculty at Clemson Agricultural College, Clemson, S.C. Harold Hartley '50, Western Springs, is assistant director of the commodities division of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and Andrew Marcecc '56 has moved to Normal to become assistant personnel director of the Illinois Agricultural Association.

Einemann Abrahams '52, M.A. '53, visited the Southern campus last spring enroute to his native land of Ghana, Africa, after graduate study in agricultural journalism at California Polytechnic Institute in San Luis Obispo. He is serving in the government agricultural publications division of his native country.

Among more recent graduates Bobby L. Murry, Tamaroa, first SIU student to graduate in vocational agriculture in August '59, is vocational agriculture teacher at Du Quoin High School. Arthur M. Sommer, M.S. '59, animal industries major who was the first SIU student to receive a master's degree in agriculture in August '59, is an appraisal field representative for the Doane Agricultural Service, St. Louis.

Eugene C. Milleville '59 is with Producers Livestock Marketing Association at National Stockyards and his classmate, Norman Torrens '59, is in Jackson, Miss., as a field representative for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's cotton division.

Norman F. Spencer '58, M.S. '60, has become a regional agronomist for the American Agricultural Chemical Company, working out of Fulton. Max D. Vinyard '59, Harrisburg, is a salesman for the firm and Roy M. Brangenberg '58, Gaylen W. Richmond '58, Sidney M. Stephens '58, and Robert E. Read '57 are working in other divisions. John L. Gidcumb '58 is a supervisor with Du Quoin Packing Company.

An increasing number of SIU agriculture graduates such as Eugene H. Priebe '59 are taking assistantships for graduate study at SIU and other institutions throughout the country. Mr. Priebe is studying at the University of Wisconsin.

All graduates of SIU's Applied Science Program are now employed in engineering positions, reports Prof. Ralph O. Gallington, acting head of the School of Applied Science—this despite the fact that Southern is not allowed to grant engineering degrees by state statute.

Harlan K. Hinkle, first to graduate from the program in June, 1959, is a mechanical engineer-quality control analyst for Sarkes Tarzian, Inc., in Bloomington, Ind.

Eight '60 graduates in engineering jobs include John T. Gaskins, field engineer with American Bosch Arma Division at Fairchild AFB, Wash.; Virgil F. Mueller, in the engineering department of Gaylord Container, St. Louis; Donald L. Perkins, engineer with Beloit Iron Works, Beloit, Wis.; and Donald W. Schuchardt, engineer with Western Electric Research Center, Princeton, N.J.

Joe M. Wilkerson is a materials analyst with Sarkes Tarzian in Bloomington. At Argonne National Laboratory near Lemont, west of Chicago, Robert R. Goodrich, Karl F. Mataya, and Reid K. Rihel are all research technicians.

The U.S. Civil Service Commission recently recognized the SIU curriculum as a four-year general engineering program under which Southern graduates may apply for examination for civil service engineering positions.

In summer conferences of the American Society of Engineering Education and an engineering orientation program conducted by General Motors in Detroit, Professor Gallington found that many companies are more concerned with a prospective employee's basic knowledge of engineering sciences than in his degree in a special field of engineering.

He learned, also, to his great satisfaction that SIU's applied science program is right up with the latest engineering ideas of modern industry. Southern's curriculum provides instruction in all the fields coming under the American Society of Engineering Education's classification of "engineering sciences."
The "First Lady of the American Theater," Miss Helen Hayes, Hon. D.F.A. '60, receives the first two volumes of "The London Stage, 1660-1800," published by the Southern Illinois University Press, from Prof. Emmett L. Avery, Washington State University, editor of the volumes. With them are other editors of the multi-volume work—from left—William van Lennep, Harvard University; Charles Beecher Hogan, Yale University; Miss Hayes; Vernon Sternberg, director of SIU Press; Mr. Avery; Arthur H. Scouten, University of Pennsylvania; and George Winchester Stone, Jr., New York University. Occasion of the presentation was a reception given by the Press at the New York University Club November 7 to launch the London theater history.

Sound-Film Record Underway --

FULLER ON FILM AT SIU

A massive sound-film record of the design philosophy and engineering theories of R. Buckminster Fuller is being undertaken at SIU. The first phase has been completed. The entire film may take as long as five years to make and may run as long as 80 hours.

Mr. Fuller, renowned inventor of the geodesic dome and originator of radical new construction concepts in mathematics, design, and building techniques, is a research professor at Southern. The film will embody his thinking, based on the definition of the universe as "the sum total of man's experience." Specifically it will explain the principles of energetic-synnergetic geometry on which his geodesic and tensegrity structures are based.

The film is being directed by Francis Thompson, noted New York film cinematic designer, whose own film corporation is producing the effort jointly with the SIU Film Production Unit and the Design Department.

Harold Cohen, chairman of the Design Department, said the film's objective will be to document all of Fuller's "comprehensive design science" philosophy in one huge film package. "This will avert such a loss as occurred when Frank Lloyd Wright died, leaving no complete personal record of his own unique ideas available on request to students and professionals," he stated.

Basis of the production will be a 20 to 30-hour film record of lectures Professor Fuller now is giving to SIU design students. The four-hour daily lectures are covering the whole range of his thought. Three camera units, two from Southern and one from the Thompson studio, plus a sound setup, are being used.

Mr. Thompson will edit the final work, inserting animation, diagrams of theories, and other material illustrating lecture points. The final product, segmented to cover various aspects of Professor Fuller's work and discoveries, will be housed at the University and will be available for circulation nationwide.

Two ideas discussed in his final lecture for the first phase were new methods of "coordinating the total experience of man" and "the record of a human being through the transition from the old world to the new."

Airport ... (Continued from page 3)

A previous estimate showed it would cost $92,000 to start the VTI aviation training program at the VTI campus. Biggest item in the estimate would have been $44,000 for a hangar. Just for the VTI program alone, the purchase means a great savings for the University.

The name, Southern Illinois Airport, will be retained.

In addition to the aircraft—two Cessna four-seaters, a Cessna two-seater, and a Piper three-seater—physical properties acquired in the sale include a large hangar, administration building, a 60 by 20-foot service "lean to" and 20 T-hangars. All rental revenue from the T-hangars will go towards retiring bonds issued for their original construction.
With the start of a new calendar year the SIU Alumni Office is getting plans underway for what promises to be one of the finest of Alumni Days. Alumni Day 1961 will be Saturday, June 10, the first to be held in the magnificent University Center still under construction.

Fifteen reunions are on tap, for classes ending in 1 and 6, from the diamond jubilee of the Class of 1886 to the very first one for the newest class, the Class of 1960. Christmas letters were sent to members of the 15 classes reminding them of the forthcoming reunions. With the letters were included rosters of class members.

Alumni Achievement Awards

Highlight of Alumni Day is the Alumni Banquet on Saturday evening. At the banquet program are presented the Alumni Achievement Awards to honor and recognize outstanding alumni of Southern Illinois University, people who have achieved distinction in the business or professional field or in their service to the University or the Alumni Association, or both.

Recipients of the Alumni Achievement Awards must be nominated by members of the Alumni Association. Any member is eligible to make nominations, as are academic deans and department heads at Southern. Eligible for nomination is any alumnus or former student with the exception of members of the present faculty and Board of Trustees, and the current president of the association.

A committee of five, named by SIU President Morris and the president and executive director of the Alumni Association, makes the final selection from the nominations submitted.

Nominations must be made by Wednesday, February 15. Biographical sketches and specific details as to reason for selection must be included. Send nominations to Robert Odaniell, SIU Alumni Office, Carbondale.

Fall Alumni Club Meetings

Dinners, picnics, fish fries, smorgasbords were held last fall by alumni clubs throughout the state and country.

Champaign—SIU Basketball Coach Harry Gallatin was guest of honor of the Champaign Area Alumni November 16. Elected at the meeting were President Lowell F. Belcher ’39, Monticello; Vice President Sam Milosevich ’47, Tolono; Secretary-Treasurer Gerald T. Yaxley ’51, Champaign; and Board Members Mildred Kirby Margrave ’34-2, ’36, Champaign, Gerald Obrecht ’47, Rantoul, James O’Malley ’51, Champaign, and W. A. Bozarth ’41, Tuscola.

Williamson County—A dinner meeting at the LyMar Hotel in Herrin December 1 was attended by two members of the SIU Alumni Association Board of Directors—William Bracy ’49, Herrin, and Bill Hudgens ’48, Carbondale. Elected to office were President Cleo Dorris Carter ’46, Vice President August E. Scherer ’51, Treasurer Kenneth O. Rushing ’49, Secretary Mildred Hindman ’53, and Board Members James B. Bleyer ’51, William Boatright ’42, Clay M. Hunter ’40, and Herschel Ellis ’46.

During a trip west and south in November SIU Alumni Executive Director Robert Odaniell ’51 attended alumni meetings in Texas, Missouri, and California.

Houston, Tex.—On November 21 a meeting was held at Youngbloods Restaurant and the following officers were elected—President William Bauer ’49, Vice President Loren Wilson ’50, Secretary-Treasurer Lester Morgan ’24-2, and Board Members Marion Allen ’34, Charles Newberry ’55, and Jennie Grosh Morgan ’24-2.

Kansas City, Mo.—A dinner meeting was held November 16 at the Wishbone. Elected as temporary officers were Chairman Donald Gibbs ’59 and Secretary-Treasurer Patricia Zook Parsons ’54.

Los Angeles, Calif.—The Chapman-Park Hotel in Los Angeles was the locale of the November 19 meeting of alumni in that area. Slate of officers elected that evening includes President Carl Kotter, ex ’34, Vice President Edwin Lee Bryant ’47, Secretary Pat Doerr Crespi, Treasurer Edith Enright Cochran, ex ’49, and Board Member Charles V. Brockett ’49.

St. Clair County—New president of the St. Clair County Alumni Chapter is Jane Green ’58. She was elected at the November 18 meeting held at Augustine’s Restaurant, Belleville. Assisting her are Vice President Joe W. Simons, Jr. ’60, Secretary-Treasurer Richard Hunsaker ’58, and Board Members M. Marguerite Jenkins Short ’23-2, ’28, Robert A. Channess ’35, George Carmack ’50.

Jackson County—The Jackson County Alumni Club held its second annual fish fry September 9 at Jackson County Country Club. The capacity crowd enjoyed the delicious Kentucky Lake catfish, the lovely fall weather, and the good fellowship. SIU football coach Carmen Piccone and his coaching staff were guests. President Leon F. Striegel, ex ’48, was in charge. By a unanimous vote it was decided to continue the fall fish frys.

SOUTHERN ALUMNUS
Above—Co-chairmen of Richland County Alumni Chapter are Mary L. Downen '42 (at left) and George Brazitis, ex '50, (at right). Between them is Mrs. D. L. Blain (Lavern Thomson '03-2), Olney, oldest alumna present at the October 26 meeting at the Litz Hotel in Olney.

Right above—Two SIU students from Randolph County, Keith Sanders and Mrs. Ann Hughes Duncan '60, were guests of Randolph County Alumni October 28 at a dinner meeting in Sparta. From left, Judge E. H. Wegener, ex '01, Chester, oldest Randolph County alumnus; President Gilbert Holmes '27-2, '49; Vincent Birchler '45; Mr. Sanders; Ned Carlton '35; and Mrs. Duncan.

Right middle—SIU Alumni President George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, was guest speaker at the November 1 meeting of the Macon County Alumni Club. From left, Robert Hall '42, John Reps '42, Mr. Wilkins, Mrs. Glenn Morris (Mary Craig '47), Secretary-Treasurer Lucille Gunn Browning '49, Past President Armeaddie Klamp Rice '42, President Lorene Kerley Wills '47, and Donald Albright '56.

Right below—A barbecue October 25 drew a large crowd to the Perry County Alumni meeting. Among those present were, from left, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Stein (Hilda Berg Stein, ex '46), Mrs. Clarence Reeder and Mr. Reeder '24-2, '35, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Louis Templeton, ex '32 (Myrtle Templeton '33-2, '36).

JANUARY, 1961
Sports at Southern

by Fred Huff

All-sports champion of the Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Conference for the past two years, Southern Illinois University is well on its way to another coveted title this year after Saluki gridders and cross country runners captured the league's blue ribbons in both fall events.

By virtue of 14 points gained in football (considered a major sport) and seven picked up in cross country (a minor sport), SIU's athletes already hold a comfortable four-point edge over their nearest IIAC opponent with the four-sport winter season just getting underway.

A year ago when Southern claimed the crown for the second time, the Salukis relied on a virtual monopoly of the winter sports to account for an overall 79-75 edge over runner-up Western Illinois.

SIU grabbed championships in swimming, gymnastics, and wrestling and a co-title in basketball to compile 34 of a possible 35 points in the all-sports race.

This year the Salukis are seeking all 35.

Basketball

With 14 points available in the popular roundball sport, it is hoped that Coach Harry Gallatin can lead his cagers to a second straight title which might go a long way in determining the 1960 all-sports king.

The Saluki cagers dropped their opener to highly-rated North Carolina State, but bounced back with successive victories over Toledo, another well-regarded quintet, Kentucky Wesleyan, and Wabash, prior to launching league warfare against the Michigan entries, Eastern and Central Michigan.

Captain Don Hepler, a former Champaign prep star who was steered to SIU by Leedio Cabutti '48, has been a big gun in Southern’s early successes and appears determined to win an all-conference berth for the second straight season.

Hepler, a husky 200-pound 6-4 senior, has scored 64 points already this season and is far out in front of his teammates in rebounds grabbed with 57. Gallatin’s number two performer is practically an across-the-alley neighbor of Hepler. He is Tom McGreal, another senior ace, who prepped at Rantoul.

McGreal has scored three points more than Hepler and has accounted for 40 rebounds. Together the pair of central Illinois stars have contributed almost one-half of Southern’s vital statistics. They have taken 97 of SIU’s 196 rebounds off the boards and scored 131 of the Saluki’s 297 points.

Another popular pair has been Herrin’s Jim Gualdoni and Ivan Jefferson. Gualdoni, a starter all season, has been a defensive whirlwind and has contributed more than his share to the Saluki’s offensive attack, while Jefferson has been employed largely as a spot player with excellent results.

Swimming

Southern also appears to be well fortified in the other two winter athletic activities—swimming and wrestling.

Coach Ralph Casey’s swimmers, although yet to taste victory this season, have been overshadowed by powerful Indiana University in both of their early meets. Yet, Ray Padovan, a sophomore sensation from North Miami, Fla., has turned in what is perhaps the most outstanding sports achievement of any SIU athlete in some time.

Padovan established new national collegiate swimming records in both the 50 and 100-yard free-style events and promises to follow up this season with spectacular performances.

Wrestling

Coach Jim Wilkinson’s grapplers notched their first win of the campaign in engaging Central Michigan recently and also appear to be headed toward another fine season with a well-balanced lineup.

Coach Lew Hartzog, after completing an undefeated cross country season which included victories in the Illinois Cross Country Athletic Association, the Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Association, the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics, and the National Junior AAU meets, is now looking forward to preparing his charges for the spring track season.
Gymnastics

Gymnastics—a minor sport with the championship worth seven points—appears to be a sure thing as Coach Bill Meade's charges have been only slightly short of sensational in their only two outings prior to the holidays.

While Olympic performer Fred Orlofsky is the obvious pace-setter of the group, Meade's proteges, nevertheless, pack a well-balanced attack which was good enough to overwhelm all comers in the Midwest Open and may be sufficient to make a serious bid for national honors next spring.

In addition to Orlofsky, the standout sophomore from North Bergen, N.J., Meade has developed an accomplished group which includes Bill Simms, an all-around star from Chicago; Fernando Tijerina, an Elmhurst junior who excels on the parallel bars and still rings; Bruno Klaus, another all-around ace from New York; and Len Kalakian, a crowd-pleaser from Fresno, Calif.

Sports Squibs

Paul Brostrom, 5-10 215-pound guard from Chicago, was chosen by his teammates as 1961 captain of the football team. He kicked the extra points this season . . . .

"Most Valuable Player" is Houston Antwine, 245-pound senior guard from Memphis, Tenn., who played four seasons for the Salukis. He also was named to the second team of the Associated Press 1960 Little All-America football team and to both the offensive and defensive units of the 1960 Interstate Conference All-Star team. He appeared in the All-American Bowl game December 21 at Tucson, Ariz.

Six Months Without TV

by Thomas G. Turnbull, M.A. '58

A "High Arctic" Account with Two Scientific Expeditions

I became a member of the first Ellesmere Island Ice Shelf Expedition by invitation of the Air Force Cambridge Research Center and of the second expedition by invitation of the U.S. Naval Civil Engineering Laboratory.

The first expedition was sponsored by the Air Force. Its members studied the melting of the land-fast ice rise and the floating ice shelf near Ward Hunt Island, reporting their suitability as landing areas for aircraft.

The second expedition also was sponsored by the USAF with USNCEL members doing the work. The latter group sought to develop further ice construction techniques and ice highly resistant to surface melting to provide a satisfactory ice runway for year-round operations.

Members of the expeditions represented many fields of study—engineering, geology, glaciology, hydrology, magnetics, meteorology, and seismology. Organizations represented were the AFCRC, Arctic Institute of North America, U.S. Geological Survey, USNCEL, and headquarters of Quartermaster Research and Engineering Command.

The first party left Massachusetts May 12, 1959, for Thule, Greenland, and after four days flew to Ward Hunt Island, an island about five by two miles in size, just off the northern coast of Ellesmere Island, Canada, at 83 degrees 05 minutes north latitude, about 475 miles from the North Pole. Within four days the camp was well established with men living in two 16-foot square Jamesway huts and eating in a tent. However, within a week another meteorologist and I moved into a 17-foot trailer three miles north of the island. This was "home" for the next 108 days.

During the period in the trailer my work consisted of taking bi-hourly weather observations for 12 hours daily. These included temperatures, windspeed and direction, cloud types and amounts, visibility, and every six hours the record of air pressure, precipitation and radiation.

The second expedition began September 12. Weather observations were made twice daily of temperatures, windspeed, precipitation, and a short summary of the day's weather conditions.

The highest temperature recorded during the six months over the ice surface was 43 degrees Fahrenheit although temperatures in the high 40's and low 50's were reported on the island. Lowest temperature during the first expedition was minus 8 degrees Fahrenheit. The brief summer was interrupted by a cool spell in mid-July accompanied by five days with snow. By August 22 the ice on many lakes could be safely walked upon. Temperatures of minus 35 degrees Fahrenheit were common by
late October on the island and minus 40 degrees Fahrenheit over the ice.

Food consumed by the first party consisted mainly of two-year-old C-rations supplemented with foods purchased in the States. A few meals were of experimental dehydrated rations. Fresh eggs, vegetables, meat and fruit were consumed quickly and none was available from mid-June until mid-August when some fresh food was dropped by plane.

The second period of my Arctic sojourn proved very different in the type of food, as fresh food was supplemented with C-rations. Also, some food, still very good, was taken from a cache erected in 1954. Meals were much improved with the presence of a former Navy cook.

Transportation over the various surfaces was accomplished by means of snowshoes, skis, sleds, a tractor, weasels (amphibious tracked vehicles), and a canoe. However, all proved useless during the first few days of the melt season when a layer of slush covered the region.

The area around Ward Hunt presents many dangers to individuals working in the field. There is no prepared airstrip and it is 125 air miles to the nearest permanent post, which is Alert. Only small craft can land during the summer and skis must be used by planes in the winter. Nearest hospital is at Thule—a trip of over 500 miles.

Many crevasses abound and these were often discovered only after a vehicle or man fell through a weak snow bridge. The many shallow lakes which formed often had to be crossed on foot and their smooth bottoms were often the cause of unplanned “baths” in 33 degree water. During the second expedition the main hazard was frostbite, as most of the crevasses were either filled with snow or safely bridged and the lakes covered by 18 inches of ice.

The Ward Hunt region is very picturesque with its low rugged mountains reaching to 4,500 feet, snowfields and glaciers, fiorded coasts and many lakes. Over 20 varieties of plants were found, but only a few flowers, foxes, wolves, lemming, ermine, caribou and musk-ox were seen or known to have been in the area. During the summer a few flies appeared but no mosquitoes.

Members of the expeditions relied upon radio for much of their entertainment but card games were frequent, handicrafts worked upon, plants, rocks, and fossils collected, and many a story or experience told. Mail was dropped about every three weeks—and of course greatly welcomed and appreciated. A regular call to Thule was made to keep project officers informed of the status and needs of the parties. Also an informal conversation with nearby military and Royal Canadian Mounted Police posts was begun during October and short messages often were sent through these to the “tropics.”

Thus it came to an end in early November, almost six months on or north of the most northern island in North America, a place too desolate for even the Eskimos—Ward Hunt Island at 83 degrees 05 minutes north latitude.

Mr. Turnbull has returned to the “tropics,” where he married Mari-
the beauty of California including the ocean which is practically at the back door of my house. I would enjoy hearing from any alumni.”—Bertha M. Moyers, 2. Miss Moyers, whose address is P.O. Box 91, Montara, Calif., is a retired hospital dietitian, having worked for the U.S. Public Health Service 28 years.

J. Wesley Neville, 2, ’34, retired teacher and Perry County superintendent of schools from 1943 to 1951, now owns and operates a paint and wallpaper store in Du Quoin. He has two children—W. Wesley and June Neville Page.

1920
Mrs. John Crain (Velma Benard, 2), Springfield, is director of educational research for the Taxpayers Federation of Illinois. She has been with the organization since 1947 after four years as educational analyst for the Illinois State Chamber of Commerce and eight years as a statistician in the office of the Illinois superintendent of public instruction. Before going to Springfield, she had taught in Golconda High School seven years and served as Pope County superintendent of schools for eight years. Her son John is an attorney in Springfield with offices in the First National Bank Building.

Since 1925 Henry I. Featherly, 2, has been on the faculty of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, Okla. He is professor of botany and plant pathology. Native of Iuka, he received three degrees from Iowa State College, including his doctorate. Mrs. Featherly is the former Lucy Ann Borsch ’17-2 and they have a son, Henry F.

Mrs. William Bechtold (Theodosia Meng, 2) lives in O’Fallon and has a son and a daughter.

In Pasadena, Calif., Mrs. Job Mowe (Albyanne Field, 2) lives at 835 South Michillinda Avenue. She has two children.

1921
Fortieth Reunion
June 10, 1961

1922
One of the three major speeches at the southern section meeting this fall at the University of Illinois of the East Central Division of the Illinois Education Association was given by Robert R. Hamilton, 2, director of bar admissions for the State of Minnesota, St. Paul-Minneapolis. Mr. Hamilton, dean emeritus of the University of Wyoming College of Law, is a national authority on public school law. Last Alumni Day he received one of the three Alumni Achievement Awards in recognition of his outstanding work.

1924
Ruth L. Walters, 2, ’38, teacher in the Centralia schools since 1925, resigned as seventh grade teacher in the Central School and now lives with her sister at 3657A Phillips Place, St. Louis 16, Mo. She is recuperating from surgery and a two-month stay in the hospital. Miss Walters is a former president of the Centralia Business and Professional Women’s Club.

For the last seven years Evelyn A. Williams, 2, has taught the fifth grade at Kenton School in Aurora, Colo. She lives at 1365 Holly Street in Denver.

In Carbondale Pearl Boyd Williams, 2, is the wife of the Rev. Charles H. Williams. They have a son, Charles J.

1925
In Ludington, Mich., Mrs. Alfred Chinney (Alice Fitch, 2) has been a fourth grade teacher in the Ludington Public Schools for five years. She has three children, Don, Carleton, and Lucille.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd D. Norman, 2, ’37 (Marcia Pierce, 2) live at 1908 Liberty, Alton.

Mrs. Thomas M. Ridgeway is the former Ruby Baine, 2. She lives in Mounds and has three daughters and a son.

1926
Thirty-fifth Reunion
June 10, 1961
A recent visitor to the campus and the Alumni Office was Voris Loy, 2, of Chicago, who was paying his first visit in 32 years. Originally from Fairfield, he has been with the A. B. Dick Company of Niles for 18 years. He is general foreman of materials handling and stores. He has two daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. George King, 2 (Margaret L. Pifer, ex '33) live at 229 Springfield Road, East Peoria. They have three children. Mr. King is a high school teacher.

1929

At a meeting last spring of the Huguenot Society of Kentucky at Lexington, Ky., Mrs. Frank Ferguson (Nora Young) reviewed the history of the Old Green River Union Meeting House at Richwoodsville in Warren County, Ky. Mrs. Ferguson, of Bowling Green, Ky., has retired from teaching three times and now devotes her time to research in the early history of the area around Warren County. A few years ago she organized and prepared for microfilming more than 20,000 old documents from the basement of the courthouse at Bowling Green.

Principal of the Alexander County Central High School, Tamms, is Edward Emerson Hall '25-2. A former teacher in Mississippi and California, he holds a master's degree from the University of Michigan and a doctorate from George Peabody College for Teachers. Mrs. Hall is the former Eva Walter '26-2, '35, and they have three sons and a daughter.

Mrs. William E. McCauley (Florence Green, 2) lives at 4 Brookline Road, Scarsdale, N.Y. She has three children, William, Janet, and Robert.

Mrs. Elmer H. Trost (Opa! Morgan Smith, 2, '49, M.S. '58), Columbus, teaches the seventh grade in Cahokia Unit 187 Schools. She is a former Union County teacher.

1931

Thirtieth Reunion
June 10, 1961

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McBride, ex (Wilma J. Parker, 2) live in Denver, Colo., where he is an instructor and technician with Fairmont Foods and she is an administrative assistant with the University of Denver Research Institute. They have two children.

Mrs. Pearl Nowell N. Wade, 2, ex '17, '60, Carbondale, teaches in the elementary school at Morley, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Westbrook '28-2 (Ruth Westbrook '55, M.S. '60) live in Harrisburg. She teaches the third grade at Dorrisville School. Mr. Westbrook is a former president of the SIU Alumni Association.

1933

New senator in the Illinois State Senate for the 44th District is John G. Gilbert, Carbondale attorney, who takes office this month. He won the post in the November 8 election on the Republican ticket. A former Jackson County state's attorney for two terms and assistant state's attorney during the past four years, Mr. Gilbert served as president of the SIU Alumni Association during 1942-43. He is married to the former Helen Dollins '34 and they have three children.

Mrs. Thomas F. James (Helen C. Baker '30-2), Salem, Ky., is on the faculty of the English Department at Livingston Central High School for Livingston County, Ky.

Mrs. Arthur G. Schopfer (Ruth E. Teter, 2) lives at New Athens and has a son Arthur and a daughter Sondra.

1934

Sympathies are extended Harold N. Lingle, Anna, on the death of his wife Alice September 10 in a Chicago hospital. She was 49.

From Mr. and Mrs. Olin L. Hileman, 2, '50 (Oneida French, ex '36) -"We have enjoyed living in Springfield for the past year. My position as the first full-time junior high school consultant of the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction has been both challenging and rewarding. Mrs. Hileman is working in the Office of Teacher Retirement. We have a junior and a sophomore enrolled in Springfield High School. The youngest son is in the fifth grade at Hay-Edward School."

In September Robert E. McKinney '26-2 became superintendent of Highlands Schools in the LaGrange-Highland School District 106 near Chicago. He had been superintendent of Marion School Unit Two since the district was formed in 1950. The McKinneys (Jessie Holland, ex '28) are living at 2 East Scarsdale Road, LaGrange Park. They have two children.

Oval L. Harris is an engineer with Snap-On Tools Corporation, Mt. Carmel.

Mrs. Joseph A. Trabue (Maria E. Altmanberger, 2), Belleville, teaches arithmetic in Belleville Junior High School. She has two daughters, Jean Ann and Patti Jo.

Since 1950 Marlin Dennis Clinton has been superintendent of Virden Community Unit Schools. He is married and has three children. In 1951-52 he served as president of the SIU Springfield Area Alumni Chapter.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Brissenden (Imogene Smith, '2, '60) live in Flora. He is serving his fifth term as Clay County superintendent of schools and she is teaching English at Flora Township High School. They have two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Bramlet, M.S. '51 (Wanda Thomas '33-2, '38, M.S. '53) both are in the Harrisburg school system. He is principal of Logan Elementary School and she is a fourth grade teacher at McKinley School.

Homer Butler, ex, editor of the Marion Daily Republican, was reelected from the 59th representative district in the November 8 election, returning to the Illinois House of Representatives in which he has served three terms—1942-44, 1950-52, and 1958-60. He also served in the Illinois Senate in 1944-48 and 1952-56.

The Rev. Walter A. Smith is pastor of the First Methodist Church at Fairfield. He formerly served at Lawrenceville and before that was district superintendent of the Olney district in the Southern Illinois Conference. Mrs. Smith is Emma Lutes, ex '41, and they have five children.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin C. Martin (Mabel Cox '34-2) live in McHenry, where he is principal of McHenry Community High School. He formerly was superintendent at Royalton, Carlyle, and Stonington and principal at Nashville. The Martins have a son Tim.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver Carson (Doris A. Bierman '34-2) live in Stratford, Conn., where he is assistant superintendent of schools. They have three sons—John, David, and Mark.

Harry C. Marberry, Jr. is an attorney in Oklahoma City, Okla. A graduate of the University of Illinois College of Law, he started out as a law clerk in the office of a federal judge in Danville, then practiced in Salem before joining Ashland Oil and Refining Company in Ashland, Ky., as a company lawyer. He was transferred to Oklahoma City, where he became division attorney for the firm. Mrs. Marberry is the former Betty Gum and they have two children.

Tophelia Lorinski is a commercial teacher at Ritzville, Wash. Her address is Rt. 4, Spokane, Wash.

In Du Quoin Irene V. Brock is supervisor of art for the community schools and township high school. She was 1959-60 president of the SIU Perry County Alumni Chapter.

Harold E. Turner, ex, has been an assistant engineer with American Telephone and Telegraph Company in Kansas City, Mo., for six years. He is married to Norma Hampton, ex, and they have three sons. They live in Overland Park, Kan.

Leslie E. Meng, ex, '57, who received a master of arts degree last spring from Roosevelt University in Chicago, continues to teach at North Chicago High School. He also is serving as president of the North Chicago High School Teachers' Association. Mrs. Meng (Verna Purini, ex) is teaching at Beach Park Elementary School. The family, which includes two children, Ronald and Peggy, lives in Waukegan.

From Dr. and Mrs. Harry L. Davis, B.S. '46 (Edna M. McReynolds, ex '46), Memphis, Tenn.—"After completing my specialty training and board certification in internal medicine, I have become increasingly interested in heart and lung diseases, and am now associate director of the cardio-pulmonary laboratory here at Baptist Memorial Hospital and teach at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine. Baptist Memorial Hospital is the fifth largest private hospital in the U.S. Edna and I now have two sons—Randy, age four, and Craig, age one and a half."

S. Aladine Shomaker writes, "I have just moved to Rochester, N.Y., and accepted the executive director position of Rochester children's nursery, a day care program for 115 children ages three to 11."

Mrs. F. W. Thompson (June Mallams) is assistant administrator of Doctors' Hos-
pital in Kansas City, Mo., a private hospital owned and operated by her and her husband.

Ralph Boatman has returned to the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C., as professor in the Department of Health Education in the School of Public Health. Mr. Boatman had received his master of public health and his Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina. He is a former health coordinator at Southern and also director of health education for the Chicago and Cook County TB Institute. He and Helen Weaver Boatman '44 have two daughters, Cynthia and Elizabeth.

1945

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Taylor (Ernestine Cox '46) now live in Muncie, Ind., where he is assistant to the controller for Marsh Supermarkets. He formerly was in the division accounting office of the Kroger Company in Carbondale. Mrs. Taylor will be remembered for her vocal solo work with the Southern Illinois Symphony Orchestra. They have a son and daughter, Donald and Diane.

Edna Mann, ex, '60, has been a junior high school teacher for 33 years in the Fairfield public schools.

Another teacher is Mrs. Edward J. Twarog (Esther Bramstedt, M.S. '60) who lives and teaches in Bethalto. She has two daughters, Kristina and Charlotte.

Mrs. Darold H. Morgan is the former Elizabeth L. Johnson. The Morgans, with their three children—Tim, eight, Marshall, six, and Julie, born last February—live in Sherman, Tex.

1946

Fifteenth Reunion
June 10, 1961

Dr. Clarence E. Whisler is a doctor of dental surgery in Vandalia, Mo. He and his wife Eula Marie have three children—Stephan, Linda Sue, and Charles.

In Harrisburg Dwight Karnes, M.S. '52, is principal of Horace Mann School.

Last summer Mrs. Frank Brashier (Grace Wegner) attended an eight-week language institute in French sponsored by the National Defense Education Act at Washington University, St. Louis. She is a teacher of French and Spanish at Mascoutah Community High School. Her husband, Frank Brashier '50, is a revenue officer for the Internal Revenue Service in East St. Louis. They live in Belleville.

Last fall John C. Busenhart became business manager for the Mt. Prospect elementary schools. He formerly was superintendant of schools in Homer and his wife (Lucille Dillow '43) was vocal music instructor. They have a daughter Janice.

New job for Mrs. Russell Clendenin (Anna Saul, ex, '60), Rockwood, is teacher of the educable mentally handicapped in the Cahokia schools.

1948

Capt. Robert Pulliam, M.A. '50, son of the late SIU President Roscoe Pulliam '20-2, '25, and of Mrs. Mabel McGuire Pulliam Sattgast '26, has been awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal at Lackland AFB, Tex. He was honored for accomplishments as operations officer and mission control officer while serving with the 6937th Communications Flight. He and his wife (Jean Armentrout, ex '50) and family live at San Antonio, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Baysinger (Marie Robertson) have moved to Toledo, O., where he is district manager for Warren Petroleum.

C. Harold Goddard is a division supervisor in the Quality Assurance Division of the Sandia Corporation, Albuquerque, N.M. He has been with Sandia 10 years.

In Washington, D.C., William H. Cook, ex, is associate counsel for the Bureau of Naval Weapons in the Department of Navy.

For the last year Norman O. Wright, ex, has been assistant vice president of the Hale County State Bank, Plainview, Tex. Formerly he was with the Albuquerque, N.M., National Bank for seven years. He and his wife Louise have three children.

Lloyd R. Eulissier, Decatur, is a representative for Mercantile Mortgage Company.

1949

William G. Ridgeway was re-elected to his second term as state's attorney for Jackson County in the November 8 election. A University of Illinois law graduate, he formerly worked for Twente and Combe in Harrisburg, then practiced law in Murphysboro, where he resides. He is married to Elizabeth Ann Greer, ex, and they have a daughter Carol.

Three years ago William E. Plumlee, M.S. '55, resigned as teacher and coach at Murphysboro, to become a group representative for Golden Rule Life Insurance Company. He lives in Flora with his wife Eunice and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Jangedyk (Jacqueline A. Jangedyk, ex '47) live in Wichita, Kan., where he is a science and mathematics teacher at Hadley Intermediate School. They have a son Paul.

For the last six years Dale Lee Houghland has been director of health education for the city of Houston, Tex. He is a former vice president of the SIU Houston Alumni Chapter. Mrs. Houghland (Delores Sharp '50) was '49 Homecoming queen. They have two sons, David and Douglas.

Don Edward Jones, ex, is a junior designer with the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad Company, Joliet.

Two members of the VTI Class of '58 recently were given $150 awards for sustained superior performance in their jobs with Military Air Transport Service headquarters at Scott AFB. Col. W. E. Carter (at left in each picture), MATS comptroller, presents checks to Gordon M. Sisk, Belleville (at left), assistant chief of Pictorial Presentation Branch, and to Brian L. Gauss, East St. Louis (at right), assistant chief of Display and Design Branch.
Named Mead Johnson Vice President

Two promotions within a little over year have brought Richard T. Arnold '34 to the important position of vice president, research of the Mead Johnson Research Center, Evansville, Ind. In November Mead Johnson and Company changed the name of the Mead Johnson Research Division to Mead Johnson Research Center and named Mr. Arnold to vice presidency.

It was in September of 1959 that Mr. Arnold became associated with the company as a research consultant. The following month he was appointed to the newly created position of director of research, responsible for the firm's chemical, biochemical, and biological research programs.

Before joining Mead Johnson Mr. Arnold had been administrator of the basic science program for the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation in New York since 1955. Prior to that he had been on the faculty of the University of Minnesota for 18 years, becoming a full professor and head of the Department of Chemistry.

Mr. Arnold holds a master and a doctoral degree, both in organic chemistry, from the University of Illinois. He received a Guggenheim Fellowship for 1948-49 for study at the Technische Hochschule in Zurich, Switzerland, and the Radiation Laboratory of University of California.

Widely recognized as an authority on theoretical organic chemistry, he has published a number of papers on stereochemistry and reaction mechanisms. He holds a number of patents covering the practical applications of his basic discoveries. Among his many honors is the American Chemical Society's award in pure chemistry for 1949.

He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Chemical Society (London), American Chemical Society, American Association for Advancement of Science, Board of Scientific Consultants for Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research, and is a fellow of the New York Academy of Science.

Mr. Arnold is a native of Indianapolis. He is married, has two children, and lives at 5715 Spring Park Drive, Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Albers (Joyce Brown, ex '50, '60) live in Granite City and have two daughters. He teaches social studies and English at Coolege Junior High School and she does substitute teaching.

Mrs. Rosemary Bowers Leveault is a psychiatric social worker in Johnston, R.I.

Mrs. Donald M. Lockhart (Helen Virginia Gresham) has been on the faculty of the Department of Physical Education for Women at Ripon College, Ripon, Wis., since 1957.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens, Jr., M.S., '50 (Sue Baumgartner, ex '46) and their three children—Cynthia, Raymond, and Charles—live in Rantoul. Mr. Owens is an educational specialist in the civil service for the U.S. Air Force at Chanute AFB.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Walker, ex (Helen Fildes '49) and their two children live in Albion. Mr. Walker is farm adviser for Edwards County.

Roy S. Steinbrook, M.S. '51, has joined the faculty of Southwestern Illinois Campus of SIU at Alton as assistant professor of education. He formerly taught at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb and Millersville State Teachers College, Millersville, Pa.

Dr. Ernest E. Poole, M.A. '51, is a doctor of medicine in Lidgetwood, N.D.

James T. Shafter, Whittier, Calif., is supervisor of retail development for the Mobil Oil Company. He formerly was a sales executive with General Petroleum Company in Whittier. Mrs. Shafter is Mary C. Mertz '49.

In Ft. Worth, Tex., Charles K. Williams is a senior design engineer in electronics with the Convair Corporation. He and Judith Noll Williams, ex '49, have a daughter, Lisa Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kung-wen Wen (Mimi Wen, ex) have returned to the Far East and now live in Kowloon, Hong Kong, with their two sons, Eric Lewis and Ernie John. Mr. Wen works for the U.S. Summit Corporation of New York.

Wilbur M. Hemmer is a draftsman with Blaw-Knox Company, Mattoon.

1950

Dr. Ernest E. Poole, M.A. '51, is a doctor of medicine in Lidgetwood, N.D.

James T. Shafter, Whittier, Calif., is supervisor of retail development for the Mobil Oil Company. He formerly was a sales executive with General Petroleum Company in Whittier. Mrs. Shafter is Mary C. Mertz '49.

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1951

Tenth Reunion
June 10, 1961

New principal of Fairfield High School is Weldon Kendrick, M.S. '54, who has been principal of Johnston City High School for four years, principal of Johnston City Grade School five years, and guidance director for the entire school system. He is married and has two sons. Mr. Kendrick is a former member of the board of directors of the SIU Williamson County Alumni Chapter.

Recent promotion for Alfred P. Loughran was that of claim superintendent in Bloomington for the southern Illinois division of State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company. His wife is Marian Smith, ex '54.

Since 1954 Wilbur D. Talbert has been an inspector with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. He, his wife Audrey, and two children live in Hazel Park, Mich.

Another Michigander, Robert G. Stevens, of the CPA firm of Touche, Ross, Bailey and Smart, Detroit, spoke before the Western Michigan Conference of the Association for Bank Audit, Control and Operation October 20. He appeared on the program of an American Management Association seminar at Saranac Lake, N.Y., earlier in October and on September 29 spoke to the Accounting and Statistical Society of the Michigan Trucking Association.
Arthur Lewis and Phillip Kent are their two sons. Mr. Azar is a Beltone hearing aid distributor.

To Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Daschner (Robert A. Atkison), Martinton, baby No. Five, Kenneth Del, September 19. "Back issues are—Arla, five, Dennis, four, Barbara, three, and Laurie, one and a half. Needless to say my time is well spent taking care of our youngsters and husband who is so busy now in the harvest of our crops." The Daschers love their life on the farm but still find time to be active members of the Kankakee Alumni Club.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Kirchner (Doris J. Krug), Philo, a son, Michael Craig, May 6. Mrs. Kirchner formerly was an administrative secretary at the University of Illinois at Urbana.

1952

From Port Hueneme, Calif., Raymond W. Siville, ex, writes, "I attended Arizona State University, Tempe, and received a B.A. and M.A. there. I now am teaching mechanical drawing at Hueneme High School in Oxnard, Calif. Emil Kass '51, Mike Scullin, ex '53, and I have been in close contact since coming out west. We all attended ASU and Emil is taking his Ed.D. there. While attending summer school there I ran across Carl House '50 and Harlon Seats '55."

Dominic M. Alecci recently was promoted to sales manager in Pueblo, Colo., by General Motors Acceptance Corporation. He has been with the company since 1952 and in Pueblo since 1956. Mrs. Alecci is the former Elizabeth Vanno, ex '51, and they have a daughter Lisa Ann.

Robert M. Munday, M.S. '57, Benton, is superintendent of Elkhville schools.

"I received my Ph.D. from Duke University on June 6, 1960. My research was in physical chemistry. At the present time I am doing research with the Chemstrand Corporation at the Research Triangle near Durham, N.C."—James H. DeLap, 828 Louise Circle, Durham, N.C.

Valjean M. Cashen, M.S. '54, received his doctor of education degree in August from Colorado State College, Greeley, Colo. He majored in educational psychology and minored in special education. Mr. Cashen is in his fourth year as director of testing and research at Arlington High School, Arlington Heights. Mrs. Cashen is Rebecca Jane Robertson '51 and they have a son, Christopher, 14 months old.

Mrs. Bobby G. Conner is the former Caroline Susan Norris. She lives in Muncie and has four children.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Azar (Barbara Lewis, ex '49), first daughter, Mary Ellen, March 23, Paducah, Ky.

New chairman of the Division of Education at Northwest Missouri State College, Maryville, Mo., is Charles H. Thate, M.S. '54, who had served as head basketball coach at SIU's University School for six years and also assisted in football and baseball. His wife is the former Betty Smith, ex '50.

1949

In Houston, Tex., Richard A. Fitzgerald, ex, is a metallurgical engineer in the Sheffield Division of Armco Steel Corporation. He lives in Pasadena, Tex. Mrs. Olen Baker (Freda Borah) teaches kindergarten in the Northside School in Fairfield.

The Rev. James Burchette Domm has served as pastor of the Gofoloma Baptist Church the last two years. He and his wife, Donna Jean, have three sons and a daughter.

Paul J. Zollner, former insurance underwriter in Chicago, has entered the nursery business and now is supervisor for Gerardi Nursery in Belleville.

Mrs. Michael A. Plunkett (Virginia A. Smart) lives in Granite City, where her husband practices law. They have three children, Kathy, Laura, and Danny.

Another resident of Granite City is Mrs. Lester Mayes (Melbertha Still), who teaches physical education at DuPage High School.

After several years as principal of Melville Senior High School in St. Louis, Daniel E. Selbert, M.S., has joined the Education Department of Arkansas College in Batesville, Ark.

New member of the faculty of Sparta Township High School is James R. Nordberg, industrial arts teacher. He formerly taught at Lincoln.

Willard R. Rhine, M.A. '57, M.S. '60, is director of Madison County Association for School Psychological Services. He has offices in the County Court House in Edwardsville.

Mrs. Joseph F. Devane, Jr. (Patricia Ann Neagu) lives in Hayward, Calif., and is the mother of Timothy and Suzanne.

From Mr. and Mrs. John C. Roth (Esther Andres '55), Belleville—"We are the proud parents of three fine daughters—Andrea Jahn, three; Celest Dawn, two; and Mary Jill, four months. Jack is a field claim representative with State Farm Mutual in Belleville Claim Office. Dolly is busy as a fulltime housewife, but plans to do some substitute teaching."

Richard M. Packard, M.S., is superin-
What is it like to spend three months on a float trip of the Ohio River as showboat business manager, house mother, occasional nurse for 14 university actors and actresses, ticket salesman, and purchaser of machinery parts?

Ask 24-year-old Dorothy L. Beck '57, M.S. '58, of Winchester, graduate student of theater at Indiana University, whose title of business manager covered all of these jobs—and more—and she'll relate her experiences on the Ohio River last summer.

When Miss Beck accepted the job on the showboat Majestic, operated last summer for the first time by Indiana University to provide practical stage training for its students, she knew a little of what to expect. She knew she would be buying food and other supplies for the boat, but didn't bargain on such purchases as paddle wheels for the Majestic's towboat or parts for its generator. She knew she would be caring for all details of ticket sales, but didn't know that each night the boat's lights would go out soon after the final curtain, making bookkeeping somewhat difficult.

She was aware of her duties as house mother and chaperon, but forgot she would have to be a nurse as result of such things as minor illnesses and accidents. And she didn't foresee the dozens of other problems that the almost daily emergencies of showboating on the Ohio would lay in her lap.

The university troupe gave 88 consecutive performances during the three-month circuit, mostly on one and two night stands in Indiana and Kentucky Ohio River towns and cities between Lawrenceburg and Mt. Vernon, Ind. In addition to the shows they had to rehearse for the next play, keep the boat shipshape, study to earn academic credit, and even help customers up and down muddy river banks. The season ended September 3.

Miss Beck, who studied acting, production, and stagecraft at Southern, taught dramatics at Bloomington High School for a year before going to Indiana to do graduate work in theater. Before last summer's jaunt, she had spent three summers in stock theater, a definite advantage in her post as business manager for the showboat stint.

Leon F. Moburg, who teaches design, ceramics, jewelry, and art education in the Art Department of University of Redlands, Redlands, Calif., has won a number of honors in recent months. He received a "honorable mention" at the Seventh Invitational Garden Sculpture Show held at People's Art Center in St. Louis. Two of his ceramic pots have been purchased for the permanent collection of the Cedar Rapids, Ia., Art Center, which sponsored an "Outstanding Craftsmen in the USA" touring exhibit. Mr. Moburg also has participated in an exhibit at Los Angeles City College and in the "Art in Action" show at the San Bernardino Temple Emanuel.

Singleton Bender, M.S., is associate president, registrar, and teacher at the famous Piney Woods School in Piney Woods, Miss., headed by its founder, Laurence C. Jones, the "little professor," who has devoted his life to the school.

New principal of Thompsonville High School is Curtis L. Hamilton, M.S. '58, who formerly served as principal of the Dowell Public School, a teacher in Granite City, and a teacher in the Goode-Barren Township High School in Sesser.

Married: Shirley Ann Appel to Donald E. Selzinger '55, December 19, 1959. They are living in St. Louis. He is a chemist with Mallinckrodt Chemical Works at Weldon Springs, Mo., and she is a typing...
teacher at McCluer Junior High School in Ferguson, Mo.

1955

After six and a half years at SIU in the production of radio and television programs for education, promotion, and public relations—interrupted by a three-year tour in the Air Force—Ralph E. Becker resigned last summer as faculty supervisor and associate director of SIU Broadcasting Service. He now is an account executive for Peoria TV Station WTVH, owned by Metropolitan Broadcasting Corporation, which owns TV and radio stations throughout the country. Mrs. Becker is a former supervisor of the records department in the SIU Alumni Office.

Rebecca Jane Murrie Walbright, M.S. ’56, is a first grade teacher in the Shelbysville schools. Her husband, George W. Walbright, ex ’54, graduated from St. Louis College of Pharmacy and now is a registered pharmacist and owner of the Corner Drug Store in Shelbysville.

Evan Donald Smith is a claimsman for Country Mutual Insurance Company, lives in Macedonia, and has three children.

Norman E. Bowers, M.A. ’60, is a clinical psychologist at Elgin State Hospital, Elgin.

In St. Louis Gwenolyn R. Weltge is an instrumental music instructor in the Ritenour Consolidated Schools.

Sammy Joe Barker, VTI, Reed City, is an engineer with Magnet Cove Barium Corporation. He is married and has two sons.

The Rev. John F. Welch received a bachelor of divinity degree last spring from Golden Gate Theological Seminary in Mill Valley, Calif., and now is pastor of the First Southern Baptist Church in Tierra Buena, Calif. He lives in Yuba City, Calif., with his wife Lois and daughter, Sherry Lynn.

After receiving his master of arts degree from SIU last June, Walter O. Stiegelitz joined the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as assistant refuge manager at Hornbeak, Tenn. He and Lynn Montgomery Striegelt, ex ’54, have two children.

After his recent release from active duty in the Air Force and service at Custer AFS, Fort Custer, Mich., Joseph C. Piland, M.S. ’56, remained in Battle Creek, Mich., where he is a teacher at W. K. Kellogg Junior High School. His wife is Jo Anne Hortin ’57.

From Mrs. Bill B. Batson (Emma G. Kelly)—“Certainly enjoy receiving my alumni news; each publication brings back pleasant memories of ‘Southern days.’ My husband finished his architectural degree from the U. of I. and we have moved to South Ft. Mitchell, Ky. He will be working for an architectural firm in Cincinnati, O., and I do not plan to teach this year. We had the opportunity to go to Europe this past summer, which was a terrific experience. We left June 21 and returned September 1 and got to tour in 14 countries.”

Married: Lila Leone Wakefield to Lt. Wilbert F. Craig III, February 20, Crawford, Colo. They are living in Albuquerque, N.M., where he is stationed at Kirtland AFB as project officer and mathematician in the AF Special Weapons Center. Mary K. Cummins to Omer Bremer, July 30, Metropolis. They are living in Arlington Heights and she is in her sixth year as third grade teacher in Palatine.

Jane Ann Schorheide, M.S. ’56, to Ivan M. Moser, August 6, Evanston. They are living in Des Plaines. A former teacher at Evanston Township High School, Mrs. Moser now is dean counselor at East Leyden High School. Her husband is a market analyst with International Minerals and Chemicals of Skokie.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Roper, M.A. ’60 (Barbara Liebig, ex ’59), a daughter, Cynthia Lynn, March 17, Seattle, Wash. Mr. Roper is working on his doctorate in sociology, studying in the psychiatry department of the School of Medicine at the University of Washington in Seattle.

1956

Fifth Reunion
June 10, 1961

For the last four years James D. Williams has been educational director and teacher at Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Hurst, Tex., where he received a master of religious education degree in 1958. He is married to Verna Jo Clayton, ex, and they have two children.

New second grade teacher this fall in the Roxana Unit Schools is Doris L. Gabriel, who has been with the Bunker Hill public school system.

Gene Ernest, ex ’52, has resigned from the Benton Consolidated High School faculty to join the Equitable Life Assurance Society of America. His wife is Carolyn Walston.

Charles D. Brookbank, M.A. ’58, former graduate assistant in theatre at SIU, has joined the faculty of Lakeland College’ in
Russian Specialist In Library of Congress


He has been on the library staff nine years. In his new post he selects Russian materials for the library, prepares bibliographies, and also does report writing.

Mr. Allen entered Southern in 1939 when only 15 years old. It was during his undergraduate days that he became interested in the Russian language and began studies in it along with another student and several faculty members.

In 1943 he was voted a University of Illinois scholarship but turned it down to enter military service. The following year he received a disability discharge from the Army. He attended Cornell University for a summer term to study the Russian language as a special student.

He entered the graduate school at Yale University, receiving his master's degree in 1945 and his doctorate in 1950. He taught a summer term at Southern and was on the faculty of the University of Toronto in Canada two years before going to Washington.

master of science degree in March from Michigan State University, now is serving in the Army.

In Mymensingh, East Pakistan, K. A. F. M. Abul Quasem, M.S., is principal of the Mymensingh Teachers' Training College.

"I am now stationed in England, near London, and will be here for two years. I am enjoying my tour of duty immensely. I am married to the former Lois Brown of Augusta, Ga. (Fort Valley State College), who will be joining me soon. Please inform my friends of my new address—I miss them and the University very much."


Married: Eileen Mae Perko to Gerald E. Mittenberger, June 4, Pueblo, Colo. He is a speech and hearing therapist at Colorado State Hospital in Pueblo.

Emma Lou Setzekorn, ex '59, to Eldred O. Mueller, August, Okawville. They are living in Okawville, where she teaches in the grade school. Mr. Mueller is on the faculty of Mascoutah Community High School.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Neely, M.S. (M. Jan Keiper), second son, Scott, March 1, El Cajon, Calif. Mr. Neely is teaching in the Cajon Valley Union School District.

To Mr. and Mrs. Boyd C. Rich, M.A., M.S., '59, a daughter, Diane, March 7, Carbondale. Mr. Rich is assistant to the research co-ordinator at SIU.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Selement (Joan L. Vigeant '56, M.S. '57), a daughter, Lee Anne, April 2, Arlington, Va. Since May Mr. Selement has been a management analyst for the Department of State in Washington. He is studying for his master's degree in business administration at George Washington University.

This announcement was received by the Alumni office—"By George, we did it!" exclaim George Van Epps and Jan Evans Van Epps, ex '54, announcing the arrival of Sandra Elise, August 11, in Chicago. Sandra completes the Van Epps family of two sons—John, five, and Jim, six—and two daughters—Vicky Ann, three, and Sandra. They live in a new home at 2323 Draper Drive, College Park, Ga., moving there recently from Seward, Alaska, where George managed a shrimp cannery and battled the 10-foot snow drifts."

1958

For the last three years Kent R. Nelson has been an accountant with Inland Steel Company, Hammond, Ind.

In Grand Rapids, Mich., Fount G. Warren III, M.S. '60, is consultant for the
educable mentally handicapped in Kent County, Mich. He is married to Mary E. Cracshaw ’54 and they have two children.

Charles G. Stratton, M.S. ’60, is a research assistant in the Bureau of Research and Measurement at Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind.

Mickey O. Cravens, VTI, ’60, is an accountant with General Electric Corporation in Owensboro, Ky.

In Wooster, O., B. Frank Mattes is director of Christian education at the Wooster Methodist Church.

Carl L. Midjias, M.A. ’59, is a graduate assistant working on his Ph.D. at the University of Illinois.

Charleen E. Robinson is in her second year of teaching kindergarten at McKinley School in Ottawa.

For the last three years Sanford Keith Quayle has been a missionary for the Methodist Church in Chile, S.A. He is assigned to the Iquique English College in Iquique.

Science teacher at Glen Ellyn Junior High School is George W. Paslaski, who extends an invitation to his classmates to visit their fine school. His wife is Darlene Cotten, ex.

Nora Langreder, Roxana, teaches English and mathematics at Edwardsville Junior High School and also is collegiate editor of The Triangle, national magazine of Sigma Sigma Sigma.

In Elkhart, Ind., Robert G. Johnson is an accountant for the public accounting firm of Chester Cruge and Company. He is married and has a young son Bobby.

Shirley Ann Diggs, VTI, is assistant art director for the art department of Bumpatel Sign Company, Mounds. She lives in Cairo.

Married: Kay Sue Edie to James Nagle, September 10, Vandalia. Mrs. Nagle is a former TWA hostess and last year was stationed at Hahn AF, Germany, since June 5, 1959. Roger is in the engineering section as supervisor of the maintenance and repair division. Suzanne is secretary of the Officers’ Wives’ Club. Last summer while her brother visited us, we went to Denmark, Holland, Belgium, and Luxembourg and plan later to go to Italy, France, Switzerland, and Austria. We like Europe very much and have learned German very rapidly. We will return to the good ole USA in March 1962.”

Gloria A. Ager is teaching in Ridgefield School District 122 in Oak Lawn.

Honor graduate of Class 60 C of the USAF officer training school at Lackland AFB, Tex., last May was Lt. Edward L. Marshall, Alton, who now is attending armament school at Lowry Technical Training Center, Denver, Colo.

Mrs. William W. Holloway (Janice L. Prather), Murphysboro, is a special education teacher in Du Quoin, assigned to the opportunity room of the R. A. Wheatley School. Her husband is ex ’58.

Marie C. Kloockner is teaching Spanish at Lyons Township High School and Junior College, LaGrange, after attending the eight-week summer session at the University of Wisconsin on a National Defense Foreign Language Fellowship in Portugese.

At Red Bud High School Harrison Fuller, Jr., is head basketball and baseball coach and history and government instructor.

Last fall Vernon Dale Ashmore entered law school at the University of Illinois, Urbana. Last year he taught English and social studies at Cahokia High School. Mrs. Ashmore (Carla L. Coffey ’58), former first grade teacher in Granite City, now is teaching in Champaign.

Rosie M. Laughlin is in her second year of teaching home economics at Lawrenceville Junior High School. She also is doing graduate work at Southern.

Billy L. Moon is enrolled for graduate theological study at Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston. His wife (Nancy Mikeworth ’58) teaches primary grade in Palatine, where they reside.

Married: Joyce R. Brinkley to Leonard J. Baldyga, June 25, Belleville. They spent their honeymoon in Aruba, a Caribbean island in the Dutch West Indies, as the prize for their letter to the New York Herald Tribune’s School for Brides and Bridgegrooms. They live in New York City where she is secretary to the art critic of the New York Times and he is a financial writer for the American Banker, banking newspaper in that city. Last fall he began graduate work on a fellowship to Columbia University’s School of International Affairs.

Patricia Courtney to James E. Hankins, June 25, Marion. They live in Louisville, Ky., where he is on the news staff of Radio Station WAKY.

Verna L. Rees to John F. McAtee, ’58, M.A. ’60, June 18, Du Quoin. They are living in Belleville, where he is teaching at Cathedral High School and she is teaching at Belleville Junior High School. Mrs. McAtee formerly was English teacher and librarian at Carlyle High School and served as secretary-treasurer of the Bond-Clinton Alumni Chapter.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. William R. Ful-ton, a daughter, Cynthia Ann, March 8, Red Bud. The Fultons now live in Springfield, where he is a marketing specialist in the news department of the Department of Agriculture.

To Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Wedeking, VTI, a son, William David, August 29, Metropolis. Mr. Wedeking is co-owner of Bill’s Supermarket in Metropolis.

1960

First Reunion
June 10, 1961
ant with Arthur Andersen and Company in Chicago. He lives in Des Plaines with his wife, Patsy Lou, and daughter, Annette Mac.

Betty Jean Bledsaw, Edwardsville, is a first grade teacher in the Glen Carbon Elementary School.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Zappa, ex (Carolyn Powluss, ex ’59) live in Valledy Stream, N.Y. He is assistant manager of Alton Screw Machine Products, Inc.

In Chicago Richard T. Crane, Jr. is a plant quarantine inspector with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. His wife is Sally Pence, ex ’56, and they have a daughter, Sheryl Diane.

Donald J. O’Connor, Waterloo, is a cost analyst with the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

John J. Abromovitsch is varsity line coach and driver education instructor at Oak Lawn High School.

Emerson D. Young, Jr. is a salesman with Young’s Department Store in Mattoon. He is married to Clara E. Brown.

Peter C. Doran, M.A., is a psychologist intern at Anna State Hospital and a doctoral student at SIU.

Tommy R. Ragsdale is a radiation engineer with McCullough Tool Company, West Frankfort.

Howard T. Calvin is a speech correction teacher in the Highland schools.

In Midlothian Jerry D. Feezel is teaching speech and English at New Bremen High School.

Richard L. Bruno is an advertising salesman with the Southern Illinoisan, Carbondale newspaper.

John D. Parks teaches the sixth grade in the Benton Consolidated Schools.

In St. Louis Ronald D. Edwards is a copywriter with Calvertt Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald B. Saladino (Mary Crisman Saladino) are living in El Paso, Tex. He is a mathematician with the White Sands Missile Range.

Elizabeth Ann Granit is home economics teacher at Patoka High School.

Jerry C. Aken is teaching industrial arts at Elkville High School. He is married and has a son, Stephen.

After he finished his six-month training period in the Army, Phillip L. Brunett, VTI, joined the National Biscuit Company in Chicago. He lives in Des Plaines.

Mrs. Darrell D. Conner (Karen Goforth Conner) Campbell Hill, is a commerce and English teacher at Trico High School.

In Alton Mrs. R. S. MacDuff (F. Jeanne FitzGerald MacDuff, M.S.) is a counselor at West Junior High School.

James H. Hazard, Jr., VTI, is in the management training program of Montgomery Ward and Company in Bloomington.

Married: Mary Alice Carnagh to Thomas J. Lelli, August 6, Herrin. They are living in Chicago, where he is an underwriter with Kemper Insurance Company. She is teaching English at Niles Township High School in Skokie.

Kathleen Ann McBrien to Terry J. Durham, March 19, Alton. They live in Alton and he teaches at Edwardsville.

Nancy Sue Kirchoff, ex, to Gaylord V. Hayden, September 30, East St. Louis. They are living in St. Louis, where he is working with the Chicago Burlington and Quincy Railroad.

Judith Lynn Marchildon, ex, to John T. Yates, August 27, Chester. They are living in Bethlehem, Pa., while he is studying for a master’s degree at Lehigh University.

Nancy Lee Pabst to Martin W. Oliver ’59, M.S. ’60, August 20, Waterloo. They are living in Mattoon, where he is on the faculty of Mattoon Senior High School.

Mary E. Woeschau ’62 to Richard L. Ruggles, August 20, Anna. They are living in Hurst, where he is basketball coach at Hurst-Bush High School. She is continuing her studies at Southern.

Leo Kaplan, associate professor of botany and member of the SIU faculty since 1950, was stricken during a Sigma Xi lecture on campus December 2 and died shortly after. He was president of the SIU chapter of Sigma Xi.

Professor Kaplan, native of Springfield, Mass., where he graduated from American International College, received master and doctoral degrees from Harvard. He had taught at Quincy, Mass., City Hospital School and at Massachusetts General Hospital School in Boston. He was a specialist in allergies and during World War II was a Navy medical laboratory technician.

He was voted “Most Popular Faculty Member” at Southern three years ago and had served as faculty sponsor for Theta Xi social fraternity and for Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity. He headed the National Science Foundation program for high school students here last summer and was to head it in 1961.

Professor Kaplan was assisting in the experimental Plan A Honors program for freshmen this term in addition to his regular duties in teaching and research.

1896

Oliver A. Harker, 2, president of the Dixie Brick and Tile Company, Puryear, Tenn., died November 23, 1959, at Puryear after a two-year illness. He was B1. Native of Carbondale, he was the son of Judge and Mrs. O. A. Harker, Sr. Judge Harker at one time was dean of the University of Illinois law school.

1906

Sherman L. Kell, 2, retired Chicago educator, died in Medora November 8, 1956. He had retired in 1946 as a principal in the Chicago public school system. From 1946 to 1949 he was a chemistry instructor at the University of Illinois' Navy Pier branch. He retired again in 1949 and moved to Medora.

1907

Mrs. J. L. Purdue (Susie D. Parchen, 2) died in Seattle, Wash., October 28. She was a former teacher in southern Illinois.

1913

Mrs. Harvey L. Jones (Maude Rich, 2), Chula Vista, Calif., is reported deceased.

1947

Mrs. Lizzie Mozeley Simpson, ex, Vienna, is reported deceased. She retired in 1950 after teaching most of the time between 1918 and that date in primary and rural education. She continued her interest in teaching the piano, in antiques, and in church and fraternal groups.
A new book on Illinois county government, first of its kind to appear, has been published by SIU. The 135-page documentary source work, "County Government in Illinois," was co-authored by Clyde Snider, chairman of the Department of Political Science at the University of Illinois, and Irving Howards, assistant director of Southern's Local Government Center. Professor Howards is secretary of the Illinois legislative commission on township government and has been a consultant to county government groups.

Southern Illinois University lost a long-time and good friend in the Illinois Legislature when Senator R. G. Crisenberry chose not to run in the November election. He thus ended 28 years in the legislature, four years as a representative and 24 as a senator. His long record included service on almost every major committee, but he was best known for his support of SIU. He fought for engineering school recognition at Southern through two sessions. One of the major bills he sponsored was making Southern a university with its own board. Senator and Mrs. Crisenberry (Myrtle Henson, ex '09) live in Murphysboro.

**Early American Imprints Edition at Library**

A microprint edition of early American imprints, containing complete text of every known book, pamphlet, and broadside from 1639 through 1800, is being purchased for the SIU Library. The edition represents the works listed in Evans' American Bibliography and when complete will contain some 30,000 titles. The work, now about 60 per cent complete, is being edited by the director of the American Antiquarian Society under sponsorship of the American Historical Society.

The International Union of Plumbers and Pipefitters awarded Southern a $5,300 grant to continue a program of apprentice-related training in the trade. This program, conducted the last several years at the Vocational-Technical Institute, has a continuing class of 20 to 30 apprentice plumbers to equip them for journeyman status. This training tie-up between SIU and the union is one of the few of its kind in existence.

The Golden Quill Award will be given for the first time in July by the International Conference of Weekly Newspaper Editors and may be won by "any weekly newspaper editor anywhere." It has been established to recognize the best in editorial writing and will be given on the basis of style, clarity, and force of expression rather than great issues. The SIU Journalism Department will administer the contest.

**SIU Coed Illinois Fruit Queen**

Illinois State Fruit Queen is Sue Rogers, tall, dark-haired, blue-eyed home economics major from Ware. She reigned as queen of the Cobden Peach Festival and of the Murphysboro Apple Festival before taking top honors in the Illinois Fruit Council contest.

The Egyptian, SIU student newspaper, received a First Class Honor Rating from the Associated Collegiate Press for the third consecutive year. Coverage was named its top feature and ratings of excellence were attributed to creativeness, features and layout.

Poems by two Southern students—"Value of Love" by George Simpson, Benton, and "Reflections on the Age of Anxiety" by Charles Weiser—have been accepted by the "Annual Anthology of College Poetry" of the National Poetry Association. Alpha Nu chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma has been awarded a second place national efficiency award for 1959-60 based upon apparent campus standing, national standing, and completeness of sorority obligations.

Richard Rubin is the new president of Gamma Theta Upsilon, honorary geography fraternity. Leland Newman, Rock Island, is first vice president; Thomas Glennon, Trenton, N.J., second vice president; Mary Galneder, Detroit, Mich., secretary; and Donald Clark, treasurer. President of the student Engineering Club is Donald Richardson, Metropolis. He is assisted by Vice President Stanley Chesnek, Centralia; Secretary Edward Tucker, Mendon; and Treasurer Larry Pritchett, McLeansboro.

**Assistant Dean of Home Economics**

Anne Margaret Cameron, formerly at Ohio State University, has joined the SIU faculty as assistant dean of the School of Home Economics and half-time teacher in the Department of Home Economics Education. She is a former high school teacher and instructor at Illinois State Normal and from 1954 to 1958 was head of home economics education at Carnegie Institute of Technology. Prof. George Hand, chairman of the Department of Higher Education, is a member of the Illinois Department of Financial Institutions assigned to the committee on bank advisement.