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Four Vice Presidents Named

As a consequence of a revision of the by-laws and statutes of the University recently approved by the University Faculty and Board of Trustees, four vice presidents were appointed last month. Under the new setup—providing for functional vice presidents instead of geographical vice presidents—Charles D. Tenney is Vice President for Planning and Review, Robert William MacVicar President for Academic Affairs, Ralph Windsor Ruffner Vice President for Area and Student Services, and John S. Rendleman, ex '47, Vice President for Business Affairs.

Dr. Tenney, who has been at Southern since 1931 and has been a professor of English and philosophy, debate coach, tennis coach, provost, and since 1952 vice president for instruction, remains in the President's Office. There he reviews proposals for changes in the staff, organization, and procedures of the University; participates in plans for consolidation, refinement, and diversification of the University's programs, particularly in regard to the new statewide Master Plan proposed by the State of Illinois Board of Higher Education; and recommends improvements in the articulation of the various functions of the University.

The new statutes provide that each office and department prepare for review reports covering its operating structure, principles, and procedures.

Vice President MacVicar comes to SIU from a similar post at Oklahoma State University. He is a Rhodes Scholar and a Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin. As chief officer for academic affairs on all SIU campuses, he holds general executive and coordinating responsibility for the instructional, research, and publications programs of the University.

The two major functions of Area Services and Student Services are now under the single jurisdiction of Vice President Ruffner. He has had broad experience as a teacher, professor of adult education, and assistant dean of education at George Washington University, where he received his doctorate. In recent years he has served abroad with UNESCO and with the International Cooperation Administration.

In his new post he exercises general executive and coordinating responsibility for the area services of the University and for all matters relating to students not under the jurisdiction of one of the other chief officers.

Mr. Rendleman, general counsel and special assistant to the president since March, 1963, was executive director of business affairs before that appointment. He has been on the SIU staff since 1951, when he was an assistant professor of government. He also has served as acting legal counsel and acting director of personnel.

In his new post he is chief officer for business affairs on all campuses, assuming general executive and coordinating responsibility for the business operations and physical development of the University.

The new statutes also provide that the chief officers shall divide their time between the major campuses and maintain offices with major assistants on each campus.

In announcing the new administrative reassignments and appointments President D. W. Morris said the new functional organization should make possible more efficient planning, review, and operation of the University; result in economies of effort and of money; and enable the University to throw its full resources from all campuses into important programs.

At the same time he voiced deep personal appreciation to both John E. Grinnell and Clarence W. Stephens '33, vice president for operations

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The irrepressible Allan Sherman heads the cast of the Homecoming Show to be held for the first time in the SIU Arena at 8 P.M. Saturday, October 31. The 33rd annual Homecoming will feature beauty, music, comedy, dancing, reunions, movies, football—just an all-around good time for everyone—during the Halloween weekend. Joining Allan Sherman for the stage show will be jazz pianist Dave Brubeck. All seats in the Arena will be reserved seats.

Starting Thursday night, October 29, with coronation of the Homecoming Queen in Shryock Auditorium and ending Sunday night on a more serious note with a seminar, the program offers entertainment for about every taste.

King Football will occupy the spotlight on Saturday afternoon in McAndrew Stadium starting at 1:30, when the Salukis meet the Eagles of North Texas State. Alumni and their guests are invited to gird themselves for the gridiron battle by attending the popular and palatable Homecoming Buffet in the University Center Ballroom between 11 A.M. and 1 P.M.

The Homecoming Parade down University Avenue starts at 9 A.M. with floats, bands, and stunts galore. Living units and academic departments will hold open house and teas following the football game.

The Southern Players will open their 1964 season with Sandy Wilson’s musical comedy, “The Boy Friend,” at 8 P.M. Friday and Saturday in the Southern Playhouse. On Saturday night at 8 the Southern Illinois Symphony will present its annual concert in Shryock Auditorium with cellist Gabor Rejto as guest artist.

Peter Palmer returns to SIU with his orchestra for the stage show on Friday and the Homecoming Dance in the University Center Ballroom on Saturday. Don LeMasters’ orchestra will be in the Roman Room Saturday night.

The Alumni Office has tickets for Homecoming events for all alumni. Fill out the reservation blank below, indicating how many tickets in the box following the event. Make checks or money orders payable to SIU Alumni Association.

### HOMECOMING PROGRAM

**Thursday, October 29**
7:30 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation, Shryock Auditorium

**Friday, October 30**
8:00 P.M. Homecoming Stage Show, Allan Sherman, Arena Homecoming Play, “The Boy Friend,” Southern Playhouse “Probe,” Browne Auditorium Horizons, “Don Quixote,” Davis Auditorium

**Saturday, October 31**
8:00 A.M. Women’s Recreation Association Hockey Game, Park Street Field, followed by brunch in Room 114, Women’s Gym
8:00 A.M. Instructional Materials Club Tea, Morris Library to noon Lounge
9:00 A.M. Homecoming Parade, University Avenue
9:00 A.M. School of Home Economics Coffee, Family Living to noon Lounge
11:00 A.M. Homecoming Buffet, University Center Ballroom to 1:00 P.M.
1:30 P.M. Homecoming Game, SIU vs North Texas State, McAndrew Stadium

After Game School of Business Coffee, Dean Rehn’s Office, 810 South Elizabeth
Male Glee Club Coffee, Altgeld Hall 115
Newman Foundation Coffee and Donut Hour, Newman Foundation
Geology Club Coffee, Agriculture 174
Wesley Foundation Open House, Wesley Foundation; Alumni Dinner and Annual Meeting at 5 P.M.
Iota Lambda Sigma Coffee Hour
Sociology Department Coffee, Sociology Office, 601 West Mill
Student Christian Foundation Coffee at Student Christian Foundation

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### ALUMNI HOMECOMING RESERVATIONS

Name __________________________________________________________
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Enclosed is check or money order made payable to SIU Alumni Association, for $__________ for

**STAGE SHOW, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30**
(indicate how many tickets in box after price you choose)

$3.00 □ $2.00 □ $1.00 □

**DANCE, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31**
$3.50 per couple □

**FOOTBALL GAME, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31**
$3.25 each for reserved seats in Alumni Section □

**PLAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30–31**
Friday night, $1.25 each □ Saturday night, $1.25 each □
Thompson Point Tea, Lentz Hall
4:00 P.M. Sigma Beta Gamma Coffee, Home Economics to 6 P.M. Building Lounge
Alpha Delta Sigma, Sigma Delta Chi, Theta Sigma Phi, Journalism Students Association, Agriculture Seminar Room
8:00 P.M. Symphony Concert, Shryock Auditorium
Homecoming Play, Southern Playhouse
9:00 P.M. Homecoming Dance, Peter Palmer’s Orchestra, to 1 A.M. University Center Ballroom; Don LeMasters’ Orchestra, Roman Room

Sunday, November 1
4:00 P.M. Concert, Shryock Auditorium
7:00 P.M. Creative Insights, “Observations of a Sculptor,” Milton Sullivan, Art Department, Gallery Lounge, University Center
8:30 P.M. Sunday Seminar, “Report on the European Press,” Howard Long, Journalism Department, River Room, University Center

Sports at Southern by Fred Huff

With their openers, both on the road and at home, already behind them, the Saluki gridders travel to Tulsa for a Saturday night game October 3, then play five of their seven remaining 1964 games in McAndrew Stadium before partisan crowds.

Anxious to make a good first impression, despite the rugged schedule, Coach Don Shroyer had high hopes after a most successful spring practice session and start this fall.

Winding up two weeks of gruelling twice-a-day drills prior to their opener at Bowling Green, the Salukis were pronounced “fit and ready” by Shroyer after a one-hour, 45-minute scrimmage session uninterrupted by any time outs or rest periods.

Although hesitant to make any prediction as to the outcome of the season, the former Carmi High School, Millikin University, and St. Louis Football Cardinal coach did say, “We’ve progressed more than I had hoped for and as long as these boys hit like they have been hitting, we’ll win our share of games.”

Surviving the Bowling Green, Louisville, and Tulsa games in the opening weeks of the season, however, is a necessity if the Salukis hope to have much of a chance at posting their first winning season since withdrawal from the Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Conference two years ago.

Only at the two guard and center positions are the Salukis well fortified with reserves, and injuries at any other positions, particularly quarterback, could prove quite damaging.

Jim Hart, last year’s standout signal-caller who passed for a record-breaking 14 touchdowns and 1,041 yards, looks even better this season and has the receivers available in Tom Massey, Bonnie Shelton, and Rudy Phillips to match his 1963 production.


The wide-open pro-type offense being employed by Shroyer has caused unprecedented early interest and is virtually certain of attracting capacity crowds at both the October 10 Shrine game against Fort Campbell and the October 31 Homecoming contest with North Texas State of the Missouri Valley Conference.

Following Homecoming festivities the Salukis play Lincoln University of Jefferson City, Mo., November 7 in one of their few breathers before tackling Toledo November 14 and closing out the campaign at home November 21 when Evansville College calls here.

Just 10 days later, Tuesday, December 1, Coach Jack Hartman’s cagers host Oklahoma State in initiation ceremonies of SIU’s new 10,000-seat Arena. The Cowboys are favorites this season for the Big Eight basketball championship and will provide an early test for Hartman’s veteran squad.

SIU will be represented by four students at the Olympic Games in Tokyo this month. Larry Kristoff, twice NCAA college-division champion and once Amateur Athletic Union champion, is on the U.S. Olympic freestyle wrestling team. Rusty Mitchell, All-American gymnast and twice NCAA tumbling champion, is on the gymnastics team and Dale McClements is on the U.S. Olympic Women’s gymnastics team and Gail Daley on the Canadian Women’s gymnastics team.
Applications Accepted Now for 1965 Enrollment

As more and more colleges and universities restrict enrollment because of limited space and facilities, high school upperclassmen would do well to make early application for admittance to the school of their choice. Here at Southern, University personnel urge high school seniors planning to enter SIU after graduation next year to start making plans and preparations this fall.

They can start now by writing to the Admissions Office, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, advising of intent to enroll and requesting an admission packet, including a General Information Bulletin and a General Studies Bulletin. The Secondary-School Record and the Personnel Information Form are to be completed and returned after November 1 to the Admission Office, which will start accepting admission applications for 1965 at that time.

Admission can be approved on the basis of seven semesters of high school work. If the applicant is a resident of Illinois and ranks in the upper two-thirds of his high school class, he is granted tentative admission at the end of his seventh semester (January, 1965)—provided, of course, that he maintains his rank and graduates. He will be admitted in good standing for any quarter.

If the student is a resident of Illinois and ranks in the lower one-third of his class, he will not be granted admission until he graduates (June, 1965) and then he will be admitted on scholastic probation for the winter, spring, or summer quarters. He could be admitted for the fall quarter if he received a high score on his American College Test.

Out-of-state applicants in the upper 40 per cent of their class will be admitted in good standing for the fall quarter or any quarter. If in the lower 60 per cent, they will be admitted on probation for winter, spring, or summer term—or if they have a high A.C.T. score, for the fall quarter.

All entering freshmen must take the American College Test. This is given nationally four times a year and is usually administered in most high schools or in nearby areas. Dates for the test for 1964–65 are November 7, February 20, April 24, and June 19. Applicants are urged to take the A.C.T. in November or February so that admission and registration can be accomplished early.

After all necessary records have been received and the applicant's eligibility has been determined, the Admissions Office will send him a certificate of admission. Along with this will be a booklet supplying information about testing, advisement, registration, plus instructions for securing complete and detailed information regarding the student work program, financial assistance, counseling, and housing. An appointment card for academic advisement is also included and the student is invited to visit the campus for advisement and advance registration at his earliest convenience.

The Housing Office is accepting applications for University housing after October 1. It will make University housing assignments after the applicant has received his certificate of admission and will mail him a contract next May.

The housing situation on campus is growing brighter all the time. University Park with 1,844 spaces is scheduled for completion next fall. The 17-story Neely Hall for women will be air conditioned. Men will occupy three four-story buildings—Allen Hall, Boomer Hall, and Wright Hall. A Commons Building—with cafeteria, recreation area, snack bar, and guest rooms—will make the park a self-contained community.

The Housing Office also has lists of off-campus housing but does not make arrangements for such facilities. All students under 21, except married students, must live in University-approved, supervised housing.

Entering freshmen are also urged to secure a social security number for permanent means of identification in the electronic system of records at SIU.

Prospective students are invited to write to the Admissions Office with their questions or to stop in on their visit to campus. The earlier the better!