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Robert Mohlenbrock Gets 1978 Great Teacher Award

Robert Mohlenbrock, chairman and professor of botany at SIU, has been named the 1978 winner of the Great Teacher Award presented by the University's Alumni Association.

His selection was announced Oct. 28 at the annual Alumni Recognition Luncheon in conjunction with SIU Homecoming activities. The Great Teacher Award is given annually to honor classroom teaching excellence. The winner is selected by a vote of members of the SIU Alumni Association. Mohlenbrock received a $1,000 cash award and an engraved plaque.

Mohlenbrock was extremely overwhelmed by the honor.

"I've had many satisfying moments in research and watching the Botany Department grow in my 22 years at SIU, but without a doubt, this award represents one of the most cherished moments in my life," he said.

A 46-year-old Murphysboro native, Mohlenbrock joined the faculty as an instructor in 1957. He received his bachelor's degree in 1953, his master's degree from SIU in 1954 and his Ph.D. from Washington University in 1957.

He has been listed in editions of "Outstanding Educators of America" and "World Who's Who in Science.

In addition, he is the chief author and general editor of "Illustrated Flora of Illinois," a multi-volume work on every plant that exists in the state.

Also, Mohlenbrock is the author of 17 books, five booklets and over 180 botany-related articles for technical journals and popular magazines.

As a professor, he has served on 172 master's and 88 Ph.D. committees.

He is married to the former Beverly A. Kling and they have three children.

New Alumni President
Murphy Wants More Members, Societies

His love of Southern Illinois University at Carbondale is quite evident.

A native of Herrin, Jack Murphy, '54, M.S. '57, Ph.D. '71, the SIU-C Alumni Association's new president, has received all three degrees from the University and spent the majority of his life in Southern Illinois.

As assistant superintendent of the Herrin Unit School District since 1968, Murphy has had the opportunity to keep an eye on the growth and expansion of SIU-C.

His pride in the University is reflected in his willingness to be involved in promoting SIU-C through his active participation in the Alumni Association.

Two of his pet projects (continued development of SIU constituent societies and increased alumni association membership) are among his chief goals as president.

"Through increased membership and alumni involvement, it is my goal to continue the organization of other constituent societies," he said.

At present, there are eight constituent societies: Agriculture, Business and Administration, Engineering and Technology, Home Economics, Liberal Arts, Medicine, Science and Technical Careers.

During his tenure as president, Murphy hopes to organize the School of Law and the College of Education (at the department levels) into societies.

In addition, Murphy hopes to follow through with the five-year Goals and Mission program established under past-president Paul Schoen (1975-76) and further developed during the president's terms of Roger Gray (1976-77) and Keith Sanders (1977-78).

Murphy had the opportunity to continue the organization of other constituent societies, which also were approved by the Alumni Board of Directors are: completing Phase II computer programming (adding the alumni's occupation to the computer file); increasing alumni activity in legislative relations; working toward making the Alumni Association self-sufficient; creating a study to determine why SIU alumni do or don't join the Association; identifying alumni for placement assistance; developing more alumni leadership workshops and increasing student activity in the Student Alumni Board.

"Through these goals, the Association hopes to better identify the SIU alumni, their goals, their needs and hopefully increase their involvement in this University," Murphy said.

In addition, three other priorities will be considered during Murphy's reign and they are: recruiting more money for scholarships, updating alumni address files, and increasing alumni membership privileges to include more off-campus services.

He is married to the former Jessie West, '66, M.S. '71, and has two sons.

In addition, the other Alumni Association officers for 1978-79 who were elected at Homecoming are: president-elect, Bill O'Brien '47; vice president, Patrick Mudd '55, M.S. '59; vice president, the Rev. Jack Adams '53; secretary, JoAnn Cunningham Jungers '52; and treasurer, Harold I. Dycus M.S. '65.

O'Brien is the chairman of the SIU-C Recreation Department; the Rev. Adams is the pastor of the Union Methodist Church in St. Louis; Mudd is the superintendent of the Dupo (Ill.) School system; Mrs. Jungers is a vocal music teacher in the Alton Community School system and Dycus is a CPA and co-owner of Dycus and Schmidt in Carbondale.
SIU To Celebrate Einstein's Birthday

Three Nobel Prize-winning physicists will head a contingent of scientists and humanitarians from several nations in paying tribute to the late Albert Einstein during a one-week celebration of the 100th anniversary of Einstein's birth planned for Feb. 23 to March 3 at SIU.

Nobel Laureates P.A.M. Dirac, E.P. Wigner and Murray Gell-Mann are among participants from the United States, Canada, West Germany, Poland, Great Britain, India, Japan and the Soviet Union expected to participate in the Albert Einstein Centennial Celebration.

Wigner, currently Thomas D. Jones Professor of Mathematical Physics at Princeton University, and Dirac, professor of physics at Florida State University, were colleagues of Einstein and collaborated with him on several projects. Gell-Mann is Robert Andrews Millikan Professor of Theoretical Physics at the California Institute of Technology.

The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra is scheduled to open the week-long event with a concert in SIU-C's Shryock Auditorium the evening of Feb. 23. The orchestra will play selections chosen especially for the program.

The concert will be followed by science and philosophy symposia involving several world-renowned scientists and humanitarians. Each of the Nobel laureates will deliver special centennial lectures: Wigner on March 1, Dirac on March 2 and Gell-Mann on March 3.

Among scientists scheduled to participate in the "Symmetries in Science" symposium are A.O. Barut of the University of Colorado; Brian Judd of Johns Hopkins University; E.G.C. Sudarshan of the University of Texas-Austin; L.C. Biendenhour of Duke University; A. Ramakrishan, director of the Institute for Mathematical Sciences in India; A.S. Davidov, director of the Institute for Theoretical Physics of the Ukraniin Academy of Sciences, and R. Raczkew of the Institute of Nuclear Research in Warsaw, Poland.

Several scientific papers will be read for the first time during the symposium. Philosophers Brand Blanshard, Charles Frankel and Charles Hartshorne, and physicist-philosopher Henry Margenau are among those scheduled to participate in the "Albert Einstein's Humanistic Conscience" symposium.

Several award-winning films on Einstein will be shown during the week-long program, which is expected to be the largest Einstein commemorative event held in the United States during 1979.

The Einstein Centennial Celebration is supported by funds from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Illinois Arts Council and General Telephone and Electronics Corp.

Co-chairmen of the Einstein Centennial Celebration planning committee are Paul A. Schlipp, distinguished research professor of philosophy at SIU and editor of the Library of Living Philosophers, and Charles J. Lerner of J.M. Simon & Co. stockbrokers.

Most of the scheduled events will be open to the public.

Law Grads Do Well On Illinois Bar

SIU Law School graduates are passing the bar examination at one of the best rates in the state, according to David C. Johnson, associate dean.

Between 85 and 95 percent of the SIU graduates who take the bar exam pass it — a figure comparable to more established law schools such as the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. Johnson said the SIU law school opened in 1973.

"It's a very good law school that can start off right away competing with the U of I," Johnson said.

Law students must pass the bar exam before they can practice law in Illinois. In the school's first full graduating class (1976) 79 out of 90 passed the bar examination on the first attempt. Of 21 members of the 1978 class who have taken the exam, all but one have passed.

Additionally, SIU law students are quite successful in passing bar exams in other states, Johnson said.

The SIU School of Law, with 258 students, has the smallest enrollment of the nine accredited law schools in Illinois. The student-faculty ratio of 15 to 1 is one of the most favorable in the nation, according to Johnson.

Law graduates who fail the bar examinations generally are those who have not participated in an intensive review beforehand or who were involved in too many outside activities during their final year of law school, Johnson said.

A student-run review offered by the Bar Review Institute (BRI) is conducted to help students pass the exam. The law school itself is not involved in conducting the review, but does provide space for students.

Flying Salukis Win Regional

Southern's Flying Salukis, two-time defending National Intercollegiate Flying Association (NIFA) champions, earned another trip to the national finals recently by winning the Region VIII NIFA air meet.

The team, led by meet individual champion Dale Dietz of Rockford, outpointed nine other teams to win the regional. The Flying Salukis earned 127 points to 115 points for runner-up Parks College of Cahokia and 73 points for third-place Univ. of Illinois at Urbana.

Middle Tennessee State finished fourth and Lewis University of Lockport finished fifth. Other teams competing included Belleville Areas College, Culver (Mo.) Military Academy, Vincennes (Ind.) Univ., and 12 other teams.

Yes, Bob Dylan really did play at Homecoming 1978. And there were 10,373 fans at the SIU Arena as witnesses. (Photo by Mike Gibbons)

Flying Salukis lost 14-13 to Northern III. and lots of fun for the largest crowd ever at McAndrew Stadium (18,489).
Researchers Receive Over Four Million

SIU faculty researchers set a couple of records in October. They took in more than $4 million in grants and contracts for research and training projects and submitted a record number of projects for funding by outside agencies.

Totals compiled by the University's Office of Research Development and Administration indicate the $4,082,746 total of grants received in October from federal, state and private agencies is the highest month on record.

It brings the total external funding by SIU faculty members during the current fiscal year—which began in July—to just over $4.6 million.

In addition, faculty members submitted a record 78 projects to outside agencies for funding in October. The previous high (57) was reached in October, 1977.

Frank Horton, vice president for academic affairs, said October's record intake of outside funds is recognition of the high caliber of SIU's faculty.

"It speaks very well of our faculty," Horton said. "It means they are able to address a number of problems and areas in which they have outstanding expertise."

Among substantial grants received in October were:

- A contract with the Agency for International Development (AID) to train teachers in Nepal ($2.2 million).
- A grant from the Eye Institute of the National Institutes of Health to study a protein in the eye and how it affects vision ($236,000).
- Another contract with AID to train Egyptian business executives in the latest management techniques ($729,902).
- Federal funds for scholarships and fellowship programs administered by SIU's Coal Extration and Utilization Research Center ($160,000).
- The first installment of federal funds for a new Illinois Mining and Mineral Resources Research Institute at SIU ($110,000).
- A Public Health Service support for SIU's School of Technical Careers training programs in allied health careers specialties ($105,472).

Artifacts To Decorate SU Restaurant

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Also, the trustees approved a tentative budget for $62,500 for the second phase of the renovation. Costs for the entire project will be paid from the Student Center's regular operating budget.

Earlier this year, the Alumni Association board of directors approved the transfer of $245,000 to the Student Center "Old Main" renovation project. The funds were contributed by SIU alumni at the time of the Old Main fire.

1980 Budget Request Up 14 Percent

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale will ask the Illinois Board of Education to recommend a 14 percent operating increase for the budget year that begins July 1, 1980.

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Ms. Allen is a doctoral student in the SIU Higher Education Department. She received her bachelor's degree in sociology and English from Central Missouri State University in 1976 and her master's from CMSU in 1978.

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In addition, he has served on the Evansville Police Service Commission since 1974; was the financial officer for the Evansville Youth Service Corp., and from 1971 until 1973 taught the principles of marketing and management at the Univ. of Evansville (night division), the Univ. of Kentucky and Henderson Community College from 1966 until 1972.

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Currently, there are 20 elected alumni board members from around the country plus two student representatives. A list of the full board can be found elsewhere in the Alumni.

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Find the Right Job for You

Let us help you find the right job.

The SIU Career Planning and Placement Center (CPPC) in cooperation with the SIU Alumni Association has designed an off-campus Job Search Workshop just for you.

This year the workshops will be held in Carbondale (Jan. 13) and Springfield (Feb. 17).

At the workshops, CPPC job specialists will concentrate on the following: setting long term career goals; identifying job targets; conducting a job search; learning market survey techniques; perfecting resume writing; writing effective cover letter; making phone contacts; testing job interviewing skills and techniques and getting job vacancy information.

Fall Enrollment Same as 1977

Fall enrollment at the University was 22,549, almost the same as last year.

The figures represent a net increase of about a dozen students overall according to B. Kirby Browning, director of SIU admissions and records.

Actual enrollment on the main campus dropped by 485 from 21,144 in 1977 to 20,659 this fall. But off-campus enrollment at residence centers and military bases went up from 1,393 to 1,809, a gain of 416.

Alumni Insurance Tops $9 Million

As of Nov. 1, the Alumni Association's Group Term Life Insurance program carries coverage for 738 SIU alumni and their dependents.

Currently, the total volume of life insurance in force is $9,635,000 according to Robert Odaniell, executive director of the Alumni Association.

The program, initiated last spring, received over 560 applications during the charter period which closed June 30.

Stand-by Available For Alumni Cruise

The SIU Caribbean cruise advertised in the September Alumnus was sold out within two weeks, according to Robert Odaniell, executive director of the Alumni Association.

"Voyage to the Islands of the Sun," set for Jan. 6-13, 1979, included eight fun-filled days of cruising the Caribbean and stops at four island ports of call: Cozumel, Mexico; Grand Cayman Island; Ocho Rios, Jamaica and the Berry Islands, Bahamas.

For persons interested, the Association is still taking reservations in case of any cancellations.

Additionally, the Association is trying to secure additional cabin space. If you are interested, contact the Alumni Office (618) 453-2408 immediately.

Wrestlers Look for Improvement

Linn Long's wrestlers have suffered through two successive losing seasons, but a crop of young and talented newcomers could help turn that all around in 1978-79.

Long has added seven topnotch freshmen to the Saluki stable, six of whom were state high school champions during their career. The seventh newcomer was one of the main cogs of a state championship team, so all seven show signs that they may be able to help out right away.
**Basketball Salukis May Face Illinois In 1983 Champaign Classic**

The SIU basketball Salukis recently signed a contract to play in the Fighting Illini Basketball Classic in 1983. It opens the door for a possible first basketball meeting ever between SIU and Illinois.

In addition to the Salukis and the host, two other schools will be named to participate in the December 16-17, 1983 tournament at Assembly Hall in Champaign.

**Recognition Game Set for Jan. 13**

A doubleheader is being planned for SIU alumni Saturday, Jan. 13, 1979.

Alumni will be able to improve job search skills in an all-day workshop slated for 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at Quigley Hall (formerly the Home Ec Building). For more details see story in Alumni.

Alumni will be able to watch the Salukis take on New Mexico State in the fourth annual Alumni Recognition Basketball Game at 7:35 p.m. in the SIU Arena.

Each year the Alumni Association and the SIU Athletic Department set aside one basketball game for the alumni and their families to express appreciation for their support to SIU and the athletic program.

Tickets to the Alumni Recognition Game may be purchased by writing the Alumni Office, Faner Hall, Room 3279, SIU, Carbondale, Ill. 62901. Alumni and members of their families may purchase the tickets for $1.00 each. Make your check payable to the SIU Athletics and enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Orders will be returned to you starting Dec. 1. Tickets also will be available at a special window at the Arena the night of the game.

Plan to join us now! The 1978-79 version of the SIU Basketball Salukis looks like it could be one of the best teams in the history of the University. Playboy magazine rated SIU as a darkhorse to reach the top 20 teams in the country in pre-season pickings.

In addition, there will be a social get-together following the game at the Carbondale Elks Club sponsored by the Saluki Athletic Club. All alumni are invited.

Plan to join us now!!

**All-American Meet Set for Jan. 20**

Eighteen of the top collegiate All American women gymnasts from the West, Midwest and East will gather at the SIU Arena Jan. 20, 1979 for the Collegiate Classic...“All-Americans All”, a sports-entertainment event that will focus on the talent and glamour of the collegiate women.

The 18 All Americans will be placed in three competitive teams representative of the geographic location of their home universities. The three teams, carrying the All American designation of Red, White and Blue will be coached by Lynn Rogers of California State University-Fullerton serving the Red team, Delap was honored as the oldest alumni on hand at this year’s Homecoming. (Photo by Don Preisler).
SIU Gridders Roar to Winning 7-4 Season

The 1978 season was one of streaks and promise for SIU's football team. After opening the season with a disappointing 38-14 loss at Drake, the Salukis roared back to win four straight games (their longest winning streak since 1969-70). Then they lost three in a row before a 28-7 win at Indiana State ended their Missouri Valley Conference season at 3-2.

Wins over Marshall Univ. (15-14) and Southwestern Louisiana (10-9) assured the Salukis of their second winning season in three years under head coach Rey Dempsey a remarkable accomplishment considering SIU's record of 1-8-1, 3-7-1, 2-9, and 1-9-1 in the four years preceding Dempsey's arrival.

As much as anything else, though, 1978 saw the emergence of several young stars who bespeak a bright future for SIU football.

What a Team!

Gottfried Inherits Favorite

by Tom Simons
Sports Information Director

A proverbial monkey has been placed on the back of first-year Saluki basketball coach Joe Gottfried.

And he's looking forward to taking care of it.

Not only have the coaching fraternity and the media of the Missouri Valley Conference selected the Salukis to win the 1979 Valley title, but Playboy has rated SIU in preseason pickings as a darkhorse to break into the college's top 20 teams.

To a young coach who has just made the jump from Division II to Division I basketball, the added pressure could be a little uncomfortable, but the 38-year-old Gottfried prefers to look at it positively.

"We could either sit back and rest on those preseason laurels, or we can go out and prove everybody right. It's up to us to live up to it," said Gottfried, who came to SIU last May after five successful years at Ashland (Ohio) College.

Virtually everyone from the team that came within a sprained ankle of winning the Valley title last year is returning. The late Paul Lambert's last SIU team got off to a slow 5-6 start, but then won 12 of their next 14 to set up a season finale against Creighton with the teams tied for the MVC lead.

In a win over Bradley two nights before that game, however, All-MVC forward Gary Wilson, the Salukis' leading scorer (19.0) and rebounder (7.5) sprained an ankle and couldn't play against the Bluejays.

SIU lost that game, 62-56, but Gottfried hopes his young players may be able to help us down the road, but there's not too much experience on the bench just yet.

Preceding Dec. 16, 1978, Gottfried could come up with a very big part of the solutions to those problems.

Richard Ford, a 6-5 starter on SIU's 1977 Valley champs, could become academically eligible at the end of the first semester. The jump-jack from Birmingham, Ala., averaged 10.9 points and 7.1 rebounds for the 22-7 Salukis of two years ago. If he licks his academic wounds, he'll become eligible for the Dec. 16 game at Virginia Commonwealth.

Hired late, Gottfried missed nearly all of last year's recruiting, but 6-2 guard Lawrence Stubbiefield could help the bench. Other reserves that Gottfried hopes will develop quickly are: 6-7 sophomore Charles Moore, 6-7 senior Dan Kieszkowski and 6-5 sophomore Jac Clift. Another player with promise, 6-4 Bob Middleton, could become eligible at the semester break with satisfactory first-term grades.

Another unexpected source of depth could be 26-year-old Compton Hinds, a junior exchange student in agriculture from Guyana (formerly British Guiana), a small nation on the Caribbean coast of South America. With some experience in international basketball, his offensive skills are still limited, but at 6-10, he could develop into an "intimidator" and become a valuable spot player.

1978-79 SIU Basketball Team


Seated: Dan Kieszkowski, Barry Smith, Bob Middleton, Jac Clift, Milton Huggins, Wayne Abrams, Richard Ford, Gary Wilson, Al Grant. (SIU photographic services photo.)
Early 1900's

J. Paul DeLapp '08 is retired and lives in Norris City, Ill.
Ray Means Cook '15, recently celebrated his 82nd birthday. Cook has been retired since 1970. Prior to that he had been executive vice-president and president of the Ottawa (Ill.) National Bank since its organization in 1953. He and his wife, Helen, live in Ottawa.

Mary Frances Hammad Kent '18 is the owner and co-partner of the Norris Funeral Home in Anna, Ill.

Royal Barth '29 is retired and lives in Claye, Ill.

Marion Jordan '20 is the director of Towering Pines, a camp for boys and Woodland, a camp for girls. He and his wife, Katie ex '29, live in Palatine, Ill.

Fairis Eikins Boling '22 is a retired elementary school teacher who lives in Anna, Ill.

Evelyn L. Kieck '22 is retired and lives in Hantou, Ill. She taught 28 years at SIU before retiring in 1959.

Dilla Hall '24, '22-2 is a retired teacher who lives in Marion, Ill. He taught math and science at SIU (1924-44).

Marian Virginia Telford Zuech '23-2 is a retired teacher and lives in Salem, Ill.

Otho E. Eaton '27, '23-2 retired from school administration in 1952. He formerly was the superintendent of schools at Paris, Ill., where he still lives.

Alice B. Foster Kingerly '27, '23-2 is enjoying her retirement in Phoenix, Ariz.

30's

Wm. Raymond Etherton '30, '25-2, is retired and lives in Northbrook, Ill., with his wife, Bernice Blackett Etherton '30. Formerly, he was a teacher and administrator in Northbrook and once was the assistant cook Co. Supt. of Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. Rushing '49, '51 (Carolyn Miller Rushing '60, '74) Herrin, Ill.

Individual Life

Mr. James A. Anderson '69 McLeansboro, Ill.

Mr. James E. Cooper '61 Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Michaela C. Cronin '68 Fargo, N.D.

Mr. Walter M. Deluca '69 Cranston, R.I.

Dr. William L. Farmer '62, '67 Pinckneyville, Ill.

Lt. Col. Richard E. Fred '57 Scott AFB, Ill.

Miss Nancy A. Genisio '57 DuQuoin, Ill.

Mrs. Herbet Greten '64, '72 (Lorene K. Greten) Nashville, Ill.

Life Members

Family Life Memberships

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Burton '58 (Jacqueline Jean Sanders '57) Mountain AFB, Id.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth V. Buzzbee '61 (Betty Hiller Buzzbee '66, '72) Makanda, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Clements '65 (Jo Ann Siebe '68) Belleville, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Glasshagel '69 (Kathi Lou Poppe '69) Wheaton, Ill.

Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Hediger '63 (Charlotte D. Hediger ex '78) Carlyle, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. McGinnis '67, '69 (Mary Kathryn McGinnis '69) Makanda, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Mifflin '51, '59 (Jo Ann Siebe '68) Marion, Ill.

E. D. Hediger '63, '69, was executive vice-president and president of the Ottawa (Ill.) National Bank since its organization in 1953. He and his wife, Helen, live in Ottawa.

Mary Frances Hammad Kent '18 is the owner and co-partner of the Norris Funeral Home in Anna, Ill.

Royal Barth '29 is retired and lives in Claye, Ill.

Marion Jordan '20 is the director of Towering Pines, a camp for boys and Woodland, a camp for girls. He and his wife, Katie, ex '29, live in Palatine, Ill.

Fairis Eikins Boling '22 is a retired elementary school teacher who lives in Anna, Ill.

Evelyn L. Kieck '22 is retired and lives in Hantou, Ill. She taught 28 years at SIU before retiring in 1959.

Dilla Hall '24, '22-2 is a retired teacher who lives in Marion, Ill. He taught math and science at SIU (1924-44).

Marian Virginia Telford Zuech '23-2 is a retired teacher and lives in Salem, Ill.

Otho E. Eaton '27, '23-2 retired from school administration in 1952. He formerly was the superintendent of schools at Paris, Ill., where he still lives.

Alice B. Foster Kingerly '27, '23-2 is enjoying her retirement in Phoenix, Ariz.
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Archie J. Bradford '60 is the director of human resources in the South Bend (Ind.) Community School Corp. His wife, Mariejo Harris Bradford '57, is a team teacher of grade five at Kennedy School in South Bend, Ind. The Bradfords attended Alumni Family Camp at Little Grassy Lake this summer.

Jaye Rasmussen Day '60 is the president of Sturgeon Interiors. She and her husband, Charles, and their two children live in Wisconsin.

Ben S. Fitcher '60, MSED '61, of Steger, Ill., is the new superintendent of schools of the Amboy Community Unit School District No. 272.

E. Max Malone '60, MS '61 recently retired as president of a small computer firm. He also is an investor and orange farmer in San Clemente, Calif. He and his wife, Sonnie Unger '58, want all friends to write and renew friendships. You can write the Malones at 501 E. San Juan, San Clemente, Calif.

Mary Dysc Ryan '60 is now teaching K-

6 general music and voice at the Ottawa Public Schools. She and her husband, Ed, live in Ottawa, Ill.

1961

Howard Beate of Claremont, Calif., represented the Alumni Association Sept. 22 at an SIU military base commencement at the MAC NCO-CU Camp Auditorium at the Norton Air Force Base.

Joan K. Coleman Pape MSED '61 is a Ti-

tle I Coordinator in the Marion, III. school system. She lives in Marion.

John Michael Reich was elected presi-

dent of the National Bank of Sarasota. His wife, Judy E. Richardson '62 is a second vice at Governors State University in Chicago.

Robert T. Sleeeman is the business man-

ager of BDDO Ad Agency in Troy, Mich. He came to BDDO recently to ad-

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Laddie Michael Brez is an education specialist for the U.S. Army in Detroit, Mich.

Jerald G. Howell is the business man-

ager of the Holiday Inns of Carbon-

dale and Marion, Ill. He and his wife and two sons live in Cartherville, Ill.

Jerald K. Macanese received her master's degree in education from St. Cloud State Un-

d., in St. Cloud, Minn. She and her hus-

band, Richard '62, live in Elk River, Minn.

John (Jack) M. Lambakis '63 is the presi-

dent of Quick Skip, a diving service and

launderies, in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mary Kay Crouch Tarryrell recently was the outstanding graduating student at Cal State Univ.-Long Beach, Cal., where she received her master's degree in English Literature. She currently is teaching com-

position at the University.

Larry K. (Wags) Wagner M.S. '67 is the assistant manager for the Wagners'

firm's Silver Spring, Md., headquarters.

Wesley G. Stellhorn is the sales manager for Randolph Service Co. in Sparta, III. He lives in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mildred “Mimi” Rosenbaum Wallace represented SIU at the inauguration of the first president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific. Mrs. Wallace is the president of the Los Angeles (Cal.) SIU Alumni Club.

Audrey M. Gerrett is a travel agent for the Travel Shop. She lives in Brookfield, Ill.

1962

Frank Borelli '62 (MSED) recently was named Dean of Student Affairs and Ser-

vices at Governors State University in South Bend, Ind. He was the director of student activities at St. John's College in Palatine, Ill. For the nine years prior to that, he was an assistant director of student activities at William Rainey Harmon College in Palatine, Ill. For the next years prior to that, he was an assistant director of student activities under Harper's Director of Student Activities.

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Therefore assuming his position at Harper, he administered student service programs for Remedial State College in Bemidji, Minn., and for the State University College at Buffalo, N.Y.

Alexander J. Caputo is the president of the Ye Olde Travel Shoppe. Inc. He and his wife, Sandra Hornung Caputo '64, and their three children live in Altamonte Springs, Fl.

Rev. Paul E. Clark M.A. '65 recently completed his Ph.D. at the Univ. of Ill. He is the president of Clark Musical Production and Music Publishing (BMI) of Chicago.

William L. Clark is a teacher in the San

Diego (Cal.) School District. He and his wife, Barbara Jett '65, and a son live there.

Asenath Dixon is a social worker for United Charities in Chicago.

Jo Anne Zelinka Linewearer lives in Evansville, Ill., with her husband and two children.

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Major James R. Skokan is a com-

munication officer in the U.S. Air Force. He and his wife, Nancy Peyton Skokan '65 live in Omaha, Neb., with their two children.

Major James D. Weldman has entered the Armed Forces Staff College at North-

classified. For Rev. Albert E. Schnepp, Jr. is the associate pastor of the 1st United Methodist Church of Waukegan, Ill., where he lives with his wife.

Glen Richard Wankel, M.S. '68, is an assistant manager of Forestry Ser-

vice. He and his wife and son live in Ken-

ton, Mich.

Major Thomas F. Wunschlich MSED '72 recently was promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Air Sta-

tion, Yuma, Ariz.

1963

Sharon A. Burian Fisher teaches secretarial science at a junior college in Elgin. Her husband, Gerald U. '66, MBA his wife, Judy, was a computer analyst for a Chicago firm. Sharon and her sister-in-law attended Alumni Family Camp this summer.

Gerard W. Griesel is a physician partner in the Dolores (Colo.) Medical Associa-

tion. Sue Van Camp Griesel, his wife, and two sons live in Dolores.

David H. Swartwout is a teacher and direc-
	or in the Black Horse Pike Regional School District. He and his wife live in Blackwood, N.J.

When William Johnson recently was promoted to agriculture division chairman at Blackhawk Technical Institute. He and his wife, Tana, live in Edgerton, Wisc.

Paul J. Thurston is a senior financial analyst for U.S. Gypsum Co. He lives in Chicago.

Ellyn Stella Messersmith MSED '76 teaches fourth grade at Washington School in Benton, Ill., while her husband, Gary '66 MSED '76, teaches art at Benton High School. They attended Alumni Family Camp this summer.

J. Thomas Montgomery, Jr. is the audit principal with Arthur Young and Co. in Dallas, Tex. His wife, Nancy Vincent Montgomery '67, holds grade.

Karl Rodabaugh M.S. '71 recently was promoted to assistant professor of history at East Carolina University in Greenville, N.C. Also, he is working on his doctorate at University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill.

Robert L. Truitt Ph.D. '72 recently was named a Scholar of the Leukemia Society of America. The five-year, $100,000 award was given to Truitt because of his ability to carry out original research bearing on leukemia and allied disorders. Currently, he is a senior scientist at the Winter Research Laboratory of the Mount Sinai Medical Center, Milwaukee, Wisc.

1964

Stephen A. Cernovich M.A. '71, Ph.D. '75 is a staff biologist at the Ecology of Bowling Green State University. His wife, Judy K. Rice '68, teaches special education in North Baltimore, Ohio. Their first child, Ernest D., was born July 26, 1978. The couples lives in Bowling Green, Oh.

Lawrence L. Baker, Jr. is a Title I reading instructor in Chicago.

Michael A. Genova, Jr. is the vice presi-
dent and general manager of the Oswego County Dist. Co. Inc. He and his wife and daughter live in Volunteers.

Lucile Mills Curry is a special educa-

tion teacher in the Shawnee Elementary School District No. 111., III., with her husband and two children.

Anthony J. Marsh is a field service engineer for Bucyrus-Erie. He lives in Las Cruces, N.M.

Lawrence Edson Marshall MBA is a financial analyst for Ford Tractor Opera-

tion, Ford Motor Co. He and his wife, Betty, live in Detroit, Mich., and in Grose Ville, Mich. They attended the Alumni Family Camp this summer.

Allan D. Paton M.S. '70, Ph.D. '77 is a teacher for children with reading disabilities at the Winter Research Laboratory of the Mount Sinai Medical Center, Milwaukee, Wisc.

1965

Martin A. (Tony) Hitt has been promoted to senior vice president of the Associates Commerce Corp. He is responsible for all accounting and control functions, and his wife, Jaqueline, live in Flossmoor, Mo.

John T. Kraska MBA '63 is the assistant vice president for American Express. He and his wife live in Palatine, Ill.

George E. McLean MBA '73 recently was promoted to management analyst for Revlon. He and his wife, Julia Ayers, moved from Nashville, Tenn., to Baldwin, Mo.

Michael S. Medlin is a tool and die design engineer for Chrysler Die Cast. He and his wife and twin sons live in Green-

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Robert Christian Wibols-Feuger was married to Elizabeth E. Jung Wibols. Moved from Wyant, Ill., to Peoria. He is a counselor supervisor for the Guardian Angel Home.

Keith Eugee Drayton M.S. recently moved from West Frankfort, Ill., to Yp­ianti, Mich., to teach junior high school vocal music in the Belleville, Mich., school system. The last five years he taught at Reed Lake College in Ila, III., where he met his bride and singing partner. They were married June 22, 1978.

Ray and Shirley Arnold have a son who is in the Navy. He lives in Chicago.

Brenda Unland M.M. is an instructor of voice at Luther College in Luther, la.

George Oberndorf is a certified public accountant who lives with his wife, Lee, in Westhinghouse. He lives in Richland, Wash.

Patricia Ann Owens M.A., M.S. had a book review published in a recent issue of The Christian Science Monitor. She is a counselor in the Coal Mining Technology Center in Virden, Ill. She lives in Godfrey.

Larry J. Sisco is an assistant manager at the First National Bank branch office in Battle Creek, Mich.

Marita A. Smith is a supervisor at the University of Illinois Health Service in Champaign, Ill.

Haywood Wilson Ph.D. represented SIU at the dedication of the sixth­ hundred Catholic Student Center at Altus AFB, Okla. 1st Lt. Edward J. Condon STC, B.S. and 1st Lt. Robert C. Cantucci STC, B.S. both reported for duty at the Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station in Santa Ana, Cal. Anton S. Harris is an industrial engineer for John Deere. He lives in Cedar Falls, la.

Deborah L. Hill is a teacher in the Tri­ Co Special Education District.

Benedict Gruszczyn is a boy for Union Tank Car. He lives in Chicago.

The U.S. Air Force has promoted Philip W. Marshall, Jr. to the rank of lieutenant colonel. Currently, he is serving as a C-5 Galaxy airfoil pilot at Altus AFB, Okla. Peter J. Ollie is an administrator of services staff assistant for the Arthur Anderson Co. He lives in Tampa, Fla. Also, he recently received his MBA from the University of Kentucky.
Paul Parker is a law student at John Marshall Law School. He lives in Lincolnwood.

Dana L. Perrine teaches in the Marion III. She lives in Algonquin.

David R. Sayers is a staff accountant for Ernst and Ernst. He lives in Park Ridge.

Kathleen L. Sedik is a waitress at the Bench in Murphysboro, Ill. She lives in Algonquin.

Patrick G. Vatling ex STC is a project technician for Gutz K. Newburg Construction Co. He lives in Lockport, Ill.

Robert J. Zindrick is a marketing representative for Xerox Corporation. He lives in Downers Grove, Ill.

Marriages


Edward E. Bishop of Chicago, to Anne Ellsperman ’73 of Carbondale, June 3, 1978 in Carbondale. They now live in Desoto, Ill.

Sue Francisco ’75 of Johnston City, III. to John Klatt ’73 of Alton, Ill. They were married in the Christ Community Church of Johnston City, June 17, 1978 in Johnston City. They now live in Clayton, Mo.


Elaine M. Henderson ’70 to Mikkel T. Miskell ’71, June 17, 1978 in Carterville, Ill., where they now live.

Dorothy L. Pinion to Harriet Zeiter ’72, April 2, 1978 in Miami, Fla., where they now live.

Harvey Ott, Jr., ’71 to Deborah Sue Katherine June, Sept. 23, 1977 in Cumblerland, Wis. They now live in Highland Park, Ill.


Thomas Woolard to Mary Elizabeth Paul, March 9, 1978 in Mt. Vernon, Ill. They now live in West Frankfort, Ill.

Deaths

Lee A. Russell ’2-2 of Salinas, Cal., died Jan. 17, 1978, in California, Calif. He had been ill only a few weeks. Mr. Russell moved to Salinas in 1969, after his retirement after 33 years of law practice in Chicago. His wife, Hazel Perry ’18-2, also retired at that time as a principal of a Chicago high school. She survives as well as a son.

Robert Frederick Kimmel ’2-2 of DesSoto, died Sept. 11, 1978, at the St. Joseph Hospital, in Murphysboro, Ill. He was a retired teacher for rural Jackson County and Desoto schools. He is survived by his wife, Myra, and two sons.


Inez McCleland ’2-2 of Murphysboro, died July 30, 1978, at Memorial Hospital in Carbondale. Mrs. Weig was a retired school teacher, having taught in the Oraville area schools. She is survived by her husband, Adolph, a daughter, son and one brother.

Charles David Pilarski ’2-2 of Dupo, Ill., died July 29, 1978. He was a retired teacher and former assistant principal at Dupe High School. He is survived by his wife, two sons (Brady and Kyle) and a daughter.

Lloyd V. Mitchell of Tuscon, Ariz., died June 13, 1978. For many years he was chief of the Aerospace Sciences Division for the USAF Environmental Technical Application Center in Washington, D.C. He was an alumni club board member and officer of the Washington, D.C. SIU Alumni Club. He was a native of Marion, Ill. Survivors include his wife, Thelma Gregory ’43 and two children.

Clyde E. Crosin died July 30, 1978, at the Sparta (III.) Community Hospital, after a brief illness. Resident of Sparta, Mr. Crosin was the former owner and operator of the Crosin Holby Shop in Carbondale for many years. More recently he was in the art teaching system. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, two brothers and a sister.

Carl H. Kuchen of St. Louis Obispo, Cal., a former West Frankfort, Ill. school teacher, died Aug. 19, 1978, in the St. Vincent’s Hospital in Los Angeles, Cal. He taught school in West Frankfort for 18 years until 1954 when he moved to California and taught for 19 years. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, mother, three brothers and one sister.

J. Frank Hughy of Mt. Vernon, Ill., died Jan. 25, 1978, in the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Rockford, Ill. He had retired in 1972 as principal of the Dr. Andy Hall School in Mt. Vernon. He spent over 45 years in schools of Jefferson County (III.). He is survived by his wife, Theresa Croslin and their four children.

Laverne Bridges Hess of Indianapolis, Ind., died in April, 1977.

Charles William Gray of Collinsville, Ill., Aug. 16, 1978, was an accountant at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. He is survived by his wife, James M. Kennedy of Lenox, Mo., Aug. 9, 1977.

Sharon O. Farmer Willis died Aug. 3, 1977, in Columbia, Mo., after an extended illness. She had been a professor of Library Science at the Univ. of Missouri for 11 years. Her husband, Carl ’60, and two children survive.

Connie Sue Dunn was found dead in her car May 26, 1978, outside of her home in Murphysboro, Ill. She formerly taught at the Murphysboro High School and was the owner of MeMahon and Dunn Interiors in Murphysboro. She is survived by her husband, Larry, a son and daughter, her parents, a brother and a sister.

Linda Lee Fletcher VTI died Feb. 11, 1978, in Mtatoo, Ill. She had lived in Arcola, Ill. She was a dental hygienist.

Patricia Louise Hawkins died June 15, 1978, in her home in Sparta, Ill., after a long illness. Survivors include her husband, a son and a daughter, her mother and two sisters.

Willa Dearmo Towler of Houston, Texas, died July 9, 1978, at the Jewish Hospital in St. Louis. Mrs. Towler had taught 20 years at Pinckneyville Junior High before she retired. She is survived by her mother, a daughter and two sons.

James Michael Burris of Metropolis, Ill., died Dec. 16, 1977, in a car crash. He was a supervis­or at Allied Chemical in Metropolis. He is survived by his wife, Sharon S. Johnson Burris M.S. ’76.

Vera Lane Sutherland M.A. died July 22, 1978, at Billings Hospital in Chicago. She was named the 1967 Student of the Year by the Hadley School in 1967 and in 1976 was first runner-up in the Miss Wheelchair Illinois contest.

John Frederick Wimmer of W. Point, Neb., was killed in a motorcycle accident April 14, 1977, in Iowa City, Iowa, while attending law school at the University of Iowa.