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First black to win

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Secondly, he'll travel to Africa in late spring to investigate grant possibilities from Third World countries.

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A sharp promoter couldn’t have handpicked a better model to epitomize the essence of Saluki spirit and enthusiasm. If there is such a person, Pat Cook Hunsaker of Belleville, newly elected president of the SIUC Alumni Association, surely would qualify.

Her qualifications include 15 relatives with degrees from the University, plus a husband with three SIUC degrees. Add her own (a bachelor’s in speech and a master’s in theater) and you have a pretty potent promotional package.

So last month, Pulliam’s father, the late Roscoe Pulliam, during Homecoming festivities, invited Mrs. Hunsaker to take over the association’s leadership reins from Robert Pulliam, who grew up in Zeigler (she grew up in Zeigler) and is the manager of research planning at the University. He is past president of the Missouri Communication Teacher of the Year Award recipient at Murray State University, served a term on the radio-television faculty at SIUC from 1959 to 1964, when he received his Ph.D. from the University. He was Kentucky Communication Teacher of the Year in 1977 and received the International Radio-TV Society Teacher Award for three consecutive years. He has served as director and president of the Murray State University Alumni Association.

Butts, a two-degree SIUC graduate, is the director of Title III programs for the U.S. Department of Education in Washington, D.C. He was appointed to the post in August after having served seven years as president of the St. Clair County Educational Region. He is a 1975 graduate of SIUC.

Mrs. Jungers, who has been the Association’s secretary since 1975, is a vocal music teacher in the Alton elementary school system. She is a 1952 graduate of SIUC.

Bowen, a 1976 SIUC graduate, is the assistant director of research and Development and Services at SIUC. He and his wife, Sandra, have two daughters, Jessica and Jennifer.

Finally, she would like to see if there is a need to develop a network of continuing education programs so that alumni who are scattered about the country might pick up credits for advanced degrees from SIUC.

It all seems possible to Mrs. Hunsaker, but she stressed the need for more alumni participation.

“Now is the time for your imput,” she said. “I hope more alumni will become involved in providing direction for the Alumni Association.”

Mrs. Hunsaker is quite busy herself. She teaches English to Hispanic adults in the St. Clair County Educational Region. Until last June, she had served six years as director of the Belleville Area College program in English as a Second Language. She and her husband, who heads the speech and theater department at Belleville West High School, have three children, Richard K., 22, Benjamin, 19, and Rachel, 14. She is the daughter of Ray and Helen Cook. Her late father was the president of the Bank of Zeigler for many years.

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It's hardly a way to start an ideal day... even a Friday. Being awakened in the middle of the night by the telephone ringing... learning that your 93-year-old mother, seemingly recovering from a two-week-old broken hip operation, has taken a sudden turn downward and is in "guarded condition.

Harried to the office to kick out an already overdue column for the Alumnus prior to taking on St. Elizabeth Hospital in Danville some 220 miles away.

Athletes, even at the lofty intercollegiate level at which SIUC's Salukis operate, might be running on a poor third, fourth or fifth.

Sleepless morning hours obviously produced many thoughts. Among them were those of early—real early—childhood days when Mom would excitedly call me into the room with only the radio in to hear the band playing "The Notre Dame Victory March." At halftime.

A rare all-members-of-the-family trip to Champaign to see the University of Illinois host Notre Dame was the first college football I ever saw. It was the result of Mom's love for the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame. Seems like it was 1958; possibly a game repeated for Bob's 25th season at the U of I.

Can't remember who won, but the program is a treasure among my many sports souvenirs and the game, as far as I can remember, was the last football game we saw together.

Although barely a sports fanatic, Mom has retained a passing interest during all these years and still inquires about Notre Dame... and the Salukis.

She knows quite well who Gale Sayers is and what he stands for. She, likewise, is acquainted with SIUC's present leader Lew Hartzog and football coach HerbByteArray and can relate her personal thoughts on each of them and her stories about all three.

Practically blind, yes. But unable to sense greatness is other human beings—never. She still asks about all three because she knows they all appreciate and admire her. In turn, shares her feelings.

She'll never forget the Sayre-Bryan Piccolo story. She has extreme respect for a three-sport trackling shooting star in trackster Mike Hartog. And, great admiration for Dempsey's determination to guide young men to victories on a football field, but at the same time, remind them that there are more important things in life.

Athletes. There is a definite need and place for such activities in life, I believe, as long as everything is placed in proper perspective. It's provided common ground for me and my mother, although it may be taking something for granted. I can't help but think the same is true for thousands and thousands of athletes, coaches and others involved in intercollegiate sports.

The last thing she said to me as I was leaving her hospital room to rejoin Dempsey and the Salukis prior to the SIUC-Eastern Illinois game was, "You keep your chin up, son."

We didn't, but that's one of the beautiful things about sports... sometimes you may lose a battle or two and still wind up being an all-time winner. Mom may lose this particular battle she's facing now, too, but she won the big one a long time ago and there's no doubt in my mind she'll hear the "...Victory March" anytime you desire.

Sorry, I didn't plan on discussing emotion and revealing such personal thoughts, but it ties together with some other things that are occurring around SIUC, and in my life in general.

I received a nice note from Glenn (Abe) Martin, who expressed pleasure in learning that so many present staff members of the Alumni Letters Club he first formed in the late 1940s. Abe's also pleased, as are so many others, that Bill Cornell is back up and running in the SIUC's men's athletics offices...

...Anyway, it's provided common ground for me and my mother, and to thousands and thousands of athletes, coaches and others involved in intercollegiate sports.

"I am excited that SIUC has this opportunity to present to a broader audience information about our great University and the educational benefits that are a part of our diverse athletic program," Bruce Swinburne, vice president for student affairs, said.

Seven productions are being offered for broadcast on radio or "sacrificed" on local television stations. Each station may broadcast an event several times.

So far, the following stations have signed contracts to carry broadcasts: WSLV-TV, Harrisburg; Channel B, WQAD-TV, Moline, Channel 1, WHBI-TV, Springfield; Channel 5, and KFOB, Poplar Grove, Ill.

In addition, the following cable systems in the Madison County area have signed on to carry sports packages: Warner Cable, Cablevista, Sportvision, and Group W Cablevision. A local executive director of an area cable outlet has been added plus 53 cable outlets in Illinois, Western Kentucky, Western Tennessee, and Northwest Arkansas. The total cable package will reach more than 14 million viewers.

If the program is liked to advertise during these events, please contact the SIUC Alumni Office (618-453-3488) for details.

On-the-air staffers are veteran play-by-play announcer Tom Ryther, sports director for WFTC-TV in Minneapolis, Minn.; former SIUC punter Tom Soreisel and Jim Hart, an SIUC alumnus and current quarterback for the St. Louis Cardinals. Ryther has done play-by-play of Minnesota Golden Gophers football and basketball games, has covered soccer, basketball, table tennis and bowling events, and has covered football, basketball and baseball events.

By Fred Huff

1957 Footballers Members of the 1957 Saluki football team were back at Homecoming. Pictured at halftime of the SIUC-Indiana State game are (from left): Dick Nelson, Chicago; Gale Dawson, son, Carterville; Bob tourque, of Maine; Cecil Hart, Hillsboro; William Norring, Roaming Meadows, Ill.; Paul Fellers, Carbondale; Paul Dulin, Herrin; Charles Steptoe, East St. Louis and Dave Wheeler, Chicago.

The Salukis won the first three games, defeating Western Illinois 87-3, Illinois State 16-0 and Drake 24-17, before they lost four games in a row: 35-20 to Arkansas State; 20-10 to Southeast Louisiana; 59-8 to Florida State and 23-2 to Tulane.

Winning the Homecoming game against Indiana State, 219, the Salukis lost to Eastern Illinois, 39-7, before upsetting Pennsylvania State, 29-27.

A bright spot in the Saluki season was the game against Pennsylvania State. A good many people were watching the Salukis and seemed to be attacking former SIUC quarterback Jim Hart's passing records. Until last season, Hart had set 33 records, including seven in the opening game shortly after he had been eating away at Hart's statistics and had a chance to break more records before the season's end.

Cross Country The Harriers captured the Missouri Valley Conference Cross Country title for the third consecutive year. It was the first title for first-year coach Bill Cornell, a former Saluki trackster.

However, the SIUC team failed to qualify for the NCAA Nationals due to a three-place showing recently at the NCAA District Five meet in Columbia, Mo. This is the first year since 1979 that the Salukis will not be represented at the Nationals and the first time an individual hasn't secured a berth.

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The SIUC women's softball team had a fine season, finishing at the best of its conference. It was the first year the Salukis were outflown by another team for the conference title.

The SIUC women's tennis team captured the Missouri Valley Conference title for the third consecutive year. The team finished with a 9-0 conference record and captured the tournament title.

SIUC's men's tennis team finished second in the Missouri Valley Conference, finishing with a 7-2 conference record and qualifying for the NCAA District Five meet in Columbia, Mo. This is the first year since 1979 that the Salukis will not be represented at the Nationals and the first time an individual hasn't secured a berth.

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Motor coach trip available to Champaign

That dreamt about confrontation between SIUC and the University of Illinois becomes a reality Friday, Dec. 17 at 7 p.m. in the Assembly Hall, Champaign. The Salukis and Illini will shoot it out in the leadoff game of the Illini Classic. Bowling Green and Illinois State are to meet in the second game at 9 p.m.

Motor coach tickets are being sold at $7.50 per person, a couple or $100 single. Rates are based on double occupancy.

Interested persons should send a $25 deposit immediately to the Alumni Association, SIUC, Student Center, Carbondale, Ill., 62901. The balance will be due on Dec. 1. For further details call (618) 453-2408. Make checks payable to the SIUC Alumni Association, SIUC, Student Center, Carbondale, Ill., 62901. The balance will be due on Dec. 1. For further details call (618) 453-2408. Make checks payable to the SIUC Alumni Association.

Hall of Fame

Fourteen newcomers were inducted into SIUC's Athletics Hall of Fame Sept. 18 during a brunch preceding the Saluki-Drake football game. Charlotte West, director of women's athletics for women, led a group of 10 charter women inductees who were recognized along with four men. Pictured are (front, from left) Donna Schaeffer, Gail Daley Bakker (1965-69) of Washington, N.J.; Charlotte West (1957 to present) of Carbondale. Back row (from left) Seymour Broy, president of Men's Lettermen Club; Ken Houston (1959-62) of Worth; Darlene Wenger (1956-60), Stauton; Marie Ballard (1969-73) of Carbondale; Judy Davies (1939-74) of Carbondale; Judy Wills Cline (1965-69) of Las Vegas, Nev.; Richard (Itchy) Jones (1957-60) of Herrin; Gail Daley Bakker (1965-69) of Washington, N.J.; Charlotte West (1957 to present) of Carbondale. The Recognition Game is sponsored by the Alumni Association and men's intercollegiate athletics to thank SIUC alumni and their families for supporting the University and its athletic programs.

Alumni Recognition Game set for January 8

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Judy Mills of Peoria, a junior in public relations, and P.C. Smith of Harvey, a sophomore in computer science, reigned as Homecoming Queen and King.

Jaleigh Jeffers, Miss Illinois 1982, leads Homecoming parade as grand marshal.

SIUC President Albert Somit pauses during his "State of the University" speech.

Jim Hart is fed by his three-year-old daughter, Katie.

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1982 Alumni Achievement Award recipients pose following Homecoming ceremony. From left: Jim Rosser, Florence Crim Robinson, Jim Hart and Roger Gray.

Nick Sortal, a 1980 SIUC graduate, relives his Marching Saluki days during halftime ceremonies. Sortal works as a sports writer for the Southern Illinoisan newspaper.
November

Nov. 20-29—THANKSGIVING VACATION.

Nov. 27—ROCKFORD AREA ALUMNI CLUB party before SIUC/Northern Illinois University basketball game at the Metro Center in Rockford. Game tickets are $8.50 each may be ordered from Ron Miles, 1010 North 2nd St., Rockford, Ill. 61107. Make checks payable to Ron Miles. Pre-game reception at 6:30 p.m., with cash bar and snacks. Signs will direct you to the reception room. Refreshments will be available at half time and following the game. Phone Miles for further information (815) 968-3701 or (815) 967-5505.

December

Dec. 2—MURRAY (KY.) AREA ALUMNI dinner, 5 p.m., prior to the SIUC/Murray State Basketball game. Colonial House Smorgasboard, $5.85 per person. Phone Ray Mofield for reservations and game ticket-ordering information (606) 782-6289.

Dec. 17-18—ILLINI CLASSIC BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT at the University of Illinois Assembly, Friday, Dec. 17, SIUC vs. U of I at 7 p.m.; Illinois State vs. Bowling Green at 9 p.m. See related article for ticket information and alumni reception details.

Dec. 18—FALL SEMESTER ENDS.

Dec. 18-Jan. 17—CHRISTMAS VACATION.

Dec. 27-31—CAMPUS OFFICES CLOSED.

January

Jan. 8—EIGHTH ANNUAL ALUMNI RECOGNITION BASKETBALL GAME, SIUC vs. Bradley University. Game time, 7:30 p.m. Alumni tickets are $8. Ticket requests must be received by Dec. 31. Those tickets for a file will not be sold at the game. Ticket requests should be mailed to the Alumni Office. Student Ticket, SIUC, Carbondale, Ill., 62901. Make checks payable to SIUC Men's Athletics and include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Jan. 17—OMAHA (NEB.) ALUMNI CLUB get-together held in conjunction with the SIUC/Cougars University basketball game. Phone Ray Clark for details (402) 333-3828, home, or (402) 271-3878, office.

Jan. 17—SPRING SEMESTER CLASSES START.


February

Feb. 5—PEORIA AREA ALUMNI CLUB reception in conjunction with SIUC/Bradley University basketball game, 6 p.m., Eddie’s Restaurant, 123 S.W. Adams, Peoria. Order from menu. Phone Jim Hartford (309) 647-6094 for reservations and ticket information.

Feb. 11—UNIVERSITY HOLIDAY.

Feb. 11-13—HAPPY VALENTINE WEEKEND GETAWAY TRIP TO FRENCH LICK (Ind.) Spring Hotel. Buses from Springfield and Carbondale. See advertisement for details.

Feb. 24—BLOOMINGTON/NORMAL AREA ALUMNI CLUB get-together before the SIUC/Illinois State University basketball game. Phone Jim Gildearev (309) 726-1630 for details and ticket-ordering information.

March 12-21—SIUC SPRING VACATION.

May 14—SIUC COMMENCEMENT.

June 13—SUMMER SCHOOL BEGINS.

Aug. 6—SUMMER COMMENCEMENT.

Aug. 22—FALL SEMESTER BEGINS.

Placement files to be replaced

Because of space limitations, the SIUC Career Planning and Placement Center will dispose of alumni placement files older than 10 years effective Jan. 1. After that date, placement files will be kept in the original form for a period of four years from the date an alumnus registers.

Buy a book!

If you’re looking for an unusual holiday present, why not give a SIUC press book?

Land Between the Rivers, co-authored by Henry Dan Piper, John V. Voigt and C. William Horrell, is available for $24.95. Alumni Association members can purchase it at a 30 percent discount or $17.95, plus postage.

As of Dec. 1, the book will be available in paperback. All of the photos are in black and white. Cost is $16.95 or $13.56 plus postage for members.

Send requests to the SIUC Alumni Office, Student Center, Carbondale, Ill., 62901. An SIUC Press catalog is available upon request.

Dedicated Service

Four retiring members of the Alumni Association’s board of directors were honored for their service when the board held its annual meeting Oct. 22 in Carbondale. Robert Pulliam (left), outgoing association president, presented certificates of appreciation to (from left) Fred Meyer of Olympia Fields and Keith Sanders and William O’Brian, both of Carbondale. The Rev. Jack Adams, also a retiring board member, could not attend.

50th Reunion

The Class of 1932 had a gay old time Oct. 22 recalling humorous incidents from their collegiate days at Southern Illinois Normal University. Pictured at the Ramada Inn gathering (from left, bottom row) are Mary Murphy Elkins, Rosemary Mills Ray, Mary Yates Weeth, Elizabeth Harris Lewis, Norman (Frenchie) Lovellette, Alice Patterson Williams, Irene McLean Ross and Wileen Bauman Moore. Top row (from left) are: Guy Williams, Dennis M. Helton, Archie Stroup, Delbert A. Waller, Ralph V. Trefts, Walter L. Britton, William (Roy) L. Robinson and Victor Sprague.
Evelyn M. Smith Wood is a retired teacher. She and her husband, William C., live in Carbondale.

David (Dave) F. Rendtleman, ex., is a surgeon and works at the Cardiobond Clinic.

Eleanor Heard Roberts, M.S., '76, is a home economics teacher at Benton Consolidated High School. She and her husband, Howard, ex '82, live in Benton. They have three children.

Michael Pavil misc, ex., is a real estate broker in Springfield and holds the rank of colonel in the Air Force. His wife, Patricia, lives in O'Fallon.

Betty Rhoads Turnbull is a secretary for the Williamson County Canines (Ind.) University. She joined the Board of Education in Springfield.

Richard A. Steelman, M.S., is a computer operator for VTI, and his wife, Richelle, lives in Cutler. Her son, Douglas, is presently attending SIUC.

Phyllis H. Borgsmiller is a homemaker and she lives with her husband, Richard, in Cutler. Her son, Matthew, is a pre-school teacher. They have six children.

Drury, '53

James W. Drury has been named vice president of marketing and design/build projects for McBr0, a construction-design division of McCarthy Brothers Co. of St. Louis, Mo. Previously, he was a production expeditor at SIUC's Technical Careers Career Development Center in O’Fallon. He lives in West Frankfort.

Patricia M. Popp is a business teacher at John A. Logan College. She and her husband, Douglas, who is retired, live in Marion.

Joseph W. Elliott, ex, is an administrative assistant for the U.S. Department of Agriculture. He lives in Madison, Ga.

Eugene Davis is the manager of Sand Creek, Inc. He and his wife, Dorothy, live in Carbondale.

Mary Anne Brown Tabin is a homemaker and she lives with her husband, Richard, in Cutler. Her son, Douglas, is presently attending SIUC.

Charles E. Horst, M.S., '81, is an assistant professor of administration and director of SIUC's Outreach Program. His wife, Eleanor, ex '72, teaches at John A. Logan College. They have two children.

Dorothy J. and Lawrence L. Mathena are the owners of Egy pendant Restaurant in Carbondale.

Verna F. Silveria, M.S., '92, is a retired teacher. She lives in Carbondale.

Betty Bohnes Turnbull lives in Carbondale, Ill., with her husband, Ralph, ex '72.

Mary Lou Lunde Reploge lives in Charleston.

Richard A. Steelman, M.S., is the dean of business affairs at Southern Illinois University. He, his wife, Patricia Susan Mills, M.S., '84, and their two children live in Eldorado.

Caswell Monkays Bishop is a physical education instructor and coach at a middle school in Olney. She and her husband, Norman, live in Olney.

Harold E. Mills, M.S., '94, is the dean of business affairs at Southern Illinois University. He, his wife, Patricia, live in Harvard. They have two daughters.

Henry V. Boyd is a lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Air Force. His wife, Joyce, ex '68, lives in Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.

Harold W. Allen is the pastor of the Gallatin Free Baptist Church. He received a doctor of ministry in 1981 from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. His wife, Nancy Clark Allen, '58, teaches math and home economics at Gallatin (Tenn.) Senior High School. The couple lives in Gallatin with their two sons.

Carol Hughes Cross, her husband, Charles, are the owners of Egyptian Restaurant in Carbondale.

Martha E. Nelson Larson is a French teacher at Mundelein High School. She lives in Libertyville.

Dixie C. Ryal is widowed and lives in Cairo.

Denny Freese, M.A., '58, lives in Pinckneyville. He and his wife, Nancy, live in Carbondale.

Eleanor Heard Roberts, M.S., '59, is an assistant principal at Crainville Elementary School. The couple lives in Carterville.

Robert C. Frassato is retired as an elementary school teacher in the Benton School District. He lives in Pinckneyville.

Susan M. Woods is a retired teacher. She was married to William C., live in Carbondale.

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John P. Caynak, M.S., '66, is a lifelong resident of St. Louis, Mo. His wife, Zandria, and their two children live in Sea.
R. Wayne Cross is a self-employed farmer and lives in Buffalo.

James Phillips Newell is a site manager for Funk Seeds Interna-
tional, and he his wife, Karen K. Lynch, '60, and their three chil-
dren live in Harrisburg, Texas.

Cecelia Stepp-Jones, Ph.D., associate professor of education at North Carolina Central University, received her Ph.D. in spe-
cial education at the University.

She lives in Durham, N.C.

Robert Kearney Wheeler is the site executive for the first State
Church of Christ at Charlotte, Va., while his wife, Teddy Terry, '90, teacheth fourth grades in the Charlotte Public Schools.

Peter Michael Goetz has worked with the Guthrie Theater in Minne-
sapolis for 11 years, has appeared in three feature films, and is currently appear-
ing in "The World According to Garp" with Colleen Dewhurst in "The Queen and the Rebels" at the State University of New York at Purchase, N.Y.

Gary P. Baker is a dock super-
visor for Consolidated Freightways. He
lives with his wife, Susan, and their two children live in Huntington, Texas.

Dilbert S. Beaud is an electrician for Pacific Gas Co. He, his wife, and their three children live in Sparta.

Maj. Charles T. Gelata is a pilot in the U.S. Air Force. He lives with
his wife, in New Delhi.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Doer, '51, '55, '73, Bettye K. Doer, '51, and Mrs. Nancy Sue Jones Tre-

William E. Hill, Ph.D., is the superintendem of schools in Charles-
ton; he has served in every volunteer
position in the village, employing 5,000 people,
located in Sauget, Ill., a village

Mary R. Buntin Bier is a collector for accountants at Riverside Med-
cal Center. She, her husband, Michael, and their twin seven-year-old daughters live in Kanakaka.

Don Buche teaches at John A. Logan College. He lives in Carbondale.

Martha M. Davis Driskill is a retired elementary school teacher. She, her wife, and their four children live in Downers Grove.

Dennis F. Supercynski is an employee of United Airlines C. Corp. Internationally, he, his wife, and their three children live in Brown Deer, Wis.

Edd Fish teaches at Centralia High School.

John A. Grouik has been named director of the Instructional Media Center at Marquette University. He had been manager of production services at WISU since 1972. Prior to that, he was producer-director at WLU and WVU. Indiana University. He lives in Broadview, Ill.

Lori R. Honey is an electrical engineer for Union Carbide Corp. He, his wife, and son live in Parkside, Wis.

Katherine (Kay) J. Barnfield Howell, MSED '76, '80, is an art teacher in the Marion Community
Unit No. 2 School District. She also is the president of the School of Technical Careers Curriculum Society. She, her husband, Charles, and their three children live in Marion.

Kay M. Brechtelsbauer, MSED, '86, is the head women's soft-
ball coach at Southern Illinois.

Robert W. Calvert is a self-employed public health officer. He, his wife, and their two children live in Horicon.

J. Craig Roberts is a supervisor for KFRTC in Hinton, W.Va. He, his wife, Janet House, '72, and their two children live in Huntington.

Lawrence L. Baker, Jr., is a teacher at May School in Chicago. He
lives in Parkside, Wis.

Michael P. Blickenstaff has been named assistant district attorney in the tax department of Price Water-
house and Co., Atlanta. He lives in accounting firm. A Montenegrine native, Blicken-
staff now resides in Atlanta with his wife, Mary, and their two children.

Mildred M. Hudson, '51, is a retired registered dietitian. She lives in Rockway Beach, Mo.

James P. Kruse is the owner of Kruse Rats in Peoria.

Robert E. Neudecker, '84 VTI, is an industrial engineer for Engi-
eered Air Systems, Inc. He, his wife, and their three children live in St. Charles, Mo.

Ruth Carlson O'Sullivan is a teacher at the Marion County
Cooperative Association for Special Education. She, her husband, Cornellius, '72, and their daughter live in Park Forest.

James Renshaw is a salesman in the home improvement department at Sears in Carbondale. His wife, Sharon Frantz-Renshaw, M.S., '76, works for the Southern Illinois Mental Health Institution. The couple live in Carbondale with their daughter, Sarah.

Paul Mayer, former men's gym-
nastic coach at Ball State Univer-
sity, has been named assistant gymnastic coach at Illinois State University. He, his wife, and son, have been named assistant gymnastic coach at Georgia Southern College coach Thorburn Township High School for one year, was assistant coach at Oak Park High School for one year, and went to Ball State in 1971. He re-
became assistant gymnastic coach at Ball State in 1973, during which time he was head men's gymnastics coach. He, his wife, and their two children live in St. Charles, Mo.

Robert E. Neudecker, '61 VT1, is a senior pastor of First United
Church of Christ, Carbondale.

Joseph B. Smith is a member of the Carbondale Noon Club. He, his wife, and their daughter live in Carbondale.

Walter L. Strong, Jr., has been named assistant district attorney in
the tax department of Price Water-
house and Co., Atlanta. He lives in accounting firm. A Montenegrine native, Blicken-
staff now resides in Atlanta with his wife, Mary, and their two children.

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William E. Baker, Jr., is the son of Dr. William E. Baker, Jr., formerly of Santa Fe, N.M.

Gary J. Galich, '68, Livio-

Conclusion: The future of the educational system is uncertain. The importance of education continues, and it is essential to maintain and enhance the quality of education in all aspects.
Edward W. Morrison is the business manager for Jim Poul, Inc., a car dealership in Carbondale. He and his wife, Mindy J. Duncan, '74, live in Du Quoin.

James E. Riehl is an engineer and purchasing agent for ARCH Conveying Corp. He lives in Belleville.

Mary Tupper has been appointed project research director for the Vanamont Research office at Millikin University in Decatur.

Douglas Rood Bradley is a part-time professor at the Edwardsville campus of SIUC. He and his wife, Lawrence Webb, '74, and their son live in Marion.

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Diane Cherry Davis is an assistant professor in SIUC's School of Technical Communications. Her husband, Robert, '80, is a loan officer and account manager at the Bank of Carbondale.

Dave Evans, Ph.D., an associate professor of botany at Marshall University in Huntington, W. Va., is an editor of "Catstans," the publication of the Southern Appalachian Botanical Club.

Janice K. Kuse, M.S., '80, is a laboratory technician at Michael Reck, Inc. Her husband, Paul Roy Levitt is an executive pilot with Mobil Oil Corporation. He lives in Montroystown.

Mildred Jane Rowland is a savings and loan examiner for the Federal Farm Bank in Atlanta, Ga. She lives in Homewood, Ala.

George N. Sheppard is a district supervisor for the American Association of Public Service Co. He lives in Harrisburg with his wife, Sharon, '70, '78, and their two children.

M. Sue York is an outreach worker for the Carbondale Senior Citizen Co-op. She and her husband live in Murphysboro.

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Brian M. Butler, Ph.D., is the associate director of the SIUC Center for Archaeological Investigations. He and his wife, Donna, live in Carbondale.

David Effret, M.S., '80, recently accepted a position as director of educational programs at St. Mary's Hospital in Centralia. His wife, Kathy, M.S., '80, is at home with Jared Paul, 3, and a new daughter, Elaine Kath, seven months.

Daniel Herzog, M.S., has been named "Outstanding Young Man of America" in 1992 by a Jaycees endorsed organization. Herzog currently is a social worker I with the New Jersey division of mental retardation in Monmouth, N.J. Additionally, he is employed as a field writer for Achievement Network, a national magazine. He serves as vice president of the American Foundation for Gender and Mental Medicine and Service Inc., and is the book review editor for Sexuality Today newsletter.

Sharon E. Sudhoff Mattmiller is a secretary in the SIUC English Department. She and her husband, Rodney, an SIUC student, live in Carbondale.

Judy Pilarski is a respiratory therapist at Chicago's Michael Reese Hospital in Oak Park.

Kenneth J. Sandstrom is an accounting accountant for International Minerals and Co. He lives in Evanston.

David Saunders, BTC, is the director of the Office of Environmental and Development Services at SIUC's School of Technical Careers.

Gwen Summers is the vice president and operations manager of Creative Broadcasting Inc. in South Dayton, Ill. She lives in Daytona Beach, Fl.

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David L. Felthous is a blind rehabilitation technician at the Veteran's Medical Center in Gig Harbor, Wash.

Richard L. Fowren is a regional engineer for General Electric Medical Systems. He lives in Downers Grove, Ill.

Michael A. Glick has received a doctor of osteopathy from the University of Health Sciences-College of Osteopathic Medicine in Kansas City, Mo. He'll intern this year at Rocky Mountain Hospital in Denver, Colo.

James S. Halaedt is an accounting instructor at Koshkonong College in Centrallia. He received his MBA from SIU-Ericsville in 1981.

Michael L. Hampton is a forestry at Head, Ore. He lives in Estacada, Ore.

Kathleen S. Koperck is an assistant audit supervisor for the St. Louis Firm of Ernst and Whinney. She joined the firm in 1978 and now lives in Grove City, Pa.

William J. Million is the associate extension advisor for the Fulton County Cooperative Extension Office in Pleasant Hill.

Robert J. Ouellet is a quality control supervisor for Miners Unlimited, Inc. He lives in Oakman, Ala.

Donald F. Walsh is a facilities coordinator for Marathon Oil Co. He lives in Green Cove Springs, Fl., with his wife and two children.

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Charles Amason is a production controller for the United States government. He lives in New Carlisle, Ohio.

Silvio A. Biasella is a first-year medical student at Loyola University in Chicago. He lives in Forest Park.

Terry Eugene Asher is an electrical engineer for the U.S. Air Force. He lives in New Carlisle, Ohio.

Michael B. Belov is a first-year medical student at Loyola University in Chicago. He lives in Forest Park.

Mickey Haslett, a native of St. Elmo, has been named assistant director of student life at MacMurray College in Jacksonville. Previously, he was director of campus life at St. John's College in Belize.

Richard D. Mair, MBA, is the associate director for the College of Pharmacy at the University of Illinois. He and his wife, Vicki, and their new son, Chad Michael, born Feb. 17, 1982, live in Carbondale.

Robert A. Reichenbach is farming with his partner in Grand Chasis.

Stephen J. Snaap is a customer service representative with an electronics components manufacturer, CDX, Inc. in Ashville, N.C.

Marlene Stilley is a recreation therapist for Grossmont Hospital in San Diego, Calif.

Elizabeth E. Tobin is a software specialist for the Illinois Department of Law Enforcement. She lives in Springfield.
**Deaths**

**1900s**

*Eliau Mac Pete Lindsey, ex '99, of Dallas, Fla., died Sept. 29, 1992, in Delaware, where she resided with her daughter, Wanda, and five grandchildren.*

*James W. Williams, 80, a retired teacher and farmer, died Oct. 5, 1992, at Carbondale Memorial Hospital following a short illness. He was predeceased by his wife, Vera M. Williams, in 1989.*

**1920s**

*Diagloe Beare Craig, 74-2, of Harrisburg died Sept. 7, 1982.*

*Rev. Bluford M. Sloan, 59, of Makanda, formerly of Galatia, died Aug. 2, 1982, at Herrin, Ill. He was a pastor of churches in Southern Illinois, minister of education and music in Oklahoma and Texas for 10 years. He was director of church training for the Illinois State Baptist Association from 1954 to 1966, and after leaving the ISA, staff of the Student Loan Department, Illinois. Survivors include his wife, Cathie, live in Matson.*

**1930s**

*George T. Wilkins Sr., '37, of Herrin, died July 23, 1982 of cancer.*

**1960s**

*Charles M. Meier, 61, of Ferguson, Mo., director of plant operations at SUU Edwardsport, died Aug. 22, 1982, at the Christian Neonate Hospital in St. Louis County, Mo.*

**1980s**

*Jillian Minnert Barber of Wasco, died Sept. 14, 1982, at her home, Miss Barber, 51, was a professor of English literature and dean of students at SUU. Her early teaching was spent in Missonogey and at Monticello College before joining the faculty for the Presbyterian Mission at Gilling College in China. She retired in 1964.*

**Marriages**

**1990s**

*Barbara J. Jenner and Ronald A. G. Wilkerson, both of Murphysboro, were married June 30, 1990, at the home of the bride's parents.*

**Deaths**

*The Alumni Association has been notified of the following deaths. We express sorrow at the family's loss and extend deep sympathies to them.*

**Faculty**

*Julia Minnert Barber of Wasco, died Sept. 14, 1982, at her home, Miss Barber, 51, was a professor of English literature and dean of students at SUU. Her early teaching was spent in Missonogey and at Monticello College before joining the faculty for the Presbyterian Mission at Gilling College in China. She retired in 1964.*

**1980s**

*Wilson Williams Coker, 54, of Murray, died Aug. 28, 1982, in St. Joseph Hospital in Murphyboro. He was an SUU professor of music and served as director of the School of Music from 1975 to 1977. In addition, he was a composer whose works had been performed by the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the Philadelphia Orchestra, and other major groups. He twice received Ford Foundation Fellowships. Also, he worked as a visiting artist with the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts during its summer festival. In recognition of his student program and organizing its education with young students, he was given a book, 'Music and Meaning,' in the field of aesthetics. He taught at Harvard College, the University of Chicago, and the University of California at Finals.*

**1990s**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crow, 70, of Mattoon, April 30, 1990, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Hospital in Herrin. The couple lives in Herrin.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Marx Jr., '80, (Sherry S. Marx, '80) of Downers Grove, a son, William Anthony, born July 6, 1982.*

**Marriages**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Clawson Jr., '51, of Portage, a daughter, Shanna Kyle, born July 14, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Hamil­ ton, '71, (Robert A. Hamilton, '72) of Pittsburg, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born June 22, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. McEl­ licy, '76, of Cahokia, a son, Richard Joseph, born Aug. 30, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Cat­ tlin, Katherine Job Costello, M.S., '79, their first child, a daughter, Erin Lindsey, born April 25, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cook, '85, (Kathleen A. Cook, '85) of Olathe, Kan., a daughter, Tara Elizabeth, born July 29, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. William N. Booen­ rances, '71, of Orlind Park, a daughter, Diana JoyAnn, born Aug. 2, 1982.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Janice F. Suro, '80, (Mark T. Suro, '80) of St. Charles, a daughter, Catherine Sue, born Aug. 24, 1982.*

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*To Mr. and Mrs. James T. Bins, '83, (Barbara D. Bins, '83) of Terre Haute, Ind., a daughter, Jamie R. Huffaker, is an account executive at the National Bureau of Standards in Washington, D.C.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lamont, '84, (Carol A. Lamont, '84) of Olathe, Kan., a son, three children, live in Olathe, Kan.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Caver­ ton, '27, of Elmhurst, formerly of John­ sonville, Wis., a daughter, a brother, five grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Mckin­ non Jr., '70, (Barbara J. Mckin­ non, '70) of Moline, a son, three children, live in Moline, Ill.*

**Deaths**

*To Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Clau­ d, '64, of Galesburg, a son, three chil­ dren, live in Galesburg, Ill.*

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*To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Marx Jr., '80, (Sherry S. Marx, '80) of Downers Grove, a son, William Anthony, born July 6, 1982.*
John Gardner dies at 49

John G. Gardner Jr., former SIUC English faculty member and nationally known novelist, died Sept. 14 after the motorcycle he was driving left the road on a curve near Oakland, Pa. He was thrown from the vehicle.

He was pronounced dead on arrival at Barnes-Kason Hospital in Susquehanna, Pa., at 2:55 p.m. 25 minutes after the accident on Route 92, two miles from his home in Susquehanna. Mr. Gardner was 49.

Renowned for his literary achievements, Mr. Gardner lived in Southern Illinois from 1965 to 1976. An authority on Beowulf, he taught medieval literature at SIUC and published many of his major works while at the University.

His first novel, Resurrection, was published in 1966. Many of his novels included characters based on people he knew in Southern Illinois.

Other novels were Grendel, Nickel Mountain, The Sunlight Dialogues, The King's Indians, The Wreckage of Agathon, Jason and Medea, and October Light. He won the National Book Critics Circle Award for October Light in 1976.


Mr. Gardner's most recent novel, Michelsson's Ghost, was published in June. At the time of his death, he was working on Shadows, a novel about an alcoholic detective.

After leaving SIUC in 1975, he was a visiting professor at Bennington College in Vermont, but returned to Carbondale to teach an advanced creative writing course on a part-time appointment. At the time of his death, he had completed the creative writing program at State University of New York at Binghamton.

He also had taught at Oberlin College, California State University, San Francisco State University, the University of Detroit and Northwestern University.

He received his bachelor's degree in 1955 from Washington University in St. Louis.

He is survived by his parents, John Sr., and Priscilla Gardner; his first wife, Joan Gardner; his second wife, Elizabeth Rosenberg; a son, Joel; a daughter, Lucy, a brother and a sister.

Orville Alexander dies in Carbondale

Orville Alexander, chairman of the SIUC Department of Political Science from 1950 to 1969, died Sept. 18, 1982, in Carbondale at the age of 73. He was with the department for 38 years before his retirement in 1976.

He established the Alumni Office in 1946 and served as its director until 1960.

He was a native of Vienna, Mr. Alexander was a 1931 graduate of Southern Illinois Normal University. He received master's and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Iowa.

A recognized authority on state government, he was research director of the Illinois School Problems Commission for 10 years; was acting director of research for the Illinois Legislative Council from 1944 to 1946; and served as a member of the research staff for the Illinois Commission to Study State Government and the Illinois Constitution Research Group.

During the years when SIU was expanding rapidly, Professor Alexander served as the University's legislative representative in Springfield. Because of his effectiveness in this position, he was regarded as one of the founding fathers of the Southern Illinois University system.

His performance in the classroom, especially with undergraduates, received public recognition on several occasions. By vote of the alumni, he was named SIUC's Great Teacher for 1974, and in 1976 he received the Alumni Achievement Award for professional achievement.

He is survived by his wife, Ola, and two sons, John G. Gardner Jr., former SIUC English faculty member and nationally known novelist, died Sept. 14 after the motorcycle he was driving left the road on a curve near Oakland, Pa. He was thrown from the vehicle.

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He also had taught at Oberlin College, California State University, San Francisco State University, the University of Detroit and Northwestern University.

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He is survived by his parents, John Sr., and Priscilla Gardner; his first wife, Joan Gardner; his second wife, Elizabeth Rosenberg; a son, Joel; a daughter, Lucy, a brother and a sister.

Orville Alexander, chairman of the SIUC Department of Political Science from 1950 to 1969, died Sept. 18, 1982, in Carbondale at the age of 73. He was with the department for 38 years before his retirement in 1976.

He established the Alumni Office in 1946 and served as its director until 1960.

A native of Vienna, Mr. Alexander was a 1931 graduate of Southern Illinois Normal University. He received master's and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Iowa.

A recognized authority on state government, he was research director of the Illinois School Problems Commission for 10 years; was acting director of research for the Illinois Legislative Council from 1944 to 1946; and served as a member of the research staff for the Illinois Commission to Study State Government and the Illinois Constitution Research Group.

During the years when SIU was expanding rapidly, Professor Alexander served as the University's legislative representative in Springfield. Because of his effectiveness in this position, he was regarded as one of the founding fathers of the Southern Illinois University system.

His performance in the classroom, especially with undergraduates, received public recognition on several occasions. By vote of the alumni, he was named SIUC's Great Teacher for 1974, and in 1976 he received the Alumni Achievement Award for professional achievement.

He is survived by his wife, Ola, and two sons, John G. Gardner Jr., former SIUC English faculty member, and Joel Gardner; his second wife, Elizabeth Rosenberg; a son, Joel; a daughter, Lucy, a brother and a sister.

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