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By Tina M. Kern, President

I am happy to report to you that the Alumni Association has not been the victim of a post-Christmas slump. The first three months of 1988 have been full of activity and accomplishment.

Homecoming 1988 was a great success. The Country Fair and picnic buffet lured alumni families in greater numbers than ever before. There were games for the kids, ice cream, lemonade, a pie-eating contest, lots of good food and lots of folks we haven't seen at Homecoming for quite a while. We were even on the 10 O'Clock News!

Our legislative reception in Indianapolis was well attended by both state and local officials and representatives of the Evansville business community.

Attendance at the Alternate Site Alumni Reception was hampered by an ill-timed ice storm which paralyzed Indianapolis less than an hour before the pre-game buffet was to start. However, those who braved the slick roads were treated to a family-style chili dinner and an informal reception during halftime.

This spring also saw the start of two new alumni programs. The first is a general assistance fund for alumni groups who need seed money to organize reunion activities.

The Executive Council voted to award \$50 to the first 20 alumni groups who request financial assistance and to limit the award to one per group per year.

In the second program, USI graduates are asked to provide professional and career assistance and advice for USI students. Many of you already may have received a card asking for your help, and I hope that the response continues to be as generous as it has been these last few weeks.

The big story this spring, however, is the Telefund Drive. Fundraising Committee Chairman John Schutz took the annual appeal well over the goal of \$35,000, with the final pledge total more than \$40,000. John and his army of callers did pretty well statistically, too. The number of alumni contacted increased, the average pledge went up, and the number of pledges was higher than last year. Congratulations, John and committee!

Remember that there are many ways to support the University and Alumni Association. Certainly, we appreciate and need your donations, but we need your participation and involvement too.

Our alumni are more numerous, more diverse, and more widespread with each graduating class. Just as USI is assuming a larger role and enjoying greater influence in the Indiana education community, so are USI alumni in their respective professional and residential communities.

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SOUTH BEND BANKER IS COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Ernestine Morris Raclin, a leader in business, education, and civic affairs in South Bend who has been called "Indiana's First Lady of Banking," brought the Commencement Address at the University of Southern Indiana's 1988 Commencement.

The ceremony was held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, May 14, in the Physical Activities Center. The University conferred its first master's degrees and nearly 500 USI students received B.S., B.A., and A.S. degrees.

Mrs. Raclin was honored by conferral of an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in recognition of her contributions to education, business, and community on local, state and national levels. Other honorary degree recipients included Dr. Arthur E. Bestor, emeritus professor of history at the University of Washington, who received an honorary Doctor of Letters degree in recognition of his pioneering scholarship on New Harmony, Indiana; and Donald B. Cox, Evansville Realtor and business, civic, and political leader who received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in recognition of his leading role in and continuing support for the development of USI as Indiana's sixth state university.

Mrs. Raclin is chairman of the Board of 1st Source Corporation and 1st Source Bank in South Bend, which with \$1 billion in assets is the largest banking concern in northeast Indiana and southwest Michigan. She was an early leader in South Bend/St. Joseph County economic development programs, and also is a director of First Chicago Corporation, First National Bank of Chicago, and the Northern Indiana Public Service Company of Hammond, Indiana. Her contributions to education in recent years include serving as trustee of the University of Notre Dame, where she is co-chairman of its \$150-million fund drive, and Converse College in Spartanburg, South Carolina; life trustee and president emeritus of the board of The Stanley Clark School of South Bend, a private elemen-

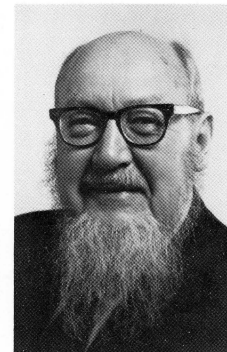
tary school; Director of Associated Colleges of Indiana; and a member of the Advisory Board of Indiana University-South Bend.

Dr. Bestor began his research at the Workingmen's Institute Library in New Harmony in the mid-1940s. During those early visits, he organized the archives at the Institute Library, which is Indiana's oldest surviving public library. Dr. Bestor's New Harmony research provided much of the material for his classic study of American communalism, *Backwoods Utopias, The Sectarian and Owenite Phases of Communitarian Socialism in America: 1663-1829*, first published in 1950. His numerous books include the 1948 publication of *Education and Reform at New Harmony and Correspondence of William Maclure and Marie Fretageot*. Dr. Bestor holds two Ph.D.s from Yale University, a master's from Oxford University, and an honorary LL.D. from Lincoln University. He was professor of history at Washington University from 1962 until his retirement, and has held active memberships in many professional organizations.

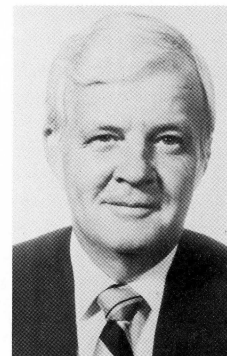
Cox was chairman of the fundraising campaign for the University Home, serves on the board of the USI Foundation, and was active in the legislative and administrative process that led to USI being established as the sixth state university in Indiana in July, 1985. A real estate broker, Cox is an active member of numerous professional organizations and is board chairman of Pro-Eco, Inc.; president of Mid Continent Insurance Agency, Inc.; a director of National City Bank; director and vice chairman of Welborn Baptist Hospital Board; and director, executive committee member, and vice chairman for governmental affairs of the Evansville Chamber of Commerce. An active Republican for more than two decades, he is among Governor Robert D. Orr's "kitchen cabinet" advisors, was elected National Committeeman by Indiana Republicans in 1984, and has been an ex-officio member of the Republican State Committee since 1984.



Ernestine Raclin



Arthur Bestor



Donald Cox

ON THE COVER

The cover photograph is the work of Michael Pugh, who attended the University from 1971-72. While a student, he worked on campus as a photographer, documenting events and helping to capture the early history of USI's development. Since then he has been on international assignments as a UPI photographer and now has his own photography business in Marietta, Georgia. Mike received the Alumni Association Special Recognition Award this spring and generously allowed the use of his photographs for display and on the cover.

PROFESSOR GEORGE EADIE SELECTED FOR NATIONAL SME AWARD

George R. Eadie, professor of mining engineering technology, was one of 13 engineers in the nation selected to receive the 1988 Distinguished Member Award of the Society of Mining Engineers. The awards were presented at the recent SME annual meeting in Phoenix, Arizona.

Eadie lives in Eldorado, Illinois, where his family has operated rental property, landscaping, and mining engineering consulting businesses. He has been with USI since 1976.

Eadie was nominated for the award on the basis of his contribution to the development of mining engineering technology in the Illinois Basin coal industry and to SME. The nomination states: "... (Eadie) recognized the need of the coal industry in the '70s to develop technically educated people to manage the expected expansion and when these needs did not materialize, he successfully redirected the focus of the mining engineering technology program which he heads, to emphasize engineering principles and provide graduates needed in the independent coal operations in the Tri-State. Through his field trip activities, professional society participation, and consulting practice, he has earned the respect and confidence of area coal operators and educators."

Gift Planning

HOW TO GIVE MORE FOR LESS USING APPRECIATED STOCKS OR BONDS

By Suzanne A. Nicholson
USI Director of Development

Why would someone give securities, such as stocks, bonds or shares of mutual funds, rather than simply writing a check? For many givers, this is the most economical way of making their gifts.

New federal tax laws continue to offer special incentives for gifts of non-cash property. Just as cash gifts to qualified charitable organizations such as the USI Foundation are deductible from federal income tax returns for itemizers, gifts of non-cash property such as stocks also are deductible.

The cost of giving long-term stocks, which have increased in value, may never be lower. The deductible amount includes both what you paid and your gain (that is, full fair market value), as long as you have held the stock for at least six months and a day.

Example. John and Mary Smith usually make an annual gift to the USI Foundation of \$500. This year they want to increase their gift to the \$1000 President's Council level, but they want to do this in the most economical way.

The Smiths own 100 shares of XYZ stock purchased in July 1985 for \$400. Now, the shares are worth \$1000.

Should the Smiths give the shares of stock, or sell and give the cash? Or should they take \$1000 out of income and give cash? The tax benefits may make the difference in their decision, as the table below shows.

A. If they give \$1000 in cash:

Value of gift	\$1000
Value of deduction (@33% maximum marginal rate in 1988)	330
Indiana tax credit for gift to Ind. college	+200
Tax savings from gift	530
Net cost of \$1000 gift	\$ 470

B. If they sell the securities and give the proceeds:

Value of gift	\$1000
Value of deduction (@33% max marg. rate)	330
Capital gain tax payable by donor	-198
Indiana tax credit	+200
Tax savings from gift	332
Net cost of \$1000 gift	\$ 668

C. If they give the securities outright:

Value of gift	\$1000
Value of deduction @33% max. marg. rate)	330
Capital gain tax avoided	+198
Indiana tax credit	+200
Tax savings from gift	\$ 728
Net cost of \$1000 stock gift	\$ 272

The Smiths decided the best plan would be to give the 100 shares of XYZ stock (Option C), rather than selling them and giving cash (Option B). The \$728 in tax savings (Option C) represents an after-tax return of 82 percent on their original \$400 investment. And, they enjoy making a gift that leaves their cash available for other uses.

Note: We suggest you contact your accountant, attorney or other professional to help you explore the various ways of gift planning. Please call on us if you would like to discuss a gift you are considering for USI.

ASWA AWARD NAMED AS MEMORIAL TRIBUTE TO ROSIE NEWHOUSE



Rosie Newhouse

The Rosie Newhouse ASWA Scholarship has been established as a memorial tribute to Rosemarie Wiseman Newhouse, who was USI manager of financial systems at the time of her death in December, 1987.

A major gift from her husband Jerry Newhouse, along with many memorial contributions received in her memory, will endow this scholarship as a perpetual tribute to Mrs. Newhouse. A University employee since 1974, Rosie Newhouse began as a temporary part-time secretary in the Division of Allied Health. After transferring to the Office of Business Affairs, she was promoted to various administrative positions including senior accountant.

The accounting scholarship award, originally sponsored by chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants, has been renamed in memory of Rosie Newhouse, who was a past president. The ASWA Chapter also will remain a co-sponsor of the scholarship, and continue to its annual \$200 contribution. The award is made each year at Honors Day.

BURGDORFS WILL ENDOW SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF HER PARENTS

Bert and Jack Burgdorf, long-time supporters of the USI Varsity Club, have made a major gift toward the endowment of a scholarship in memory of Mrs. Burgdorf's parents, Frances H. and Guy Q. Cornell, Sr.

The Burgdorfs, of 1314 Reiter Drive, both swimmers and frequent users of the PAC facilities, remember how often her parents stressed the importance of education to their eight children. They hope to help meet college expenses for the recipients of the Cornell Memorial Scholarship.

Mrs. Burgdorf's memory of her mother's desire to learn to swim and dance is reflected in the criteria she has outlined for awarding the scholarship. Eligibility criteria will include being a young woman, who is a swimmer or participant in a minor sport, and who maintains a 3.0 out of a possible 4.0 grade point average.

The scholarship, which will provide a \$500 award annually toward tuition and fees, will remain inactive until the \$10,000 endowment level is reached. The award will be based on financial need.

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS ORGANIZES INTO FIVE SCHOOLS

The USI Board of Trustees has approved a restructuring of Academic Affairs to create five schools — Business, Education and Human Services, Liberal Arts, Nursing and Health Professions, and Science and Engineering Technology. The restructuring is a result of a study by a faculty task force appointed by USI President David Rice to "study the present structure of Academic Affairs and develop a plan to establish an organizational structure appropriate for the University's present stage of development and to accommodate future institutional progress." The task force recommended not only the formation of the schools, but also departments within the schools.

The new structure is a more traditional way of organizing a university which offers baccalaureate and graduate programs. Because it organizes the disciplines into departments, it clarifies lines of communication and responsibility.

According to Dr. Robert Reid, vice president for Academic Affairs, it also will allow the University to be more effective in organizing curriculum and accommodating the changes that has come with a growing University. Dr. Sandra Singer, member of the task force who directs graduate studies said a departmental organization in schools is especially important at the graduate level. "Degree programs must evolve from departments," she said. Dr. Singer also pointed out that this organization will give faculty and students a strong sense of identity and could enhance research opportunities for both faculty and students. Assessment of programs, including comparative analyses with other universities, also will be more meaningful stated Dr. Reid.

In the new structure, the School of Business will include the departments of accounting, business education and computer information systems, economics and finance, and management and marketing.

The School of Education and Human Services will include the departments of education, physical education, and social work, and will oversee the Bachelor of General Studies program. Departments in the School of Liberal Arts will include art and music, communications, English, foreign languages, history, political science and philosophy, psychology, sociology and anthropology. The School of Nursing and Health Professions will include nursing and allied health. The School of Science and Engineering Technology will include biology, engineering technology, and mathematics. Deans will lead each of the new schools and chairmen will be appointed to administer departments and programs within each school. In addition there will be two administrators to oversee graduate studies and extended services.

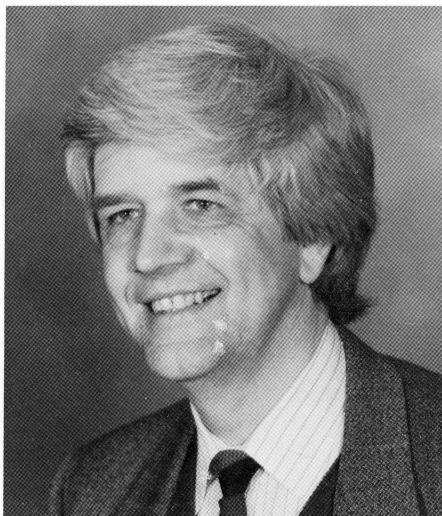
THREE DEANS ARE APPOINTED



James Blevins

At the March meeting of the Board of Trustees, President David L. Rice announced the appointment of three of the five deans for the newly structured schools. They are Dr. James R. Blevins, chairman of the USI Division of Humanities, who will become dean of the School of Liberal Arts; Dr. Frank Stanonis, chairman of the USI Division of Science and Mathematics, who will become dean of the School of Science and Engineering Technology; and Dr. Nadine A. Coudret, who has been dean of the School of Nursing at the University of Evansville, who will become dean of the School of Nursing and Health Professions.

Dr. Blevins has been with USI since 1966 and chairman of the division since 1970. He received his B.A. from David Lipscomb College, M.A. and Ph.D. from George Peabody College, and completed two terms of post-doctoral work at the University of California at Los Angeles. He is an active member of various University and community organizations devoted to enhancement of the arts. Dr. Blevins was instrumental in the organization of a USI Society for the Humanities to broaden the



Frank Stanonis

influence of the University and the community upon each other in the development of humanities programs.

Dr. Stanonis, who joined the faculty in 1969, resumed the chairmanship of the Division of Science and Mathematics in 1986, having served previously from 1973 to 1979. He took a one-year leave of absence in 1976 to serve as commissioner for environmental quality for the Commonwealth of Kentucky. A geologist, he received his B.S. and M.S. from the University of Kentucky and his Ph.D. from Pennsylvania State University. He operated a geological and exploration consulting firm in Henderson, Kentucky, prior to joining the USI faculty.

Dr. Coudret's numerous professional affiliations currently include member, Indiana State Board of Nursing; director, UE Institute for Alcohol and Drug Studies; and chairperson, Evansville Coalition for Nursing and Evansville Consortium for Nursing Continuing Education. Dr. Coudret is a graduate of St. Mary's Hospital School of Nursing and



Nadine Coudret

received her B.S., M.A., and M.S.N. degrees from UE and an Ed.D. from Indiana University. She has been with the UE nursing program in various capacities since 1970, becoming dean of the nursing school in 1986.

Dr. Rice also announced two administrative appointments in the Office of Academic Affairs. Dr. M. Edward Jones will become associate vice president and director of extended services and Dr. Sandra M. Singer will become assistant vice president and director of graduate studies. Dr. Jones is now director of Continuing Education and General Studies, coming to USI in 1974 from Northwestern University where he was assistant dean. He received his B.S. from Brescia College and his M.S. and Ed.D. from Indiana University. Dr. Singer is the first director of the Evansville Graduate Studies Center and a USI associate professor of psychology. She received her B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. from the University of Colorado at Boulder where she was research administrator for the Institute for Behavioral Genetics prior to joining the USI faculty in 1980. Deans for the School of Business and the School of Education and Human Services will be named soon.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION HONORS FOUR WITH ANNUAL AWARDS

The Alumni Association presented four awards at the Annual Dinner-Dance April 23. Special Recognition Awards were presented to Michael Pugh and posthumously to Albert A. Woll for achievements in their careers and service to USI. The association honored 1972 graduate Frank F. McDonald II with the Distinguished Alumni Award and recognized Dr. Marlene Shaw, associate professor of biology, with the Faculty Recognition Award.

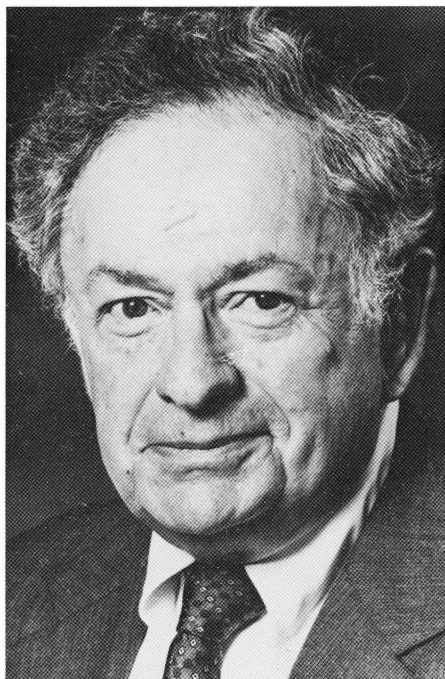
Michael Pugh attended USI from 1970 to 1972 and studied art and communications. A native of Indiana, Pugh lives in Marietta, Georgia, where he operates Michael Pugh Photography. A nationally known photographer, he most recently photographed the medal winners of the 1988 Winter Olympics in Calgary for Federal Express Corporation. From 1974 to 1983, he was an



Frank McDonald II

international photographer for United Press International. Among his UPI assignments were the Apollo-Soyuz space mission, 1975 Pan American Games in Mexico City, the 1976 Olympic Games in Montreal, the NCAA Final Four, Super Bowls X and XIII, the Masters Golf championships, and the first and second launches of the Space Shuttle Columbia and the landing of the second at Edwards Air Force Base. He also covered activities of three U.S. Presidents — Jimmy Carter, Gerald Ford, and Ronald Reagan.

Former Trustee Albert A. Woll, who died 1987, made many contributions to USI's development. A long-time friend of education, he not only served on governing boards, but also enrolled regularly in USI classes. Woll was a native of New York City and came to Evansville to live in 1951. As head of Woll Enterprises, Inc., he was an independent oil producer and farm manager. He was a member of the Evansville-Vanderburgh School Board from 1959 to 1971, serving as president for two terms.



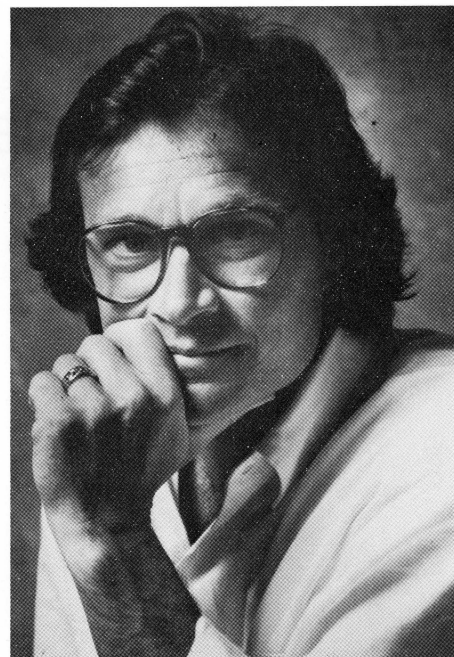
Albert Woll



Marlene Shaw

He was appointed in 1976 to the Indiana State University Board of Trustees and became a champion in the drive to establish a separate state university in Evansville. When that occurred in 1985, he resigned from the ISU Board and Governor Robert D. Orr made him an honorary member of the USI Board.

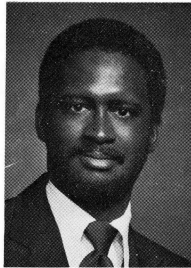
Frank McDonald II was inaugurated as mayor of the City of Evansville in January, following in the footsteps of his father, who in 1965 was a key figure in the establishment of the state university campus in Evansville that became USI. The younger McDonald was a member of the second graduating class of the University. He entered the field of banking in Indianapolis, and returned to Evansville in 1976. He was with National City Bank several years, then joined Peoples Savings Bank where he was assistant vice president for commercial loans prior to becoming the mayor. A former member of City Council, he also had served as acting city controller, and as a member of the City Utility Board.



Michael Pugh

Dr. Marlene Shaw has been responsible for developing the "Biology at the Interface" lecture series at USI. Funded by both the GTE Foundation and Mead Johnson Foundation, the series has brought prominent scholars to USI to present public policy ideas about science, ethics, and law. Dr. Shaw has been at USI since 1973. She spent her 1983-84 sabbatical as a visiting scholar in molecular biology at Vanderbilt University and also has been an adjunct associate professor in medical genetics at the Evansville Center of the IU School of Medicine. Dr. Shaw is a sought-after mentor to students in science because she teaches valuable research skills and prepares her students for the demands of graduate and professional schools. Dr. Shaw has been invited to participate in the most selective of national research seminars, including "Medical Genetics: 1987" at the National Institutes of Health in Maryland; "Short Course in Medical and Experimental Mammalian Genetics" (1986) presented by Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and the Jackson Laboratory at Bar Harbor, Maine; and "Molecular Neurobiology of Human Disease" (1986) presented at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory in New York.

ALUMNI TODAY



Michael Johnson '82



Lori Muehlbauer '86

CLASS OF 1971

Frank R. Andrecht is a teacher at the Earle C. Clements Job Corps Center at Morganfield, Kentucky.

Chris Anthony is executive vice president of HHQ/Nicholas, an Evansville food broker.

Management graduate **Robert C. Roeder** has become manager of the Indianapolis office of William M. Mercer Meidinger Hansen, a personnel consulting firm. He was state personnel director under former Governor Otis Bowen and has been with the consulting firm's Cincinnati office the past four years.

Social science graduate **C. Dennis Wegner** is an attorney, maintaining the C. Dennis Wegner & Associates Pro-Corp. law office in Indianapolis. He and his wife, Lani, live in Carmel with four children.

CLASS OF 1972

Tonia Arnold Bennett is supervisor of the computerized forwarding unit with the U.S. Postal Service in Kokomo, Indiana. She has a 4-year-old daughter.

Lawrence Foerster is an account executive with WRMN radio station in Elgin, Illinois, where he hosts a morning talk show. He and his wife, Nancy, a teacher, have three children.

Roger L. Griffin, sales manager for Hilti Fastening Systems, Inc., in Evansville, is chairman of the USI Varsity Club and a member of the USI Athletic Board.

Marketing graduate **Chris D. Melton** has been promoted to a senior vice president position with National City Bank, Evansville. He also was appointed as a citizen member of the Evansville Works Board by Mayor Frank McDonald II.

Jack L. VanWey is co-owner of Rite-Wey Services in Rockford, Illinois, and lives in Rockton, Illinois.

CLASS OF 1973

Michael W. Gelarden is a third-grade teacher at Chrisney, Indiana, Elementary School. He and his wife, Pearl Seifert Gelarden, live near Fulda and have three children.

Gary Isbell is a graphic artist with Crown Press Corporation in Evansville. He and his wife, Susan, have a daughter.

Biology graduate **Daniel P. King** has been a sales employee with Contractors Materials Company in Woodlawn, Ohio, since 1981. He and his wife, Sandy, live in Loveland; they have two children and devote most of their travel to home visits in Fort Branch and Evansville — plus "a yearly winter conference in a warm area."

Dental assisting graduate **Kathy Hunter Perdue** was among the new leadership recently installed by the Southern Indiana Chapter, Concerned Women for America.

Don Powers joined Industrial Filter Manufacturers, Evansville, as a sales engineer in March 1987. He is married to Stacy Schaefer, a sales representative for Indian Industries.

Accounting graduate **Danny M. Spindler** and Doug Given have formed a new property management, leasing, and commercial property sales real estate company, Given and Spindler, Inc., in Evansville.

Jane Snow is a library-media specialist at Naperville Central High School in Illinois. She moved there in the fall of 1986 from Brimfield Unit School District, where she had worked for 11 years. She plans to be married to Allan W. Sharka, a systems planning consultant with Sears.

CLASS OF 1974

Pat Cleary is project manager for MCI in Richardson, Texas. He lives in Dallas.

Elementary education graduate **Stan Covey**, a sixth-grade teacher at Northridge School in Crawfordsville, Indiana, was selected by NASA in October 1987 as one of 250 teachers in the nation to attend a conference on "Challenge for Tomorrow's School: A Perspective from Space" at Orlando, Florida. He received his master's degree from Purdue University, where he participated in an 18-month science program under a grant from the National Science Foundation.

Georgiana Dannheiser is owner and president of D & T Plumbing & Heating Co., Inc., in Henderson, Kentucky. She lives in Corydon.

Carol Tenbarga Fallen is a dental hygienist, working for a dentist and St. Mary's Health Matters Center in Evansville. She also has been certified by the International Dance and Exercise Association as an aerobic dance teacher. She earned a bachelor's degree at USI in 1979.

Sharon Reuber Kutzler is a teacher at the Haubstadt, Indiana, public school. She has three daughters.

Psychology graduate **Laura McDaniel** and her husband, John Hendricks, a pharmacist, recently became the owners of the Rx Shoppe on West Franklin Street, Evansville. They have two children.

William A. Moehlenkamp is with Sears in Chicago, having been promoted in September 1987 from assistant marketing manager to systems planning consultant. He lives in Aurora, Illinois.

Education graduate **Janet Stampfli Moore** is working part-time as secretary/treasurer of K. E. Jackell & Assoc., Inc., her husband's business in Louisville, Kentucky. She has earned a master's degree in education but is not teaching due to the birth of two children (1984 and 1986). She and her husband celebrated their silver anniversary in 1987; they have two other children, age 24 and 15.

Jeffrey Wandtke is an environmental scientist with the Environmental Protection Agency office in Kansas City, Kansas. He and his wife, Janet, live in Olathe; they have three children. She recently was elected president of their school PTA.

CLASS OF 1975

Gary L. Beck is a physician engaged in family practice in Evansville. His wife, Nikki, is a nurse at St. Mary's Medical Center. They have three children, including two daughters who are attending USI.

Art graduate **Sara Wolfgang Dodds** is married to a career Navy chief petty officer and the family has seen most of the United States in their travels. They now live in Norfolk, Virginia, where she is active in church work while he is away on the USS Guam. They have four children.

Glen F. Reisinger, a business graduate, has accepted a new job as a Dupont sales representative for the southern Ohio area. He lives in Spring Valley, Ohio.

CLASS OF 1976

Dennis R. Blackburn is owner of Farview Orchard, Inc., in Mt. Vernon, Indiana, where he lives.

Delmar Bromm is an industrial engineer technician with Jasper (Indiana) Wood Products. He lives at RR 3, Huntingburg.

Charles G. Broshears is director of Section 8 Housing with the Evansville Housing Authority.

Susan Byrum-Buss is office manager at Helfrich Insurance Agency in Evansville and keeping teaching skills in practice with a second/third-grade Sunday School class. She has two daughters.

Rebecca A. Croft is a senior manager with Federal Express in Jackson, Tennessee.

Michael Wayne Duncan is a business teacher at Castle High School, Newburgh, and a part-time instructor at Ivy Tech Southwest, Evansville. He lives in Henderson, Kentucky.

Branson Hart is a co-manager of Service Merchandise in Owensboro, Kentucky.

Mark Neidig is a vice president at Old National Bank, Evansville.

Business education graduate **Deborah Reis** recently accepted a position as training analyst in information services at Public Service Indiana, Plainfield. She received her master's degree from Indiana State University and previously taught for 11 years at the high school level; she also has taught college and adult education courses. She has developed word-processing curricula for adult education and will develop DisplayWrite/370 training at PSI.

Nicholas Rush is warehouse manager for Evansville Plumbers Supply. He and his wife, Mary Beth, have a son.

Management graduate **Catherine C. Simmons** is the southwestern Indiana examiner for the National Credit Union Administration, headquartered in Chicago.

Accounting graduate **Alan Bruce Stabenfeldt** has joined the Evansville accounting firm of Harding, Shymanski & Company as a tax specialist.

Elementary education graduate **Rosemary Summers** was one of nine black women honored in February by the Black Women's Task Force for contributions to the community. A board member of the Evansville Teachers Association and Indiana State Teachers Association, she has been particularly active in minority affairs, helped write a "How to Graduate" handbook for high school students, and organized a workshop for parents to help explain the new state student testing program.

CLASS OF 1977

James B. Dippel has a dental practice in Evansville.

Dr. David D. Dunigan is a postdoctoral associate in the department of Plant Pathology at Cornell University at Ithaca, New York. He recently returned from Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, where he attended the seventh International Congress of Virology. He and his wife, Carol Ann Quinky, have three children.

Gayle Henderson Rolfes is a dental hygienist with a Cincinnati, Ohio, dentist. Her husband recently bought a bowling alley in Batesville, Indiana. They live in Harrison, Ohio.

Mary Ann Krueger Shetler is a dental hygienist with a Newburgh, Indiana, dentist. She and her husband, Gary, live in Evansville.

CLASS OF 1978

William Dieckmann is minister of education with First Baptist Church in Gaffney, South Carolina. He and his wife, Jo Ann, a 1980 USI graduate, have two children.

Biology graduate **David Powell**, an Owensboro, Kentucky, physician, recently became a fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

Sherri Reynolds Wakeland is a second-grade teacher at Hebron Elementary School, Evansville.

CLASS OF 1979

Mark S. Chaffin is a senior accountant with Koch Label Company, Inc. He has been with the firm for seven years. He and his wife, Jena, have two daughters.

Jan Besing Firebaugh is a dental hygienist with American Family Dental Center, Indianapolis. She and her husband, Park, live in Greencastle.

Connie Simpson Grabert is a teacher at Holy Cross School at Ft. Branch, Indiana. She and her husband, Bill, live in Evansville; they have a daughter.

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Carolyn M. Klassy, a real estate appraiser with Don Cox & Associates, Evansville, now is a member of the board of the Evansville Chapter, Society of Real Estate Appraisers.

Gary G. Mueller has been manager of the meat department at Royal Super Foods, Evansville, for the past three years. He and his wife, Patricia Goans Mueller, have a daughter.

Michael D. Rhodes recently was promoted to international cash manager with Federal Express Corporation in Memphis, Tennessee. He received his MBA from Memphis State University in 1984 and passed the November 1987 CPA examination.

Patrick A. Walden is executive vice president and chief financial officer with Unified Mortgage Company in Houston, Texas.

CLASS OF 1980

Robert Canada is an attorney in Evansville.

Darlene R. Dycus, a German teacher at Central High School in Evansville since 1985, received her master's degree in secondary education in 1987 from Indiana State University.

Accounting and management graduate **Richard J. Goebel** has been promoted to accounting officer and manager of general accounting at Citizens National Bank, Evansville. He joined the bank in 1975 as a proof-transit clerk and was named accounting officer in 1983 and trust officer in 1985.

Elementary education graduate **Joyce Below Molinet** is a police officer for the City of Evansville. She and her husband, David, also a police officer, were married in February.

Norman Wendholt is a project civil engineer with Biagi Chance Cummins London Titzer, Inc., in Evansville. He passed the professional engineers test in 1987. His wife, Wilma, a 1982 USI graduate, is a teacher at St. James Catholic School at Haubstadt.

CLASS OF 1981

Marketing and business administration graduate **Linda Glaser Englert** is marketing services manager with Pepsi-Cola in Evansville. She was married in October to Bob Englert, is an employee of Koester Contracting.

Martha Franks became a science information specialist in October with Mallinckrodt, Inc., in Hazelwood, Missouri. She received her master's degree in library science from Indiana University in August. She lives in St. Louis.

Diane David Houston is co-owner of Grandma's Barbecue in Evansville. She lives at Newburgh and has a daughter.

General business graduate **Mark M. Schnabel** has received his second promotion in nine months with U.S. Postal Service in Savannah, Georgia. He was injury compensation specialist with the Evansville office prior to moving to Savannah in July 1987 to become safety manager; he was named manager of Safety and Health Services in March.

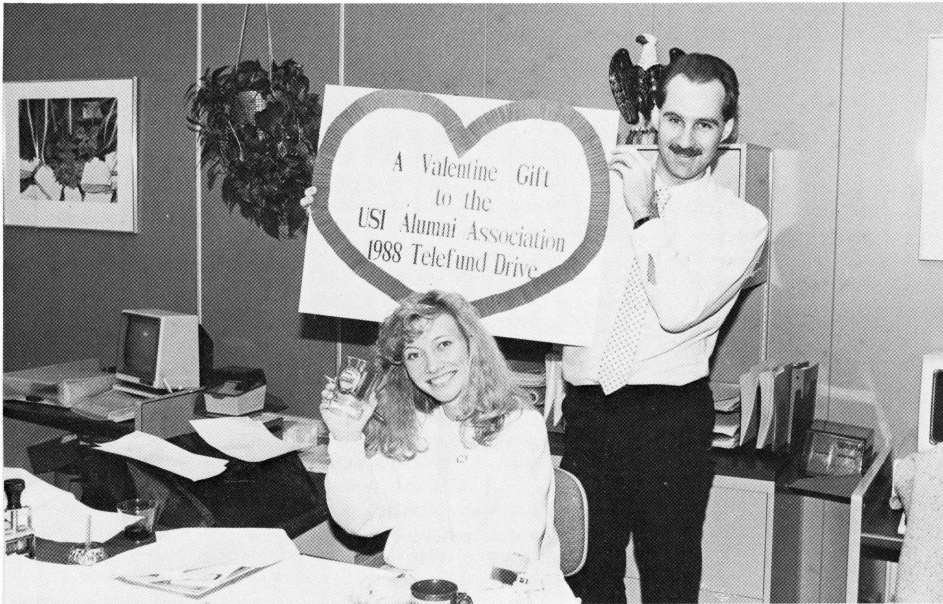
Cheryl Kellams Sermersheim is office manager of Kellams Equipment Sales in Ireland, Indiana. She and her husband, Mike, live in Jasper; they have two children.

Daniel R. Wagner is a production supervisor with Indian Industries in Evansville. He lives at Princeton, Indiana.

Jeffery M. Wolf has been promoted to director of reporting and analysis at Deaconess Hospital in Evansville. A CPA, he joined the hospital staff in 1983 and has been assistant director of finance. His wife, Donna Winger Wolf, a 1981 accounting graduate, is an accounting supervisor with CreditThrift. They have a son.

CLASS OF 1982

Psychology graduate **Larry Dale Archer** entered graduate school at the University of Missouri-Kansas City. He is completing the dissertation this year for a doctorate in counseling psychology and will complete an internship in August with the Veterans Administration Hospital in Knoxville, Iowa.



OVER THE TOP! The Alumni Association volunteers went over the \$35,000 goal to reach a record high of \$40,000 in the 1988 Telefund. Telefund chairman John Schutz and volunteer Donna Mesker celebrate.

NEW PROGRAMS ARE PLANNED

A Bachelor of Science degree program in physical education and wellness has been approved by the Commission for Higher Education and is expected to be implemented in the fall of 1988. The program brings together several options — preparation for teaching at the elementary, secondary, and middle school levels; preparation for employment in settings which emphasize wellness; and preparation for coaching.

The Commission has also received a request for program approval for a Master of Science in Liberal Studies degree program. Approved recently by the USI Board of Trustees, the program was proposed as a response to an expanding need for broader understanding and expertise in interdisciplinary studies, international affairs, and cultural diversity.

Jacqueline McCune Barrett is a third-grade teacher in the Horizons Program at Hebron Elementary School, Evansville. She has two children.

Susan Warren Clark has been named a Realtor associate with Emge Realty Company, Inc., in Evansville, after four years in real estate sales and three as a million-dollar producer.

Don C. Dailey received his doctorate in medical microbiology in January from Indiana University and is working under a postdoctoral fellowship at the University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio. His wife, Terry Simmons Dailey, a 1983 USI graduate, is a senior research assistant at the US Health Science Center.

Biology graduate **Michael P. Dick** is a second-year resident pediatrician at Sacred Heart Children's Hospital in Pensacola, Florida. He and his wife, Sharon Songer, were married in 1986.

Sharon Moore Dockery, a business education graduate, teaches at Central High School in Evansville.

Mark A. Duckworth is a teacher and assistant baseball coach at Henderson County (Kentucky) High School. He and his wife, Cynthia Schultz Duckworth, a 1981 USI graduate, have two children.

Michael E. Johnson is studio manager and a producer/director with USAF Television Center in the Pentagon in Washington, DC. He has been in the Air Force 13 years and in his role as video photographer, recently covered the arrival of Soviet Premier Mikhail Gorbachev in Washington. His group regularly works with the Secretary of Defense, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and other VIPs in the area. He and his wife, Sue, and family will leave in a few months for a trip to Korea and other Far East countries.

Respiratory therapy graduate **Linda M. Kissel** and Charles D. Cobb, an employee of Bristol-Myers USPNG, Evansville, were married in November. She is employed at Deaconess Hospital.

Candy Lietzow is a receptionist/assistant with J. Walter Thompson in Overland Park, Kansas.

Accounting graduate **Linda Leach Owen**, an employee of Faultless Caster Corporation in Evansville, was one of five accountants honored recently by the National Association of Accountants for their contributions on behalf of the organization.

Christine Schroeder Prior is an auditor with the Springs Valley Bank & Trust at French Lick, Indiana. She lives in Huntingburg.

Marketing graduate **Linda Kay Rohlfers** has been promoted to material handling scheduler at Whirlpool Corporation's Evansville plant. She joined the company as an hourly employee in 1978 and has held several positions in the materials, procurement, and quality control departments.

Karen Tuley is an accountant at Welborn Hospital, Evansville. She previously was in public accounting for three years.

Linda Joy VanMeter is a radiologic technologist at Community Methodist Hospital, Henderson, Kentucky. She and her husband, Allan R., manager of the Henderson County Water District, have two children.

Robynn Kormelink Working is a radiologic technologist at Deaconess Hospital, Evansville.

CLASS OF 1983

Nick Alcorn is a distribution supervisor with Colorcraft in Evansville. His wife, Bonnie Below Alcorn, a 1985 USI graduate, is teaching English at Central High School.

Patricia Bunner became a project engineer in June 1987 with Veach, Nicholson, Griggs, Assoc., in Evansville, working on road design.

Paul G. Burnett, 1983 management graduate and 1984 communications graduate, is executive manager of Market and Company, a public relations firm in Evansville.

Malayna Hudson Deig is purchasing agent at Brake Supply Hydraulics in Evansville. She and her husband, Daniel C., also a Brake Supply employee, were married in September.

Debra Schuessler Dick is a clerk with Bristol-Myers USNPG in Evansville. She lives in Mt. Vernon, Indiana.

Elementary education graduate **Patricia A. Henry** and Michael R. Reuber were married in February. Both are employed as mailers by the Evansville Courier Company.

Mining engineering graduate **Warren J. Ingram** has joined the Marvin J. Wright accounting firm in Evansville and is completing work on an accounting degree at USI.

Robin Goen Lannert is a dental hygienist for three Evansville dentists.

Business administration graduate **Michael Pursell** is a senior programmer with IBM Corporation in Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania. His wife, Kristine Titzer Pursell, a 1985 USI graduate, is an administrative project analyst with Pennsylvania Blue Shield and its systems and facilities management division.

Bryan Spilmon, a biology major who was graduated in 1987 from the Indiana University School of Dentistry, is an associate in the office of Dr. Dan Fink in Evansville.

Finance graduate **James L. Thomas** has been promoted to an assistant vice president position with Mid-West Federal Savings Bank, Evansville. He is manager of the bank's Newburgh office.

Accounting graduate **Roger A. Wollenmann** is a payroll clerk at the Evansville State Hospital, where he recently was voted "Employee of the Quarter" by his colleagues.

CLASS OF 1984

Accounting graduate **Lisa Sailer Calvert** has been named manager of the commercial loan department at Peoples Savings Bank, Evansville.

Accounting graduate **Laurie E. Feders** and Dale Glenn Berry were married in October. She is a tax associate with Coopers and Lybrand. He is self-employed in air-conditioning installation and service.

Emily J. Gardner is a sales associate with Ameritex Fabrics, working in the heart of the garment district in midtown Manhattan. She shows fabric lines to domestic and international buyers, travels throughout the U.S. and abroad to promote company goods, and will attend a fashion design school in the spring.

Kim Habig is a third-grade teacher at Ireland (Indiana) Elementary School. She has two sons and lives in Jasper.

Management/marketing graduate **Donald R. Hulsey** has been promoted to an assistant vice president position with Mid-West Federal Savings Bank, Evansville. He is manager of the bank's North Brook office.

Sandra K. Johnson is a production supervisor with Hollywood Brands candy bars in Centralia, Illinois.

David Sauls, a photographer for WRTV in Indianapolis, was named Division I Indiana Television News Photographer of the Year in February.

Sgt. David L. Smith is an Army Infantry team leader stationed at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, having just returned from a tour of duty in Korea. He and his wife, Veronica Brown Smith, a 1986 USI graduate, have a son.

Robert A. Wedding is a CPA with George S. Olive Company. He and his wife live in Henderson, Kentucky; they have a son.

Bruce Whipkey is general manager of All Weather Products in Evansville.

Michael M. Yon and **Mary A. Bauer**, a 1986 USI graduate, plan to marry in October in Evansville. They are in Chicago, where he is a district account supervisor for Hershey Chocolate Company and she is an account executive with Taylor-Johnson, Inc., a public relations firm.

Linda Roberts Young is a real estate sales representative with Century 21 Don Lee Realty in Newburgh, Indiana.

CLASS OF 1985

Finance graduate **Christopher A. Bengert** has been promoted to treasurer of First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Evansville.

Moulton Cato is working on a master's degree in organizational communications at Western Kentucky University, where he also is assistant soccer coach and an instructor in speech and communications.

Joyce L. Haller is a social worker at Cardinal Hill Rehabilitation Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky. She completed work on the Master's in Social Work degree at the University of Kentucky in 1987.

Russell E. Hill now is stationed with the Army 2nd Infantry Division in South Korea. He expects to be back in Evansville at the end of June.

Michael J. Hoersting has been promoted to senior staff accountant overseeing audit and tax work with York, Neel & Company in Henderson, Kentucky. He received his CPA certificate at the Kentucky Society's annual banquet in March.

Leanne Quehl Maurer is employed in sales at Lazarus department store in Evansville. She and her husband, Randy, have a son.

Computer information systems graduate **Mary C. Reibel** and Ronald L. Smith were married recently. She is employed in the law offices of Fine and Hatfield. He is employed by Sunbeam Plastics.

Maria Kissel Riedford is a medical technologist with Deaconess Hospital, Evansville.

Ken Schenk is a fixed-asset coordinator with Bristol-Myers USPNG in Evansville. He and his wife, Beth, have a daughter.

Cheryl Fowler Schmits is employed in the accounting department at R. L. Jeffries Trucking Company, Inc. Her husband, Robert, an electrical engineering student at USI, is employed by Contel of Princeton, Indiana.

Lucinda Cannon Smith began a new job in January as director of registry services for Visiting Nurse Services, Inc. of Atlanta, Georgia. She and her husband, Scott, a 1979 USI graduate, live in Stone Mountain.

Business administration graduate **Susan M. Spaetti** is Section 8 coordinator for the Jefferson County Housing Authority in Mt. Vernon, Illinois. She and Darrell E. Sneed, a National Mine Supply Company employee in Mt. Vernon, were married in February.

Tom Wallace is an insurance agent with Kochert Insurance Agency in Lanesville, Indiana. He lives at New Middletown.

Michael Weber is an Evansville sales representative with Hershey Chocolate USA of St. Louis.

Finance graduate **Kenneth C. Zuber** is employed with Edward D. Jones & Company, Evansville. He and Julie Ann Schutte, an employee of Bristol-Myers USPNG, were married in November.

CLASS OF 1986

Eric A. Adams has completed a six-month internship with Adam Opel Inc. in Ruesselseim, West Germany, a requirement of the Master of International Business Studies program in which he is enrolled at the University of South Carolina.

Stanley E. Addy is a teacher of German and psychology at North High School in Evansville. He was married in November to Linda Whitten; they live in Newburgh.

Business administration graduate **Richard D. Johnson** and **Gina Marie Vaal**, a 1988 business administration graduate, were married in December. He is employed by General Rubber and Plastics. They live in Newburgh, Indiana.

Joseph Lake has accepted a position as human resource specialist in the personnel department of Fries Correctional Equipment, Inc., Tipp City, Ohio, the manufacturer of equipment for jails and penitentiaries. He received the MBA degree from Miami University, Ohio, in August 1987.

Lori Muehlbauer is director of student activities at the University of Alabama, Huntsville. She has earned an M.S. degree in recreation and park administration, with emphasis on college union administration.

Scott A. Raber is a second-year medical student at the University of Kentucky College of Medicine and will begin his clinical studies in August. In the interim, he will fulfill his active-duty obligation with the Navy, doing general surgery at Balboa Naval Hospital in San Diego, California.

CLASS OF 1987

Dan Ackerman is an assistant planning and marketing employee with Aristokraft in Jasper, Indiana.

Clara Bertinelli is a counselor at the West Home in Henderson, Kentucky, where she works with girls about to be released from custody.

Steven A. Boberg is a support technician with K-Mart International Headquarters in Troy, Michigan. He lives in Pontiac, Michigan.

Art graduate **Jennifer Bolden** has been named art director of Market and Company, an Evansville advertising and public relations firm.

Tracey Givens Hazelwood is a dental hygienist with a dentist in Henderson, Kentucky.

Management/marketing graduate **Debbie L. Hensley** and John Alsop were married in November and live in New Harmony. She is a claims representative with State Farm Insurance; he is a farmer.

Diana L. Julian is quality assurance manager with Pepsi-Cola General Bottlers, Inc., in Evansville.

Kristine A. Karges is a general auditor with the George S. Olive & Company office in Indianapolis.

Sigmund V. Labhart III, a second lieutenant with the Army Signal Corps, has reported to his first duty station in Frankfurt, West Germany. He went on active duty in July and has since completed the Signal Officers Basic Course, Army Airborne School, and the Platoon Leaders EAC Course.

Karen K. Lewis is a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, working in the McAllen, Texas, office.

Barbara Martin is an assistant program coordinator at the Hillcrest-Washington Children's Home in Evansville.

Tracy Coleman Powers is a fourth-grade teacher at G. C. Burkhead Elementary School in Elizabethtown, Kentucky. She was married in July 1987 to Shawn Powers, a USI senior.

Sherry A. Schneider is an operations analyst with Old National Bank, Evansville.

Nelda Searcy is media director at Koleszar-Woodruff Advertising in Evansville. She lives in Mt. Vernon, Indiana.

Peggy Johnson Stone is a reading instructor with the Earle C. Clements Job Corps Center at Morganfield, Kentucky. A resident of Morganfield, she enjoys free-lance writing as a hobby and has had her first story — "Hurry Home and Tend My Sheep" — published. It appeared in the January 1988 issue of The Kentucky Explorer, a historical magazine. She was the first president of Golden Key National Honor Society at USI.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nick and Bonnie Below Alcorn, Evansville, a daughter, Meredith Nicole.

David and Jacqueline McCune Barrett, Evansville, a son.

John and Susan Ritter Browning, Evansville, a son, Kevin William.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Buchanan, Terre Haute, Indiana, a daughter, Megan Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Canada, Evansville, a daughter, Megan Marie Baugh.

Daniel and Susan Warren Clark, Evansville, a daughter, Christie Nicole.

Andrew and Jean Devine, Evansville, a son, Brandon Scott.

Steven and Sharon Moore Dockery, Evansville, a son, Michael Eric.

Mark and Cynthia Schultz Duckworth, Henderson, Kentucky, a daughter, Jill.

Park and Jan Besing Firebaugh, Greencastle, Indiana, a son, Fiske.

Bill and Connie Simpson Grabert, Evansville, a daughter, Jessica Lee.

David and Diane Houston, Newburgh, Indiana, a daughter, Brittney McKenzie.

Robert and Cathy Gentry Hughes, Evansville, a daughter, Lori Jo.

Gary and Susan Isbell, Evansville, a daughter, Brook. **Daniel and Sandy King**, Loveland, Ohio, a daughter, Christina.

Keith and Sharon Reuber Kutzler, Evansville, a daughter, Kasey Sue.

Dennis and Robin Goen Lannert, Evansville, a son, Corey Michael.

Richard and Jeanine Bohleber Machalk, Hobart, Indiana, a daughter, Sarah Jeanine.

Randy and Leanne Quehl Maurer, Evansville, a son, Kameron Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McElroy, Evansville, a son, Christopher.

Gary and Patricia Goans Mueller, Poseyville, Indiana, a daughter, Christine Michelle.

Robert and Carol Neisen, Evansville, a son.

Jeff and Janet Rigg Newell, Vincennes, Indiana, a son, Dean Andrew.

Kevin and Leslie Geiselman Oxley, Elberfeld, Indiana, a daughter, Jesse Marie.

Alan and Loretta Smith Peters, Evansville, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reising, Evansville, a daughter, Courtney Louise.

Stan and Darla Roesner, Clarksville, Tennessee, a son, Brad.

Nicholas and Mary Beth Rush, Evansville, a son, Tegan Lawrence.

Ken and Beth Schenk, Evansville, a daughter, Kendra Marie.

Gary and Mary Ann Krueger Shetler, Evansville, a daughter, Emily Megan.

David and Veronica Brown Smith, Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, a son, Jarrod Lee.

Fred and Mary Kittridge Spahn, Poseyville, Indiana, a daughter, Kimberly Marie.

Alan and Penny Campbell Staples, Haubstadt, a daughter, Lyndsey.

Gregory and Linda Schmitt Stilwell, Evansville, a son, Jeffrey Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Wedding, Henderson, Kentucky, a son.

Jeff and Donna Winiger Wolf, Evansville, a son, Adam Jeffrey.

Joseph and Robynn Kormelink Working, Evansville, a daughter, Tara Elizabeth.

DEATHS

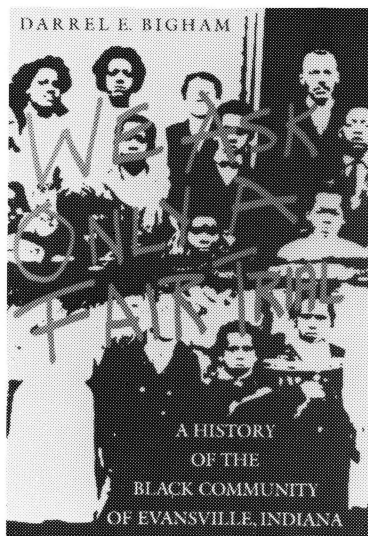
H. Byron Hubbard, board member of the USI Foundation and past president of the USI Varsity Club, died December 6 in Evansville. The 79-year-old founder and chairman of Evansville Sheet Metal Works, Inc. had received the honorary Doctor of Laws degree from USI in 1976 in recognition of his support for the University.

Anna Louise Scott Johnson, 68, formerly of Evansville and Henderson, Kentucky, died June 13, 1987, in Lake Kiowa, Texas. Mrs. Johnson had earned an associate degree at Western Kentucky University prior to completing work on a bachelor's degree in dental hygiene education at USI in 1975.

Darlene Jacquelyn "Jacquie" Swope, 45, died January 22 in Evansville. A nurse with the Vanderburgh County Health Department, she was the wife of David E. Swope, USI dental laboratory technology instructor. She was a 1982 health services graduate of USI and 1963 graduate of the Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing.

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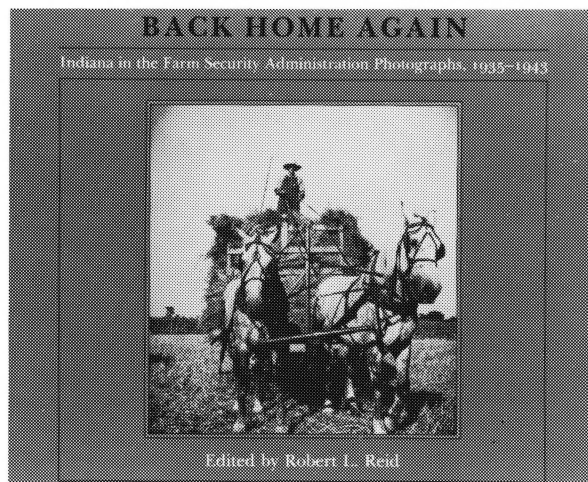
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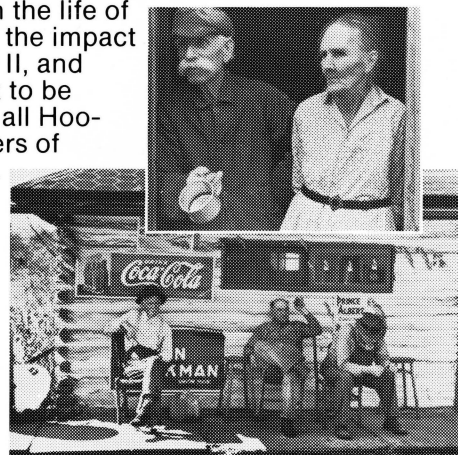
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