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**USI BOARD TO MEET IN INDIANAPOLIS.** The USI Board of Trustees will hold its November meeting at 1 p.m. Thursday, November 7, in Indianapolis. The session will be held in the state Capital because the date coincides with the meeting of the Indiana Commission on Higher Education.

**CURRICULAR COMMITTEE ACTION.** The Curricular Committee has given its initial approval for new courses and modifications in the Division of Humanities, including:

## PETITIONS FROM THE DIVISION OF HUMANITIES

### New Courses

ENG 286	Mythology .....	3 hours
ART 498	Internship in Art .....	3 hours
COM 498	Internship in Communication .....	3 hours
FR 301	Advanced Conversation .....	3 hours
FR 302	Advanced Composition .....	3 hours
FR 315	Readings in 20th Century French Literature ...	3 hours

### Modifications

ART 201	Introduction to Visual Arts .....	3 hours
MUS 202	Introduction to Music .....	3 hours

**NAMES IN THE NEWS.** Dr. George Abshier, USI professor of business, will be one of six panelists participating in an Economic Outlook Luncheon to be held at noon Thursday, November 14, at the Executive Inn, sponsored by the Metropolitan Evansville Chamber of Commerce. The panel -- drawn from faculty at USI, the University of Evansville, and Indiana University -- will discuss and project Indiana's and Evansville's economic trends and their effects on business and industry in the coming year.

**Dr. Robert E. Gehring**, associate professor of psychology, spoke October 31 to representatives of Panasonic and Southwestern Communications corporations in Evansville. The topic was "Combining High-Efficiency Video Training With High-Efficiency Computer Interaction."

The sculpture, "The World's Largest" by **Mr. John McNaughton**, USI professor of art, is featured on the cover of the latest i.e. ideal evansville brochure published by the Metropolitan Evansville Chamber of Commerce. The aluminum sculpture, located on the lawn of the Vanderburgh Auditorium, was one of two permanent outdoor structures commissioned by Alcoa Warrick Works in 1977; the second is located on the USI campus.

**Dr. Daniel C. Scavone**, professor of history, and **Dr. Michael D. Waitman**, associate professor of English, conducted a symposium titled "Therapeutic Images of Mythic Apotheoses" at the Ninth American Imagery Conference, held October 25-27 in Los Angeles. Dr. Scavone gave a slide/lecture presentation on "The Shroud of Turin in the Therapeutic Imagery of Jesus." Dr. Waitman presented a paper titled "The Buddha as a Healing Icon of the Psyche."

**DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR NOMINATIONS SOUGHT.** The Faculty and Academic Affairs Committee is accepting nominations for the Distinguished Professor Award, to be presented at the annual Honor's Day convocation in the spring. The deadline for nominating a 1986 recipient is Friday, December 6, the final day of classes for the fall semester. Nomination rules and forms are being distributed to faculty members through the Office of Academic Affairs. Queries for information or nominee forms should be directed to that office.

**SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY DAY.** The third Southern Hospitality Day of the fall semester will be held Monday, November 11. High school students are invited to visit the USI campus from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for tours and other special programs planned by the Office of Admissions.

**FINAL WEEK FOR UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN.** This is the final week for the United Way campaign at the University. **Ms. Judy Beck**, USI campaign chairman, said she hopes everyone "will help make this first year as USI a banner year by giving a fair share . . . the United Way." The campaign is being taken to faculty, staff, and students, and the various representatives will meet at 3 p.m. Friday in A 100 for final reporting. The campaign for the United Way of Southwestern Indiana will be wrapped up a week later, on November 15. Several campaign divisions have set new records with "fair share" contributions, which had topped \$1 million by the half-way point.

**SYMPATHY.** The University community extends its sympathy to **Mr. Ed Burk**, printing service supervisor, in the death of his father, **Thomas "Turk" Burk**, on October 23 in Evansville.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET AT USI.** The University community is invited to attend the annual meeting of the Vanderburgh County Historical Society on Wednesday, November 13. The speaker will be **Dr. L. C. Rudolph**, curator of books at the Lilly Library of Indiana University. He is a native of Jasper and holds the Ph.D. from Yale University. His topic will be "Religion in Indiana." His publications include Hoosier Zion: The Presbyterians in Early Indiana and Religion in Indiana: A Comprehensive Bibliography. The latter will be published in December by IU Press. The Historical Society meeting will begin with a buffet supper at 6:30 p.m. in the University Dining room; Dr. Rudolph will speak at 7:30. Reservations should be made through the office of **Dr. Robert Reid**, vice president for academic affairs, no later than Monday, November 11.

**POWER SHUT-OFF NOTICE.** Electrical power will be off for the entire campus on November 22 and 23, from 5 p.m. to 5 a.m. each night. Please plan now for any effect this may have on you or your department.

**IBM OFFERING DOS UPDATE.** IBM has offered to update all DOS 3.0 programs to DOS 3.1 at the minimal cost of \$30 each. Please submit your requisition to the Office of Purchasing with the front cover of your DOS 3.0 manual by November 15, as this offer will expire December 31. If there are questions, please call extension 1847.

**ORDER CALENDAR REFILLS.** The University Bookstore now is out of 1986 Success calendar refills (style 021). Please submit your order to the Bookstore before November 13. There will be only one more order placed after that date.

**HONOR STUDENT SYMPOSIUM.** The fall Honor Student Symposium on Research will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, November 9, in the University Conference Center. More than 40 USI honor students will participate in a program of interaction with various members of the faculty. Among participating faculty members and topics are **Dr. Howard Dunn**, professor of chemistry, "The Excitement of Chemical Research;" **Dr. Joseph Palladino**, assistant professor of psychology, "Drunk Driving: Dealing with the Problem in Light of Past Efforts, Public Knowledge, and Attitudes;" **Dr. Darrel Bigham**, professor of history, "History of the Black Community in Evansville, 1820-1930;" **Dr. John Gottcent**, professor of English, "Research on the Bible: Do We Really Need Any More?" and **Dr. Sandra Singer**, associate professor of psychology, "How Genes Affect Behavior."

**GERMAN PROFESSORS' LECTURE.** **Dr. Peter Gey** and **Dr. Wolfgang Quaisser**, assistant professors of economics at Goethe University in Frankfurt, West Germany, will be guest lecturers at USI on Thursday, November 7. They will discuss "The Political and Economic Reforms in China" at 2 p.m. in UC 351, and "The Cuban Economy Today" at 7 p.m. in Forum II. The two are former

colleagues of **Dr. Walter Jermakowicz**, formerly of Warsaw, Poland, and now an associate professor of business at USI. They have visited China and Cuba in recent months and have written books on China, Cuba, and Poland. Their visit here is being co-sponsored by the Office of Academic Affairs and Campus Ministry.

**USI THEATRE TO PRESENT "TO GILLIAN."** The contemporary drama, "To Gillian, On Her 37th Birthday" by **Mr. Michael Brady**, will be presented by the USI Theatre group Thursday through Saturday, November 14-15-16 and 21-22-23 at the Theatre, Igleheart and Barker avenues. Curtain time is at 8 p.m.; ticket prices are \$4 general admission, \$3 for USI students, faculty, and staff, and for senior citizens.

**FINAL "RIVERWIND" PERFORMANCES THIS WEEKEND.** The New Harmony Theatre Company will present the final performances of "Riverwind" at 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at Murphy Auditorium. The production also closes the 1985 season for the company.

**NEW GRASS REVIVAL PLANS BENEFIT.** The nation's premiere progressive bluegrass band, the New Grass Revival, will perform at 7 p.m. Sunday, November 10, at Murphy Auditorium in New Harmony, in a fundraising event to benefit The New Harmony Theatre Company. A former USI student and Reitz High School graduate, **Mr. John Cowan**, is an original member of the band, which is now riding high from the success of its album, "On the Boulevard." New Harmony Theatre is Indiana's only not-for-profit professional theater. New Grass Revival is performing for a minimal fee, with all proceeds going to help cover the theatre's expenses. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children under 12, and may be purchased at the Murphy box office.

**FATHER KISSEL TO SPEAK.** **Father Anthony Kissel**, director of the Campus Ministry, will be the speaker for the Faculty/Staff Christian Discussion Group meetings on Monday, November 11 and 18. Monday, his topic will be "Interrelationship of Nature and Grace." On November 18, the topic will be "Apocryphal Scripture," dealing with Armageddon and the last things. The group meets at noon in UC 308; interested faculty and staff members are invited.

**NEW HARMONY HOURS CHANGE.** A new winter schedule now is in effect at Historic New Harmony, Inc. The Atheneum will be open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on weekends; community tours will be available at 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. No special tours are available.

**RECRUITERS ON CAMPUS --** Indiana State Board of Health representatives will be on campus Friday, November 8, for job interviews.

**HUMANITIES FALL FILM SERIES.** "The Graduate" (1967, 105 minutes) Director, Mike Nichols; cast: Anne Bancroft, Dustin Hoffman, Katherine Ross. The film will be shown at 2 and 6 p.m. Tuesday, November 12, in Forum I; it is free and open to the public.

**EAGLES' SCRIMMAGES PRECEDE EXHIBITION GAME.** The USI men's basketball team will hold its first intrasquad scrimmage at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, November 7, in Central High School gymnasium. There will be no admission charge, but donations will be accepted for a **Donald Eric Harris Memorial Fund** being handled by the USI Foundation. Harris, a former USI basketball player, died last year after being stabbed in a fight at North Park.

The Lady Eagles will hold an intrasquad scrimmage at 5:45 p.m. Saturday, November 9, at the Physical Activities Center, prior to the exhibition game between the men's team and the Pont Prete Brazilian national team, which has two players over seven feet tall. The exhibition game will start at 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be \$5 for adults; USI students free; \$2 for other students and children. Season tickets will not apply for this game. There will be no admission charge for the Lady Eagles' scrimmage.

**SPORTS THIS WEEK.** **Cross Country** -- NCAA Division II Great Lakes Regional, Saturday, November 9, Ashland, Ohio.

**Volleyball** -- USI at Bellarmine, 6 p.m. Wednesday, November 6; USI vs. Arkansas State, Friday, November 8 at UE; USI, Indiana Central, and Kentucky Wesleyan, 12 noon and 1:30 and 3 p.m. Saturday, November 9 at USI; USI at Austin Peay, 7 p.m. Monday, November 11.

**UNIVERSITY CENTER DINING.** American Food Management serves hot meals from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day in the University Center Dining Room. The menu for the coming week will include (WW: waist watcher):

**Thursday**

Reuben & Chips  
Veal Parmesan  
WW: Stuffed Pepper

**Friday**

Ham & Beans  
Roast Beef  
Corn Dog  
WW: Chicken Salad

**Monday**

Beef & Noodles  
Turkey & Dressing  
Burritos  
WW: Tuna Stuffed Tomato

**Tuesday**

Quiche  
Beef Stew on Biscuit  
WW: Baked Fish

**Wednesday**

Chicken & Dumplings  
Mushroom Steak  
Pork Roast & Dressing  
WW: Pork Perugia

**WSWI PROGRAM SCHEDULE.** WSWI -- at 820 on the AM dial -- has a new daily program schedule that includes Symphony Hall from 8 to 11 a.m.; Big Bands, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; and Contemporary Music from 2 to 4 p.m. The station also features hourly news from the AP Radio Network. Sign-off for the winter months will be at 4:30 p.m. Special programming this week includes:

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

- 1 p.m. -- The 19th State: Sarah T. Bolton
- 1:15 p.m. -- Dimensions in Science: Nuclear Winter
- 1:30 p.m. -- Cambridge Forum: Speakout on Nuclear Winter

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

- 1 p.m. -- Common Ground: Hiding in the USA
- 1:30 p.m. -- Dialogue: King Lear or Uncle Tom's Cabin: Humanities and the Teaching of Values

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

- 1 p.m. -- 820-USI on Sports: Steve Bugg and Warren Korff take a look at the high school football sectionals
- 1:15 p.m. -- Cornell Forum: Scholars Computerize Ancient Greek Inscriptions
- 1:30 p.m. -- Asian Communique: Women Scholars in Asia

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

- 11:30 a.m. -- Radio Theatre: Great Gildersleeve, "Great Gildersleeve;" The Fat Man, "The 19th Pearl;" The Whistler, "Escape to Skull Island"

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

- 12 noon -- Broadway Bandwagon: "Big River," 1985 Tony Award musical based on Mark Twain's "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," with original New York cast

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11

- 1 p.m. -- Science Journal: Pallor or Parlor: Are Tanning Parlors Safe?
- 1:30 p.m. -- Focus on G.A.T.T.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

- 1 p.m. -- Prime Time: Find Out How Dangerous Some Insurance Policies Can Be
- 1:30 p.m. -- Soundings: Two Aspects of the American Landscape

## MARKETPLACE

### For Rent

Extra nice 3-bedroom home -- five minutes from USI; nice neighborhood; available at mid-December. \$350 a month; \$150 security deposit. Call 424-6235 or 425-5483.

### For Sale

1976 Monte Carlo -- 2-dr Landau, power, AC, 350 c.i. engine, 71,000 miles. Call extension 1808 or 985-5099.

Four quality office folding chairs -- upholstered, writing arms. \$25 each. Call extension 1714 or 985-5113.

1978 Dodge Monaco -- 32,500 actual miles, 4-door, AC, new interior. \$2,000. Call 422-7648.

1972 Nova -- gold w/black interior, 6-cyl., stand. trans., new starter, snow tires, winterized, 113,000 miles, body okay, runs excellent. \$450 firm. Call extension 1841, ask for Mark, or 422-8088 after 6 p.m.

Flexsteel couch -- beige/rust print, excellent condition. \$200. Call extension 1757 or 424-9343 after 4:30 p.m.

Hide-away-bed, couch, and chair -- brown and beige floral. \$150. Call 473-3027 after 4:30 p.m.

1976 Mercury Monarch -- 2-door, auto, A/C, completely rebuilt; 49,000 miles. Call extension 1701 or 473-3027 after 4:30 p.m.

#### **Save**

Shrine Circus advance ticket sales -- general admission tickets, \$2 (will be \$2.50 at the gate); can be traded in for reserved seats at a 50-cent savings. Call Ray Walker at extension 1945.

#### **Wanted**

Exercise bike -- call extension 1714 or 985-5113.

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**POSITIONS AVAILABLE.** The following positions are available as of November 4, 1985. The University of Southern Indiana is subject to the requirements of Executive Order 11246 and is an Affirmative Action Employer. Interested individuals should contact the Personnel Office, Administration Building, Room FWA 29, Extension 1770, or other persons designated.

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**FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE****DEPARTMENT**

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**Admissions Counselor****Admissions Office**

**Job Description.** Temporary full-time position available through June, 1986; responsibilities include counseling and interviewing prospective students; will evaluate applications for admissions, correspond with students, and assist with the coordination of various programs; some travel and evening work. Bachelor's degree required; individual should possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three references by November 8, 1985, to: Mr. Timothy K. Buecher, Director of Admissions, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

**Assistant Professor  
of Economics****Social Sciences**

**Job Description.** Tenure track position available August 18, 1986, to teach undergraduate courses in principles, statistics, and public finance. Completed Ph.D. and teaching experience in those fields required. Candidates should submit a letter of application, resume, and the names of three references by January 15, 1986, to: Dr. Daniel A. Miller, Chairman, Division of Social Sciences, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

**Assistant Professor of  
English/Journalism  
(Search Extended)****Humanities**

**Job Description.** Tenure track position available August, 1986. Individual will teach courses in composition and journalism and develop a laboratory affiliated with campus newspaper. Practical journalism experience and Ph.D. with emphasis in writing required. Submit letter of application, vita or resume, and the names of three references by February 7, 1986, to: Dr. James R. Blevins, Chairman, Division of Humanities, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

**Deferred Giving Advisor****Development**

**Job Description.** Part-time position. Individual will be responsible for developing and implementing a deferred giving program. The successful candidate will counsel individuals on charitable giving and estate planning. Individual must be goal oriented, highly motivated, and able to work with a minimum of supervision. Bachelor's degree and significant

experience in development, financial affairs, or marketing are required. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three references by December 5, 1985, to: Dr. David Rice, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

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**CLERICAL/SUPPORT**

**DEPARTMENT**

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**Intermediate Secretary**

**Continuing Education**

**Job Description.** Full-time position, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Responsibilities include performing general secretarial and receptionist duties; will answer inquiries concerning various aspects of Continuing Education, General Studies, and Academic Skills Development; will maintain student files and assist with processing and maintenance of non-credit course records. Minimum qualifications include a high school diploma and two years' secretarial experience or a combination of education and experience, and typing of 55 to 60 wpm; knowledge of word-processing preferred; college background desired.

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**Most of the trouble in the world is caused by people  
wanting to be important. -- T. S. Eliot**

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