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**STATE FAIR OPENS AUGUST 19.** The Indiana State Fair opens Wednesday, August 19, in Indianapolis and runs through Sunday, August 30. USI again will have an exhibit in the Universities Building and fair visitors are urged to drop by. Thursday, August 20, will be Collegiate Day at the fair, with special discounts available to University students, faculty, employees, and alumni. USI Day will be Saturday, August 29, when the USI Mid-America Singers will be featured in performances at 11 a.m. and 2 and 4 p.m.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Ron and Ruth Roat on the arrival Friday, July 24, of their first child, **Brittany Kay**. He is assistant professor of communications and she assisted with special projects last year in the Division of Humanities.

**LINCOLN DOCUMENT TO BE ON DISPLAY.** A rare document associated with **President Lincoln's** school days in southern Indiana is being returned to his boyhood home at Lincoln City for display in early August. The document is a page from a "Sum Book," the personal arithmetic notebook prepared by the young Abe, and is being loaned from the Library of Congress collection. The string-bound book may once have had more than 100 pages on which it is believed the young Lincoln copied problems from his teachers' sum books. He took his book with him when the family moved to Illinois and only 10 pages are known to exist today. The page offers a sample of the former President's handwriting, with a typical schoolboy verse in one corner:

Abraham Lincoln  
His hand and pen  
He will be good  
But God knows when.

The document may be seen from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. August 1-16 at the Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial Visitor Center. **U.S. Sen. Dan Quayle** will introduce a special program at 11 a.m. Sunday, August 9, about President Lincoln and the U.S. Constitution, during a weekend "Hoosier History Days in Spencer County" observance.

**FLOOD EXHIBIT REMAINS AT NEW HARMONY.** The "Great Flood of 1937" exhibit will remain on display at the Atheneum in New Harmony until it is moved to the Old Courthouse in Evansville. The exhibit was organized by **Dr. Robert Reid**, vice president for Academic Affairs, with the Division of Engineering Technology supplying maps and records of flood stages. The exhibit has been on display since the 50th anniversary observance in January.

**EMPLOYEE/DEPENDENT FEE WAIVERS.** Now is the time to apply for 1987 Fall Semester fee waivers for employees and dependents. Waiver forms can be obtained in the Office of Financial Aid, Room AD 112. Advance processing will insure correct fee assessments at the time of registration.

**APB SPONSORING PAN AM TRIP.** The Activities Programming Board is sponsoring a Pan Am Games bus trip to Indianapolis for the U.S. vs. Mexico basketball game on Wednesday, August 12. The bus will leave USI at 5 p.m. and return after the game, which will start at 9:30 p.m. Transportation and game ticket are \$20 for students (subsidized by APB) and \$25 for faculty and staff; 47 seats are available and will be allotted first-come, first-served. Call Student Activities, extension 1862, for reservations.

**WSWI PROGRAM SCHEDULE.** The University radio station (82 on the AM dial) features "Newsweek on the Air" at 11 a.m. Mondays, an hour-long program in which Newsweek magazine and Associated Press radio correspondents present news analyses and interviews with newsmakers found in the current issue. Among other daily features are Midday Report, 12-12:30 p.m.; Afternoon Program of Rock (with hourly AP news updates), 12:30 p.m. to sign off; and Afternoon Report, 4-4:30 p.m. Saturday features are Music from Oberlin, 9-10 a.m.; Morning Classics, 10-11:30 a.m.; and Big Band Review with Joe Hulus, 1-4 p.m. This week's programs include:

**THURSDAY, JULY 30**

- 7 a.m. -- **Next 200 Years:** How to Evaluate Teachers
- 11 a.m. -- **Common Ground:** U.S. and Japan
- 11:30 a.m. -- **Science Journal:** Organ Donation and Transplantation

**FRIDAY, JULY 31**

- \*11 a.m. -- **Asian Communique:** War in Afghanistan: U.S. Government Perspective
- 11:30 a.m. -- **Cornell Forum:** A Gene Shooting Gun for Plant Cells
- 11:45 a.m. -- **Current Events:** Dr. William Barnett, Continent Ostomy Center

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 1**

- 11:30 a.m. -- **Radio Theatre:** Dr. Christian, "The Norton Nose;" Aliens and the Mind, Part 1 of 6, "Island Genesis;" Suspense, "The Hitchhiker," with Orson Welles

\* Also aired at 7 a.m. and on Sundays

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 2**

- 12 noon -- **Broadway Bandwagon:** "Do Re Mi," Phil Silvers, Nancy Walker, '61 cast.

**MONDAY, AUGUST 3**

- 7 a.m. -- **Focus** on Human Rights and the Medical Profession
- 11 a.m. -- **Newsweek on the Air**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 4**

- \*11 a.m. -- **Prime Time:** Innovative Study Program for Senior Citizens
- 11:30 a.m. -- **Soundings:** Two Williams

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5**

- 11 a.m. -- **The 19th State:** Governors of Brookville
- 11:15 a.m. -- **Dimensions in Science:** Appetite Control
- \*11:30 a.m. -- **Conversations from Wingspread:** American Journalist, Part 1 -- Electronic Media

**SUMMER FESTIVALS** -- Summer festivals and special programs abound throughout Indiana and the Tri-State. Events during the next two weeks will include:

**"Young Abe Lincoln"** -- Lincoln State Park, through August 30; Indiana's only outdoor drama focuses on Lincoln's years (age 7 to 21) in southern Indiana; 8:15 p.m. (CDT) Tuesday-Sunday (closed Mondays), Lincoln Amphitheatre.

**Strassenfest** -- Jasper, Indiana, Thursday-Sunday, July 30-August 2; biergarten, festival events, bed race.

**Native American Days Festival** -- Angel Mounds State Historic Site, Saturday-Sunday, August 1-2; Indian crafts and displays.

**Tell City Schweizer Fest** -- Tell City, Indiana, Sunday, August 2 and Wednesday-Saturday, August 5-8.

**Vanderburgh County 4-H Fair** -- 4-H Center, Tuesday-Saturday, August 4-8; exhibits, rides, entertainment.

**Germania Maennerchor Volkfest** -- Thursday-Saturday, August 6-8; German food and music.

**Great Ohio River Flatboat Race** -- Thursday-Saturday, August 6-8; race heats and competitions, begins in Owensboro, Kentucky and finishes at Dogtown, Indiana.

**Henderson Historical Days** -- Henderson, Kentucky, Friday-Sunday, August 7-9; arts and crafts, entertainment, bluegrass in the park, downtown and riverfront area.

**Zoar Mosquito Fest** -- Zoar United Methodist picnic grounds, Friday-Saturday, August 7-8; country and gospel music, flea market, old-fashioned games.

## MARKETPLACE

### For Rent

House -- West Side. Call 963-3707 for details.

### For Sale

1973 Buick Century -- red/white V-8, 80,000 miles, new brakes and exhaust system, interior in very good condition. \$300. Call 425-3202.

Baby carseat/carrier -- to 17 lbs.; beige/brown. \$20 (negotiable). Call extension 1701.

1976 Dodge Colt -- uses regular gas, gets about 20 mpg. Cheap to license and insure. Semi-new tires and battery. Call 1932 or 422-4288 after 5:00 p.m.

52-family rummage sale -- Saturday, August 1, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tri-State Painting Parking Lot, 15 East Riverside Drive.

**POSITIONS AVAILABLE.** The following positions are available as of July 28, 1987. 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.

FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE

DEPARTMENT

**Academic Systems Analyst**

**Computer Center**

Position description: Full-time, administrative appointment; responsibilities include providing support for the computing needs of faculty and students; will conduct workshops, act as a faculty and student consultant and maintain system documentation. Position requires a bachelor's degree in a computer-related field with a master's degree preferred; a working knowledge of FORTRAN, BASIC, COBOL, and statistical packages is required; recent experience as a programmer or systems analyst on a prime computer in a university system desirable. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three professional references by August 13, 1987, to: Mr. Wayne Bohm, Director of Computer Services, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

DEPARTMENT

**Secretary**

**Division of Social Science**

Position description: Part-time position for the Center for Communal Studies; flexible schedule. Individual will perform general secretarial, clerical, and receptionist duties and assist with special projects. Position requires a high school diploma with one to two years of general office experience, typing skills of 50-55 w.p.m.; knowledge of word-processing equipment desired.

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**A realist is an idealist who has been flattened by experience.**

— Anonymous

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