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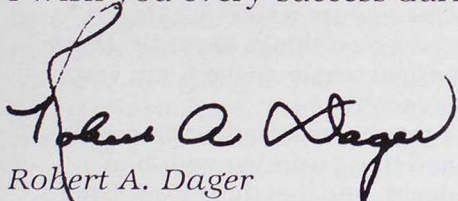
# President's Message

As we enter this final decade of the twentieth century, we find the world in a state of transition. In Eastern Europe and elsewhere changes are occurring which were unthinkable a few years ago, offering us renewed hope for the 1990s.

The new decade finds Northeast also in a state of transition promising strong hope for the future. The University has an increasingly talented student body and has continued to receive very favorable comments from the outside, including our double listing in *U.S. News & World Report's* survey of America's best colleges. The prospects for the coming decade are looking very bright indeed.

On a personal note, I feel privileged to have had the opportunity to act as President during this period of transition. With a truly high-quality faculty and staff at Northeast we have been able to offer our students the standard of education that they deserve and need for the future.

I wish you every success during the next decade.



Robert A. Dager  
President



## “All I wanted to do was teach.”



*“You try to set a good example, display enthusiasm, emphasize the teaching, research and student involvement. That’s the real essence of what we’re all about.”*

For three years after high school graduation, Robert Dager worked on his family farm in northeastern Indiana. He drove the tractor, baled hay, raised chickens and grew corn, beans and wheat—all of this while dreaming about teaching.

When Dager was 21, his father agreed to send him to a two-year business school. He attended the school full time while working part time with Sears, Roebuck and Co. At the end of the first year, Sears asked Dager to work full time. He agreed and found himself working in downtown Chicago only one year after leaving his Indiana farm life.

“In ’63 I had some opportunities for advancement with the company,” Dager said. “But at that time I still did not have a college degree, and I was still vitally interested in teaching.”

“A friend of mine at Sears decided to leave the company and go back to school to enter the teaching profession. I decided that if he could do it, then I could do it.”

Dager did do it and never regretted the move. He attended Ball State University in Muncie, Ind., and in four years earned a master’s in business education. He taught high school for one year in California and one year in Michigan.

Just as Sears had lured Dager away from his two-year business school, Ball State did the same from his high school teaching career. From 1968-74, Dager served as assistant director of student financial aid.

But education kept throbbing in the back of Dager’s head. His desire to teach had not lessened in any way. After earning his doctorate in education administration, business education and adult education at Ball State, he resumed his teaching career.

In 1974, Dager became an assistant professor of business at Northeast. It was here he finally felt at home and fell in love with the direction Northeast was taking.

While his teaching has gradually lessened through the years, his enthusiasm for higher education has gradually increased. With “a mind for the mission” Dager applied his expertise as head of the Division of Business and Accountancy from 1976-89.

After Dan Ball left the University this past summer, Dager was also appointed acting head of the Division of Education—a position critical to the success of the University’s new Master of Arts in Education program.

In September, he was chosen interim president of the University.

Sandra Fleak, interim head of the Division of Business and Accountancy, has the highest respect for Dager.

“I really can only say good things about Dr. Dager,” Fleak said. “He’s an excellent person to work for, very understandable, and cooperative.”

Fleak also said he sets his expectations extremely high for both himself and those working with him.

“And without a doubt, he’s met those expectations,” she said. “We have a high-quality program and a lot of this has come about from his leadership.”

Leadership has been a lifestyle for Dager, not just a job. He serves on both the Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce and the United Way of Adair County boards of directors, and is a past vice president of the Chariton Valley Association for Handicapped Citizens. He is a member of the Kirksville Kiwanis Club for which he served as president in 1984. His list of community leadership and awards is long.

His professional achievements are even more extensive. He was director of the John R. Kirk Honors Institute, has served on the Council on Teacher Education, the Undergraduate Council, Graduate Council and Faculty Senate. In 1986, he completed a management development program at the Harvard University Graduate School of Education.

He is a family man who, despite the added responsibilities of the University presidency, makes time for his wife and three sons. The youngest of the 19-, 13- and 11-year-old sons, is mentally handicapped.

“I love people and helping people learn. To me, it’s a challenge to be able to take a given body of knowledge,

information and ideas, and try to help students internalize them. It's just a real challenge," Dager said.

"The challenge is not just to teach them knowledge in rote memorization, but to get them inside the issues, to look at all the issues, to communicate their perspectives on the issues."

And the frustrations and failures that come with it?

"That's part of the challenge," Dager said. "In a sense, I'm not sure this is a very good analogy, but maybe education is somewhat like painting a picture. You have an idea of what you want the painting to look like, and you work and you work and you work. But when you get half-way finished, you don't like it. What do you do? Do you throw it away? Start over? Or do you try to fix it? You try to fix it, I think."

That analogy may also be applicable to Dager's situation now, as interim president. Scrap the mission and start a new one, or continue improving on the one we've got?

"You try and set a good example, display enthusiasm, emphasize the teaching, research and student involvement. That's the real essence of what we're all about," he said. "I have no plans for major changes. But I'm sure that in the years ahead, there will be changes. There have to be changes if we are to continue to grow."

"I've been here for 15 years and have experienced the changes. I really agree with the mission. I agree with what's happening at this institution. If I can be a part of continuing those efforts, then I can continue being excited."

If Dager continues contributing his part, NMSU's painting is sure to be "fixed" (or bettered in Northeast's case), rather than thrown away.

"What gets me excited, motivated and enthusiastic is that I really believe that this institution is well on its way to becoming a very high-quality public liberal arts institution," Dager said. "Now, that sounds like a bunch of rhetoric you've read over and over again, but I really believe it."

"... It's going to take a continued commitment on the part of the students. They're here to learn; they want to be challenged. It's a faculty that's still excited about learning. Teaching, yes, but faculty have to continue learning."

"I don't think our goal is to become a very high-level research university. But, I believe that the faculty are interested in research and have the capabilities of doing good research and writing. And with the student body expressing more interest in research, we can involve them in this research."

Dager's perception of NMSU in 1999 is "...the most outstanding public liberal arts school in the Midwest," he said confidently.

"I would hope that in 1999, when people hear 'North-east Missouri State,' they get the same feeling as most people would get when they hear 'Miami of Ohio.' We'll have 5,800 very select students and an outstanding faculty."

In 1989, NMSU isn't too far from those goals. This nationally acclaimed public university is being thought of as a great educational institution by more and more people every day.

And now, that farm boy from Indiana—the one who wanted to be a teacher—is the interim president of that institution.

—Chris Holmes is a senior mass communication major from Canton, Mo.

## Selecting a president



Ray Jaeger

The Presidential Search Committee announced three finalists for president of the University at a press conference Jan. 19. Following is a brief summary of each candidate's experience:

J. Wade Gilley—Doctorate in engineering with studies in biological and environmental sciences, Virginia Polytechnic Institute; taught mathematics, engineering and environmental science; former president of Bluefield State College (W. Va.); former secretary of education of Virginia; past interim provost, George Mason University (Va.); currently senior vice president, George Mason University.

Kala M. Stroup—Doctorate in speech communication and human relations, University of Kansas; taught advanced courses in communication and rhetoric; former dean of women, University of Kansas; former associate dean, liberal arts and sciences, University of Kansas; former vice president for academic affairs, Emporia State University (Kan.); president, Murray State University (Ky.); currently on sabbatical leave from Murray State University as a senior fellow of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, Washington, D.C.

Russell G. Warren—Doctorate in economics, Tulane University (La.); taught economics and government; former dean of the college of arts and sciences, University of Richmond (Va.); former special assistant to the vice president and provost, and assistant to the president for academic affairs, University of Richmond; former vice president for academic affairs, University of Montevallo (Ala.); former acting president, James Madison University (Va.); currently vice president for academic affairs, James Madison University.

Each of the three finalists will participate in on-campus interviews during February.

The Presidential Search Committee met Jan. 4-6 in St. Louis to interview the eight semi-finalists for the position. The decision to invite eight candidates for off-campus interviews had been made at the Nov. 27 closed session of the committee.

The committee received more than 90 applications. The applications came from a wide geographic area, representing 38 states and the United Kingdom. The committee members and its consultants from the Association of Governing Boards were impressed with the high quality of the persons interested in the position.

"The University can be exceptionally proud to have such a high interest nationally in this strategic position at Northeast," **Kimberly Ahrens '68**, chair of the search committee and secretary of the Board of Governors, said.

## Fleak and Clapp appointed as interims



Sandra Fleak

education, as interim head of the Division of Education. They will serve



Kay Clapp

head of the Division of Education since July 1989.

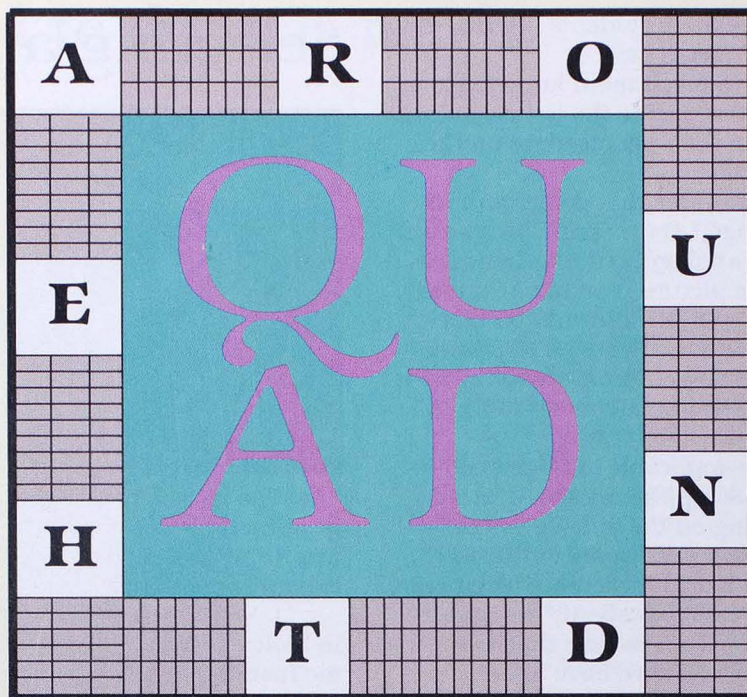
**Sandra Fleak**, associate professor of accounting, was appointed interim head of the Division of Business and Accountancy, and **Kay Clapp**

**(78)**, assistant professor of education, as interim head of the Division of Education. They will serve during the absence of Interim University President Robert Dager, who had served as head of the Division of Business and Accountancy since 1976 and as acting

## High scores on CPA exam

**Debra Steiner Bainbridge** ('89) had the highest score in Missouri on the May 1989 Certified Public Accountant Exam and will be awarded the Gold Medal by the Missouri Society of CPAs for her performance.

**Sophie (Jauhjun) Yarn** ('87) scored second highest on the exam and will receive the Silver Medal award.



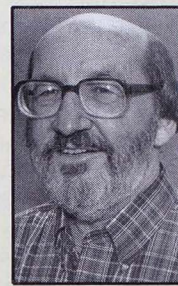
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Nominees for NMSU Educator of the Year were (front row): **Brian McGuire**, assistant professor of chemistry; **Dean Van Galen**, assistant professor of analytical chemistry; **Darryl Egley** ('87), instructor of mathematics; (back row) **Larry Stephens**, assistant professor of history; **Ruth Bradshaw** ('67), instructor of foreign language; and **Patrick Lecaque**, assistant professor of French.

## Van Galen selected NMSU Educator of the Year

**Dr. Dean Van Galen** received the NMSU Educator of the Year award for 1989. The award was established to provide a way for the students of NMSU to show their appreciation for exceptional teaching and dedication. Alpha Phi Sigma, Pershing Society, Phi Eta Sigma and Student Senate sponsored the award and banquet, Nov. 8. **Katie (Olsen) Steele** ('83), second district state representative, gave the keynote address.

## Wilson named "Nan Wade" professor



**Herman Wilson**, professor of English, is the 1989-90 Nan Wade Distinguished Professor of English.

The Board of Governors established the

distinguished chair to honor the late Nan Wade, professor emeritus of modern languages, and to promote excellence in scholarship.

Although Wilson never met Wade, he said that over the years, his colleagues have told him that the way he works and teaches resembles the way of Nan Wade.

## Cheng on China



Best-selling author **Nien Cheng** opened the 1989-90 Lyceum Series, Sept. 13. Cheng's lecture was based on her autobiography, *Life and Death in Shanghai*. She

provided her audience with an incisive, rare personal account of a terrifying chapter of 20th-century history in Communist China. The program was co-sponsored by the Residential Colleges of the University.

## Gibson gives Smits lecture

The first Henry Smits Philosophy and Religion Lecture Series presentation in September featured **Roger Gibson ('71)**, chairman of the Department of Philosophy at Washington University (St. Louis). The annual series was established by the Division of Social Science in recognition of Professor Emeritus of Philosophy Henry Smits' 22 years of service to the University. Smits, who retired in 1988, attended the lecture and received a resolution of appreciation from the University.

and *Thomas Mann: Structural Tradition*; a history of English patent law in the 19th century by Moureen Coulter, assistant professor of history; a collection of papers presented at a symposium on Heidegger and the environment by Ladelle McWhorter, assistant professor of philosophy; a collection of talks on history by Richard Sullivan, professor emeritus of history, University of Michigan (formerly of NMSU); and a biography of Andrew Taylor Still by Carol Towbridge.

## Beeler summa cum laude for Summer '89

**Elizabeth Beeler ('89)** was the sole summa cum laude graduate during NMSU's summer Commencement. Beeler, an elementary education major, is in graduate school at the University of Missouri-Columbia working on a master's in curriculum and instruction. Constance Ewing

Cook gave the commencement address to 250 graduates in August. Cook serves as coordinator of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary-Education's Comprehensive Program located in Washington, D.C. Her responsibilities revolve around the \$12 million annual grants competition which awards funds for improvement projects and innovations in higher education.

## University Press publishes professional works

The Thomas Jefferson University Press at NMSU publishes professional textbooks and monographs. Books which have been published through the Press are *The Microeconomics of Trade* by Seymour Patterson, associate professor of economics; *Theological and Aesthetic Roots in the Stone-Campbell Movement* by Dale Jorgenson, professor emeritus of music; and *The Continuum: A Critical Examination of the Foundation of Analysis* by Hermann Weyl, translated by Stephen Pollard, associate professor of social science, and Thomas Bole. *Show Me Missouri Women: Selected Biographies*, sponsored by the American Association of University Women is now in its second printing. Forthcoming publications include Professor of English Jim Barnes' *Fiction of Malcolm Lowry*



Ray Jagger

## Campus surpasses United Way goal

In recognition of Northeast's United Way fundraising efforts, co-chairs Tom Duden, professor of music, and Cindy Harper, 1000 Hills Summer Youth Program secretary, presented a certificate to NMSU President Robert Dager at the Victory Luncheon, Nov. 14. The campus United Way campaign officially ended Oct. 31 and raised \$28,684, surpassing the \$28,200 goal.

Student donations, including the PFM United Way Food Fast, totalled \$3,093. Alpha Sigma Alpha and the International Association of Business Communicators received awards for having raised more than \$100 each during the campaign.

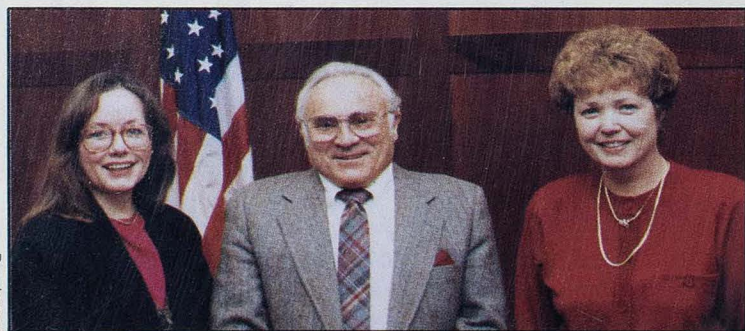
Faculty and staff donated more than \$11,650, with 13 divisions and offices having 100 percent participation. More than 100 people donated at least \$100, adding \$13,939 to the campaign total.



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### Christmas classic performed

Ballet Omaha presented the 1989 ConAgra Nutcracker tour as they brought Tchaikovsky's classic Christmas tale to the NMSU stage, Nov. 29, in Baldwin Auditorium as a part of the 1989-90 Lyceum Series.



Ray Jagger

### Governing board elects officers

NMSU's Board of Governors elected officers for the 1990 calendar year at the Dec. 15, 1989, meeting. Elected were President Nancy Schneider of St. Charles, Mo.; Vice President **Frederick Lauer ('50)** of Raytown, Mo.; and Secretary **Kimberly Ahrens ('68)** of Hannibal, Mo.



Ray Jagger

### Missouri's best

President Robert Dager received the Missouri's Best Award from State Treasurer Wendell Bailey at a ceremony in Kirksville last November. The award was established by Bailey to recognize "those who have worked behind the scenes, to serve local communi-

ties and the state." NMSU was specifically cited for providing outstanding higher education opportunities to the young people of Missouri and the Midwest. Several other Kirksville organizations, businesses and individuals were also recognized by Bailey.

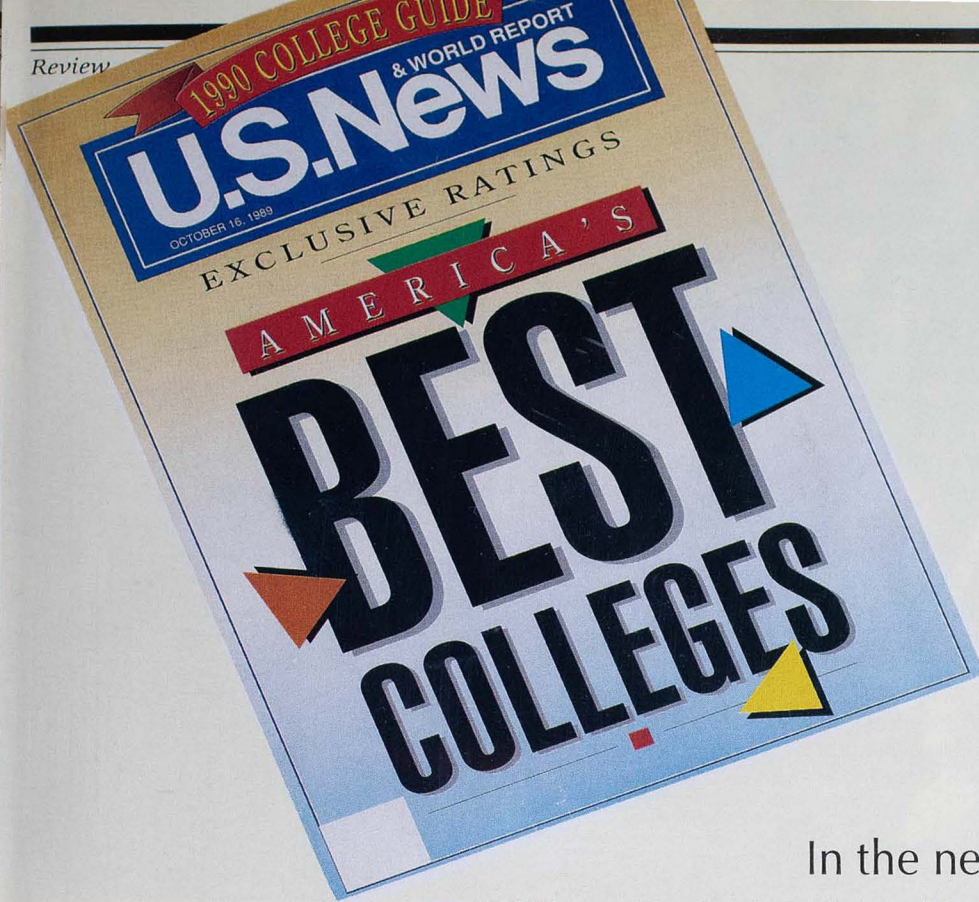


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### Career Day brings companies and recruiters to campus

The Business Placements Office sponsored Career Expo '89, Oct. 26, in the NMSU Student Union Building. More than

1,000 students met with representatives from 127 different businesses and organizations to gain valuable employment information.



## Delta Sigma Pi named best chapter in nation

The Iota Nu chapter of Delta Sigma Pi national business fraternity received the Outstanding Chapter in the Nation award at the Grand Chapter Congress in St. Louis, Aug. 15. More than 169 chapters competed for the award nationwide.

Fifty-two members of Iota Nu attended the week-long chapter congress. The chapter also received the National Outstanding Community Service award for overall community service.

**Sara Beth Fouch ('79)**, business academic adviser, received the Chapter Adviser of the Year award for the Midwestern Region of Delta Sigma Pi. Fouch has been adviser of Iota Nu for the past two years. In addition, **Karen Barkey ('81)**, district director of Delta Sigma Pi in St. Louis, received the national award for District Director of the Year.

## In the news, again

NMSU is one of America's best colleges and the Midwest's best buy for a comprehensive university education.

Northeast ranked 13th among comprehensive universities and colleges and lowest in cost for the Midwest according to an Oct. 1989 special report by *U.S. News & World Report*.

Northeast was the only public Missouri institution to be named, with the private William Jewell College (Liberty, Mo.) ranking fourth in the same category. Michigan Technological University was the only other public institution among the Midwest's top 15 schools.

The magazine based its survey on five academic areas: selectivity in admissions, reputation of the university, quality of faculty, financial resources and student retention.

Selectivity was based on admission acceptance rates, college-entrance examination scores and high school class standings among members of the freshman class.

Reputation was determined by the results of a survey administered to nearly 3,900 college presidents, academic deans and admissions officers. This is the fifth year *U.S. News* has given the survey.

Faculty quality figures were based on student/faculty ratios, percentage of faculty with doctorates and faculty salaries.

Financial resources were derived from colleges' per-student endowment income, library budget and funding from state and local governments.

Retention was measured by the average percentage of freshmen in the '85-87 classes who returned to that institution as sophomores and the average percentage of freshmen in the classes of '81, '82 and '83 who earned bachelor's degrees from that institution within five years.

Others cited in the report include Yale University (Conn.) as the best national university, Swarthmore College (Pa.) as the best national liberal arts college and Illinois Wesleyan University at the top of Northeast's category.

The 1988 report by *U.S. News* listed Northeast as one of the country's five most innovative colleges and universities and was the only public institution to be named in that category.

## Award-winning Greeks

The Alpha Beta Chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha was named the country's outstanding chapter for 1989 when it received the national organization's Crown of Excellence Award. 1989 also marked the chapter's 75th anniversary on the NMSU campus.

The Beta Chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma received six awards at the fraternity's national convention in Springfield, Ill., in August. It was awarded fourth place in the Edward H. McCune Distinguished Chapter Award, recognizing success in all aspects of the fraternity: membership, scholarship, finances and successes on respective campuses. It was named runner-up for the Emmet Ellis Scholarship Award and the E. Kennedy Whittesitt Newsletter Award and received first place for the Robert Nagel Jones Charitable Project Award and second place for the Thomas M. Hutsell Chapter Efficiency Award. Sigma Tau Gamma at NMSU, established in 1921, is the oldest fraternity on campus.

## Science seminar features Dr. Robert Allen

Dr. Robert Allen, scientific director for the American Red Cross Blood Services in St. Louis, presented two lectures in September for the Science Seminar Series at NMSU. He spoke on "DNA probes and their use in diagnosis and identity" and he held an informal seminar titled, "Strategies employed for identity testing."

# LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL!



was the theme for Northeast's 50th Anniversary Homecoming held Oct. 20-22. **Martha Decker Blair ('40)**, NMSU's first Homecoming Queen, returned to serve as parade marshal. She rode in a horse-drawn carriage similar to the one that carried her in the first parade. Also returning to campus were members from the classes of 1939, '49, '59, '69 and '79 to celebrate their respective reunions.



*Staff members get into the Homecoming spirit by dressing '50s and '60s.*

*Photos by Ray Jagger*



Alumni and students enjoyed a weekend of great weather filled with a variety of activities. The weekend began with the pep rally and coronation where Tina Kruse, a senior from Thief River Falls, Minn., and Russ Swain, a sophomore from Rockford, Ill., were crowned Queen and King. Later that evening, Jerry Seinfeld entertained a capacity crowd in Baldwin Auditorium with side-splitting comedy.

Saturday began with nearly 100 runners in the fourth annual Bulldog 5K, followed by the parade down Franklin Street. For lunch, hundreds of students, faculty, staff and alumni gathered at Red Barn Park for the annual Chilifest. Those in attendance were treated to the sights and sounds of the NMSU Gamblers Marching Band, a jazz trio and a chili-eating contest. Later that afternoon about 6,000 football fans saw Southeast Missouri State defeat the Bulldogs 28 to 24 with a touchdown in the last 45 seconds of the game. Spirits were not dampened, however, at the post-game reception at the Days Inn Convention Center, where more than 300 alumni and friends reminisced.

The weekend concluded early Sunday morning with the second annual Bulldog Classic Golf Tournament. Nine teams competed in the scramble tournament held at the Kirksville Country Club.

*(left) Fans whoop it up during the football game. (below) 1989 Homecoming royalty—Tina Kruse and Russ Swain, far left. (bottom middle) Jeff and Marilyn Romine talk with Board of Governors member Gary Ball during the Kirk Society reception. (bottom) The Alumni Association's special guest, Jerry Seinfeld, kept a capacity crowd laughing.*

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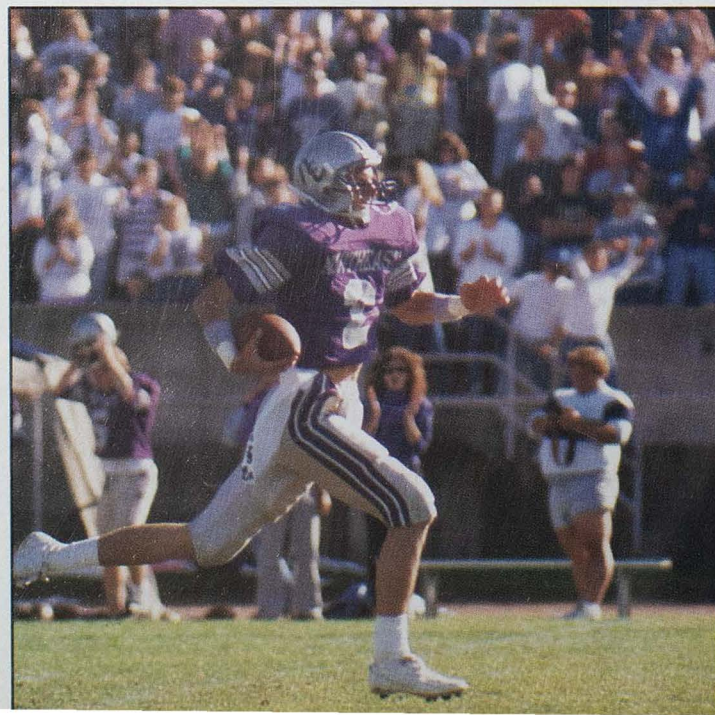
# 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY

**NORTHEAST  
MISSOURI  
STATE UNIVERSITY  
HOMECOMING**





(above) The Bulldog 5K started festivities on Saturday morning. (right) NMSU cheerleaders perform during the parade. (below left) The Alumni Association held its first chili-eating contest. (below right) Alumni gathered for a reception later that night.



(left) Sophomore Nate Truelson streaks down the sideline during Northeast's game against Southeast Missouri State University. (above) One of the Bulldog Classic Golf teams sizes up a putt.

## H O N O R E D C L A S S E S



**1939** 1st row: Virginia Burns Moody, K. Darline Tharp, Doris Rudasill Harmon, Mary Margaret Shoush Estes, Mable Inman, Gertrude Mallinkrodt Pickett, Erma Knight Dunham, Hazel Newcomer Baurichter, Esther Eger Gardhouse. 2nd row: Francis Paris Bartlett, J. Gail Albright, Duane Cole, LaVerne Cable, Glenn Estes †, Walker Allen, Henry Roberts, Howard Bogener, Kenneth Sykes, Emil Green, Hildreth Moody, William "Bud" Friesz.

**1949** 1st row: Ruth Milhoan Deskin, Pat Feese Semanek, Edie Ford Erzen, Martha Brockman Novinger, Louise Smock Sternfield, Beverly Hull Gallatin. 2nd row: Jim Byland, John Semanek, Dick Erzen, Orville Bowers, Gale Bartow, Jim Eastman, Harold Robb. 3rd row: Jack Ray, Max Benner, Earl Dodd, Morris Osburn, Mark Fox, Charles Durall, Harry Gallatin, Floyd Walker.



**1959** 1st row: Imogene Howard Hill, Judy Paradise Nelson, Gaylia Miller Grant, Diana Le Fevre Vittetoe. 2nd row: James M. Hill, George W. Nelson, R. Gene Gardner, Alta Carson Whitney, Larry Whitney.



# H O N O R E D C L A S S E S



**1969** 1st row: Sandy Potosky Schneider, Janet Smith Gramm, Mary Binder Peterson, Gloria Burnett Homan, Cindy Irwin Stockwell, Jeanine Nill Lohr, Phyllis Warden Fevurly, Lois Kay Daily, Diane McDermott, Lois Toedebusch Boeger, C. Gay Powell Youngman, Linda Hutchinson Smith.

2nd row: Joyce Bachman, Debby Dunn Wheeler, David Romberg, Royce "Skip" Gramm Jr., Barbara Faust Neff, Kathel Addleman Cooper, Judy Dissinger Frohling, Gary Peterson, Jim Cook, Clyde La Rue, Gloria Weyand Brazell, Stephanie Polhans, Dennis Brayton.

3rd row: Allen Kressman, Roger Frowein, Jim Williams, Mike Brake, Mark Hayes, Richard Brimer, Steve Rose, Fred Kingsolver, Robert Copithorne, Allen Fick, Don Leavengood, Bob Johnston, Ed Stockwell, Don Yates.



**1979** 1st row: Sara Beth Pash Fouch, Maureen Kelly Temme, Jani Lynn Spurgeon, Karen Orscheln Guynn, Joyce Gentry Coleman, Kathy Hogan Rogers, Mary Liz Fick, Peggy Sick Coop, Janet Crouse, Janice Crouse.

2nd row: Mickie Butler Kinney, Jim Temme, Priscilla Fager Norman, Sandy Johnston, Becky Sarris Vigliaturo, Barbara Munden Rentschler, Robin Kampmann Gunderson, Sherri Meyer Gauger, Bob Steffes, Dan Ryan, Eileen May Dyall, Kitti Carriker.

3rd row: Winston Vanderhoof, Michael Tuley, Hugh Emerson, Jane Baughman, Bob Maschmann, Billy Gilbreath, Craig A. King, Charles "Cookie" Thornton, Kevin Harrison, Bob Thomasson, Mark V. Gray, Fred Couch, Randy Rogers.

“Boy, if I could ever play with those guys . . .”



U.S. Army file photo

The soldiers snapped their instruments to their faces in one quick, flawless motion. The conductor slowly lifted his hand then stabbed the air, sending the trumpets into a flurry of intense, ear-piercing staccatos. Loud perfection.

“Boy, if I could ever play with those guys it would be the greatest,” 12-year-old Tommy thought.

This “greatness” Tommy perceived of The United States Army Band is precisely what General of the Armies John J. Pershing envisioned when he ordered the formation of the group in 1922. After hearing stirring performances of the great European bands during his World War I tour as commander in chief of American Expeditionary Forces in Europe, Pershing demanded a musical organization for the United States that would be without peer. The United States Army Band (“Pershing’s Own”) became that organization.

Today, The United States Army Band performs more than 3,000 times each year serving as the Army’s musical emissary. It is comprised of The United States Army Chorus, The United States Army Orchestra, The United States Army Herald Trumpets, The United States Army Ceremonial Band, The United States Army Brass Band, The Army Blues, The United States Army Chorale and The United States Army Brass Quintet.

Pershing, an 1880 graduate of the First District Normal School at Kirksville (today, NMSU), probably never dreamed of the multifaceted organization he created. But then again, 12-year-old Tommy never dreamed he’d be directing three of those bands two decades later.

Today, Tommy is Capt. Thomas Harold Palmatier, associate bandmaster of the United States Army Band, and director of the United States Army Ceremonial Band, the

United States Army Brass Band and the United States Army Herald Trumpets. He earned a master’s degree from NMSU in 1977.

On Oct. 8, 1989, Palmatier brought his United States Army Herald Trumpets to Baldwin Auditorium.

“Up until recently, I hadn’t realized Pershing had even attended what is now NMSU,” Palmatier said. “When I found that out, it was really kind of nice. We (the members of the U.S. Army Band) really value our connection with Gen. Pershing.”

Palmatier learned of Pershing’s relationship with NMSU through Professor of Music Roger Cody, his former teacher/supervisor at Northeast. Cody and Palmatier continued keeping in touch following their working relationship in 1976-77. The Army conductor even called his former instructor earlier this year and asked if he’d arrange a piece of music for the Herald Trumpets.

That piece, “Sonata Vespertina,” enjoyed its premiere in their NMSU concert.

This triadic combination of Pershing, Palmatier and Cody, makes the United States Army Band especially unique to NMSU. That uniqueness, however, could never equal the magnitude of that which millions of U.S. citizens have felt for the band for more than three quarters of a century.

From foreign dignitary arrivals to honors for Army funerals, from Inaugural performances to the relighting of the Statue of Liberty, the United States Army Band has been there with its loud perfection. And now, it is modestly gratifying for NMSU affiliates to know that when one particular conductor slowly raises his hand then stabs the air, he’s putting a little Northeast Missouri State into it.

# Dateline

## TUCSON, ARIZ.

### Hubin receives scholarship

**Kert Hubin ('89)** received a \$4,000 graduate studies scholarship from the University of Arizona-Tucson, where he is currently working toward his master's degree in Latin American studies. He is presently employed with the Arizona Museum at Tucson where he works with Jesuit Priests translating Old Spanish archives documents.

## CHULA VISTA, CALIF.

### Brewington is centurian

**Ann Brewington ('20)** celebrated her 100th birthday on July 22 last year among friends in Chula Vista, Calif.

## WESTPORT, CONN.

### Charitable emcee still on the road

**Robert "Red" ('38)** and **Peggy Graham** continue their fight for the rights of the handicapped, as they perform at benefit shows all over the country. Red, known as the "Charitable Emcee," has traveled at his own expense with his wife Peggy to all of the 50 states, making more than 500 appearances as a result of their work with the President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped. They stress the rights of handicapped to employment and the need for handicapped to get as much education as possible, amidst a show of singing and updated renditions of the 1940s radio show "Duffy's Tavern," which Graham helped to originate. As a result of their philanthropy, they have received numerous citations and keys to various cities and are the only couple to receive the President's Achievement Award.

## WASHINGTON, D.C.



*Thurman (center) receives congratulations from Erich Bloch, director, National Science Foundation (left), and Dr. Alan Bromley, assistant to the president of the United States for science and technology (right).*

### Thurman wins Presidential Teaching award

**Greg Thurmon ('86)**, a biology teacher at Salisbury (Mo.) High School, was selected as a recipient of a Presidential Award for Excellence in Science and Mathematics Teaching. This award carries with it a grant of \$7,500 from the National Science Foundation to his school "to supplement but not replace other resources used for improving the science and mathematics program," according to a letter from John Fowler, the project director. Thurmon also received an expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C., in October for a conference of all award winners.

## KAMPSVILLE, ILL.

### McCully project under way

The McCully Heritage Project in honor of Eva and **Howard ('33) McCully** is currently in prospectus, and plans incorporate the development of their land in Crawford Creek County south of Kampsville, Ill. The proposal includes building the Museum of the Apple Kingdom, focusing on an array of seasonal events educating the public

about the local products and their by-products, and the McCully Nature Center, relating to the study and use of the natural environment. Overall, the land will be preserved and the project will combine the past, present and future aspects of the natural environment and the importance of agriculture in Calhoun County, Ill.

## ANAMOSA, IOWA

## Nims pens novel

**Jack Nims ('84)** signed copies of his first novel in July at the Anamosa Public Library. *The Wind As Messenger*, a 200-page historical novel, centers on the turn-of-the-century life in the Dakotas. Nims currently works with Mexican-American students in southern Texas in the English as a Second Language Program in Cotulla (Texas) High School.

## SMITHLAND, IOWA

## Etched in stone

**Keith Hesse ('85)** had his first professional showing of his slate etching artwork in August. Hesse's work was displayed in his workshop, Etched in Stone, in Smithland, Iowa, and also in Omaha, Neb., for the Douglas County Fair at the Coliseum. To his knowledge, he is only one of two slate etchers in the world, using old chalkboards from closed schools as his medium. His sandblasted slate pieces were first exhibited at NMSU in 1985.

## EUNICE, LA.

## Smith named chancellor

**Michael Smith ('67)** was named Chancellor of Louisiana State University-Eunice in October.

## CHARLESTON, S.C.

## Burghoff survives Hugo

**Margaret Burghoff ('79)** saw the wrath of Hurricane Hugo in September firsthand, as she served as a Red Cross volunteer during the hurricane. She manned a shelter in Charleston, S.C., helping those made homeless.

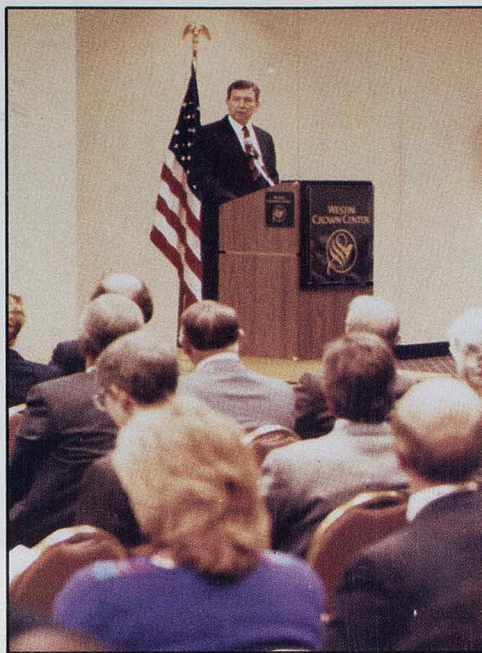
## COLUMBIA, MO.

## Hendren named outstanding math teacher

**Gary Hendren ('62)** recently was named Missouri's Outstanding Mathematics Teacher at the Missouri Council of Teachers of Mathematics (MCTM) Annual Meeting last Decem-

## KANSAS CITY, MO.

## Ashcroft challenges education leaders



Ray Jagger

Missouri Governor John Ashcroft challenged the higher education community to follow Northeast's lead and define a specific mission for each of its institutions. In his speech to college and university leaders attending the Governor's Conference on Higher Education in Kansas City, Ashcroft said the institutions in the state need to focus their efforts.

He complimented Charles McClain, commissioner of higher education and past president of Northeast, on being a national leader in academic assessment. Ashcroft said it was time to take this idea one step further, and finished his talk by calling on the Coordinating Board for Higher Education to change its funding formula so that at least a small portion of each institution's funding is based on performance, or what they "added to each student."

ber in Columbia, Mo. His 28 years of teaching experience have been in St. Louis County—six in the Riverview Gardens School District and the last 22 at Parkway Central High School, where he serves as mathematics teacher, racquetball coach and athletic director.

He has been an adjunct faculty member of NMSU for the past 22 years.

## JEFFERSON CITY, MO.

## Estes recognized as Education Pioneer

**Isabelle Aydelott Estes ('31)** was designated as a "Pioneer in Education" in September. Estes was among six Missourians to be recognized by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for outstanding contributions to public education in the state. She is a former music teacher and school board member in the Rolla (Mo.) School District.

## North appointed to humanities council

**Steven Frank North ('80)** was appointed to the board of directors of

the Missouri Humanities Council by Gov. John Ashcroft in July. The Council is the only statewide Missouri organization devoted exclusively to promoting public appreciation and understanding of the humanities. North is currently a managing partner of the Becky Thatcher Book and Gift Shop in Hannibal, Mo., and is active in Hannibal civic affairs.

## ROLLA, MO.

## Harmes named outstanding biology teacher

**Harry H. Harmes ('66)** received the 1989 Outstanding Biology Teacher Award for the state of Missouri given by the National Association of Biology Teachers. This honor identifies biology teachers who have made valuable contributions to the profession and to their students. Criteria for the award include teaching ability, experience, inventiveness, initiative and inherent teaching strengths. Harmes has taught biology and human anatomy and physiology at Rolla High School for 19 years.

## MOBERLY, MO.



Ray Jagger

## McClain honored by past and present boards

Dr. Charles J. McClain was honored Oct. 17, 1989, by past and present NMSU governing boards. Pictured left to right, front row: **Robert M. Fenlon ('65)**, **Elmira Baiotto ('63)**, **Mary Erwin ('57)**, Charles J. McClain, James R. Reinhard, James F. Conway, Hilburn Fishback; back row: **Frederick C. Lauer ('50)**, **Ric Brockmeier ('87)**, **Marietta Jayne ('41)**, **Kimberly A. Ahrens ('68)**, Bruce H. Hunt, Caroline Funk, Michelle Blotevogel, F. William Kasmann, Edward R. Jayne, John H. Bartow. The gathering took place at the Ramada Inn in Moberly, Mo., where Dr. McClain was originally hired as Northeast's president.

## ST. LOUIS



Ray Jagger

President Robert Dager and University staff greeted approximately 250 alumni and friends at a reception in St. Louis, Nov. 2, at the Holiday Inn Downtown Convention Center. The reception, sponsored by the NMSU Alumni Association, was held in conjunction with the annual Missouri State Teachers Convention.

## SPRINGFIELD, MO.

## Graves named Teacher of the Year

**Katie Graves ('71)** was named Missouri Vocational Teacher of the Year at the 20th Annual Joint Conference of the Missouri Vocational Association held in Springfield, Mo., last summer. She will now represent Missouri for the AVA Region III Teacher of the Year Award. Graves has taught marketing and cooperative education at the Kirksville Area Vocational-Technical Center since 1981 and served as president of the MVA for the 1988-89 year.

## ST. LOUIS

## Furqan expands export market



Ray Jagger

**Furqan and his wife, Gretha Salmon Furqan ('75)**, talk with President Dager during Northeast's Alumni Reception in St. Louis.

**Wali A. Furqan ('74)** and his firm, Furqan International, a St. Louis-based import-export consulting and marketing company, were featured in the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*. The firm began exporting toothpaste and related dental products to the Middle East last year. He and his company stress the global market as the only market for American exports, pinpointing Africa and the Middle East as underdeveloped export markets. Furqan International currently promotes exports of locally grown soybeans, as well as scales, valves and office supplies.

## West wins Senior Olympic gold

**Elsie West ('52)** won gold and bronze medals and two fourth place ribbons in swimming during the National Senior Olympics last June



# Sports



## Former NMSU basketball coach dies

**Boyd King ('37)**, men's basketball coach between 1946-71, died Monday, Jan. 1, 1990, in a Rochester, Minn., hospital where he had been a patient for almost two months.

King, who was 75, was inducted into the Missouri Basketball Hall of Fame last summer ('89) and was a charter member of the NMSU Athletic Hall of Fame in 1983.

During his 25-year tenure as NMSU coach, King's teams compiled a 380-190 record, won seven Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association conference championships and qualified five times for the NAIA or NCAA College Division post-season playoffs.

He was named College Division District Coach of the Year by the National Association of Basketball Coaches in 1970-71. King was also a recipient of a merit award for distinguished service from the NABC.

After he quit coaching, King continued to teach in Northeast's Division of Health and Physical Education until his retirement in 1977.

King, a native of Hannibal, Mo., earned 11 letters in football, basketball and baseball at NMSU.

He coached basketball at Pittsfield, Ill., and Hannibal, and served as an ensign in the Navy during World War II before returning to NMSU in 1946.

King is survived by his wife, Emily.



**Eric Holm named football coach at NMSU**  
**Eric Holm ('81)**, former Bulldog offensive coordinator, has been named head football coach at NMSU.

Holm was offensive coordinator this past year at Eastern Illinois, which advanced to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division I-AA playoffs before losing to Montana, 25-19.

He was NMSU offensive coordinator the previous three seasons, resigning last February to join EIU.

During the time Holm was on the NMSU staff, the Bulldog offense was ranked nationally in a number of NCAA Division II statistical categories. The 1985 team led Division II in total offense and passing offense and broke or tied 24 school and conference records and nine Division II marks.

Holm played football from 1977-80 at NMSU, earning second-team Associated Press Little All-America honors in 1980. He still holds the school record for single-game touchdown receptions (four). As a senior, Holm was chosen as the team MVP and captain.

He then became NMSU receiver and quarterback coach before his appointment as offensive coordinator in 1986.

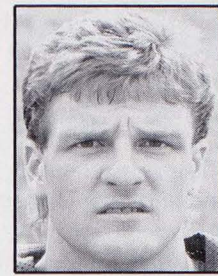
After receiving a B.S. in physical education from NMSU, Holm was a graduate assistant on the Bulldog staff and also served as an admissions counselor for the University. He also holds a master's in sports administration from Northeast.

"We're fortunate to have Eric Holm as head football coach," University President Robert Dager said. "He has proven himself capable of returning to Northeast and leading our football program. Eric was selected from a field of excellent candidates."

Holm is married to the former Penny Jackson, and they have a daughter, Erin Denise.

## Strickler Lands on 1989 GTE District Academic Team

Junior Bill Strickler, a free safety on the NMSU football team from Edina, has been selected for the GTE District 7 College Division Academic Football Team.



College sports information directors from Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana, Colorado, Wyoming and the Canadian provinces of Sas-

katchewan and Alberta voted for the 1989 District 7 Team. To be eligible for all-district recognition, a player must be a starter or an important reserve with a 3.20 cumulative GPA or better (on a 4.0 scale) in the classroom. No player is eligible until he has reached sophomore athletic and academic standing at his current institution. Transfers must have completed one academic year at the nominating institution.

Strickler, who is carrying a 3.61 GPA in finance/management, led the 1989 Bulldog defense in tackles with 86 total stops. He was a 1988 all-Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association first-team selection and a 1989 all-conference third-team choice. Strickler was a 1989 Football Preview pre-season All-American and Academic All-American.

## NMSU investigates football scholarships

The University has reported a possible violation of NCAA rules concerning athletic scholarships. It appears that small unauthorized cash payments were possibly made to some football team members. The number and amounts of such payments are being investigated by the University with the assistance of its auditing firm, Coopers & Lybrand, of St. Louis, Mo. A full report will be submitted to the NCAA upon completion of the current investigation.

**F**OOTBALL The 'Dogs lost 13 players from a 1989 team, which finished 4-7 overall and was eighth in the final Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association standings.

Eight of the seniors were starters, including James McCoy (Chicago-De LaSalle), who finished his career with 2,174 total yards rushing in three years at Northeast. The 5'8", 147-pound McCoy, narrowly missing the 1,000-yard plateau, gained 991 yards on 239 carries in 1989. He was named to the all-MIAA third team.

Other starters who will not be back are offensive linemen Dave Friese (Washington, Iowa), Bill Marzulo (Matteson, Ill.-Rich East), and Chris Smith (St. Peters, Mo.-Fort Zumwalt); tight end Rick Voss (Washington, Mo.); defensive linemen Dave Northington (Washington, Mo.) and Tim Rockhold (Green Rock, Ill.-United Township); and linebacker Keith Gudehus (Edina, Mo.-Knox County). Friese was selected for the 1989 all-conference second team.

Key holdovers from this year's team include junior quarterback Jeff Frost (St. Peters, Mo.-Fort Zumwalt); junior flanker Benny Pardue (Waynesville, Mo.); junior free safety Bill Strickler (Edina, Mo.-Knox County); and junior defensive lineman Chris Cannon (St. Louis-Riverview Gardens).

Frost, chosen to the all-MIAA honorable mention list last fall, passed for 1,990 yards and 10 TDs. So far in his NMSU career, he has recorded 4,234 yards and 29 TDs.

Pardue caught 54 aerials for 786 yards and three TDs in '89 and has hauled in 94 passes for 1,260 yards and eight TDs in his career. He is seventh on the Bulldog career reception list and eighth among all-time yardage leaders.

Strickler led the Northeast defense in total tackles this year with 86, and Cannon was fourth in that category with 73.

Pardue was picked for the second all-league team, Strickler was on the third team, and Cannon was honorable mention.

Other 1989 NMSU starters slated to return next season include sophomore offensive linemen Dave Quentin (Cedar Rapids, Iowa-Jefferson) and Owen Doak (Rock Island, Ill.-Alleman); sophomore split end Jeff Johnston (Washington, Iowa); sophomore fullback Kent Bates (East Moline,

# BULLDOG FALL ROUNDUP



Senior tailback James McCoy receives the handoff from junior Jeff Frost in NMSU's Homecoming game against Southeast Missouri State University.

Ill.-United Township); junior outside linebackers Dan Clevidence (Galesburg, Ill.) and Lynn Mergen (Grinnell, Iowa); freshman inside linebacker Greg Godi (Kirkwood, Mo.); junior defensive back Marc Carson (Des Moines, Iowa-Roosevelt); and freshmen defensive backs Tony Gerke (Rockford, Ill.-Boylan) and Robert Merriman (St. Louis-Lutheran-North).

**Jack Ball ('64)**, resigned as head football coach at the end of the season.

"I'm resigning for the good of my family, myself and our football program," he said. "I plan to seek another coaching job, but I haven't determined whether it will be a head job or an assistant job. There was no pressure for me to resign. It was a decision I made on my own with the counseling of my family," Ball said.

Ball's seven-year cumulative record as Bulldog coach was 36-39-0.

He was named MIAA Coach of the Year in 1985 and 1988 when the Bulldogs were conference champions.

**MEN'S SOCCER** Both NMSU soccer teams failed to capture a berth in the NCAA Division II Championships, but they finished their 1989 seasons ranked in the top 20 nationally.

The Bulldog men, 13-6-1 overall, were tied for 17th in the final Division II Poll and ranked fifth in the final regional poll. East Stroudsburg (Pa.), defeated by NMSU 2-1 this past season, Oakland (Mich.), which handed the 'Dogs a 2-1 setback, and Gannon (Pa.) received tournament bids.

Key losses from the 1989 roster are two senior forwards, Quinn Ross (Portland, Ore.-Aloha) and Sean Marlowe (Florissant, Mo.-Hazelwood West), leading scorers on the team



Ross

with 20 points apiece. Marlowe, third on NMSU's career scoring list, was named by his teammates as the Most Valuable Player, while Ross was selected as the Outstanding Offensive Player this fall.

Ross, a 1988 and 1989 Division II second-team All-American, shattered five school records in 1989 and tied the mark for career goals (35). He is trying out for the professional soccer league team, Portland Timbers.

Sophomore goalkeeper Stefan Wall (Lincoln, Neb.) broke the school standard for most consecutive shutouts (5). He also tied his NMSU record for most campaign shutouts (7).

Marlowe, Ross, Wall and junior back Pat Rhode (Lantzville, British Columbia, Canada-Nanaimo) were selected for the 1989 Division II All-American Midwest Team.

NMSU head coach Dave Poggi was selected Division II Midwest Coach of the Year.

**WOMEN'S SOCCER** The NMSU soccer women hope to pick up next fall were they left off at the end of the 1989 season. Coach Al Duran's Lady Bulldogs finished with an 11-5-1 overall record, the best in the history of women's soccer at Northeast, and were ranked 15th nationally in the final poll.

They lose just two seniors, midfielder Jennifer Chickering (St. Louis-Riverview Gardens) and back Tracy Feder (St. Louis-Ursuline Academy). The top six scorers and starting goalkeeper are slated to return in 1990. Freshman forward Kathy Corson (West Chester, Ohio-Lakota) led the team with 41 points, followed by junior forward Shauna Putnam (Webster Groves) with 34 and junior Stacy Erickson (Florissant-Hazelwood West) with 21. Freshman goalie Janet Larson (Urbandale, Iowa) was credited with 92 saves and five shutouts (new NMSU record) in 17 games.

Four Lady Bulldogs were chosen for 1989 NCAA Division II All-American South Central honors. Putnam was named to the first team, while Corson and Feder made the second team. Sophomore back Maggie Froelich (Pala-

time, Ill.-William Fremd) received honorable mention recognition.

All together, the four players accounted for eight new school marks, including most goals (16) and points (42) by Corson.

## MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

The NMSU cross-country men, led by senior Don Obert's (Liberty, Ill.) seventh-place individual finish, came in 11th at the 1989 NCAA Division II Championships in East Stroudsburg, Pa.

Obert was the first runner on a Bulldog men's squad to earn All-American recognition since 1975. He covered the 10,000-meter course at the NCAA event in 32:17.7. The team finish was NMSU's highest since placing seventh in 1965.

In addition to the NCAA finish, the Bulldogs won the Division II Great Lakes Regional for the first time and came in second at the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association Championships, hosted by NMSU.

Obert, senior Tom Hackworth (Liberty, Mo.) and junior Stan Johnson (Elmwood, Ill.) captured all-MIAA and all-region laurels.

Only Obert and Hackworth will be lost to graduation from Coach Ed Schneider's 1989 squad.

**WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY** For the NMSU cross-country women, the end of the 1989 campaign came in a seventh-place finish at the Division II Great Lakes Regional.

The Lady Bulldogs were led by freshman Rhonda Ruden (Dubuque, Iowa-Hempstead), who finished a snow-covered 5,000-meter course with a time of 20:23. She was 24th overall.

Northeast's squad was dominated by freshmen and sophomores this year, especially after senior All-American Kerry Knepper (Cascade, Iowa) was forced to sit out most of the season with an illness.

The Lady Bulldogs came in third at the MIAA Championships in Kirksville. Coach John Cochrane said he expected most of his squad back for the 1990 campaign, plus Knepper, if she receives a hardship ruling from the conference office.

**VOLLEYBALL** The NMSU volleyball team improved its season record from a 1988 mark of 7-17 to 12-13 in 1989.

However, the Lady Bulldogs tied for seventh in the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association, the worst finish for an NMSU team since the inception of volleyball as a league sport.

Aside from the poor MIAA finish, the Lady Bulldogs placed five players on the all-conference teams. Senior captain Tracy Moore (Eldridge, Iowa-North Scott) was named to the first team, and junior setter Nancy Hoerner (Dubuque, Iowa-Senior) was a second-team selection.

Sophomores Ann Goliday (Centreville, Ill.-East St. Louis Senior) and Jill Morio (Mascouta, Ill.) and freshman Anne Moe (Davenport, Iowa-North) were chosen for the honorable mention list.

Coach Debbie Masten will lose only Moore from this year's team. Two juniors, three sophomores and six freshmen are scheduled to return next season.

**FALL GOLF** The NMSU women's and men's golf teams were busy this fall with a heavy schedule of meets in September and October.

Highlighting the Lady Bulldogs' season was the individual performance of senior D'Anne Gross (Marshalltown, Iowa), who captured medalist honors at the Division II Small College Invitational in mid-October at Dubuque, Iowa. Gross shot rounds of 75 and 76 in leading the NMSU women to a fourth-place finish in the eight-team field.

Coach Sam Lesseig's Lady Bulldogs also finished second in the Loras College (Iowa) Invitational and second in the Wartburg College (Iowa) Invitational this fall.

Coach Bill Richerson's Bulldog men competed in five meets, finishing second in the Ryerson Classic at Central College (Iowa) and second in the Great Plains Invitational at Nebraska Wesleyan.

In their last meet of the fall campaign, the Bulldogs finished fifth at the Bradley University Classic with senior Dan Mulhearn (Chicago Heights, Ill.-Marian Catholic) placing third individually. Northeast was the highest team finisher among Division II teams in the Bradley 13-team tournament.

# BULLDOG WINTER UPDATE



Ray Jaeger

Sophomore Matt Clements goes in for a lay-up against the Australian national team.

**B**ASKETBALL NMSU's two basketball teams shared similar characteristics as they headed into the 1989-90 season. Both were young and both hoped to bounce back from mediocre campaigns last winter. The 1988-89 Bulldogs were 7-19 and the Lady Bulldogs were 2-25.

Coach Willard Sims expected to start only one senior in the men's opener against the host school at the University of North Alabama First Federal/Pepsi Tipoff Tournament in Florence, Ala.

The lone senior was Mike Stenger (Cincinnati-Oak Hills). Other probable starters were four sophomores, 6'5" forward Matt Clements (Washington, Mo.), 6'5" forward Dale Reid (Eolia, Mo.-Clopton), 6'6" guard Justin Matthews (Joliet, Ill.-West) and 6'2" guard Boyd Printy (Cedar Rapids, Iowa-Washington), a transfer from Nebraska-Omaha.

If 6'4" forward Steve Schieppe (Lebanon, Ill.) had not suffered a broken right

hand in an early November practice, he would have been a member of the lineup for the Nov. 17th curtain-raiser. Schieppe, last year's top scorer (19.6 ppg), was a 1988-89 NCAA Division II South Central Region first-team selection and an all-Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association second-team choice. He was expected to be available early in the season.

The Lady Bulldogs, under the guidance of new coach, **Lois Heeren ('84)**, had set a 1989-90 goal of finishing above the .500 level.

Heeren, a Lady Bulldog player in the early '80s, expected to start five juniors in the season opener, Nov. 18, at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Mo. The lineup was comprised of 5'11" forward Felicia Sutton (St. Louis-University City), 5'9" guard Angie Gum (Tallula, Ill.-Porta), 5'6" guard Susan Theroff (Jefferson City, Mo.-Senior), 5'8" forward Brenda Reiling (Hawkeye, Iowa-West Union-North Fayette) and 6' forward/center Mindy Norris (Troy, Mo.-Buchanan).

Sutton, who erased the school and MIAA single-game rebounding record (27) and the NMSU single-season rebounding mark (330), was named to the all-conference second team the past two seasons. She averaged 14.8 points and 12.2 rebounds last year.

**W**RESTLING Only two mainstays from the 1989-90 squad returned this season to the NMSU wrestling team, which began its second year of competition after reinstatement as a varsity sport.

However, Coach Mike Knight enjoyed a successful recruiting campaign and opened the 1989-90 schedule with a 20-man roster.

Key holdovers from last winter's 2-13 aggregation were juniors Eric Ashby (Camanche, Iowa) and Jason Lind (Ogden, Iowa), both 150-pounders.

Ashby compiled a 21-20-1 record last year and Lind was 22-15.

Knight expected several freshmen to make an impact. They included David Ganey (Jefferson City, Mo.-Helias) at 118, Jeff Courtwright (Elwood, Ill.-Providence Catholic) and Tim Krouse (Agency, Iowa-Cardinal of Eldon) at 126, Aaron Berns (Hawkeye, Iowa-North Fayette) at 134, Bryant Gaines (New Bloomfield, Mo.-Jefferson City, Mo.-Helias) at 158, Jason Naumovitz (Orange City, Fla.-Lake Mary) at 167, Scott Johnson (Kansas City, Mo.-Rockhurst) at 177 and Bryce Stever (Fairfield, Iowa) at 275.

The NMSU coach indicated his strongest weight classes would probably be 118, 126, 142, 158 and 167 pounds.

He said goals for the season would consist of qualifying one to three wrestlers for the NCAA Division II Tournament and finishing the campaign with a team dual record of close to .500.

**S**WIMMING Coach Chuck Arabas, who greeted 45 men and women for preseason workouts last fall, expressed high hopes for his Bulldog and Lady Bulldog swim and diving teams in 1989-90.

Arabas said he believed the large group of performers would help develop the skills of team members, provide more flexibility to the men's and women's lineups and would help create more competition among the swimmers.

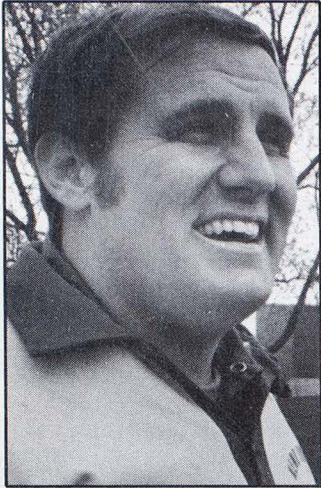
The men's squad was dominated by 11 freshmen and sophomores, so Arabas said he was counting on leadership from three senior veterans, Rob Laux (St. Louis-Vianney), Dave Reeb (Hazelwood, Mo.-West) and Jeff Lee (St. Louis-Riverview Gardens).

Arabas was high on the talents of sophomore Dan Bollini (Florissant, Mo.-Hazelwood-West), a transfer from University of Missouri-St. Louis. Bollini could erase many of the school records during his NMSU career, according to the coach.

With the loss of only one swimmer from the 1988-89 women's team, Lori Terzopoulos, Arabas said prospects were bright this winter. Twenty-four freshmen and sophomores appeared on the Lady Bulldog roster.

Key holdovers from last year's squad were senior Suzi Volentine (Council Bluffs, Iowa-Lewis Central), junior Kim Blackwell (Cedar Rapids, Iowa-Jefferson) and sophomores Debbie Geison (Kirkwood, Mo.), Anne Lawrence (Florissant, Mo.-Hazelwood West) and Susan Shumacher (Council Bluffs, Iowa-Lincoln).

# Injured reserve



Former NMSU head football coach **Bruce Craddock ('66)** is battling cancer as he finishes his 11th season—four of them here and seven at Western Illinois University where he now coaches.

The 45-year-old father of three is a victim of liver and stomach cancer, and doctors told him in May he only had eight months to live. But he doesn't believe it.

"Some doctor told me I was going to be a dead man in eight months," Craddock said. "That might be true for a 90-year-old

man, but not for a 45-year-old man who has been a football player, a Marine and a football coach; not for someone with the mental toughness to lick this thing."

Ironically, it is his Marine background that may have led to his present illness. During his tour in Vietnam more than 20 years ago, he was exposed to Agent Orange, a herbicide used in the dense jungles there. Since the war, 30,000 veterans who were exposed to it have contracted cancer.

Problems began in early March when Craddock first became ill. Doctors first diagnosed it as a bowel tract disorder, then as an intestinal parasite. When medicine did not help, X-rays were taken and a malignant tumor was found on his liver. Surgery scheduled to remove it was stopped when doctors found tumors scattered along the wall of his stomach. Craddock then began chemotherapy treatment.

Craddock began fall practice with the rest of the team in August and does not plan on letting the diagnosis slow him down. His spirits are high, and he says he will recover.

"I really believe I'm going to be cured," he said. "I really believe that the great physician, the Lord, is going to cure me."

Meanwhile, Craddock was forced to change some of his routine.

"I've slowed down a lot," he said. "I can't run and I don't have the activeness I used to have, but I still have the spirit and the desire."

He sat in a golf cart at practice due to fatigue, but the fatigue does not affect his ability to belt out orders. He said he can still bark like he used to.

He plans to coach another five years before moving into athletic administration, and he also plans to have 100 victories by then. He has compiled a 65-54-1 record already.

Amidst his coaching time, Craddock is also writing his autobiography, *No Timeouts*, concentrating on his experiences with football and faith. He began his book while in the hospital last spring and now sends a few chapters at a time to a Christian publisher in Nashville. He said it's not only about him, but more about the people who have influenced him over the years.

To his team and coaching staff, Craddock serves as an inspiration for positive thinking and beating the odds.

Craddock has also maintained his tough, hard-nosed image with the team, and none around him question his mental strength to fight his personal battle.

"He hasn't mellowed," wide receiver Steve Williams said. "He's exactly the same. Sometimes it seems like he might even be tougher."



## NMSU's Athletic Hall of Fame

Sixteen men were inducted into NMSU's Athletic Hall of Fame during formal ceremonies held Saturday, Sept. 16. Front row: **Jack Wells ('50)**, Edward Adams, **Donald Merritt ('50)**, **Payne Muir ('35)**, **Wayne McKanna ('28)**, William Cable. Back row: **Dale Collier ('64)**, **Frederick Lyles ('63)**, **Wayne Clinton ('66)**, **Earl Perry ('51)**, **Darrel Gourley ('50)**, **Bruce Craddock ('66)**.

The late **Chauncey Simpson ('28)** was represented by his son, George; **Janks Morton ('63)** was unable to attend and was represented by David Williams. Other inductees unable to attend were Lenvil Elliott and **David Taylor ('67)**.

## Development

### Watson Scholarship endowed

Northeast received \$36,000 last August from the estate of Edna E. Watson Richard. According to the will, the gift was made on behalf of Mrs. Richard and her late husband John D. Watson, and given to establish the Shirley Ann Watson Memorial Scholarship in memory of their daughter.

**Shirley Watson ('70)** graduated with a bachelor of science in education degree in English. She taught in Keokuk, Iowa, up to her death in 1974 of Hodgkins disease.

Edna Richard also attended Northeast Missouri State University and taught in rural schools of Monroe and Adair counties for 14 years. She died November 5, 1988.

The scholarship will be awarded annually to juniors or seniors who are majoring in English, science or math and have indicated a desire to teach.

### Sisters provide support

The estates of two sisters, **Mildred White McKim ('22)** and **Marian White ('28)**, recently made an unrestricted gift of \$5,000 to the Development Fund. Both were former teachers who lived in Deming, N.M.

### Scholarship started for Highland High School

**Charlotte Opal Bailey ('22)** has provided a scholarship fund for NMSU students from Highland High School (Mo.). The scholarship was endowed by a \$23,515 gift made available through her estate.

Funds will be awarded annually to a student who, in addition to being a Highland High School graduate, plans to major in an area of the family sciences. The recipient

must also indicate a desire to teach.

Bailey graduated from Northeast with a bachelor of science in education degree. She taught home economics in LaPlata, Mo., and Webster Groves, Mo., for 45 years before retiring in 1964. She died March 18, 1989.

### Two of a kind

Twin brothers, **Ben and Brad Beard**, both 1975 graduates of NMSU, recently notified the University of their intent to provide \$5,000 bequests to the NMSU Development Fund as an unrestricted gift.

They were inducted into the John R. Kirk Society as Life Members. The Beards reside in Kirksville and are vice presidents of Beard's Decorating Center.

### Faculty/staff campaign sets record

Northeast's annual faculty/staff Development Fund campaign recently concluded with \$23,878 raised from 193 University employees. The totals surpassed last year's records of \$14,110 from 134 faculty and staff members.

Gifts were pledged to a variety of funds including divisions, athletics, scholarships and KBIA Radio. Additionally, many contributions were unrestricted allowing the money to be used where the needs are greatest. However, the largest segment of gifts, \$9,447, was contributed on behalf of the Charles J. McClain Scholarship.

## Northeast Missouri State University Alumni Directory 1990

Plans are under way to publish an Alumni Directory in June 1990. The directory will be given to those individuals who make gifts of \$30 or more to the 1990 Development Fund campaign by April 1. Alumni and friends who contribute \$100 or more will receive a hardbound copy of the directory.

The directory will be divided into three sections: alphabetical, class year and geographic location. The alphabetical section will include address, degree, class year and employment information, as well as a cross-reference for alternate names.

**To ensure your copy of the directory, your gift *must* be received by April 1, 1990.**

# Letters

## Homecoming

The entire weekend was a really pleasant one for me—busy but pleasant. Everyone was most gracious and the courtesy of the students is outstanding.

Next year I expect to be up for the 50th Class Reunion. For once I'll watch the entire parade from the sidewalk.

Thanks to you and your "crew" for everything.

Most Sincerely,  
Martha Decker Blair ('40)  
Macon, Mo.

Editor's note: Martha was NMSU's first Homecoming Queen and returned for the 50th anniversary of Homecoming.

You were correct, I had a great time as part of the 1939 Class Reunion Planning Committee, and the finale, Oct. 21, was a most enjoyable day.

You are a great staff.

Sincerely,  
Mabel Inman ('39)  
Chillicothe, Mo.

Thanks to the Alumni Association for making Saturday, October 21, such a special day for the 50th Anniversary of the Class of 1939. It was certainly a most enjoyable occasion—renewing friendships and recalling "by-gone" years.

"Hats off" to Northeast Missouri State University as it continues to meet the challenge of future years.

Esther Eger Gardhouse ('39)  
Palmyra, Mo.

Just a note to thank you and the Alumni staff for the terrific job everyone did. You all made it an enjoyable experience for everyone there, especially the reunion committee.

Thanks again!

Sincerely,  
Fred Kingsolver ('69)  
Sedalia, Mo.

It was so nice meeting you. I thought all the arrangements for the Kirk Society Reception and Banquet were tastefully done. I think everyone really enjoyed the evening. I know I did. I also appreciated the beautiful Fellow-Kirk Society Plaque. I shall treasure it forever.

I did tour just about everything on campus. One of the buildings I visited was the Kirk Memorial Building and Violette Museum. I was impressed with all the nice articles given to the college. There has been certainly an interest in preserving our heritage.

I was disappointed though in finding items everywhere, in boxes, no labels, etc. Not enough room and there is no full-time director. Any chance that everything (classes) could be moved out of this great building and everything just be reserved for this museum? Perhaps it is not large enough either? Anyhow, I hope something is done in the near future as there are so many interesting articles.

Please keep in touch . . . Thanks for everything.

Sincerely,  
Betty Jo White, D.O. ('59)  
Grove City, Pa.

## Hall of Fame

The Induction was a great day for us! It really meant a lot to Payne.

We want to take this opportunity to thank you for all the nice things you have done for us.

Dubby Muir  
Jefferson City, Mo.

Editor's note: Payne Muir was a 1989 inductee to the NMSU Athletic Hall of Fame.

## Presidential Congratulations

I just wanted to drop you a short note to congratulate you on assuming the Presidency of the University. This is quite an honor that is certainly well deserved.

Your record at the Division of Business was outstanding in continuing to improve the quality of education and the capabilities of the graduates. I believe that I speak with a certain degree of hands on knowledge here as we have been fortunate enough to have hired over 20 of your outstanding graduates in recent years.

We have just finished interviewing 31 of your outstanding senior and grad-

uate candidates. I believe that this is the strongest class that I have had the pleasure to talk with over the years. The value added approach appears to be working. We hope that we will again be fortunate enough to attract several of them to Ernst & Young.

The goals of personal and professional excellence that you have strived for over the years are also those to which we strive for at Ernst & Young. I look forward to continuing the close relationship between Northeast and Ernst & Young that has existed over the years.

If I can be of any assistance to you or the University, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours very truly,  
Paul W. Middeke ('68)  
Partner in Ernst & Young  
St. Charles, Mo.

Congratulations on your new position at Northeast. This is an exciting time for the University with such a capable person at its helm. I am sure your position will be very rewarding.

As an Associate Director at the YMCA of the Ozarks, I am constantly working with people of all backgrounds, religions and nationalities. My education at Northeast has provided me with a strong background and I feel very comfortable working with them as a professional director.

I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank you for the great education I received at Northeast, especially through the Business Division. The academic advisors I had at Northeast, both Ricki Trosen and Mary Giovannini, were outstanding. They were always available whenever I had a question or problem. Also, working for Marianna Giovannini for three years in the Academic Planning Services office, I gained valuable experience beyond compare.

I wish you continued success as you lead Northeast Missouri State University into the future.

Sincerely,  
Jay W. Groene ('89)  
Associate Director-Conference Services  
Potosi, Mo.

Thank you so much for your letter of Sept. 22 and the invitation to the Homecoming activities. I regret sincerely that I will not be able to attend this year, since I will be playing in a

Seniors Pro-Am golf tournament in Napa, California. I am an invited amateur, with no talent to match the pros, but it is interesting, and I accepted the invitation some time ago.

As you may know, Charles McClain and I had a very great friendship, and I was one of his very strong boosters. I hated to see him leave, but am delighted that he is going to continue his influence in the educational field in the state of Missouri.

From what I read and from the responses I have gotten from inquiries, you are obviously highly qualified to succeed Charles . . .

I will attempt to come back before if the situation presents itself, but in any event, as I told Charles previously, I definitely will be at the Homecoming next year, and hope that the invitation would still hold.

Should your travels bring you to California there is a constant invitation for you to visit in San Diego, and I think and hope you would find that pleasant, particularly when the ice forms on the trees in Kirksville—or any other time.

I will appreciate it if at your convenience we can stay in touch, and I will keep you advised about the possibility of the Kirksville visit. Good luck to you in your new responsibility, which as I say, I know you will discharge in a highly distinguished way.

Best regards,  
E.L. McNeely ('40)  
La Jolla, Calif.

## Calendars

Thank you for the photographic reproduction of the school as it was circa 1911. I appreciate your thoughtfulness and shall treasure this memorable gift. I had my grade school and part of college in this building.

Wishing you a successful year, I am  
Yours sincerely,  
George R. Conner ('32) M.D.  
Columbus, Ga.

Thanks for the poster/calendar. It brought back fond memories. I was there during the fire. I saw performances on the lake. I don't remember the one mentioned on the calendar. I took one or two courses with Dr. Knobbs. Again, thank you.

Cordially,  
Weldon P. Shofstall ('26), PhD  
Tempe, Ariz.

The NMSU poster/calendar was well received and we thank you. We shall treasure the picture of the old campus as it was before the great fire that destroyed old Baldwin Hall. We remember Science Hall—that was where Henry and I met in 1940. The pictures of President Kirk and Tom Angus were of special interest to us—we knew them and they will always be a part of our lives. What marvelous educators as well as our friends!

Dr. Knobbs' article which she wrote less than a week after the fire is a masterpiece! After her graduation in 1924, she made quite a name for herself and brought lasting credit to her alma mater and throughout her life remained ageless—she was always in step with the times while looking ahead to greater things!

With best wishes to you and your staff,

Most sincerely,  
Henry ('39) and Harriett Sense-  
nich ('43) Roberts  
Anderson, S.C.

Thank you for the lovely picture of KSTC. This is exactly the way it looked when I came here to college in 1914. I have so many memories. I remember the boys liked to take lilies from the lake secretly. Every day I would meet my "beau" on the bridge for a few minutes on the way to classes. He later became my husband, R.E. Valentine, teacher of voice and music education (at NMSU) for 43 years.

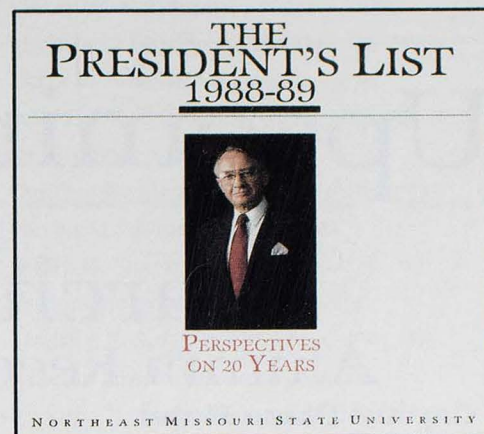
Anna Lemen Valentine ('31)  
Kirksville

## Warm Remembrance

I wish the very best to Northeast. I had a wonderful time in school there. I taught winters and went to school summers. I always wished I could have gone a whole year there. It will be among the many memories I can look back to. I taught for 37 years. My volleyball trophies prove the success I had in coaching.

Best wishes to you all.  
Marguerite Blaylock Powell ('40)  
Flat River, Mo.

## President's List



I've just enjoyed reading through "The President's List 1988-89", and it has allowed for many recollections of my days at NMSU. The publication was well done, and the homage to Dr. McClain was extra special.

I hope your office recently received my 1990 contribution along with matching gift forms for Arthur Young and Company. I'm now enclosing the John R. Kirk Society membership card, as I believe that contribution level allows one-year membership to the Society. I'm honored to become a member of the Society and look forward to the continued successes of our University.

Regards,  
Larry Lunsford ('81)  
Overland Park, Kan.

May I take this opportunity to thank you and those who participate in preparing the calendar and the President's List for everyone. They are both outstanding and very interesting.

Sincerely,  
Mildred E. Wadsworth ('50)  
Worthington, Ind.



# Upcoming Alumni Events

March 7

Alumni Reception

Capitol Plaza Hotel Jefferson City, Mo.

March 8

Alumni Reception

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# New Members

July 1, 1989 - November 30, 1989

## Life Members

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 Linda Pettiecord Anderson, *Union, Mo.*, '86  
 Mark S. Anderson, *Union, Mo.*, '89  
 Tony Bainbridge, *Arnold, Mo.*, '89  
 Debbie Steiner Bainbridge, *Arnold, MO.*, '89  
 David M. Barringer, *Springfield, Ill.*, '79  
 Jeanne Nickell Bauman, *Woodbridge, Va.*, '79  
 Jerry H. Bisinger, *Sparta, Wis.*, '83  
 Leslee Ann Blake, *Overland Park, Kan.*, '89  
 Georgia Wilty Botts, *Monroe, Iowa*, '68  
 James S. Botts, *Monroe, Iowa*, '68  
 Jamie Grosso Brewer, *Lee's Summit, Mo.*, '70  
 Susie Woolard Briscoe, *Memphis, Mo.*, '81  
 Johnnie Mae Irvin Brown, *Wellston, Mo.*, '76  
 Lloyd Brown, *Wellston, Mo.*, '76  
 Guy N. Burton, *Leawood, Kan.*, '53  
 Claudene Cody Cable, *Kansas City, Mo.*  
 John W. Cable, *Kansas City, Mo.*, '69  
 Lovena Goodwin Case, *Joplin, Mo.*, '42  
 Huei Chang, *Taichung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Chin-Yen Chang, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Hsu-Feng Chang, *Taichung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Edward J. Coil, *St. Peters, Mo.*, '89  
 Trish L. Cope, *Madison, Wis.*, '89  
 James G. Cowles, *St. Louis*, '84  
 Mary Sinak Cowles, *St. Louis*, '83  
 Steven J. Crile, *Muscatine, Iowa*, '77  
 Patricia Allen Cronk, *Madrid, Iowa*, '71  
 Rollin K. Cronk, *Madrid, Iowa*, '71  
 John M. Crowder, *Arcadia, Calif.*, '68  
 John Daniel, *St. Louis*, '87  
 E. Diane Tague Decker, *St. Louis*, '81  
 F. Patrick Decker, *St. Louis*, '81  
 Janice Jobusch DeFebo, *Newport News, Va.*, '73  
 Angelo A. DeLuca, *Manchester, Mo.*, '73  
 William S. Dichiser, *Olathe, Kan.*, '86  
 Feng-Jenq Doong, *Tainan, Taiwan*, '89  
 Jeffrey S. Elson, *Brookfield, Mo.*, '74  
 Hugh S. Emerson, *Columbia, Mo.*, '79  
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Willis E. Greenstreet, *Durham, N.C.*, '63  
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 Cpt. Curt E. Henke, *Seaside, Calif.*, '81  
 Lisa A. Hicks, *Kansas City, Mo.*, '89  
 Diane R. Higbee, *Canton, Mo.*, '89  
 Amy M. Hilbert, *Hardy, Ark.*, '89  
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 Yu-Chin Hu, *Taipei, Taiwan*, '89  
 Geneva Babbitt Hughs, *Chillicothe, Mo.*, '46  
 David Hwang, *Chesterfield, Mo.*, '65  
 Tracy King James, *Warrensburg, Mo.*, '89  
 Ronald C. Jeffries, *Jefferson City, Mo.*  
 San-Tzong Juang, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Nadine M. Keever, *Indianola, Iowa*  
 D. Todd Kelly, *Florissant, Mo.*, '88  
 Leigh Anne Klingensmith, *Kirksville*, '89  
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 Brian P. Krippner, *Maplewood, Mo.*, '89  
 Joni L. Kuehl-Schneider, *Poplar Bluff, Mo.*, '87  
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 Debra Stewart Linneman, *Columbia, Mo.*, '85  
 Zwe-Chi Liou, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Donna M. Love, *St. Louis*, '75  
 Kevin M. Luther, *Florissant, Mo.*, '89  
 Sara Beth Lyon, *Huntsville, Mo.*, '90  
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 Dorothy Kirk McGinnis, *Seattle*  
 Dorothy (Dot) McNally, *Jefferson City, Mo.*, '89  
 Julia Murphy Mathias, *Largo, Fla.*, '85  
 Lisa L. Mineart, *Brighton, Iowa*, '89  
 C. Beth Fisher Morley, *Kirksville*, '63  
 Dr. Lanny C. Morley, *Kirksville*, '62  
 Mittie Ann Bailey Mosley,  
*Maryland Heights, Mo.*, '62  
 Kenneth H. Nelson, *Ridgewood, N.J.*, '66  
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 Treva Graber Walsh, *New Holland, Penn.*, '74  
 Gow-Ling Wang, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan*, '89  
 Sen-Chung Wang, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan*, '89  
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 Tien-Ming Yuan, *Taipei, Taiwan*, '89

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Gloria Weyand Brazell, *St. Louis*, '69
- Dr. Richard W. Brimer Jr., *Edwardsville, Ill.*, '69  
Mary Louise Leslie Brown, *Carbondale, Ill.*, '40  
D. Kay Caskey, *Butler, Mo.*, '76  
Lenna McEwen Chinn, *Clarence, Mo.*, '54  
Ned L. Churchwell, *Shelbyville, Mo.*, '51  
Cheryl Henry Cimmino,  
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Carol J. Cook, *Crystal City, Mo.*  
Frances Jane Williams Craig,  
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Glenda Fry Dowler, *Lee's Summit, Mo.*, '73  
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Terry Mosley Finn, *St. Louis*, '78  
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Elizabeth Holloway Gamble,  
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Linda Kramer McCauley, *Urbandale, Iowa*, '85  
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Mary Elizabeth Manlove, *Kansas City, Mo.*, '39  
Susan Hardy Mathison, *Springfield, Mass.*, '84  
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Linda D. Neville, *Bellevue, Neb.*, '80  
Bernard G. Novinger, *Davenport, Iowa*, '48  
Martha Brockman Novinger,  
*Davenport, Iowa*, '49  
Kathryn J. O'Neill, *Brentwood, Mo.*  
Ruth Dalton Ogden, *Brookfield, Mo.*, '37  
Cindy Sullivan Pearce, *Seattle*, '82  
Larry D. Potter, *Kahoka, Mo.*, '87  
Terrie L. Potter, *Kahoka, Mo.*  
Beverly A. Reeves, *Cape Girardeau, Mo.*  
Robert F. Reeves, *Cape Girardeau, Mo.*  
Louise Howell Reynolds, *Tulsa, Okla.*, '26  
Martha Hawkins Rhein, *Columbia, Mo.*, '68  
Charity G. Richards, *Seattle*, '28  
R. Roydon Richards, *Park Forest, Ill.*, '87  
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Ramah Truitt Robb, *Burlington, Iowa*, '50  
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Ronald D. Roberts, *Downers Grove, Ill.*  
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Stanley R. Sadich, *Columbia, Mo.*, '49  
David G. Sandfort, *St. Charles, Mo.*  
Lois L. Sandner, *Ft. Worth, Texas*, '77
- Amy Bloomquist Schumaker,  
*Lee's Summit, Mo.*, '86  
David L. Schumaker, *Lee's Summit, Mo.*, '87  
Anna Ning-Sing Shih, *Tustin, Calif.*, '84  
Christopher A. Smith, *Austin, Texas*, '87  
Benjamin R. Snyder, *Aurora, Colo.*, '84  
Dawn Bates Snyder, *Aurora, Colo.*, '84  
John Spainhower, *Kirksville*, '47  
Thelma Spainhower, *Kirksville*  
Phyllis Warner Splinter, *Grants Pass, Ore.*, '41  
Marjorie Steighorst, *Payson, Ill.*  
D. Kent Sterling, *Naperville, Ill.*  
Dale H. Sterling, *Boonville, Mo.*, '40  
Judy N. Sterling, *Naperville, Ill.*  
A. Reid Stevens, *Holts Summit, Mo.*  
Joyce E. Stevens, *Holts Summit, Mo.*  
Sharon Bang Storbeck, *Bettendorf, Iowa*, '70  
Antionette M. Sundling, *Addison, Ill.*  
Jerry Talken, *Manchester, Mo.*  
Betty Seamster Thompson, *Tebbetts, Mo.*, '66  
Louis J. Travalent, Jr., *Lee's Summit, Mo.*  
Martha E. Tucker, *Kirksville*  
Virginia R. Turner, *Seal Beach, Calif.*, '31  
Florice Siegle Van Laningham,  
*Edinboro, Pa.*, '32  
Betty Bassett Waddill, *Cleveland, Mo.*, '40  
Patrick J. Walker, *Trenton, Mo.*, '82  
Rebekah Carter Walker, *Trenton, Mo.*, '88  
Jack Walters, *Bourbonnais, Ill.*, '40  
Marjorie E. Warren, *Grangeville, Idaho*, '60  
Margaret Myers Wegener, *Bloomfield, Iowa*, '60  
Chester R. Wells, *Pharr, Texas*, '40  
Doris E. Wells, *Pharr, Texas*  
Kristin Westhoff, *New London, Iowa*, '72  
Phyllis Bevill Whitlatch, *Steffenville, Mo.*, '83  
Royal N. Wilson, *Pekin, Ill.*, '51  
Gail M. Winham, *Winchester, Mo.*  
Carl R. Wolf, *Florissant, Mo.*  
Mary Kay Wolf, *Florissant, Mo.*  
Christine McWilliams Zechman,  
*Springfield, Ohio*, '72

# Obituaries

## EDWARD S. AVISON

Edward S. Avison, 84, of Ellisville, Mo., died of cancer Nov. 5, 1989, in St. Louis. He was the son of medical missionaries and born in Korea. Avison received a bachelor of science degree from Wooster College, and a master's from Northwestern University. He taught speech and drama at Wooster, Purdue University, Northeast Missouri State University and Hope College. In 1952, Avison became a statewide representative in adult education at the University of Kansas. He retired in May 1974 after 22 years of service. He is survived by his wife, Alberta Ruse Avison; twin daughters, Elizabeth A. Swanson of Lawrenceville, Ill., and Mary A. McKean of Miami; and eight grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Edward S. Avison Jr.

(This information was sent by Mary McKean.)

## WINSTON'S WORLD

SINCE HELEN BAILEY RETIRED FROM THE ALUMNI OFFICE, HAVE YOU BEEN A LITTLE SHORT-HANDED?

NOT REALLY.

IN FACT, WE HAVE ADDED TO THE STAFF. THIS NEW PERSON WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING ALUMS AND PERSUADING THEM TO JOIN THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

HI! I'M ROBO-HELEN! YOU **WANT** TO JOIN THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, DON'T YOU, TURKEY?!!



Good luck, Helen. We'll miss you.—The Alumni Office

# We've found the Missing Link!

Here is your opportunity to help us form the *Northeast Network* and put it into action for your benefit as well as for our current students!

Every year hundreds of NMSU graduates, from all disciplines and all parts of the country, complete their degrees and embark on their professional careers. Each comes prepared with unique qualities and abilities to offer to prospective employers.

For the student, as well as for the prospective employer, the key to success is forming a network that allows the two to make contact with each other. The first step in establishing this network is discovering who would be interested in participating.

## First Link—BPC

At the Business Placement Center we work with the student part of the network. We assist all students outside the field of teaching in exploring career opportunities and in finding the position they desire. We know they are interested. You can help us complete the network by providing the missing link— the alumni portion.

## Second Link—You

If you are in a position which enables you to make hiring decisions, or are in contact with the individual who does the hiring for your organization, you can provide us with a valuable resource to use in working with our current students. An established network of contacts would give our students additional avenues to pursue, whether it be for work opportunities or for information only.

## Link Up!

We encourage you to help us develop our *Northeast Network*. Please complete the questionnaire and return it to us, or call our office with the information. You will be providing a great service to our current students, and we fully believe you will be doing your organization a favor as well.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

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Person to contact (if someone other than yourself)

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For what types of positions would our graduates qualify?

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Do you have any suggestions for this program or any comments in regard to it:

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