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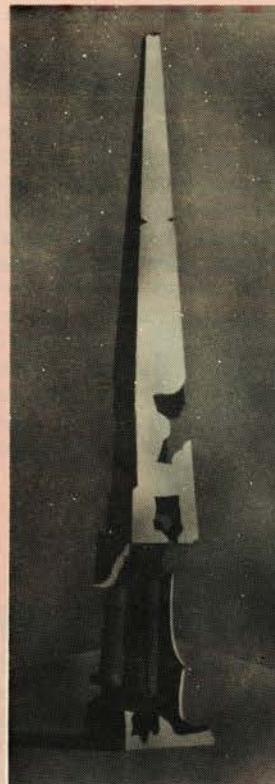
Newsletter Makes Waves

The publication of an Alumni Newsletter is a major undertaking. Many hours are spent collecting information, writing articles, proofreading, and type setting. When we printed our first Behavioral Sciences and Human Development (BSHD) Alumni Newsletter, we were faced with all the questions facing any new publication. Is the time and money really worth the effort? Will our alumni take time to read the Newsletter or simply throw it in the round file? As we move into our second year of publication, many of these original prepublication jitters have now subsided and many of our initial questions have been answered. As stated in our first Newsletter, the BSHD faculty thought it was time to initiate formal and regular communication between the current faculty and the many alumni who have studied in the Behavioral Sciences and

Human Development Division of the College. The responses evoked by our first Newsletter seemed to confirm this view. Many people took the time to fill out the alumni update card and mail it in to us. To all these people we say, "Thank you for getting involved." (See the Alumni News section of this Newsletter.) We hope to double the alumni response for our next newsletter. Several alumni made a special effort to write letters explaining in more detail the paths their lives have followed since leaving Morningside. We can tell you that there are many positive local, state, and national contributions being made by BSHD alumni. So it is with a warm feeling of gratitude to all BSHD alumni that we bring to you the second edition of the Newsletter. We hope to continue a tradition of excellence, a tradition begun by you - the BSHD alumni.

Obelisk III Project Continues

In the last Behavioral Sciences and Human Development Newsletter you may remember reading an article about Psi Chi's (The National Honor Society in Psychology) attempt to secure Morningside College's first piece of outdoor sculpture. The sculpture selected by the search committee is "Obelisk III" by Tom Gibbs a well known sculptor from Dubuque, Iowa. We are including a photo of the sculpture in this newsletter. The sculpture takes the shape of an obelisk with a 3' x 3' base and a height of 20'. The site chosen for the placement of the sculpture is between the new Hickman-Johnson-Furrow Library Center and Lewis Hall. This site is located centrally on the campus in a high-pedestrian traffic area. The sculpture will not be moved to the Morningside site until total funding for the project has been secured. The Morningside Development Office is currently pursuing funding avenues. If you as alumni would like to contribute to this unique project, please contact Mrs. Ruth Green, Vice President, Institutional Research and Planning, Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa 51106.



Psychology Department News...

Psychology Finds New Home

The Department of Psychology has recently moved into a new office complex (Jones Hall, Room 109) formerly occupied by the Office of Institutional Research and Planning. Besides providing office space, the complex consists of a conference room and an enlarged area for the building secretary. The conference room provides an area for students to gather (study?), use the department's computer, or engage in research using the department's periodicals. One of the latest remodeling focal points in the office suite is a new 45 gallon fish tank stocked with a variety of tropical fish. Although it provides no redeeming intellectual value, the tank has quickly become a point of interest for students and faculty alike. If you have been away from the campus for a few years, we invite you to return and take a tour; we think you'll be impressed by our growth and vitality.

Psychology Expands

The Psychology Department has added a new dimension to the counseling curriculum as a result of acquiring a new camcorder, monitor, and VCR. All students are now able to "role play" counseling cases, video tape them, and have sessions critiqued by the instructor and others from their counseling group. This feature is unique in that very few programs provide this opportunity at an undergraduate level. The equipment arrived for second semester use and was highly approved and valued by the counseling students. Students generally commented that they would like to see further use of the video equipment and plans are underway to accomplish just that. Next fall's usage will expand into the new Professional Seminar course (see Psych Faculty News - Pinto) where students will practice interviewing techniques. Other areas using video equipment will include psychological testing, the industrial program, and some social research. The equipment is now housed in two newly acquired laboratory rooms obtained when departmental offices were moved to Jones Hall of Science. One room is designed as a

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Education Department News

Education Awards

The annual Honors Convocation is always special at Morningside, but this year was more special than usual. The two coveted awards in Elementary Education were announced, as follows: Leslie Ellerbeck, a senior of Sergeant Bluff was given the Marcia



Leslie Ellerbeck

McNee Scholarship of \$50 which is based on scholarship and potential for teaching. Stacy Childs, a junior of Tipton, Iowa received the Maxine Nelson Scholarship which is based



Stacy Childs

on scholarship, leadership, and character. The award of \$500 will be applied toward her college tuition. Stacy also has a minor in French and enjoys swimming and golfing. That was special enough, but another dimension was added with the first presentation of the Walter R. Olsen award in Secondary Education. Paulette Wahl, junior, of Sioux City, was announced as the first recipient. Mr. Olsen was a distinguished Morningside grad who became a teacher, coach, and principal. In his memory, \$150 is awarded annually, based on scholarship, leadership, and character. Paulette is a double major in History and Special Education (MR). Her husband is a Sioux City teacher and they have two children. But the electricity wasn't over yet. The last honor announced is always the Faculty Member of the Year. The winner was Marilyn Heilman, our own Elementary Education teacher. What emotion that aroused! Marilyn was (almost) speechless. Marilyn is married to Bob, and they have one youngster, John. She received her Bachelor's degree from Buena Vista, and her Master of Arts in Teaching at Morningside.



Marilyn Heilman

She started out as a part time teacher—became full time in the Learning Center, and switched to full time in the Education Department a year ago. She is a very active person in her community, especially church work, and is currently president of the Eastwood Community School Board. What a day for Education - a very special day, indeed.

Student Teaching Changes

After many years of having a choice between full-days for eight weeks and half-days for a full semester, Morningside students in Teacher Education will soon go to full days as the only option for student teaching. The target date is the spring semester of 1988-89. Plans are for students with one teaching level (Example: Mathematics) to teach eleven weeks for ten hours of credit. Those who have two levels or two majors will have two segments of seven weeks each and a total of twelve hours of credit. The all-day-only idea is a requirement of the state of Iowa and NCATE.

Kappa Delta Pi Initiation:

The 1987-88 initiation of new members of Omicron Alpha Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an honor society in Education, was held in Dimmitt Hall Formal Lounge on April 10, 1988. Mary Hansen, President, was in charge of the program. New initiates were Kim



Paulette Wahl

Ashby, Ann Blum, Charlotte Braby, Lanette Curry, Debra Denney, Leslie Ellerbeck, Teresa Ferdig, Roxanne Geerdes, Paula Hunter, Suzanne Torrey, Paulette Wahl, and Diane Woodford. Marilyn Heilman, Assistant

Professor of Education was initiated as an honorary member; Dr. Carolyn Rants is the Chapter Counselor.

Introducing

A new addition to our Education family is Lageane Petersen, who is the new Director of the Resource Center in the department. Lageane is very well qualified, having earned



Lageane Petersen

a degree in Education, plus taking graduate work in Library Media. She worked for several years in the library at Westmar, and that has given her lots of ideas about making improvements in the Resource Center. Although she only works nine hours per week, she has made a positive impact on the Center and has given lots of help to students who are planning lessons, etc. Welcome, Lageane!

Pot Pourri

An NCATE accreditation visit is scheduled for the Fall of 1989. A "pre-conditions" report is required as the first step in that process. All of the members of the Education department helped prepare curriculum folios and other information for the report, and when it was mailed in mid-May, it weighed 20 pounds. All graduates in Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education must now pass a Writing Competency Exam within the Department, as part of the College's Writing Across the Curriculum requirements. The test is given early in the student teaching semester. All departments now have such writing competency requirements. Paulette Wahl won still another scholarship; this one from Delta Kappa Gamma in the amount of \$200. About 25 students are seeking the Master of Arts in Teaching degree this summer, which would make it the second largest class in Morningside Graduate School history. Winners of the Distinguished Educator Awards at last summer's commencement exercises were Donald Harson, high school science teacher at Hartley-Melvin, and Stan Wisnieski, elementary physical education teacher in Sioux City. Nominations are made by Morningside students and faculty and selections are made by the Teacher Education Committee.

Psychology Faculty News

Dr. Sensenig will be returning to his teaching position following a sabbatical leave during Spring 1988. The sabbatical afforded Dr. Sensenig the opportunity to engage in several writing projects. In conjunction with Janet (Countryman) Ray, a senior psychology major, a research paper was presented at the 100th Annual Meeting of the Iowa Academy of Science held at Iowa State University in Ames, April 21-23, 1988. The paper was entitled "Spatial Navigation Behavior in the Rat: A Neural Basis for Cue and Place Learning?" In association with Dr. Edward Mazeika of the English Department, a paper entitled "Sign Language Facilitation of Reading with Moderately Handicapped Students" was submitted for publication to the journal *Education and Training in Mental Retardation*. In addition, a workbook (Operant Psychology: A Manual of Laboratory Exercises) was written for use in the operant psychology laboratory. The workbook will be class tested during the Fall 1988 semester before submitting it for publication. Dr. Sensenig is now recovering from a severe case of writer's cramp.

Dr. John Pinto has submitted his dissertation for publication to the British periodical *Journal of Occupational Psychology*. The title of his paper is "The Evaluation of Wage Increases".

A new 1 credit course in psychology will be taught by Dr. Pinto for the first time during the Fall semester 1988 entitled "Professional Seminar". The course will be required of all junior psychology majors and will attempt to more adequately meet the needs of our majors in the areas of career development and graduate school preparation. Exit questionnaires given to graduating seniors have at times indicated that more information needs to be focused on these areas. Much of the professional information needed by majors is acquired through individual consultations with faculty and by word of mouth. This necessitates information being repeated over and over again as students feel the need for it. The Professional Seminar will serve as a more efficient delivery vehicle for this information. The objectives of the course are to enhance career opportunity knowledge at both the baccalaureate and graduate school levels, to increase confidence in the marketability of psychology students, and to instill a feeling of professionalism in our students. Some of the topics to be reviewed in the seminar are: job opportunities at the baccalaureate level, the ins and outs of graduate school, writing applications, resumes, and vitas, ethics in psychology and interviewing skills. The response of students to this new offering has been very positive.

Psychology and the Law is another new seminar recently offered by Dr. Moore. The seminar investigated a variety of topics relating psychology and the law such as: Negligence and Malpractice, the Insanity

Library Science Department Bytes...

Library Science students are already benefiting from the library automation project which moves into a new phase with the implementation of computerized circulation. The installation of five online public access (OPAC) terminals means that more students can use the online system; not having to go through the card catalog makes their work much easier. Cataloging has been automated since the end of 1986, but it is an ongoing process to put the entire collection in machine readable format. About seventy-five percent of the library's holdings can now be accessed by



*Library Science
Department Faculty
Standing, left to right:
Charles LeMaster,
Christopher Felder
Seated: Kay Bowen,
Cathy Milbrodt*

computer. Library Director Charles LeMaster is head of the online project. Kay Bowen, Technical Services Librarian, has been nominated to chair the Quality Control Section of the Iowa OCLC User's Group for 1988-89. Each semester, the Library Science Department offers Library Research Materials and Techniques, a course that acquaints students with a broad range of library research mate-

rials and helps students develop skills in library research and in writing. During Spring 1989, the Department will also be offering one of the College's interdisciplinary seminars. Zen Buddhism and the Arts, taught by Christopher Feider, will involve students in Oriental philosophical and religious thinking and show how it influences the arts and culture of Japan. Cathy Milbrodt was appointed to the Iowa Library Association Executive Board last fall and is currently producing a videotape on intellectual freedom funded by an LSCA grant. She's also teaching a new graduate

level course, Special Issues in Children's Literature, and an interdisciplinary seminar, Detective Fiction, during the Summer 1988. Between Ballantyne (Elementary Education) acted the role of Laura Ingalls Wilder for the students at the Anthon-Oto Community School as part of her children's literature course work. She answered student letters about Laura's life and visited the school dressed as the author.

News from HPER...

The obvious highlight of the 1987-88 academic year was the groundbreaking for the new HPER Complex. Construction is set for the summer 1988 after completion of the excavating. The upcoming year will be exciting as we watch the various stages of construction and prepare to move in for the 1989-90 academic year.

The past year also saw some changes in the major and minor to meet the new state requirements. There is a stronger emphasis on the sciences, which we feel will make our

students better teachers and coaches.

Computers are becoming integrated into some of the courses. We purchased a program for experiments in human physiology, which will be helpful for students in Physiology of Exercise as well as Test and Measurements. Additional programs are being considered for other courses.

FACULTY NEWS

Jim Leavitt will be leaving to complete work on his doctorate at the University of Iowa. This past year Jim was named NCC Indoor Track Coach of the Year for the outstanding job he did with the track team. Tim and Judy Ellis are awaiting the birth of their second child in August. Roberta Boothby was one of the final three candidates for a position on the NAIA National Executive Committee. Sandra Winter was elected to the position of NAIA District 15 Softball Chair for the next two years. Sandra coached the team to the IO-KOTA Conference Championship this Spring.



Defense, and the Validity of Eye-Witness Testimony. The course will be offered again in the Spring semester, 1989.

Sociology/Criminal Justice Department News...

Dr. Richard Bobys presented two papers in March 1988 at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society in Nashville, Tennessee. The papers were entitled "A Synthesis of Marx and Durkheim's Theories on Effects of the Division of Labor" and "An Application of the Interaction-Stigmatization Hypothesis to Ex-Deviants". Dr. Bobys has also been appointed to the Board of Advisory Editors for the journal *Sociological Inquiry*.

The director of the Criminal Justice Department, Ting-Shih Chia, has told us that responding to the job market and intellectual interests of students in the Criminal Justice Program has been continuously stretched and strengthened by extending the scope of

the three Directed Studies courses. The courses cover areas such as: police organization and management; community relations; criminal investigation; principles of American law enforcement; private security; criminal law; the judicial process; criminal justice administration; community treatment of juvenile delinquents; prevention of delinquent behavior; treating child sex offenders and victims; alcohol and drug-related offenses treatment; juvenile and family treatment strategies. The program is further strengthened by adding emphasis areas such as Juvenile Treatment with more courses from psychology, sociology and education.

Last fall, Ting-Shih Chia attended the annual meeting of the American Sociologi-

cal Association in Chicago. This Spring Dr. Chia was promoted to the rank of Associate Professor. New materials continue to be added to the library to strengthen the department's resources. During the past year, the following periodicals have been added to the collection: *Crime and Social Justice*, *Sociology*, and *Sociolinguistics Newsletter*. The Department acknowledges the accomplishments of the following students upon their initiation into Alpha Kappa Delta, The National Sociological Honor Society: Debra Denny (Lawton), Rebecca Erbert (Sioux City), William Jeffords (Sioux City), Barbara Jean King (Bronson), Ronald M. Larson (Ute), Carolyn Jo Phillips (Sioux City), Kelli Thomas (Newcastle, NE), Robert Werkmeister (Sioux City).

Psychology Dept. News (cont'd)

counselor's office and the other is the video control room. The door between is equipped with one-way observation glass so students may counsel without viewing the recording equipment.

The department also was able to acquire a freezing microtome for use in the biopsychology and experimental psychology areas. Students will learn to use this apparatus to verify lesion and electrode placements in all physiologically related experiments. All facets of physiological experimentation, i.e., surgical skills, perfusion techniques, histological analysis of brain tissue, etc., are now available to students to aid them in their study and understanding of behavior.

Morningside College Psychology Department continues to be the premier department in the region. We provide students with a sound curriculum that more than adequately prepares our graduates for the world of work or graduate school. The new equipment and expanded facilities are further evidence of our claim.



A mock counseling session being video taped in the new psychology laboratory.

Alumni News

Mary Ahlquist (Criminal Justice, 1988) has been admitted to the University of Nebraska at Omaha for their graduate program in Criminal Justice.

Bill Barbee (Criminal Justice, 1982) is a private investigator licensed for Iowa, Nebraska, and South Dakota.

Julie Bauerly (Criminal Justice, 1988) married a few months ago, now is Julie Kaplan, is working at the Woodbury Juvenile Detention Center.

Susan (Physical Education Teaching, '83) and **Bob Berens** (Business Administration, Dec., '88) are now living in Kansas City and proud to announce the birth of their first child, Reid.

Steven J. Bernard (Criminal Justice, 1981) obtained an advanced degree in psychology and is now working with IBP in Dakota City, NE. He has also served as Chairman of the Board, Siouxland Credit Union.

Manon E. Sipma-Boyer (Elementary Education, 1984) is Assistant Dean of Admissions at Morningside College.

Patrick Breyfogle (Criminal Justice, 1988) has been working as a police officer at the Sioux City Police Department.

Thomas Briggs (Psychology, 1987) was recently selected to Outstanding Young Men of America. He is now working for Progressive Brokers, Inc. in Amelia, Ohio.

Patrick Brummond (Criminal Justice, 1987) received his Master's degree in Judicial Administration at Denver University College of Law on June 4, 1988. In his long letter he mentioned that "I feel that the Criminal Justice program at Morningside has been an asset in preparing me for graduate studies. My interdisciplinary degree, in some ways, has given me an advantage over my classmates. I have learned in a number of academic disciplines and have taken this knowledge into the graduate classroom. I encourage you to continue the excellent academic tradition of your program."

Susanna Bugg (Criminal Justice, 1983) is an Iowa State Patrolman.

Michael Calvillo (Industrial Psychology, 1985) earned his M.S. at Lamar University, Beaumont, Texas in Industrial/Organizational Psychology. He has also completed an internship with Dow Chemical Company of Freeport, Texas.

Susan Richmann-Chartier (Education and His-

tory, 1983) completed her M.A. in Special Education-Learning Disabilities at the University of South Dakota. She is currently employed in the Sioux City Community School District.

James Clark (Criminal Justice, 1982) is a firefighter for the City of Sioux City.

Phyllis J. Frey-Cline (Sociology and Physical Education, 1963) has earned her M.A. and is the owner of the NAPA Auto Parts Store in Decorah, Iowa.

Evelyn Conley (Criminal Justice, 1985) discontinued her job as Home-School Coordinator, Sioux City Community Schools, while she was involved in politics of reforming the Indian Center. Now that business is over, she would like to resume her service for Sioux City Community Schools as a liaison officer.

Steve Conlon (Criminal Justice, 1981) is with the Iowa State Investigation, Iowa Department of Public Safety.

Jerald Denney (Criminal Justice, 1984) is teaching at Winnebago Community College.

Judith Dirks (Psychology and Sociology, 1961) attended law school for two years and is now a paralegal. She is the director of the Northfield Refugee Committee which resettles and sponsors refugees from Southeast Asia in Northfield, Minnesota.

Dianne Everhart (Psychology and Education, 1983) obtained her M.S. degree from the University of South Dakota and is now with the Kingsley-Pierson Community School System in Iowa.

Marlene Ruffcorn-Furne (Elementary Education, 1983) is working on her master's degree in reading at the University of Nebraska-Omaha. She is the remedial reading teacher at Fort Crook School, Bellevue, Nebraska.

Susan Girard (Elementary Education and Library Science, 1985) teaches grades 5-6 at Rensen-Union Elementary School and is helping to write a computer curriculum for her district.

Ruth Wood-Groth (Elementary Education, 1975) is the city clerk in Anthon, Iowa. She is also an EMT with the community ambulance volunteer squad in Anthon. She and her husband have two daughters, Amy (11) and Angela (8).

Sheila Jane Hanigan (Elementary and Special Education, 1985) taught 5th grade in the Red Oak Community Schools for two years and is now a 5th grade teacher in the Logan-Magnolia Community Schools.

Keith Harviell (Criminal Justice, 1983) is police

officer at Chippewa Reservation, North Dakota. **Dawn Hunter** (Criminal Justice, 1985) after working at a law office as a para-legal worker, plans to study law at UC Berkeley Law School this coming Fall.

Lois Libbe-Johnson (Elementary and Special Education, 1984) was married to Jeff L. Johnson on August 8, 1987. She is employed in the Underwood Community Schools, Underwood, Iowa.

Daletta Fredinburg-Jorgensen (Elementary Education, 1983) wrote to report the birth of her baby girl, Kendra Lane on May 30, 1987. Deletta is working in the LeMars Community Schools.

Richard King (Criminal Justice, 1983) is Associate Tribal Judge, Belknap, Montana.

Robert Kirschbaum (Physical Education, 1977) earned a master's degree from Drake University and is now sharing the elementary principal duties between the Dunlap and Logan-Magnolia Community Schools.

Karen Taylor-Lakoduk (Physical Education, 1974) taught elementary physical education for two years in the Charles City Community School system. She then returned for a M.A. degree at Southern Illinois University where she was awarded a teaching assistantship with aquatics. In 1977 she became the founder and director of Mac-Tay Aquatics Schools in Champaign, Illinois an intensified learning-to-swim program for all ages, infants through adults, as well as classes for special populations. The school serves some 1500 families in Champaign, IL. She also likes the idea of a newsletter. (We agree.)

Timothy Lee (Sociology, 1984) is currently a graduate student in the School of Social Work at the University of Nebraska-Omaha.

Joann Likness (Art, 1980) is currently living in Arnold's Park, Iowa and is seeking a Master's degree in learning disabilities.

Marleen Loftus (Criminal Justice and English, 1984) finished her law degree and has been working as an attorney at law in Sioux City. She can provide the best service for you in most legal matters.

Susan Peters Logsdon (Business Admin./Recreation Mgt., '87) is Assistant Recreation Director for the city of Carthage, Missouri.

Ann Pottorff-Lorber (Psychology, 1978) has moved to San Antonio, Texas where her husband is employed as manager of Rent-A-Center. Ann worked for the State of Iowa as a social worker for eight years before moving to Texas.

Alumni Update

Name _____ Class _____

Address _____

Undergraduate Major _____ Advanced Degrees/School _____

Recent Employment _____ Honors _____

Activities and items of interest _____

ALUMNI NEWS (cont'd)

Kathy K. Marvin (Elementary Education, 1982) is teaching second grade at West Monona Schools and has 15 hours toward her graduate degree. She is looking to begin a staff development program using the Kelwynn Plan.

Bernice Mast (Criminal Justice, 1986) is Office Manager and Assistant to the Director of Winnebago Counseling Center, Winnebago, NE.

Dixie Kirkhart-Metcalf (Education and Business, 1958) has recently moved with her husband to Canton, Ohio. Her husband is the chair of the Department of Accounting at the University of Akron. Once acclimated, she hopes to increase her volunteer work.

Penny Staebler-Miller (Elementary Education and Library Science, 1975) received her master's degree in Special Education. She is teaching in Shenandoah, Iowa and was recently chosen as an Iowa coach for the International Special Olympics held on the Notre Dame/St. Mary's campuses.

Shelly Miller (Criminal Justice, 1982) after finishing her Master's degree from Northeastern University in Boston, is now in charge of a youth treatment program at Newton, MA.

Kirk Nielsen (Criminal Justice, 1985) after finishing federal security pilot training, and before becoming a full time federal security officer, is a police officer at the Omaha Police Department.

Richard Niles (Criminal Justice, 1988) has been working at the Residential Treatment Center at Sergeant Bluff.

Stacy Norton (Sociology, 1983) obtained a master's degree in Social Work from the University of Iowa and is currently a therapist at the Boys and Girls Home and Family Services in Sioux City.

Deb Palmer (Library Science, 1986) completed her graduate degree in library science at the University of Iowa and is now a children's librarian for the Cincinnati Public Library.

Janice Paradise (Criminal Justice, 1988) has some job opportunities in some southern states, but she prefers to stay in the Siouxland area. She's still

looking. Good luck, Jane!

Linda Pierce (Math, English, 1984) received her M.S. in anthropology at the University of Arizona and is now working on her Ph. D.

Michael D. Pomerence (Physical Education and Elementary Education, 1973) is teaching in the Glenwood Community Schools where he was recognized as one of the top 25 elementary mathematics educators in the state of Iowa for the 1986-87 school year.

Pamela J. Priborsky (English and Library Science, 1973) is teaching a remedial writing lab (using Macintosh computers) for ninth grade students at Murdock High School, Winchendon, MA.

Dale Roemen (Criminal Justice, 1988) will start his job as a peace officer for the Sioux Falls Police Department in August, 1988.

Gail Rowe (Psychology, 1976) received her M.S. in Clinical Psychology and is currently working on her Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology at Washington State University. She is also teaching graduate courses at the University of Idaho.

Janice Schmitz (Physical Education Teaching/History Teaching, '87) is teaching and coaching in Garden City, Kansas.

Sharon Schuth (Criminal Justice, 1987) is married, has a baby, and is working at Federal Medical Center as a correctional officer in her home town of Rochester, MN.

Susan Kay Scott (Elementary Education, 1973) received her M.S. degree in education and is now a first grade teacher in South Sioux City, NE. She is the secretary for the South Sioux City Education Association.

Cathy Seaton (Library Science, 1986) was just appointed to the Library Board of Trustees for the LeMars Public Library.

Kim Stahl (Psychology, 1987) is the Public Relations Director for a company in Skokie, Illinois.

Jerry Starkweather (Physical Education, 1957) earned a master's degree in administration and is currently with the Rock Valley Community Schools.

Christen Swanson (Criminal Justice, 1983) is

owner of Rainbow Daycare of Sioux City.

Douglas R. Thoma (Criminal Justice and Psychology, 1978) has earned a M.S. degree from Indiana State University and is currently a juvenile court officer in Newton, Iowa. He is vice president of the Newton Jaycees and is active in programs preventing substance abuse and child abuse.

Sheryll Thomsen (Secondary Education and Library Science, 1984) works as 9-12 media specialist at the Tohatchi High School Library in New Mexico. She enjoys the students and Navajo culture and has learned to speak some Navajo. **Sally Towne** (Elementary Education, 1981) is a second grade teacher in West Monona. She is married and has two daughters, Lindsey (4) and Alison (1).

James Wagner (Criminal Justice, 1981) is Sheriff of Dakota County in Nebraska.

Juanita Walks Nice (Criminal Justice, 1988) working at Siouxland Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, has found a new job at PI-NA-PA, Indian Health Council, Inc. at Burney, California.

Peggy Weber (Math Education, 1984) is currently working on her master's degree at the University of Kansas. She is also an operations research analyst for the Department of Defense, Ft. Leavenworth, KS.

Kent Willnauer (Criminal Justice, 1980) is employed by the Johnson County Sheriff's Department in Olathe, Kansas.

Janet Young (Physical Education, 1979) received her M.A. in mathematics. She taught math from 1979 to 1987 at Jefferson High School (South Dakota). Since 1987, she has been teaching math at West High in Sioux City. She and her husband Greg have two children Heidi (5) and Ryne (3).

Mark Zellmer (Psychology, 1987) is living with his wife in Australia where he found December 1st, the first day of summer, to be a bit disconcerting. He was last seen looking for employment or a graduate position near Newcastle. If you're in Australia, look him up at 3 Mulbinga Street, Charleston, N.S.W. 2290 Australia.

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