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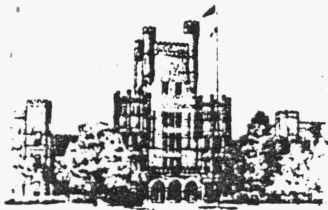
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

ROTC STUDENTS RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIP

CHARLESTON, IL--The Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) unit of Eastern Illinois University has announced the recipients of the Illinois State ROTC Scholarships and the Illinois State ROTC Transfer Student Scholarships.

The Illinois State ROTC Scholarship is a one to four year scholarship that pays full tuition, athletic, and activity fees for the student. Once awarded, the scholarship is retained as long as the student is in good standing in the ROTC Program. The Illinois State ROTC Transfer Student Scholarship is awarded by State Community Colleges to students transferring to Eastern or other state four-year colleges and entering the ROTC program.

The ROTC trains college students to become commissioned officers as second lieutenants in the U.S. Army, Army National Guard, or Army Reserve Forces.

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NOTE TO THE EDITOR(Higginsville Advance): Jarrod Shields, who is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Busch and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shields, all of Higginsville, is the recipient of an Illinois State ROTC Scholarship. A 1991 graduate of Wheaton Central High School in Wheaton, Illinois, he is a freshman majoring in English.