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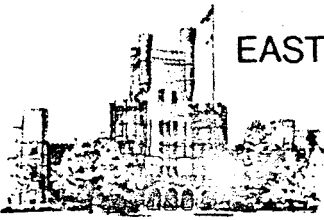
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL--A man who hiked the 2100-mile Appalachian Trail from Georgia to Maine will discuss the adventure at Eastern Illinois University on Tuesday, Dec. 8 at 7 p.m. in Phipps Hall, Science Building.

John Lynn, 30, is chairman of the Heart of Illinois Sierra Club and is a graduate of the University of Illinois. Since completing the hike about a year ago he has been active in environmental efforts.

Lynn started the walk from Springer Mountain in Georgia and 140 days later he reached the northern end of the trail at Mt. Katahdin in Maine. The trail winds through 14 states and Lynn's illustrated lecture catches its various moods.

The presentation is being sponsored by the Physical Education Club and the Recreation Club. There is no admission charge and the public is welcome.

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Caption

John Lynn at Katahdin, northern end of the Appalachian Trail.