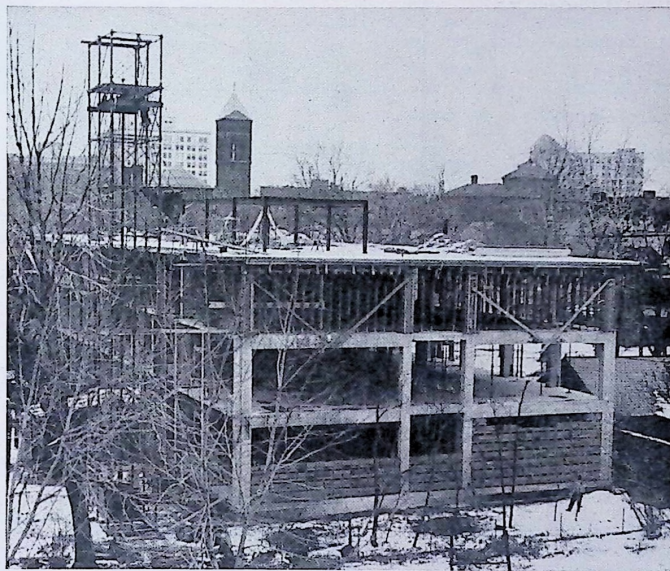
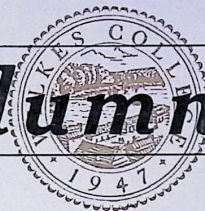


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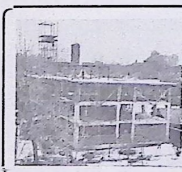
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### ON THE COVER

As you can see, the Admiral Stark Science Hall is growing by leaps and bounds. The building is due to be dedicated in September. This wonderful addition to our campus will be a sight worth seeing. All of you are invited to the dedication ceremonies and will be sent an invitation at that time. Why don't you plan now to be there.

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GIFFORD CAPPELLINI, '45, successful attorney in Wilkes-Barre for the past seven years, is the new president of the Wilkes Alumni Association.

Two of the newly elected officers of the Alumni Association exchanged positions for the new year, as they opened the 1957 alumni program on January 1. Former Vice-President Gifford Cappellini and ex-President Don Honeywell traded jobs, making Cappellini the new president and Honeywell the vice-president.

In planning to revitalize the Alumni Association, it is the Alumni Council's belief that as many of our key officers as possible should be kept in command for a period of years to assist the Executive Secretary in completing basic plans for the Association's future.

It was not the intention of the Council to limit the offices to a few key people, but rather, to enable the officers to complete the first phase of the program which would take over a year.

It is the belief of the Council that

# Your Officers for 1957

*Cappellini Heads Alumni In Second Step Of 3-Year Plan; Urges Increased Support Toward Building Permanent Group Strength*

this planning has borne fruit, and that during the next year the Alumni Association will begin to be a moving force in our college's development.

Helping them start another year of increased alumni activity and close co-operation with the college will be the Recording Secretary, Anita Janerich, and Treasurer, Dr. Shadrach Jones.

In accepting the position, the new President, Attorney Gifford Cappellini, made the following statement to the Alumni Association:

"The officers of the Wilkes College Alumni Association join with me in expressing their sincere appreciation for your vote and confidence. With the beginning of a new year, it is increasingly evident that the active and direct participation of our Alma Mater is vital. A strong, vigorous, active

and dedicated Alumni Association, working as a group for the progress of our college, clearly opens the way for aid and cooperation from others who are not Alumni.

"Those who can assist will first closely examine what we as Alumni are doing for our Alma Mater in the drive toward growth and progress. We strongly urge that each Alumnus make a sincere examination of his individual position to determine whether he has fulfilled his responsibility to support his college.

"May we count on you in the area surrounding Wilkes to join our friends and classmates at our regular meetings and participate in formulating our plans and programs.

"The officers whom you have elected can function effectively only with your full cooperation."

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OTHER MEMBERS of the WCAA official family are, left to right: Donald Honeywell, '49, vice president; Mrs. Anita Janerich, '51, secretary; and Dr. Shadrach Jones, '51, treasurer.



# Help Find A Friend

## Lost Alumni Search Continues

Here is a chance to play Mr. Keene, tracer of lost persons, for your alumni association. Information available states — graduated from Wilkes College — last known address proven to be unfruitful. Result — whereabouts unknown.

1945

Mrs. John Adams (Mary L. Stubbs), Mrs. Walter D. Celmar (F. Mackiewicz), Miss Elva Lorraine Rogers, Miss June Search, Mrs. Elizabeth Tell (Faint).

1946

Mr. Peter P. Halecki, Miss Elizabeth Mary Marline, Mr. Edward Albert Myers, Miss Shirley P. Stookey, Mrs. Lewis Tomlinson (Caryl L. Galow).

1947

Mr. Donald R. Boguszewski, Miss Faith Graham Davis, Miss Dorothy M. Raub.

1948

Mrs. Marc Alribat (Frances Wilki), Miss Ruth A. Dukinas, Mr. Lester G. Jones, Mr. William H. Lewis, Mr. Robert Maitland, Miss Charlotte Ann Nejako, Miss Millicent Marie Purcell, Mr. Thomas J. Rzeski, Mr. Albert G. Ruzgis, Mr. Bernard Joseph Shucktis, Mr. Harold D. Smith,

Mr. John G. Verbyla, Mr. Jack Wambold, Mr. John Francis Washko, Mr. Frank Edwin Wheeler, Mr. Edward J. Witek.

1949

Mr. Paul J. Barnoski, Mr. Charles M. Clothier, Mr. Pascal J. Damiłowicz, Mr. Michael Fex, Jr., Mr. Edward Charles Goldsmith, Mr. John P. Koloski, Mr. Hillard Kozlowski, Mr. William Lavelle, Mr. Julius E. Likowski, Mr. Michael Martinoff, Mr. Cameron Moffat, Mr. Edward J. Parry, Mr. Joseph P. Ruotolo, Mr. Fred Bernard Schultz, Mr. James Alexander Spanos, Miss Irene Marie Smith.

1950

Mr. Joseph M. Bendock, Mr. Rudolph Santo Bottei, Mr. William J. Brown, Mr. Samuel M. Chambliss, Mr. Joseph J. Chaponis, Mr. John M. Davis, Mr. William G. Dyke, Mr. Henry G. Frank, Mr. Carl Morgan Gibson, Mr. Albert Stanley Gorski, Mr. William J. Miller, Mr. George Petrilak, Mr. Joseph J. Sabar, Mr. Harold A. Schmidt, Miss Emily M. Smetana, Mr. Henry Francis Stozeski.

1951

Mr. Albert G. Danishanko, Miss Michalina Kowicz, Mr. Raymond C. Kresge, Miss Sally Ruth Mittlemen, Mrs. Jeanne Van Newnehizen (Claypool), Mr. Frederick Harold Poltrock, Mr. John Michael Russell, Mr. Charles Arnold Salinis, Mr. Leon John Shumosis, Mr. Joseph Sulli-

van, Mr. Edward Swislowski, Mr. Richard Todd.

1952

Mr. John Brna, Mr. Joseph Fattorini, Jr., Miss Ann Geraldine Fox, Miss Eleanor Theresa Gorney, Mr. Joseph Henry Kochan, Mr. Robert Howard Nash, Miss Alice Petrochko, Mr. Edmund A. Sajeski, Mr. Donald Edward Williams

1953

Mr. Harry B. Davis, Mr. James R. Gibbons, Miss Constance P. Smith, Mr. Thaddeus R. Stopkoski, Mr. John Theloudis, Miss Shirley Williams.

1954

Mr. Spiros H. Columbus, Mr. Robert Cross, Mr. Bart J. Davison, Mr. Anthony E. Dwojeski, Mr. Edward J. Finn, Mr. John Malamas, Mr. Edward Pasternak, Mr. Vincent Adam Slavitsko.

1955

Miss Annie P. Findley.

he has served as president of the Alumni Association on three occasions. He has been one of the moving forces behind the Alumni Association. Honeywell is sales manager of Deemer's Stationery Company in Wilkes-Barre. He and his wife, Eleanor, have two children, Robert, 5; and Diane, 10 months.

### Anita Janerich

Mrs. Anita Janerich, secretary, attended Wilkes 1948-1951. While at Wilkes, she became one of the founders of the college literary society and served as the coordinator at one time.

Mrs. Janerich contributed to the *Manuscript and Beacon* and was a member of the Sociology Club.

Up to now, Mrs. Janerich has had five short stories published by a small, but nationally known, publisher and several poems, one of which won the Indiana Poetry award of the year. She also has had essays presented on radio.

Mrs. Janerich is now working with the Department of Public Assistance in Wilkes-Barre. She has two children, Dwight and Maureen.

### Dr. Shadrach Jones

Dr. Shadrach Jones, treasurer, attended Wilkes College from 1948 to 1950. He graduated from Pennsylvania State College of Optometry in Philadelphia in 1954.

Dr. Jones was very active in extracurricular activities while at college and is now affiliated with many organizations and is vice president of the Northeastern Optometric Society, Inc. He was an active letterman in college. Dr. Jones has his practice in Kingston.

The ever-growing Wilkes College campus was further expanded recently with the acquisition of two more South River Street properties.

The addition to the campus of the adjacent buildings, both of which face the River Common in the first block of South River Street, was made known by Gilbert S. McClintock, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

The buildings are the W. F. Dobson home, which stands on the corner of South River Street and West Northampton Street; and the former Dorrance Reynolds home, 92 South River Street. The buildings are adjacent to each other, and thus aid further in solidifying the college campus.

The Dobson building has been presented to the college by Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Weiss, who purchased the structure as a gift to the school. It is understood that the building will bear the Weiss family name. Mr. Weiss, founder of the Triangle Shoe Company in this city, is a trustee of Wilkes College.

The Reynolds home has been pur-

Former Dobson, Reynolds Homes Added to Campus

chased by the college for use as a women's dormitory. It will be the third residence hall for women in that block of South River Street. Others are Sterling Hall and McClintock Hall.

The Reynolds home, occupied by members of the Reynolds family until last year, is one of the oldest structures in the area. It was built in the early 1840's, about the same time as was the McClintock home a short distance to the north of it. The McClintock building, given to the college by the chairman of its board, is also a women's dormitory.

The Dobson home was built in the early 1900's, according to available records.

Dr. Eugene S. Farley stated recently that the Dobson property will continue to be used as a residence and for offices for at least another year. It currently houses the offices of the Charles S. Rockey Accounting Firm.

The late Mr. Dobson, who each year presented the W. F. Dobson Accounting Medal to the outstanding Wilkes senior accountant, had expressed a hope that his home would

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## College Continues Expansion, Adds 2 Dormitories

PROGRESS GOES ON — Two more steps in the continual progress of Wilkes: Top, W. F. Dobson home and, bottom, Dorrance Reynolds home, newest acquisitions.



## Your Officers

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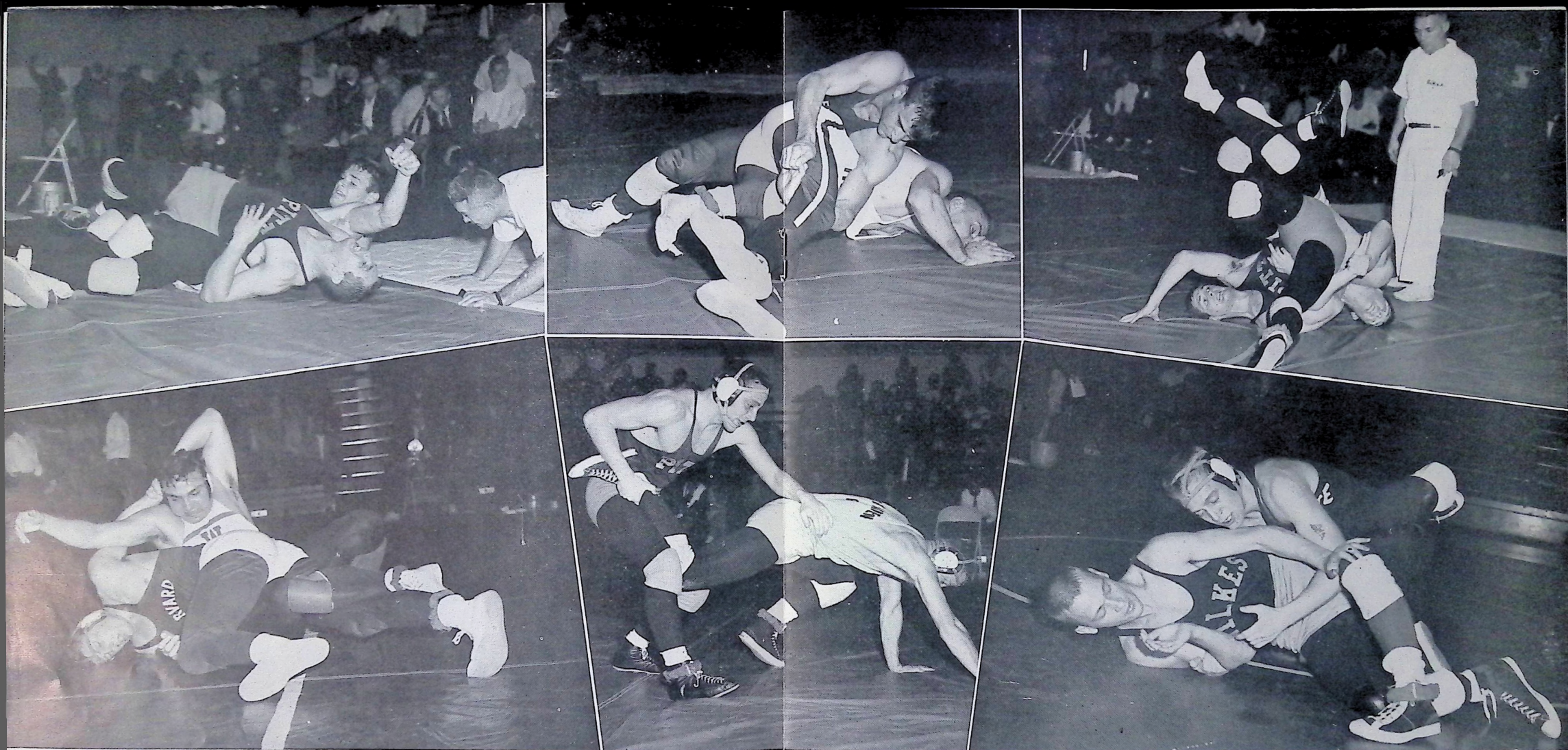
### Gifford Cappellini

Gifford Cappellini, president, is a graduate of Bucknell University Junior College where he was president of the freshman and sophomore classes and president of the student council.

He graduated from Bucknell University in Lewisburg, and the Cornell Law School. He is associated with the law practices of Elmer Harris and Murray Mackson in Wilkes-Barre.

Atty. Cappellini has been admit-





## Quarter-Century Celebration of Wilkes Open Tourney . . . . Action Aplenty

Pitt's determination to hold onto the Wilkes Open Wrestling Championship crown at the 25th presentation of the big holiday tourney this past December 28 and 29 paid off with a sweeping runaway by the Panthers.

Pitt's 96 points for the tournament not only exceeded the point score of all other contenders, but was double the 48 points taken by second-rank-

ing Lock Haven (Pa.) State Teachers College.

While Pitt proved formidable right from the opening bouts of the preliminaries, Lock Haven, undismayed at the high caliber of the national competition in which it found itself, kept slowly forging ahead to beat out such teams as Lehigh, which was third this year, and Michigan, 1955 runner-up and the winner of the 1954

Open Championships.

Point scores for the teams found Michigan ranked third with 26, behind third-place Lehigh's 28 and Lock Haven's 48. Of the rest of the nearly 50 colleges and athletic clubs sending grapplers to the Wilkes Open, only Maryland scored in the twenties.

Individual performances glistened at the match, but 167-pound Jim Ellis

from Indiana University outshone them all to be voted "Outstanding Wrestler" and receive his trophy from Dr. Farley.

Wilkes grapplers entered the tournament this year and fared well, with two, 130-pound Jim Ward and 123-pound Al Lamareax, reaching the quarter-finals in the stiff competition.

The two-day Championships

moved along at a rapid pace after the intense Friday afternoon preliminaries, which saw some 103 bouts run off. All told, the two-day affair went through close to 300 individual contests.

### Individual Winners (by weight classes)

115-lb. class: Paul Powell, Pitt  
123-lb.: Sid Nodland, unattached

130-lb.: Bill Billet, York YMCA  
137-lb.: Victor DeFelice, Pitt  
147-lb.: Larry Fomicola, Bellefonte YMCA  
157-lb.: Robert Richardson, Pitt  
167-lb.: Jim Ellis, Indiana  
177-lb.: Jack Marchello, Michigan  
191-lb.: Ron Schirt, Pitt  
Unlimited: William Oberly, unattached.



TO: The Alumni of Wilkes College

Will you permit me to discuss a problem which concerns us all—that of building, developing and increasing the stature of our College.

You and I have the opportunity of resolving this problem. But first, let's ask ourselves a few questions: (1) Why should we? (2) What assurance do we have of the perpetuation of this "small" school? (3) Who else is helping?

The first question may be answered by asking ourselves: Would you want to help and repay someone who has guided, taught, and even nurtured you on the way to your career? Does your past education take on added meaning in light of your present and future outlook? Have you found yourself to be a more substantial, responsible citizen as a result of your educational background? Do you want to give others similar opportunities? The answers readily suggest that we should contribute, at least, within our means.

A recent article in the Reader's Digest, written by an eminent professor, had this to say on the value of a small college:

"It is this concern of the small college for the individual which led me, ten years ago, to decide to leave the security and prestige of a great university and to spend the rest of my life in a smaller school. . . .

For during the last ten years the small college, instead of dying, has undergone a remarkable rebirth. We know now what ten years ago had to be largely surmised; that the smallness and modesty of the small college, far from implying mediocrity, more often represent a pattern of life which produces a high order of excellence."

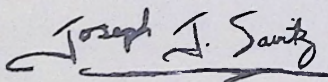
The foregoing indicates the fundamental value of a college like Wilkes. And it also tells us of the strength and need of this type institution. Where the need is present, the fulfillment of it must be made available. That is also the thinking of many other friends of the College who have assured the perpetual existence of Wilkes by their voluntary, non-hesitant gifts of: a residence, a Science Building, monetary contributions, or services.

We, the Alumni of the School, must manifest our interest, our strength, our loyalty.

You will be asked to participate in this Annual Alumni Fund Drive by sending in your contribution. Our objective is a high percentage of participation, co-operation — and remuneration.

You can help so easily and with such gratifying reward. Won't you?

Yours sincerely,



JOSEPH J. SAVITZ  
Chairman,  
1957 Annual Alumni Fund Drive.

## Joseph J. Savitz, '48, General Chairman of 1957 Drive; Alumni Home Promised

TAKING OVER a big task as general chairman of the Alumni Fund for 1957 is Joseph J. Savitz, '48, a prominent Wilkes-Barre attorney.



Attorney Joseph J. Savitz, member of the class of '48, has recently agreed to accept the position of General Chairman in the 1957 Wilkes College Alumni Fund campaign.

Upon his graduation from Wilkes College, he matriculated in the University of Pennsylvania Law School, where he received his law degree. He was admitted to the Luzerne County Common Pleas Court and Orphans' Court in 1952, and the Supreme Court in January of 1953. He is now associated with the law firm of Roseann, Jenkins and Greenwald.

Mr. Savitz is a member of the Wilkes College Alumni Lettermen's Association, a member of the Fidelity Lodge No. 655, F. & A.M., the Irem Temple, and the Elks.

He was also instrumental in the formulation of the Alumni Lettermen's was also instrumental in the formulation of the Alumni Lettermen's Constitution, serving as chairman on the constitutional committee of that group.

*Wilkes-Barre Attorney Heads Campaign's 2nd Year,  
Hopes to Top Last Year's Successful Drive;  
'Anonymous Friend' to Provide Building for Alumni*

A generous friend of the college who is interested in our alumni association recently promised to give his home to the association when he no longer has any use for it.

Although the home will not be given in the foreseeable future, we can begin to prepare for the time when it will be given to us through our annual gifts.

It is anticipated that the cost of maintaining and servicing the home will be approximately \$4,000 each year. In order to meet this future expense, the alumni fund council has planned to set aside, in a special fund, 25 per cent of the alumni fund contributions. This fund will remain untouched over a period of years until the home comes into our possession. The remaining 75 per cent of the fund will be used in our twenty-fifth anniversary development program to help attain some of the important goals that have been established.

The association has long had need for a home of its own and we now have the opportunity of seeing this wish become a reality. The building will house all of the alumni records and will serve as an operating center for all alumni affairs. In addition, tentative plans call for use of some of the rooms for over-night accommodations for out-of-town alumni visiting the college.

Last year, the successful completion of the first annual fund was an indication of your interest in the future of Wilkes College. The wonder-

ful assistance of 150 graduates who served as class chairmen and class managers under the direction of Russell H. Williams, General Chairman, gave the type of support that is necessary for the continued growth of the association and of our college.

In 1956, 20 per cent of the alumni participated in the first annual alumni fund. The first five classes which had the greatest number of participants were the class of '44 with 40 per cent, the class of '50 with 35.3 per cent, the class of '55 with 32.9 per cent, the class of '51 with 23.9 per cent and the class of '52 with 23.6 per cent. In keeping with these figures, the alumni fund council has concluded that our over-all participation for all classes in the 1957 campaign would be set at thirty per cent participation—an increase of 50 per cent over the 1956 campaign.

In our 1957 campaign, 2,000 of our association members will be asked to aid in this program. We urge you to consider giving to the alumni fund through your class so that each class will show a decided improvement over last year's results. Remember, it is not the amount you give that is important, but the fact that You Do give.

As you are aware, Wilkes College has received magnificent support from friends of the college during the past year. It is important that we help to maintain the momentum of our anniversary development program by our contributions.

Not only will we be contributing

to something beneficial to our association but we are also showing the friends who have aided Wilkes, that we, the immediate family of the college, are doing our utmost to aid in the successful completion of our anniversary program.

### *College Continues Expansion*

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some day come into the hands of Wilkes. The gift of Mr. and Mrs. Weiss has now made this wish possible.

Dr. Farley also revealed that another recent acquisition, the Stella Wadhams home, across from the Wilkes gymnasium on South Franklin Street, will be converted into a men's dormitory next fall, at which time the Reynolds home is tentatively planned to be inaugurated as a girls' residence.

The two additions will bring to eight the number of dormitories for out-of-area students maintained by Wilkes — three for women and five for men.

The increased facilities for dorm students have become more necessary as the number of students from other areas applying to the college each year has continued to grow.

Purchases and gifts such as the two newest buildings fall into the college's current 25th Anniversary Development Program, presently highlighted by construction of the million dollar science building in honor of former Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Harold R. Stark.



# From the Editor's Note Book

... Here 'n' There with the Alumni

1935

Francis E. Pasquini, class of 1935, is an Ordnance Engineer in the Navy Department for the Bureau of Ordnance. He and his wife, Mary, and daughter, Theresa Marie, and two sons, Stephen and Leonard, are living in Washington, D.C.

1937

Melvin N. Kammen is a Secretary-Business Manager on the Board of Education in East Brunswick, N.J. He and his wife have two children, Melvin, Jr., and Nancy Jane.

John Saricks is now teaching Social Studies and English and is Public Information Director for the Northern Valley Regional High School in Bergenfield, N.J. He, his wife, Florence, and daughter are living in Bergenfield.

1938

Leo Simoson is now a physician in Cleveland Heights, Ohio. He and his wife, Helen, are the proud parents of seven children: Elaine, Virginia, Michael and Patricia (twins), Ann, Kathleen, and Dennis.

1942

Anne L. Putkoski is now a housewife in Fort Lee, N.J. She and her husband, Dr. Edward P. Putkoski, have a son, Bobby, born in 1948, and two daughters, Jean, born in 1951, and Nancy, born in 1955.

Alfred Eisenpreis and his wife, Betty Jane, are living in Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Alfred is the Assistant Managing Director of Pomeroy's Department Store.

1943

Albert J. Fladd is now employed as a design engineer with Roushey & Smith, Brooks Building, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. He and his wife have two children, Albert, four years, and Helen, eighteen months.

1944

Mrs. Walter Phillips, the former Janet Louise Post, holds the important position of "mommy" to her son, Brock, born March, 1953, and her daughter, Holly, born October, 1954.

1946

Stewart E. Hettig and his wife, Nadine, are living in Pittsfield, Mass., where Stewart is a process engineer for the General Electric Company. They have two children, Nadine Faye, born in 1951, and Rebecca Lynn, born in 1954.

Betty Jane Semko, the former Betty Jane Davis, is secretary to Mr. William O. Sword of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce. She has two children, Paul Scott and Chris.

Arthur Williams, who received a B.A. in 1944 in Journalism, is a sales manager for Radio KFBK in Sacramento, California. He and his wife, the former Ann Bragen, are the proud parents of a six month's old daughter, Emily Ann.

1948

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Terry, both graduates of the class of '48, are living in Levittown, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Terry is the former Charlotte Najaka. Tom is the manager of the Correspondent Department of Dun & Bradstreet in Philadelphia. He and Charlotte have two children, Tom, Jr., and Lee Ann.

Mrs. Mary Watson, the former Mary Martin, is now employed as a Medical Technician in the Kilmer Laboratory of the Binghamton City Hospital.

James J. Whiteley is a Loan Manager for the Household Finance Corporation. He and his wife, Beth, have a daughter, Kathleen Louise, born on June 6, 1953.

1949

Andrew Skumanich is now working on theoretical research and development in Los Alamos, New Mexico. Andrew received his Ph.D. in Astrophysics from Princeton University in 1954. He and his wife, the former Mary Berdy, have a son, Andrew, Jr., born in 1956.

Charles Rifendier of Norristown, Pennsylvania, is working as Assistant Manager of Installment Loans in the Montgomery-Norristown Bank and Trust Company. He and his wife, the former Blanche Flood, have three children, Sherry, born in 1952; Chuck, born in 1955; and Craig, born in 1956.

Arthur Dalessandro is practicing law in Wilkes-Barre after graduating from the Dickinson School of Law.

Nelson E. Nelson is a Casually Adjuster for the State Automobile Insurance Association. He and his wife, Audrey, are living in Dallas, Pennsylvania. The couple have two children, Joan Elaine and Nelson III.

Marjorie Green received her Masters Degree in Math. from Bucknell

University in 1956. She is now teaching mathematics in the West Pittston Junior High School in West Pittston.

1950

Russell H. Williams, 1950 graduate, is the Assistant Advertising Manager for the Eberhard Faber Pencil Company. Russell and his wife, Margaret, have two sons, Rusty, born December 19, 1948; and Gary, born November 22, 1950.

Robert Barber is the Secretary and Assistant Treasurer with Fleetwood-Airflow, Inc. Bob is married to the former Jane Adams and they have one son, Robert, Jr., born October 2, 1955.

The Reverend Lester S. Gross, who received his B.A. from Wilkes in 1950 and graduated from the Philadelphia Divinity School in '55, is at St. John's Episcopal Church in Louisville, Ky. Reverend Gross and his wife, Irene, live at 1314 Kremer Avenue.

Wayne Redline is presently a Pathology Resident in the Allentown Hospital. He and his wife, the former Mary Luther, have two little boys—Raymond, born November 12, 1953; and Neil, born October 17, 1955.

Klen Walters, 1950 graduate, is an executive trainee in merchandising for Sears, Roebuck and Company, and he is presently residing in Nanticoke, Pennsylvania.

Thomas Richards is a Sales Instructor for the Crowell-Collier Publishing Company in Phoenix, Arizona, where his duties include selling, planning, and promoting magazine sales campaigns. Tom was formerly the Principal of the Luzerne Avenue School in West Pittston, Pa. He and his wife, Jeanne, have two daughters, Dawn Marie, born on July 23, 1951; and Leslie Joanne, born on March 22, 1956.

Joseph B. Gries is presently associated with Radio Station WBRE in Wilkes-Barre, where he is an account Executive Announcer on radio and television. Joe directs and plans advertising campaigns and does sports announcing. He and his wife, Mary, have one child, Jonna Reese.

James Klaproth is living in Altoona, Pennsylvania, and is a Professional Relations Representative for the Medical Service Association of Pennsylvania. He carries on the professional relations pro-

gram with the doctors of 21 counties of Western Pa.

George E. Hudock, Jr., is now in his Junior year at Jefferson Medical College. George is married to the former Helen M. Mesavitz, and they are residing in Philadelphia.

Maurice Price, his wife, Lorna, and their two sons, David and Derek, are living in Salisbury, Md., where Maurice is a Comptroller for the Hastings Hatchery, the Ches-Peake Quality Farms, Inc. and the Ches-Peake Dressing Plant, Inc.

Joseph Gudaitis, who received a B.S. in Economics in 1950, was married on February 14, 1956, to the former Vicky Mariannaci. Joe is presently employed in the office of Universal Carloading & Distributing Company, Inc. in Wilkes-Barre.

1951

Donald E. Himlin, class of 1951, is now employed as a Resident Adjuster for the firm of Travelers Insurance Company in Norristown, Pa. He and his wife, the former Elizabeth A. Rutherford, class of '51, have two daughters, Karen, age three; and Ellen, age one.

William Gorgas is now busy as underwriter for the Insurance Company of North America. He is residing with his wife and daughter, Barbara Ann, in Swarthmore, Pa.

Delbert McGuire is a store manager for F. W. Woolworth Company in Philadelphia. He and his wife, the former June Persing, have two children, Richard, born in February of 1952; and Thomas, born in March of 1954.

Gerard Rogers has been recently called back into the Navy. He is an assistant gunnery officer aboard the U.S.S. Kearsarge in Bremerton, Washington. He is married to the former Jeanne Russell of Arlington, Virginia.

1952

William Hart, who is now employed by Eastman Kodak Company of Rochester, New York, is doing research and development studies on film chemicals. He and his wife, Virginia, have a son, William Lawrence, who was born on August 3, 1956.

Mrs. Ann Morgan, the former Ann Belle Perry, is a teacher for 15 three- and four-year-olds in the Harrison Cooperative Nursery in Mamaroneck, New York. Her husband, Thomas D. Morgan, is an English teacher in Bellows High School in Mamaroneck.

Philadelphia as a Junior Bacteriolo-

John Simmons, class of '52, is the Assistant City Manager in the administration of Public Relations at the City of Chico, California.

Thomas Phipps, '52, is now a buyer in the Purchasing Department of the Radio Corporation of America. He is married to the former Louise Dodson, '47, who was at one time the secretary to H. J. Morris, at Wilkes College.

1953

Denah Fleisher, class of '53, is now employed as a Legal Secretary and "Girl Friday" at Hadassah in New York City. Denah was formerly Russ Picton's Secretary in the Alumni Office of Wilkes College.

Theodore Krohn is working as an attorney for Rosen, Jenkins, & Greenwald. Ted was married on December 23, 1956 to Elaine Giltman.

1954

Leonard Swicklik is doing natural product research for Eastman Kodak in Rochester, New York. He and his wife, the former Mary Lou Marquart, have two children, Catherine Mary, born on September 8, 1954; and Michael Paul, born on January 6, 1956.

Anita Ruth Gordon is presently employed by Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company in Philadelphia as a secretary.

Lt (j.g.) Alexander Cathro is leading a busy life as a student Naval Aviator in Pensacola, Florida. Alexander received a B.S. in Commerce and Finance in 1954.

1955

Marilyn Ann Peters is working for Trans-World Airlines in New York City at the Sky Chief Desk, handling reservations for travel agencies and business corporations. Marilyn received a B.A. in English in 1955.

Richard Kent is in his second year of Medical School at the University of Pennsylvania, School of Medicine. Last July, he married the former Lorraine Giacometti, who was a former Wilkes student.

Edward Cologie, who received a B.S. in Business Education in 1955, is now employed as a business teacher for Foster Township High School in Freeland, Pa. He and his wife, Ann, have four children, Carole Ann, born in 1946; Ed, Jr., born in 1947; William, born in 1949; and John, born in 1950.

Robert Dymond is working in South Carolina with the U. S. Army at Fort Jackson. He and his wife, the former Eleanor Ohlin, have one daughter, Carol Ann.

Mary Rose Kozak is employed in

gist in the Smith, Kline, & French labs. She does mycology and bacteriology research.

William D. DeMayo and his wife, the former Virginia Pierce, have one son, Douglas, born on May 29, 1956. Bill expects to graduate from Columbia University in June of 1957.

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Gerald Levandoski is now at Penna. State University working on his B.S. in Mechanical Engineering.

Matthew Quay is serving as a public accountant for Peat, Marwick, Mitchell, and Co. in Flemington, New Jersey. He and his wife, Katherine, have a daughter, Katherine Suzanne, born on May 6, 1956.

Joe Modia is working for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (District 4) as an Assistant Bank Examiner. The work involves verifying bank statements, examining and analyzing bank operations, and travelling throughout the district.

Barbara Boock is working in Sugarloaf, Penna., as a Claims Representative for the Social Security Administration.

Herbert Bynder is presently residing in Brooklyn, New York, studying for his Ph.D. in Sociology at Columbia University.

Louis DeFalco is a junior time study engineer in the Industrial Engineering Department for A.M.P., Incorporated, in Harrisburg, Pa. He and his wife, Peggy, have two children, Nancy, born on March 3, 1953; and Maria, born on March 24, 1955.

Kenneth S. Darby, who attended Wilkes, is presently employed by the Tidewater Oil Company at their Suscon office. Ken recently married the former Miss Nancy David of West Pittston, Pa. Miss Marguerite Malko, who attended Wilkes College, became the bride of the Rev. George Paul Allen in July, 1956. They will make their home in Buffalo, where the Rev. Allen is minister of the Zion E & R Church. Miss Beverly Ann Falkenberg became the Bride of Robert Hildebrand in September, 1956.

Mrs. Hildebrand is a graduate of the Wyoming Valley Hospital School of Nursing and received a bachelor of science degree in nursing education from Wilkes College in August, '56. She has been a nursing instructor in obstetrics at the Wyoming Valley Hospital and has assumed a similar position at the Samaritan Hospital in Troy, New York.



