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Department Of Biology Will Undergo Changes

by Mary Kay Pogar

Biology students who have become accustomed to seeing Dr. Charles Reif teach histology and Dr. Robert Doty teach microbiology in the sequence of modules will see some changes next year. The Biology Department is presently searching for replacements for these two professors.

Dr. Doty will leave at the end of the year due to a tenure decision. He has been with the Biology Department since 1975 as assistant professor of biology, and has taught bacteriology and immunology, in addition to the microbiology module.

Dr. Reif, Professor of Biology, has been with the college since 1942, and is well known to biology majors as the instructor in the histology module. Dr. Reif will not teach at the college after this year, but will retain his research base here as a Professor Emeritus. He is currently involved in lake research. Dr. Lester Turoczi, chairman of the department, noted that Dr. Reif has been a 'major cornerstone of the institution" and of the Biology Department.

The department is now in the process of hiring two new biology professors as probationary faculty. Such faculty will teach for a limited time, without being considered for tenure. Faculty members who will be able to fill departmental teaching needs in research, in anatomy and physiology labs, in addition to teaching either the histology or microbiology module are being sought by the department. In short, individuals with a "strong ability to be excellent teachers and quality

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researchers" will be most qualified for the positions.

It is also the hope of the biology department to hire a female professor "to act as a role model" to the female biology students, according to Dr. Turoczi. In recent years, the department has had only male professors teaching full

A rumor that Dr. Peter Siver is leaving after this semester has been circulating recently. students have claimed that the assistant professor of biology, who teaches all the botany courses, has had two offers, one from Iowa State University, and one from WoodsHole Laboratory. However,

according to Dr. Turoczi, Dr. Siver has stated, "I have no offers."

The faculty of the department will soon take time for their annual retreat, during which they evaluate the biology program. They try to solve any problems and upgrade the program. Dr. Turoczi noted that some possible changes might occur in the modules. More botany and molecular biology, in the form of cell biology and "precursor biochemistry" may be incorporated into the material taught in these courses. However, changing the name of the a module is "totally undetermined" at this time, according to the department chairman.

Student Selections To Who's Who Made

The 1982 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" will carry the names of 34 students Wilkes College. from students have been selected because they are among the country's most outstanding campus leaders.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities, and future potential.

They join an elite group of students selected from more than

The members of the Education

Committee are: Dr. Mahmoud

Fahmy, committee chairman; Dr.

Charles Jones, Professor of Educa-tion, Bucknell University; Dr.

William Moore, chairman, Department of Education, Buck-

nell University; Dr. Eugene Hammer, chairman, Wilkes College Department of Education; Mr.

Nello Riccetto, executive director,

Luzerne Intermediate Unit 18; Mr. Leo Solomon, Superinten-

dent, Wilkes-Barre Area School District; Mr. Robert Capin, presi-

dent, Wilkes College; Mr. John Chwalek, general chairman,

Wilkes College 50th Anniversary

Committee. Other members in-

clude: Mrs. Esther Davidowitz,

Mrs. Madge Benovitz and Ms.

role in the community.

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Students named to this year's edition are: Mark Barettella, Ridgefield, N.J.; David Capin, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Lisa Cobb, Taylor, Pa.; Maureen Connolly, Branchville, N.J.; Roya Fahmy, Dallas, Pa.; Thomas Farley, Carbondale, Pa.; Shelley Freeman, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Michael Gould, Broadheadsville, Pa.; Maurita Gries, Dallas, Pa.; Lisa Gurka, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Sandra Hartdagen, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Joseph Knox, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Maribeth Kofira, Taylor, Pa.; Donna Krappa, Dupont, Pa.

Also named are: Christine Lain, Sussex, N.J.; Robert Lashock, Hazleton, Pa.; Barbara Metroka, Courtdale, Pa.; Eugene Neary, Hunlock Creek, Pa.; Ana Nunez, Altoona, Pa.; Larson Orehotsky, Dallas, Pa.; Mary Kay Pogar, Hazleton, Pa.; Thomas Rooney, Lost Creek, Pa.; Martha Sherman, Luzerne, Pa.; Myron Slota, North Towanda, N.Y.; Judy Solack, Wilkes-Barre; Barry Spevak, Syracuse, N.Y.; Mark Thomas, Wilkes-Barre; Susan Tomalis, Camp Hill, Pa.; Janine Tucker, Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Anthony Vlahovic, White Hall, Pa.; Gary Willets, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Bruce Williams, Mountoursville, Pa.; Alan Wirkman, Wyckoff, N.J.: Christopher Woolverton,

Trenton, N.J. "I sometimes think the democratic process itself has done us all a grave harm. For instance, the idea of bidding up at election times and making commitments that are going to be hard to fulfill. Politicians like to honor commitments, so they fulfill them even

interview in Nation's Business. Courtesy of the Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce

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when the financial burden is too

great." — Prime Minister Malcohm Fraser of Australia, in an

The BEACON meetings usually held on Sunday afternoon at 1:00 have been rescheduled. The meetings will now be held on Friday afternoon at 3:00 in the BEACON office, Parrish Hall, Rm. 27. Those people wishing to submit material for publication should be aware that the deadline has also been changed to Friday at 3:00 p.m. This deadline will be in effect for the remainder of the semester.

Education Committee Involved In 50th Anniversary

by Donna Nitka

An Education Committee, composed of faculty and interested persons from Bucknell University, Wilkes College and their surrounding communities, has been formed to coordinate educational activities Wilkes' 50th anniversary celebration. Dr. Mahmoud H. Fahmy, director of Wilkes' Division of Continuing Education, has been appointed chairman of the

According to Fahmy, activities planned by the committee include an educational exchange at the faculty level, an education symposium featuring distinguished state and national educators, and a series of seminars that will be staffed by members of both Bucknell and Wilkes. He noted that the committee would like to arrange a meeting of the State Board of Education at Wilkes during the anniversary year. Fahmy also stated that the committee would

like to invite specialists from outside the education field to speak about their fields of expertise.

The activities planned by the committee are not limited to campus activities. Fahmy noted that the committee is exploring the possibility of broadcasting a program on the development of Wilkes College on the local educational television station. Shorter segments, featuring highlights of the college's development, are being considered for broadcast on the

munity," and, as such, the college has a responsibility to become in-

volved in the community. He added that the anniversary celebration will serve to "emphasize" Wilkes

commercial television stations. Fahmy also added that, during the anniversary year, South River Street will be known as Wilkes College Boulevard. Dr. Fahmy commented that he would like the 50th anniversary celebration to be a "joyful and meaningful celebration" for students and faculty. He stated that "Wilkes is the college of the com-

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editors.

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College Wins Safety Award

by Donna Nitka

Wilkes College was recently awarded the Million Man Hour Safety Award in recognition of the college's exceptional employee safety record. The award was presented to Wilkes College president Robert Capin by the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association Insurance Company on December 8, 1981.

According to Eugene Manganello, Personnel Director, the college received the award for the period spanning September 24, 1979 to September 24, 1981. During this time, Wilkes operated a total of 1,102,500 man hours without a disabling injury, accident, or illness to its employees. Manganello stated that such a safety record "cannot be accomplished without the help of the students, faculty, staff and administration." He also added that everyone benefits from the high safety standards implied by the safety record, for these standards not only allow employees to avoid injury, but also help control expenses.

Wilkes is the only college in the Northeastern district to receive this award. This is the fourth time the college has received the Million Man Hour Safety Award.

BroadwayTheater Weekend:

March Plans Announced

by Amy Elias

Would-be New Yorkers and theater buffs, here's your chance: a Broadway Theater Weekend is in the making for March 26-28. Organized in cooperation with the Edison Hotel and under the direction of Associate Dean of Student Affairs Arthur Hoover, the weekend will include bus transportation to and from New York City, hotel lodgings for two nights, and baggage handling. The cost of the trip will be \$65.00 per person, and the trip is open to the entire Wilkes community.

Buses will leave Wilkes-Barre at

Buses will leave Wilkes-Barre at 1:00 p.m. on March 26 and leave New York City at 7:00 p.m. on March 28. Hotel accommodations for the two nights will be provided by the Edison Hotel, which is located on 46th to 47th Street, West of Broadway.

According to Dean Hoover, the annual Broadway Theater Weekend has become a popular event at the college, and started when he worked in the Alumni Office. The trip was originally planned only for the alumni, but when Hoover moved back to the Dean's Office the Weekend plans expanded. The trip was soon opened to the entire "Wilkes Family."

"We are the catalysts which bring people together," Hoover said. The combination apparently works, for approximately 140 people are "brought together" every year. Part of the attraction of the Weekend is what Hoover calls its "structure and nonstructure": while all transportation and housing details are attended to, there is no schedule of events planned for the three days and nights. Each person can plan his own activities for his stay in the City.

Hoover noted that the trip is an ideal opportunity for students who have not experienced the Broadway theater, because of the low cost and non-structured format. He added that there will probably be many students who plan to participate and want to see a show but who will have no particular show in mind. To the undecided, Hoover recommends TKTS, a service located in Duffy's Square in the heart of the theater district. Here theatergoers can stand in line for tickets to all Broadway shows that are not sell-outs, and these tickets are priced at one-half their box-office price.

<u>Human Services</u>

Blood Donor Day Set

by Mary Kay Pogar

The Human Services Committee will sponsor the second Blood Doner Day of the 1981-82 school year on Friday, February 5 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. in the gym.

A \$25.00 prize will be awarded to the residence hall having the highest percentage of donors. Also, a plaque will be awarded to the club or organization with the highest percentage of donors.

Approximately 280 donors gave blood at the last Blood Donor Day on November 6. This time, a goal of 300 donors has been set. Last time, a concerted effort was made to involve commuters in the event, and as a result, more commuters gave blood. There will be a prize for commuters giving blood on February 5, as an incentive for them to donate.

Chris Lain, chairperson of the event, noted that she would like to encourage commuters, faculty and, of course, dorm students, to give blood. The number of blood donors is usually low during the winter months, so the need for blood is especially critical now.

PARTY PLANNED

YOU are invited to attend an all-college Valentine's Day Dinner Dancel The date is Saturday, February 6, 1982 at the Woodlands, an Inn. Cocktail hour will begin at 7 p.m. with a sit-down dinner being served at 8 p.m. Dancing will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. to the music of "Fire and Ice." Ticket price for this great night is just \$6.50/per person. Tickets are on sale in the Student Center 11-1 daily. Sponsored by T.D.R.

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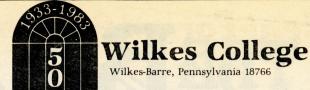
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Spring - 1982

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DATE	EVENT	TIME(S)
JANUARY		WENT WENT
10-Feb. 7	ART EXHIBIT: "Invisible Light:	
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20	CONCERT & LECTURE SERIES: Alice Artzt, Guitarist (CPA)	8 p.m.
22	FILM: Psycho (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
24	FILM: The Rose (\$.25) (CPA)	7 & 9 p.m.
29	FILM: Jazz Singer (\$.25) (CPA)	7 & 9 p.m.
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5	FILM: (To be announced) (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
8	MUSIC: Wind Ensemble Concert (CPA)	8:15 p.m.
9 Helot vi sloban	ROSENN LECTURE SERIES: Anthony Lewis, Columnist for the New York Times (CPA)	7:45 p.m.
12	FILM: Potemkin (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
13	FILM: Murder by Death (\$.25)	Ties pilling
	(SLC) Room 101	7 & 9 p.m.
14-Mar. 7	ART EXHIBIT: Scholastic Art Competition. Sordoni Art Gallery	
19	FILM: Brubaker (\$.25) (CPA)	7 & 9 p.m.
26	FILM: Citizen Kane (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
26-28	THEATRE: "110° in the Shade" A musical. (CPA)	in bergon d and toke I
28	FILM: Once in Paris (SLC) Room 101	9 p.m.
MARCH		
2	CONCERT & LECTURE SERIES: Smithsonian Jazz Ensemble (CPA)	8 p.m.
16	MUSIC: Sonata Concert (CPA)	8:15 p.m.
18	CONCERT & LECTURE SERIES:	lipel synthology
19	The Temple Trio (CPA) FILM: The Big Sleep (SLC) Room 1	8 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
21	CONCERT & LECTURE SERIES:	7:30 p.m.
man guidentino os ad dina meno	McCarter Theatre in Shaw's "Arms and the Man"	7:30 p.m.
21-Apr. 18	ART EXHIBIT: Berenice D'Vorzon: Paintings. Sordoni Art Gallery	desired deposits
26	FILM: Breathless (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
27	FILM: Electric Horseman (\$.25)	trait in James
20	(SLC) Room 101	7 & 9 p.m.
28 29	MUSIC: Alumni Concert (CPA) CONCERT & LECTURE SERIES:	3:30 p.m.
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APRIL		
2	FILM: Godspell (SLC) Room 101	7 & 9 p.m.
16	FILM: The Man Who Loved Women (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
21	MUSIC: Cap and Bell Singers.	7.50 p.m.
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22-24	THEATRE: "Rosencrantz & Guildenstern Are Dead"	
23 seeing	FILM: Last Year at Marienbad (SLC) Room 1	7:30 p.m.
25-May 23	ART EXHIBIT: "David Armstrong: Paintings"	I ABIG AII
27	MUSIC: College Choir & Wind Ensemble	0.1-
	(CPA)	8:15 p.m.
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4	MUSIC: Chamber Orchestra (CPA)	8:15 p.m.
30	ART EXHIBIT: Summer Show	

Sordoni Art Gallery

CC Städent Forum Set For Feb. 2

by John Finn

A Student Forum will be conducted by the Commuter Council next Tuesday, February 2, in Stark learning Center Room 101, from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. The forum is a attempt by the Council to become more responsive to commuters' needs and problems, according to Joe Knox, President.

Knox said he is looking forward to audience response and participation, and if this event is successful, he will plan additional

Although each weekly council meeting is open to all students, last semester several Council members said that they perceived a need for a more informal setting which would allow a large group of students to address the council.

At the council meeting Monday

evening, January 25, Knox encouraged all Council Members to invite their constituents to attend the forum and voice their opinions on problems facing commuters. One member suggested that if successful, the forums should be conducted on a regular monthly basis.

The Forum signals one of several new directions the council is moving in this semester. At the first meeting on Jan. 21, Knox told the council, "We only have one more semester to make our mark here."

The most ambitious project now under consideration by the council is the establishment of a fund for future construction of a multi-level parking lot on campus. This "Long Range Plan," according to Knox, would mean that actual construction might not begin for at least 20 years. He added that although

none of the present members of the council would benefit from the project, this may be the best to time to initiate the fund.

Knox's rough estimate for such construction at today's market prices is 2 million dollars, and many representatives are skeptical about the council's ability to carry out the plan. It would necessitate the establishment of a fund separate from the council's regular account. The fund would be invested and would have to be sustained by succeeding Councils for the next two decades. Even then, the council's funds alone would be insufficient and would require financial committments from other sources.

The council is, however, considering alternatives to this plan.

Room And Board Cost Increase To Fund New Residence Hall

by Donna Nitka

IRHC President Bill Lourie announced that the administration has adopted a residence hall funding policy that will raise the cost of room and board by approximately \$40, beginning the 1982-83 school year. The policy was recommended to the administration by IRHC as a possible alternative to the \$200 differential fee the administration originally planned to charge residents of the new hall, and was based on the results of the executive council's poll of residence hall students.

According to Lourie, the results of last semester's poll showed that, of the 570 residence hall students who participated, 407, or 71%, tavored the \$40 increase while only 163 students, or 29%, preferred the \$200 differential fee. The council submitted these results to President Capin, the administration, and the Board of Trustees.

Social committee chairman Raul Gochez listed the various upcoming events being sponsored or co-sponsored by IRHC. A Student Center Party will be held tonight, January 29, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The theme of the party will be "Pajama Party." The Valentine's Party will be held Friday, February 12, at the Woodlands from 8-1. Music will be provided by "Love Train" and the cost is \$5.00 per person. The St. Patrick's Day Party will be held March 27 in the gym from 9-1. Music will be by 'The Great Rock Scare.'

Everyone was reminded of the upcoming Blood Donor Day on Friday, February 5. The blood drive will be held in the gym from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A prize of \$25 will again be awarded to the residence hall with the highest percentage of donors.

Food Committee chairperson Mary Kutz listed the cafeteria specialty nights for the month of February. They are: February 3, Italian Specialty Night; February 10, Soup Night; February 23, Donut Night. She also noted that on Tuesdays and Thursdays a deli will be offered in addition to other selections, so students can prepare their own lunches.

Advisor Paul Adams reminded residence hall students that Resident Assistant applications for the 1982-83 school year are now available in the Housing Office. Deadline for the applications is Wednesday, February 3.

Student Center Board

Spring Semester Activities Listed

by Mary Kay Pogar

The Student Center Board has planned several activities for the spring semester to take the boredom out of those long winter evenings. The Board, and four other organizations, SG, CC, IRHC and the Housing Office, will each sponsor one of five bus trips to Elk Mountain for night skiing on Wednesday nights. The first trip was Wednesday, January 27, and the other four trips are scheduled for February 4, 10, 18 and 24.

Those who go on the ski trip with the group will have reduced rates at the ski area. A lift ticket will cost only six dollars, and a package including lift ticket, rentals and a lesson will be eight dollars. Students are urged to

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make reservations for the bus early, since there is room for only 43 on the bus. If the response is large, however, a second bus may be considered, at a nominal cost to students. If only one bus is used, the transportation is free.

An excursion to Atlantic City on February 7 with the Student Center Board as sponsor is also planned. Ticket price is \$18.50, but actual cost of the trip is only \$8.50, since the casino gives ten dollars to each person.

Future Student Center Board plans call for a dart tournament on February 11, with cash prizes for the top four finishers. White water rafting later in the semester, a Winter Weekend party and a trip for two to Florida are also being considered.

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The hours of the Student Center will remain the same as last semester. The Cavern will be open from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. on weekdays, and from noon until 11 p.m. on weekends. For more information on Student Center Board activities, contact Jay Tucker at the second floor of the Student

Student Government

Tucker Discusses SCB Ski Trips

by Abigail Gage Jay Tucker, Assistant Director of Housing and Director of the Student Center, has been coor-dinating the ski trips that have already been posted in some dorms. The busses to Elk Mountain will be free, sponsored by several campus organizations including the Student Center, Commuter Council, I.R.H.C. and housing. The first trip will be Jan. 27, and buses will leave the Student Center at 3:30 and will return

to the college at midnight. (See related Student Center Board arti-

The Athletic Committee announced that on Feb. 13 the wrestling coach, John Reese, will be celebrating his 300th wrestling victory. Congratulations were given to the head coach.

Several parties have been planned for the semester, including a Florida Beach Party on Feb. 27. The door prize will be a trip for two to Florida, with paid airfare and a hotel room for a week. There will also be a Winter Weekend meeting on Feb. 11 to organize the event which will take place the weekend of the Feb. 26. Activities will include a gym party

MCAT Classes will be held at Wilkes College

from 9 to 1 and games in the gym on Saturday from 11 to 4.

Elaine Kerchusky, S.G., Vice President, chaired the meeting in place of President Ana Nunez. Kerchusky announced the resignation of Melissa Monahan as publicity chairman, but she also welcomed the new senior class representatives, Susan Bennet and Rob Doty.

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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The Alumni Office will be hiring fifteen to twenty students for evening telephone work beginning in January and continuing throughout the Spring semester. Interested students who qualify for the Work-Study Program and who can work one, two, or three evenings a week between 6 and 10 p.m. should contact the Alumni Office on the third floor of Weckesser Hall. Applicants should possess good oral communications skills and a pleasant telephone voice.



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The typesetter will not only be used by us at the Beacon, but will also eventually be used by the Manuscript, the newswriting class, and a few others.

Once again, our thanks to Mr. Brandwene and Unigraphics!

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Winter Weekend Announced

To the Editor:

Greetings from Siberial We, the WinterWeekend Committee would like to welcome y'all back from break. We know y'all had a great time and nou just can't wait to hit the books again (cough). But we really hope that you're all psyched for another Wilkes WinterWeekend, because it's gonna be super!

The WinterWeekend Committee would just like to take this opportunity to remind you that this year, WinterWeekend will be held the weekend of Feb. 26 to 28. You should now begin to think about rounding up a team because applications will be around campus by Jan. 30th. The theme for this weekend is "WinterWeekend 1982... Wet & Wild!". As you'll

surely see, this theme is highly appropriate because of all of the snow which adds to the fun, and not to mention this year's teams will be named after you're favorite drink! We have alot of stuff in store for ya and wouldn't want anyone to miss out, so don't mess around! Get out there and get a

We also would like to invite anyone who would like to help us out to please do so, we can sure use it! Just because you want to be on a team doesn't restrict you from giving us a hand. If anyone is interested in helping, or if you just want to listen in, there will be a brief meeting on Thursday, Feb. 4 at 11:00 a.m. in the new S.G. office in the Student Center. If you have any ideas on how to enhance the

weekend, or any questions, contact Chris Fellin at 822-7216, Chris Lain at ext. 118, Lor Martin at ext. 115, or Tom Farley at ext. 123.

We'll be keeping you posted as time goes on as to games, application deadlines, parties, meetings, and all of that other neat stuff which you'll need to know, so watch the bulletin boards and this newspaper.

See y'all later! The WinterWeekend Committee



'Older' Student Speaks Out Against 'Rude' Behavior

To the Editor:

I am an "older" student (mid20's) on campus enrolled in Freshman level classes, and once again
this semester I am appalled at the
extremely rude behavior exhibited
in class by many students at the
Freshman level. Students who
carry on conversations irrelevant
to the lecture material are not only
being disrespectful to their instructor, but also inconsiderate of their
peers. Hard as this may be to
fathom — some students actually
want to get an education and are

interested in what the instructor has to say. Perhaps if the talkative students were aware of the tremendous amount of time and energy involved in preparation of class lecture, etc., they would be silent out of respect for this alone. Irregardless (sic), this type of behavior is immature and inexcusable of college-level individuals. So grow up KIDS!!!!! You are not in High School. You're being prepared for the "real world" where adults are responsible for their own actions. Why not begin

accepting responsibility for your actions now by showing your instructors and fellow students a little respect and consideration. Education is a privilege — start acting as if you deserve it.

Name withheld on request

Amy Marcy Beach's Gaelic Symphony" was written in 1896. It was the first symphony compose by an American woman.

Sunday Independent

Non-military Actions Urged Against Soviet Union

To the Editor:

On December 23, 1981, President Reagan in a televised address informed the American people that the tragic events now occurring in Poland have been precipitated by public and secret pressure from the Soviet Union, and that copies of the martial law proclamation imposed in Poland in December, 1981, were printed in the Soviet Union in September, 1981.

President Reagan is the only leader of the Western democracies who has repeatedly shown the unusual courage to accuse the Soviet Union of reserving the right "to commit any crime, to lie and to cheat" in a persistent campaign to promote global revolution and one-world communist dictatorship. History has shown us that it is the well-established practice of the Soviet Union to print orders dealing with foreign countries. For instance, in 1939 maps were printed in the Soviet Union showing the independent Baltic States, Lithusania, Latvia, and Estonia, as republics of the Soviet Union. Besides, orders were signed by the secret police of the Soviet Union, the NKVD, to register and deport the anti-communist citizens of

those independent countries, although the Baltic countries were occupied by the Russian troops in June, 1940.

It is very encouraging to see that Americans of the Polish descent have engaged in protest

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demonstrations in the U.S. Americans of the Ukrainian, Hungarian, Czech, Lithuanian, Latvian, Estonian and other Eastern European descent likewise believe that the time has come to attack the Soviet Union, the prison of peoples, by all non-military means, and ask for the restoration of independence and self-determination for the captive peoples in Eastern Europe.

Informed and concerned persons should insist that Americans must refrain from selling any American technology and farm products to Russia. It is obvious that only strong economic sanctions or an embargo imposed against the Soviet Union may promote the disintegration and fall of the Russian privileged colonial empire

Sincerely yours, Dr. Alexander V. Berkis 1200 Fourth Ave. Farmville, VA

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Governor Praises Debate Union

Editor's Note:

The Wilkes College Debate Union recently received a letter of commendation from Governor Dick Thornburgh praising the success of the College forensic organization. The Debate Union has been a part of Wilkes College since 1948, and has won over 431 trophies and awards within the last eight years.

TO: WILKES COLLEGE DEBATE UNION

As Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I am pleased to commend you on your fine collegiate debating performance.

Your impressive record of victories in state and national contests reflects your demonstrated excellence in communicating effectively, and you have brought great honor not only to yourselves and your school, but to the entire Keystone State. The ability to think logically and to express oneself clearly is a skill which is truly vital to the progress of our state and nation. I congratulate Dr. Bradford L. Kinney and all the "Kinney's Kids" on capturing many prestigious titles and hopes that you will continue to bring worthwhile recognition to your home state.

On behalf of all the citizens of the Commonwealth, I offer sincere best wishes for many more successful and rewarding rounds of competition.

Dick Thornburgh Governor

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Manuscript Society Sponsors Literary & Art Contest

by Doug Fahringer

The Wilkes College literary magazine, the Manuscript, is currently sponsoring a Literary and Art contest. The magazine will be accepting poetry, creative writing, and 8x10 art work for publication in this year's edition.

According to Shelley Freeman, Manuscript Editor-in-Chief, cash prizes will be awarded for the best literary work and the best work of art entered. The contest deadline is February 20 and all works to be submitted may be placed in the Manuscript mailbox on the second floor of Kirby Hall.

Freeman also noted that the Society is presently looking for a cover design for the magazine, and that all art submissions from interested Wilkes students are now being considered.

Applications are now being accepted for Manuscript editorial positions for the 1982-83 school term, Freeman added. The positions available, which bring with them financial scholarships, are Editor-in-Chief, Associate Editor. and Art Editor.

Besides publishing the magazine, the Manuscript Society also sponsors a Film Series; the first film of the Spring semester, "Psycho," was shown last Friday to a full house in Stark Learning Center. Other Society activities include a James Joyce Study Group and a writing workshop which is planned for this spring. The workshop will be an allcollege activity, and will be open to the entire Wilkes campus.

The Manuscript Society meets every Thursday at 11 a.m. in S.L.C. 257, and meetings are open

to any Wilkes student who has an interest in the fine arts. The advisors for the Manuscript Society are Dr. Patricia Heaman and Dr. Robert Heaman.



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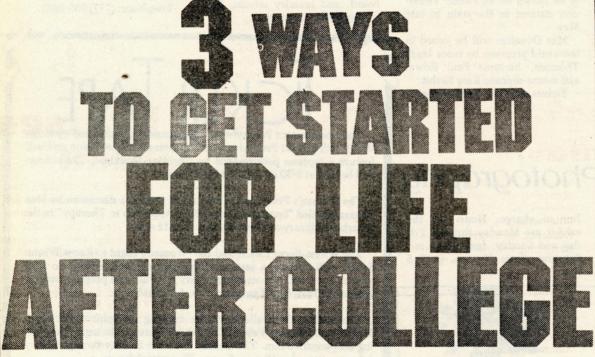
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Wilkes Graduate Performing With NE Pa. Philharmonic

Soprano Christine Donahue, a Metropolitan Opera National Auditions winner, will sing the leading role of Frances Slocum when the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic presents the world premiere of Richard Wargo's concert opera, "The River Flows," as part of the orchestra's "Pennsylvania Tricentennial Celebration," Friday, Jan. 29 at 8:30 at the Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre, and Saturday, Jan. 30 at 8:30 at the Masonic Temple, Scranton.

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A native of Kingston, Miss
Donahue was graduated from
Wilkes College and the Juilliard
School, from which she received a
master's degree in voice and opera.
Miss Donahue was a member of
Houston Opera Studio for three

with Texas Opera Theatre in a wide variety of roles ranging from Cio Cio San to Rosina. She has sung leading roles with the Juilliard Opera Department, American Opera Center, Houston Grand Opera, San Antonio Opera, Michigan Opera Theatre Spring Festival, and the Youngstown, Ohio, Symphony Society. Her concert appearances have included the Verdi Requiem with the Juilliard Symphony, the Victoria, Tex., Symphony, and the University of Houston Festival Orchestra. She has made numerous appearances in the Wilkes-Barre-Scranton area and will sing the role of Violetta when the Philhar-

monic presents a full concert version of La Traviata in April.

The January concerts will be under the baton of music director Hugh Wolff and will also feature Aaron Coplan's popular orchestral masterpieces, "Appalachian Spring" and "A Lincoln Portrait." The Wilkes-Barre performance on January 29 will be taped by WVIA-TV for inclusion in a one-hour documentary about the Philharmonic and the world permiere, to be shown on all Public Television stations in the state in late May.

Miss Donahue will be joined in the world premiere by tenor Mark Thomsen, baritone Paul Rowe, and mezzo-soprano Kate Nesbit.

Tickets for the Philharmonic's

"Pennsylvania Tricentennial Celebration" are available through the ticket hotline, 654-4788, and at the following locations: Gallery of Sound stores and Book and Record Mart, Wilkes-Barre; Paperback Booksmith and Spruce Record

Shop, Scranton; and B&C Music Studio, Pittston. Concert hall box offices will open at 6:30 p.m. on the evening of the performance, but early reservations are advised due to the special nature of the program.

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The Easter Seal Society is in need of individuals to work with handicapped men and boys from June 15 to August 13. Opportunities include salary, room, board, and laundry service. For further details, contact:

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"Invisible Light"

Sordoni Exhibits Infrared Photography

The Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition of infrared photography "Invisible Light" is currently at the Wilkes College Sordoni Art Gallery.

Sordoni Art Gallery.
The exhibit, which will remain on display until February 7, includes 65 black and white and five color photographs by 32 artists. Although the infrared technology has been available since the discovery of photography, it has only recently become popular as an art form. Photographs show common objects surrounded by halos, as if lit by moonlight, and the infrared technique gives an ethereal effect. In each of the diverse images, perception is challenged and expanded by a process which is photographic yet renders a subject differently from what is expected visually.

"Invisible Light" is one of the first exhibitions of infrared photography as fine art; previously, this type of photography was utilized mainly in scientific areas. Over 1,000 photographs were submitted for consideration, from which the 65 were chosen. The main goal during the initial stages of selection was to demonstrate a variety of approaches to infrared film. When this criterion was met, final choices were based on formal values, imagery, aesthetic qualities, and the relationship of each photograph to the others. All photographers represented

share in some common concerns; they challenge habitual ways of seeing and present new discoveries assisted by infrared film.

The Gallery is open to the public

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The Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic, conducted by Hugh Wolff, will present Pennsylvania's Tricentennial Celebration and will feature a soprano performance by Christine Donahue. The concert will be held at 8:30 p.m. in the Irem Temple.

The Women's Free Lecture Series will present a discussion by Mae Yahara entitled "Sports Medicine: New Approach to Therapy" in the Osterhout Library on Monday, Feb. 1 at 12 p.m.

The Wilkes-Barre YMCA and the "Women's Right to Know Winter Series" will sponsor a lecture, "Hypertension and Stress," to help women cope with the strains of today's world. The program will be held at the YMCA on Thursday, Feb. 4 at 12:45 p.m.

The Sordoni Art Gallery will be showing the exhibit "Invisible Light" until Sunday, Feb. 7. The exhibit features photographs utilizing heat-sensitive film. The Gallery hours are Sunday through Friday 1-5 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thursday 6-9 p.m.

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Lady Colonels Lose To Dickinson & Albright

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experienced players.

After the tournament the team had a week lay-off, and it showed in the next game. The ladies travelled to the gym on North Main Street to face King's College The game did not live up to its billing as the Lady Colonels were downed 96-81. Defense was not the name of the game as both teams virtually scored at will. Hurst led with 26, and Bove and

ATTENTION:

WOMEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM MEETING - Tuesday, Feb. 2, 1982, 11:15 a.m. at Weckesser Annex. All interested candidates for the 1982 Wilkes softball team should attend this very important meeting. Discussion about winter practice, the spring trip, and fund raising. Contact Coach Roberts or Coach Meyers at Weckesser Annex, ext. 342 if you plan to play, but cannot attend the meeting.

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Smith added 24 apiece.

The Lady Colonels next returned to their home court where they suffered a heartbreaking 58-56 loss at the hands of Dickinson College. The game was a nip-and-tuck affair throughout. Wilkes mixed up inside and outside shots for points, and Dickinson exploited a weakness in the middle of the defense to score close baskets and draw fouls. In the end, the Lady Colonels had chances to tie, but a breakdown of the offense was the fatal blow according to Coach Roberts. Kim Smith turned in a super human effort with 21 points, 20 rebounds, and 4 blocked shots. Hurst and Bove chipped in 20 and 11 respec-

The team then went on the road to Albright College. They were defeated 75-70, and the reason was fouls. Unnecessary fouls in the first half came back to haunt the Lady Colonels in the second period. Kim Smith was beset by a case of mistaken identity and fouled out. The referees apparently called her number mistakenly on three occasions. With Kim went the control of the backboards, so the tide turned to Albright. Charlene Hurst led the way with 24, and fellow freshman Lori Cashour and Smith added 14 and 10.

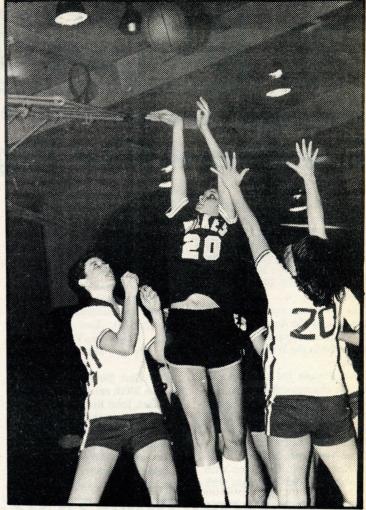
In Other Sports News...

In late breaking sports news (the Beacon deadline is well before Wednesday night), the Wilkes wrestling team won its ninth victory in a row with a 47-4 victory at Messiah.

In basketball, the Colonels continued their skid with their third consecutive loss to an MAC rival. King's won 72-68 Wednesday to drop Wilkes' MAC record to 5-3 and overall record to 8-4.

Sign up sheets for basketball intramurals are up now. The exhibition season should be underway next week. A prediction: Braunstein's Army will cheat the most. In the meantime, the I.M. volleyball season is coming to a close. Girls basketball intramurals should begin within the next few weeks. I.M. Director Bart Bellairs will begin pushing some of the zany events such as mud wrestling and pillow fights, et. al. Visit the gym for more information.

Speaking of Bart Bellairs . . . he's a dad. It's a girl! Her name is Kathryn Laurel, or Katie for short, and she was born on January 18. Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Bellairs. But didn't Bart want a boy? Of course not. "I sort of wanted a girl to tell you the truth. I'll want a boy later on," Bart explained. Will she be an athlete? Well . . . the coach explained, that'll be up to her.



THE GIRL'S GOT STYLE. Charlene Hurst (20) is true to form as she rises above a pair of Dickinson defenders to launch a jumper. Hurst scored 20, but the ladies lost 58-56.





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Wrestlers Win Eighth Straight Meet

by Mark Jame

After losing two of its first three meets against 14th ranked Lehigh (24-12) and 16th ranked Navy (24-14), the Wilkes College wrestling team chalked up eight victories in a row to improve its record to 9-2 with a 19-12 decision over Temple.

The Colonels, ranked 20th in the nation by the Amateur Wrestling News, also copped a second place finish in the Wilkes Open last December.

Mark Popple led the Colonels with the championship in the 153 bracket. Taking second place honors for Wilkes were Kurt Rowlette at 137, Lenny Nelson at 145, and Mark Correll at 170.

The New York Athletic Club took first place in the Open with 62 points followed by Wilkes with 55.5, Bloomsburg State with 22, Rider with 21, and the University of Pittsburgh with 16.25 points.

In dual meet competition, the Colonels greatest victory was a 23-21 battle against Syracuse, which had been ranked 8th nationally at the time. Wilkes went into the contest with a 4-2 record and previous victories over Oregon State (23-18), East Stroudsburg (40-2), Delaware Valley (41-6), and George Mason University (41-12).

The East Stroudsburg victory was the 300th career coaching win for Coach John Reese, who will be honored for that victory on February 13, John Reese Day. The Temple victory moved Reese's career mark to 307-70-8.

Against Syracuse, the Colonels jumped out to a 14-3 lead midway

through the meet with decisions by Kris Rowlette (118), Kurt Rowlette (134), Lenny Nelson (142), and with a superior decision by Mark Popple at 150.

Syracuse roared back to take a 15-14 lead as Chris Catalfo pinned Mark Troutman at 158 in 4:58 and Joe Coolican pinned Mark Correll in 4:22 in the 167 pound class.

Wilkes retaliated as Pete Creamer (177) came from behind to pin John Zito in 4:21 after trailing 4-2 at the end of the first period. The Colonels were ahead 20-15, but Wilkes needed a decision in one of the last two weight classes to seal a victory.

At 190, Jim Mulligan iced it for the Colonels with an exciting 4-3 decision to put the Wilkes out in front 23-15. Syracuse fell short by two after the heavyweight bout when John Dougherty pinned Mike Javer in 2:46.

After the Syracuse victory, Wilkes rolled over Virginia Tech 40-3, Rutgers 38-2, and Hofstra 30-15 before hosting Temple last Saturday.

In the Hofstra meet, 134 pounder Kurt Rowlette avenged his 9-8 loss to Ed Pidgeon in the Wilkes Open championship by pinning Pidgeon in 3:55.

Against Temple, Wilkes secured a victory at 177 when Pete Creamer scored a 10-5 decision over Rick Lovato to give the Colonels an unbeatable 19-9 lead.

Also scoring decisions for Wilkes in the matchup were Kris Rowlette (5-3), Mark Popple (3-0), Mark Troutman (13-8), Mark Correll (3-1), and Lenny Nelson scored a 10-2 major decision.



Coach Bellairs, congratulations on the birth of your new baby girl!

League Record Drops To 5-2

Cagers Bobble Two Consecutive MAC Games

by Mark James

With six seconds left in overtime, freshman guard Damian Burnside sank his last two of 19 game high points to lead Elizabethtown to a 58-56 overtime victory over Wilkes midway through a disasterous road trip for the Colonel Cagers Monday night.

Two days earlier, the Royals University of Scranton shocked the Colonels at the John Long Center with a 88-73 victory for first place in the MAC.

For the high-flying Colonels, the losses were as welcome as buckshot to a duck. Going into the Scranton contest, Wilkes was ranked 16th in the nation in Division III ball, but that's not all.

Wilkes went into the game with an impressive 8-1 slate, 5-0 in the MAC, and it seemed as though nothing could stop the Colonels.

Then came the Scranton fiasco. Walker and Madden ran into foul trouble in the first half and saw limited action. Both teams exchanged the lead in the first half, but the Royals went into the locker room with a 42-39 lead.

In the second half, Scranton outscored Wilkes 18-2 in the first seven minutes to jump ahead 60-41 and the closest Wilkes came after that was within 11 points with a little over nine minutes left to play. Afterward, the Royals went into a delay and Wilkes couldn't catch up.

up.
Paul Scaliti scored 25 points in the losing battle, and Bob Antonelli added 20 more. On Sunday, Scaliti injured his ankle and was out for the Elizabethtown game and doubtful against King's last Wednesday.

Elizabethtown must have scouted the Colonels on Saturday night because the delay game that

worked so well for Scranton worked equally well against the Colonels Monday night, but the Blue Jays used the delay throughout the game.

Elizabethtown outscored Wilkes 13-0 in a nine minute stretch in the first half to take a 17-6 lead with 9:11 left until intermission. With four minutes remaining in the

half, the Blue Jays held a commanding 25-12 lead, but the Colonels cut that lead to eight points by the half with the score 26-18.

Elizabethtown stormed out in the second half to build its lead to 13 points in the second half, but a desperate rally by Antonelli, Hychko, Romich, and Grochowski gave the Colonels a 52-51 lead with 3:54 left to play. Only one point, an E-town freethrow, was scored for the remainder of regulation play to put the game into overtime.

In those final minutes, both teams continued to turn the ball over, and as the buzzer sounded, both Romich and Antonelli missed tap ins. In overtime, Elizabethtown continued to use the stall effectively. After Burnside's jumper, Grochowski attempted a desperation shot at the buzzer, but the Colonels luck had run out.

Paul Scaliti leads all Wilkes scorers with 172 points, followed by Bob Antonelli with 136, Kevin Walker with 113.

But Win Letterwomen Tourney -

Lady Colonels Find The Going Tough

by Ellen Van Riper

Since the last issue of the Beacon, the women's basketball team has had a busy schedule of seven games. The highlight was the garnering of two victories and the first place trophy at the Letterwomen's Tourney. However, all has not turned up roses for the ladies. The other five games all resulted in defeat, and at present the overall record is 3-5.

Prior to the semester break the ladies faced both Lafayette and Marywood at the Wilkes gym. The final score of 71-52 against Lafayette was not a proper reflection of the closeness of the game. The first half was exciting and very competitive as the teams battled to a 32-32 tie.

In the second half, turnovers and flat play did in the Lady Colonels. Lafayette took advantage of numerous miscues to build a lead which they never relinquished. Freshman Charlene Hurst and sophomore Kim Smith led the team with 18 and 10 points each respectively.

On the other hand, the final score of 63-44 in the Marywood game properly indicated the tone of the contest. The problem this

time, according to Coach Nancy Roberts, was that the opposition out hustled the women of Wilkes. No further explanation is necessary. Kim Smith topped the scoring with 14, and she was followed by Hurst with 12.

Now to the highlight of the season so far, the Letterwomen's Tourney. In the opening round, the Lady Colonels faced the Lady Rangers of Drew University. Drew had recently completed a holiday European tour, but the ladies of Wilkes were unimpressed and rolled to an 82-52 victory. As the score indicates, the Lady Colonels dominated the contest totally, and four players swished the cords for double figures. Smith and Hurst finished one-two with 20 and 16, and they received support from junior Stacy Keeley and sophomore Sallie Jones who hit for 12

The championship game against Moravian was a closer affair as reflected by the 84-77 score. This time there were two main scorers, Hurst with 28 and sophomore Karen Bove with 25. Kim Smith, usually a top scorer, was held to 6 points because of foul difficulty, so Bove's effort could not have come

at a more opportune time.

Coach Roberts was naturally pleased with and proud of her squad's performance. The opponents were both good teams, but she noted that during the tournament the Lady Colonels could have beaten anybody. She described their play as "phenomenal" and witnessed the fulfillment of their potential. The type of play which the ladies exhibited was that of a team and can be best described by the words "unselfish" and "hustling." Everybody associated with the team should be congratulated for a fine and superior performance.

However, the applause does not here end. For her excellent offensive production during the tourney, Charlene Hurst was awarded the Most Valuable Offensive Player trophy. Only a freshman, Charlene has already had a tremendous impact upon the team. Not only is she the leading scorer, but she also is an aggressive defensive player who uses quickness to make numerous steals. She also displays great intelligence on the court, a trait more often shown by much more

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NOTICE

Catch all the ACTION and EXCITEMENT of Wilkes College basketball this season on WCLH radio, 90.7 on your FM dial. The next broadcast will be Saturday, January 30 at 8:00 p.m. as the Colonels take on Delaware Valley. On Monday, February 1, WCLH will broadcast both the men's and women's basketball games against Philadelphia Textile starting at 6:15 p.m.

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