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ON THE COVER — The Wilkes College Family is proud to count among its members the entire Gries family. Pictured on the cover are Joe and Anne Marie Gries and their children, Joseph, Jr., Colleen and Maurita, all of whom attended or are attending Wilkes College.



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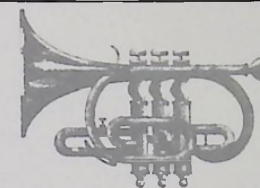
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### NEHRING TO HEAD NURSING DEPARTMENT



The appointment of Dr. Virginia Nehring, RN, as chairperson for the Wilkes College Department of Nursing, has been announced by Wilkes President Robert S. Capin.

"We are indeed fortunate to have someone of Dr. Nehring's background and qualifications to head our nursing program," said Capin following the announcement. "She will most certainly be a welcome member to our faculty."

Nehring received her BSN from the University of Bridgeport, her MSN from the Yale University School of Nursing and completed her doctoral course work at Boston University's School of Nursing.

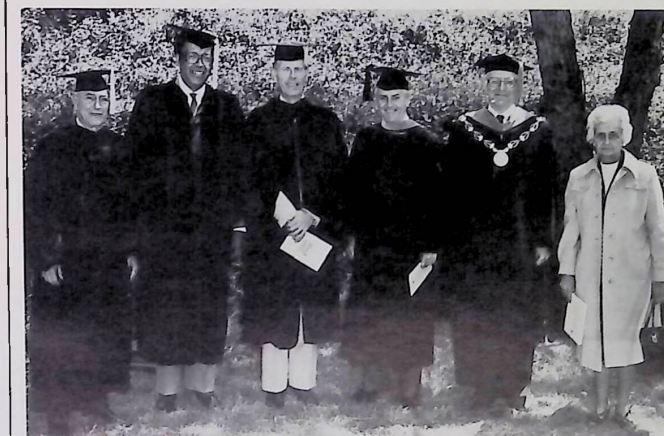
Former faculty member at Yale University, Nehring has served as Director of Nursing at Hawaii Community College and, for the

past four years, has headed the Associate Degree Nursing Program at Boise State University in Boise, Idaho.

"I look forward to continuing the tradition of preparing expert nurses at Wilkes who can provide quality patient care to people in the Wilkes-Barre area as well as Northeastern Pennsylvania," said Nehring. "One of my goals is to prepare and educate nurses to be aware of the latest court decisions in the field of health care," she said. "In addition, I feel it is very important for nursing students to

be sensitive to the patients' rights movement, and conversant with health and the self-care health trend."

Nehring has published numerous articles and papers and is currently working on her most recent book, *Ethics in Nursing*. She has been a speaker at both the Hawaii and Idaho state nursing conventions and the regional convention of the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education in Nursing. She also served as consultant to the Idaho State Board of Nursing.



503 Wilkes students received degrees on May 17 as the College conducted its 34th Annual Commencement at Ralston Field.

Several distinguished guests who participated in the ceremonies included (left to right): The Honorable Max Rosenn, Judge U.S. Court of Appeals; The Honorable A. Leon Higginbotham, Judge U.S. Court of Appeals and Commencement Speaker; Dr. Gerald Harldagen, Dean of Academic Affairs at Wilkes; Congressman James Nelligan, 11th Congressional District; Wilkes President Robert S. Capin; and Mrs. Max Aronoff, who accepted a posthumous Doctor of Humane Letters in her husband's memory.

More stories and photos inside.





NEW RESIDENCE HALL PLAN UNVEILED

In an official announcement made on Wednesday, February 25, Wilkes President Robert S. Capin said that the College plans to build a new residence hall which will house 205 students and be ready for occupancy in August of 1982. The new facility, which will cost in excess of \$3 million, will be located on the corner of South River and Northampton Streets in Wilkes-Barre.

"The new facility is necessary if the College is to maintain its enrollment in the future," said Capin at the press conference. "Many of our present housing facilities are very old and extremely costly to maintain. The new residence hall will give us the flexibility we need while, at the same time, enabling us to use our energy resources more efficiently and productively," he said.

In addition to the campus housing currently available to Wilkes students, the College has, over the past several years, had to house some of its resident students in the Sterling Inn Towne in Wilkes-Barre. "While the Sterling has benefited us in the past we cannot depend on its availability in the future," Capin said. "Our new residence hall will make it possible for us to bring the students who are currently in the Sterling back on to the main campus, benefiting both the students and the College," he said.

The 205-bed, four-story structure will also enable the College to move some of its resident students out of buildings which are becoming cost-prohibitive to maintain. The new facility is designed for energy efficiency and low-cost maintenance.

Scheduled to begin this summer, construction of the residence hall

will complete an extensive campaign by Wilkes to beautify and preserve the South River Street area between Northampton and South Streets. Over the past few years the College has refurbished and preserved such landmark buildings as Kirby Hall, Chase Hall, Bedford Hall and the Conyngham Student Center. The Stark Learning Center and the Annette Evans Alumni and Faculty House also add charm and beauty to that section of the campus and the city.

In a continuing commitment to preserve and maintain historic preservation, the College will incorporate the Conyngham 'Facade' (remains of the Conyngham House destroyed by fire in 1968) into the architectural design of the new facility. In addition, the College will preserve several Copper Beech Trees which have long been a landmark on the South River Street Causeway.

In commenting on the new campus addition, Wilkes College Dean of

Management Dr. Andrew Shaw said, "construction of the new residence hall is another endorsement of faith that Wilkes has in the city and the community. The facility will help to stimulate the local economy by providing much-needed jobs at a time when there is extensive unemployment in the area." Shaw also said that the residence hall will help attract new students to the area as well as educational conference and seminar groups helping to stimulate the local economic base.

Mr. Donald Sanderson, architect with the Wilkes-Barre architectural firm of Pyros and Sanderson, said the architectural design of the new residence hall will "maintain the cornice lines and features of adjacent buildings which will assure that the building blends naturally with its setting."

The fully air-conditioned facility will consist of approximately 55,000 square feet of floor space and will be of red-brick construction.



Mr. Donald Sanderson of Pyros and Sanderson explains to the media the architectural composition of the new residence hall. Wilkes President Robert S. Capin, who made the official announcement, and Dr. Andrew Shaw, Dean of Management, look on.

#### WILKES COLLEGE ROTC DETACHMENT COMMISSIONS NINE



Prior to commencement exercises for the Class of 1981, the Wilkes ROTC Detachment commissioned nine officers at ceremonies held in the Schaeffer Lecture Hall of the Stark Learning Center.

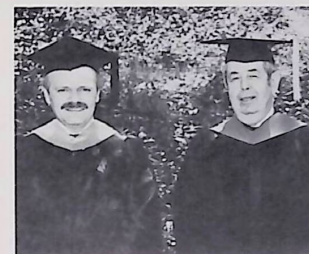
The impressive event included the presentation of the Distinguished Graduate Certificate, Administration

of the Oath of Office, Commissioning and Presentation of Gold Bars.

Shown following the ceremony are Lieutenants Michael Angley, Richard J. Gaetano, Joseph Pelchar, John W. Dykes, Bernard Krappa, Jr., Thomas W. Godowsky, Kathy Kollar, Stanley E. Jones, and Barbara J. Aponick.

#### ALUMNI AWARD RECIPIENTS

Mr. Stephen A. Keiper, Executive Director of the Luzerne County Transportation Authority, and Dr. Joseph P. Lord, Chief Psychologist and Director of Psychological Training at Boston Children's Hospital Medical Center were the recipients of annual Wilkes College alumni awards presented at commencement exercises for the Wilkes Class of 1981.



Keiper

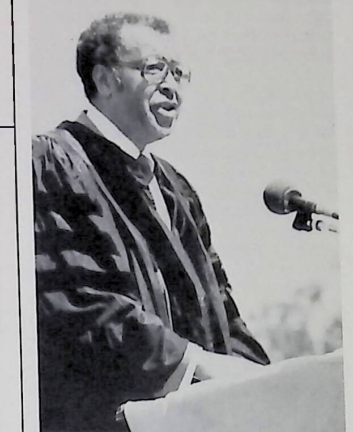
Lord

Keiper, a 1972 graduate of Wilkes, received the Distinguished Young Alumnus Award for best exemplifying the traditions of Wilkes College. Those long-standing traditions include vision, understanding of people, maintenance of convictions and loyalty, respect for differences, and adherence to ideals that create unity and good will amidst diversity.

A native of Hazleton, Keiper holds an M.B.A. from Wilkes and co-authored a paper on energy conservation which was presented at the Annual Meeting of the National Research Council, Transportation Research Board

#### U.S. COURT OF APPEALS CIRCUIT JUDGE TELLS WILKES CLASS OF 1981 THAT WE MUST ALL STAND UP FOR THE DOWNTRODDEN

Delivering his commencement address to an audience of over 4,500 people, The Honorable Judge A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr., Circuit Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals in Philadelphia, told members of the Wilkes College Class of 1981 that "we must all stand up for the downtrodden and that we who are learned must plead for the rights of those whom society may call dumb."



in Washington, D.C. in 1976. The Wilkes-Barre resident is a member of the Wyoming Valley United Way and Executive Board Member of the Wilkes-Barre Kiwanis Club. He is active in the American Red Cross and former vice president of the Pennsylvania Association of Municipal Transportation Authorities.

Dr. Joseph Lord received the Eugene S. Farley Memorial Alumni Award presented to an alumnus(a) who epitomizes the characteristics of an educated person.

Lord attended Wilkes from 1933-35 when the College began as Bucknell University Junior College. He received his B.A. in 1937 and, in 1946, was accepted for graduate study by the Department of Social Relations in Harvard's Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Since the early 1950s Lord has served as Chief Psychologist and Director of Psychological Training in the internationally-recognized Boston Children's Hospital Medical Center, the pediatric teaching hospital of Harvard Medical School. Lord, who has had numerous publications appear in the American Journal of Orthopsychiatry and the Journal of the American Academy of Child Psychiatry, has served as a Clinical Associate at Boston University and is a Fellow in the Massachusetts Psychological Association, the American Psychological Association and the American Orthopsychiatric Association.

Both Keiper and Lord were selected for the awards by the National Alumni Executive Committee.

Referring to a theme which was developed by Frederick Douglass, an abolitionist slave and a superman of his time, Higginbotham referred to Douglass' answer back in 1852 when he was asked what the role of a free negro should be. He replied, "To stand up for the downtrodden, to open my mouth for the dumb and to remember those in bonds as if bound with them."

"One hundred and twenty-nine years later," said Higginbotham, "Douglass' theme is a relevant message for all 1981 College graduates."

"In our own way, we who are privileged must stand up for the downtrodden; we who are learned must plead for the rights of those whom society may call dumb — for most are not intellectually deficient, but their abilities have been thwarted by an inadequate educational system or an insensitive environment. We must do this, in Douglass' words, 'as (if) bound with them.'"

"As we witness the steady decline of our cities, as we feel the polarization, as we hear the rhetoric



of hatred, as we see skilled phrasemakers use jargon to divide us, as we see hooded personalities advocate violence to defeat us, we must all recognize our obligation as stressed by Douglass. All of the downtrodden, and the discards of our society — whatever their race, religion or national origin — must be included. Only then will many move from potential to accomplishment, from rhetoric to attainment, and from disillusionment to hope.

"These goals and these challenges which I raise are not pipe dreams, they are possible. This country was not built by a group of cynics who felt that the best days were in the past and that the future had no hope. When Franklin, Jefferson, Washington and Madison met to write the Declaration of Independence, they were dreamers for a better America and a better society. The greatest men in our society always will be those who say we love our country not merely for what it was, not merely for what it is, but that we love it most of all for the dreams we can some day make real.

"We need you to be a part of the dreamers of America to hitch your dreams with efforts for a better tomorrow. We need leaders who can help right the wrongs while continuing the good and the most noble ideals of our society. We need dreamers who believe that the most affluent nation in the world can

make certain that every child, whether in the urban slum or on the rural tenant farm will get adequate health care, live in a decent home and receive a quality education. These goals at home must become a higher priority than our orbiting in outer space. We must learn how to control inflation while at the same time escalating justice and dignity in our nation. We need dreamers who can imagine an improved criminal justice system so that our streets will be safer and our correctional system will rehabilitate. We need courageous men and women who recognize that a society is hypocritical and woefully inadequate if it makes venal condemnation of riots in the ghetto but fails to keep its own house in order at the executive mansions of our cities, states, and nation, or at the seats of our schools, Courts, or businesses.

"At home and abroad we must support and exemplify the values of peace, love, dignity, and respect symbolized by Martin Luther King, Jr. and Pope John Paul II, both of whom were victims of violence though they served as apostles of peace. We must pray for, work for, and dream of a world which Martin Luther King described as a planet where 'people everywhere can have three meals a day for their bodies, education and culture for their minds, and dignity, equality and freedom for their spirits'."

Following his address, Higginbotham received an Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters Degree from Wilkes College.

#### NEW FINANCIAL AID DIRECTOR NAMED



Wilkes President Robert S. Capin has announced the appointment of Rachael L. Lohman to the position of Director of Financial Aid at the College. Lohman replaces Linda Giordano, who will join the Wilkes Education Department as a member of the faculty.

Ms. Lohman received a B.S. degree in Business Education from Wilkes College in 1971 and a Master of Education degree with a specialization in Business Education from Bloomsburg State College in 1979. Prior to her appointment at Wilkes, Ms. Lohman served as Director of Student Services and Registrar for the Wilkes-Barre Center of Lackawanna Junior College, Scranton. Her duties included responsibility for the Office of Financial Aid.

The Wilkes-Barre native, between 1974 and 1976 served as Dean of Students and Instructor at the Wilkes-Barre Business College. In her capacity as Dean of Students, she was responsible for the Financial Aid Office there. She has also worked extensively in the area of admissions at both Lackawanna Junior College and Wilkes-Barre Business College.

President Capin stated, "We are delighted to have Ms. Lohman as our new director, she brings with her an in-depth knowledge of all aspects of financial aid. We also are very pleased to welcome back Ms. Giordano as a member of the Education Faculty."

#### HONORARY DEGREE AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY TO FOUNDER OF THE CURTIS STRING QUARTET

When the late Max Aronoff was nominated for a special award by the Pennsylvania State Council on the Arts, the Council said of him, "Max Aronoff was raised and trained in Pennsylvania and spent his entire musical career here as a performer and teacher. The founder of the first internationally-acclaimed American Trained string quartet, The Curtis String Quartet, Aronoff was a major factor in the development of a wide-spread audience for chamber music, heretofore an esoteric art known only to professional musicians and serious amateurs."

#### ATTENTION PARENTS!

If this magazine is addressed to your son or daughter who no longer maintains a permanent address at your home, please clip off the address label on back cover and return it with the correct address to the Alumni Office at Wilkes College. Thank you for helping us update our records.

Wilkes College admits students of any race, color and national or ethnic origin.

## thegallery



The summer calendar of events for the Sordoni Art Gallery includes a showing of works from the permanent collection and two trips abroad called "Tours a la Carte" which will allow art lovers to explore the artistry of past centuries.

From June 28 to July 31, the Gallery will present Works from the Permanent Collection. The works will represent a variety of styles and periods from the Renaissance to the Twentieth Century.

During August, the Gallery will be closed to allow time for renovation and will re-open in the Fall.

The first of the two trips begins August 31 and will continue through September 14. The Lord of the Vikings trip will take tourists

done so much for the cultural advancement of our State and Nation," said Wilkes President Robert S. Capin. "His knowledge and love of music, which inspired the founding of the New School of Music, has left an enriching legacy for future generations."

to Norway with special visits to museums and markets. The trip is being sponsored by the Brandywine River Museum, Friends of the Museum of Art of Pennsylvania State University, and the Sordoni Art Gallery.

Between September 29 and October 7, Impressionism in France — Trail of Monet, as this unique trip is entitled, will take art lovers on tours and visits to sites inside and outside of Paris which inspired the Impressionist Movement. The trip is sponsored by the Brandywine River Museum and the Sordoni Art Gallery.

For more information concerning the summer schedule of events, contact Cara Berryman at the Sordoni Art Gallery.

## The Butler Society



The Wilkes campus provided the happy setting in June for the annual reunion of the descendants of Zebulon Butler. The festive occasion brought together over 75 persons whose genealogy traces back to a man who made an indelible mark on the history of the Wyoming Valley. Zebulon Butler came to the Valley from Connecticut in 1769 and is among four

early settlers credited with bringing law and order to the early settlements. Among the many descendants at the North American Region meeting were: Mr. Charles Butler, M.B.E., Marquis of Ormonde; Sidney Butler, chairman of the North American Region of the Butler Society; John Lord Butler, Jr.; and Lord Dunbojne of London.



#### SENIOR DINNER-DANCE HELD AT THE WOODLANDS

A highlight in the festivities of graduation week for the Class of 1981 was the Annual President's Dinner-Dance held at the Woodlands in mid-May.

The dinner-dance brings graduating seniors, members of the

faculty and administration and guests together for the year-end formal event.

Shown on the picturesque Woodlands grounds are (l. to r.): Bill Miller, Karen Holm, Vincent Fama, Mary Giblin, Timothy Geraghty, Susan Schwab, Andy Mizenko, and Margaret Scholl.



## A Family of Friends

By: Jane Manganello

The Wilkes College family is always pleased to welcome new members and especially pleased when it can add an entire family of five to its ranks. Featured on this month's cover are Joseph and Anne Marie Gries and their children Colleen, Maurita, and Joseph, Jr., all of whom have attended, or are currently attending, Wilkes College.

Joseph, Sr., holds a degree in English. He has been in radio and television for the past several years, serving twenty-five of those years as Station Manager and Sports Director for station WBRE, and currently he fills the same position for the newly-formed station WKRZ. Joe is entirely positive about Wilkes, both as a former student and as a parent.

"Wilkes has more than fulfilled every standard, and I recommend it to everyone." Joe has also been the voice of the Colonels for most of Wilkes football and basketball games broadcast over the last 15 years.

Anne Marie, now working as a Library Media Specialist for the Dallas (Pennsylvania) School District, attended Wilkes on a part-time basis when her children were elementary-school age. "Our experiences (Joe's and mine) as students at Wilkes probably influenced the children, but we didn't choose for them. They were given the option to choose for themselves. After looking at all the local colleges, they chose Wilkes, and we're glad they did."

Colleen, who graduated in May with a degree in Accounting, states emphatically, "Wilkes gave me four of the best years of my life!" Colleen gave Wilkes a lot in return. She was an active participant in everything concerning student life, serving as

a president of her junior class, a member of Theta Delta Rho Sorority, co-captain of the majorettes and a national award winner as a member of the debate team. Colleen has been hired recently by the New York accounting firm of Arthur Andersen and Company.

Maurita and Joseph have both chosen Business Administration as a major and seem to be following in Colleen's footsteps as active students on campus. Maurita is a member of commuter council, a past president of Theta Delta Rho, and co-captain of the Wilkes College Strutters. Joseph, who just completed his freshman year, is a member of commuter council, and on the staff of WCLH, the Wilkes radio station. Both Maurita and Joe, Jr., assist Joe, Sr., when he broadcasts sports events for WKRZ.

All five members of the Gries family are warmly welcomed to the ever-growing Wilkes College Family membership.

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The masthead above will bring back memories of an earlier publication from which the title "The Wilkes College Alumnus" was taken. Those Alumni who received the quarterly publication prior to the '70's remember that the official title was the "Alumnus" and was for the most part, an Alumni publication. With the growth and expansion of the College during the past decade, the publication has become the College magazine called the "Quarterly" and was distributed to a much broader constituency than had been the case.

Over the past several months, a number of suggestions have been received from Alumni which indicate that an increased emphasis should be placed on campus news that would be of particular interest to Alumni and on class notes: those little tidbits that tell what classmates have been doing and noting changes in family, employment, or residence. To gather the latter information, the Alumni Office sent to all members the three-part "Update Cards," asking that one be filed immediately and the other two held until a change occurred.

The response to that request for information has been just great! The office has already received over 1,000 cards from Alumni updating the information in our files and giving us plenty of data for a full class notes section. We received so many cards, in fact, that we decided to include only about half in this issue of the "Alumnus." We tried to list those items that include the most recent changes; the balance of the update cards will be held for the next issue, when they will be published along with those arriving too late for this issue.

We are sure you will agree that the following section of class notes makes for some very interesting reading. But also keep in mind that the only way that the Alumni Office can continue to publish such a wealth of class notes is for us to receive Update Cards from you. So if you have not sent in a card yet, please do so now. Your friends and classmates are interested in what you are doing and where you are — in addition, the Office has been able to obtain some current addresses that were completely new to us, thus increasing our efficiency back here on campus. In other words, you can help us all by sending in a card today.

Please send all information regarding marriages, births, promotions, employment changes, and address changes to the Office of Alumni Relations, Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18766.

### 1939

**DOROTHY (SMAILES) NUTT** has retired as of June 15, 1981, and will relocate to Exeter, NH. We wish Dorothy our best for a happy and productive life of leisure and include a little bit of envy too.

### 1940

**MARY ELIZABETH (SCHWAGER) BURNAP** is a part-time typist in the Pharmacy Department of a drug store. Betty and her husband William reside in Lancaster, PA.

**CHARLES F. E. TEMPLETON** has asked us to correct his second initial, noting that after 32 years as "Charles R." he feels entitled to a correction. We're sorry for the delay, Charles, and promise to get it right this time. Charles resides in West Islip on Long Island.

### 1942

**JAMES and OLIVE (THOMAS) PEARN** wrote to us from their home in Emmaus, PA where James is a sales engineer with the Fuller Company and Olive teaches in the East Penn School District. Congratulations on your two granddaughters born in October 1980 and January 1981.

**ROBERT ROVINSKI** retired on February 29, 1980. He had been section head of the satellite structures section at the spacecraft technology center with the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D.C. Robert and his wife Helen now reside in Allentown, PA.

### 1944

**ETHEL (FARLEY) DOUGLASS** is Secretary of the Living Word Community in Springfield, PA. She resides in Chester, PA.

**JANET (POST) PHILLIPS** is Director of Marketing with Maternal and Family Health Services in Kingston, PA. Janet received an MS from Temple in 1970 and an MPA from Marywood College in 1975. She resides in Trucksville, PA.

### 1948

**ROBERT T. MIKULEWICZ** will retire in June 1981 after 32 years of teaching, with his last assignment as an Instructor of Journalism and Director of the News Bureau of Yavapai College in Prescott, AZ. Robert earned the M.Ed. from the University of Colorado and a Masters in Journalism from Berkeley.

**MARINO RUGGERE** is a Quality Assurance Representative with the Defense Contracts Administration, currently assigned to ITT in Easton. Marino notes that his life is rather uneventful, but with memberships in the American Society for Quality Control, the American Federation of Government Employees, a Masonic Lodge, the Reading Stamp Collectors Club and the UNICO Service Club, it sounds like a rather hectic situation. Marino lives in Shillington, PA.

**HELEN DAVIDSON SIEGEL** is currently enrolled in the Masters program at Wayne University and expects to receive her degree in Marriage Counseling in August 1981. Helen resides in Birmingham, MI with her husband Robert.

### 1949

**GEORGE J. SHINALY** retired from General Electric and as a Lt. Colonel in the U.S. Air Force Reserve, and

established a special industrial engineering consulting service in the New Britain, CT area. George was President of the Economics Club here at Wilkes.

**RICHARD H. WIDMAN** will retire in June 1981 from his teaching position in the Business Department at Wellsville, NY. Richard received his MS from Alfred in 1966.

### 1950

**GRANT H. BARLOW** is a Senior Research Associate with the Michael Reese Research Foundation in Chicago. Grant and his wife Marion recently moved to Lake Forest, IL.

**L. ARLENE (PLETCHER) GARFIELD** will receive the BS in Biological Science degree from Empire State College. She is a Head Laboratory Technician with Lourdes Hospital in Binghamton, NY. She resides in Endwell, NY with her husband Joseph.

### 1951

**DR. PETER COREY** was elected President of Wilkes-Barre General Hospital's medical staff and will serve as the staff's chief administrative officer. He and his wife Ann are parents of four children.

**DR. CHARLES F. JACKSON** has recently been inducted into the Chapels Legion of Honor. His name will become a permanent part of the Chapel of Four Chaplains record. Dr. Jackson is on the staff of the School District of Philadelphia.

### 1952

**RICHARD F. LAUX** was recently promoted to President and Chief Executive Officer of the United Penn Bank here in Wilkes-Barre. Dick received his MA in Management from Florida State.

**DR. ROBERT J. SHEMO, D.D.S.** will serve as general chairman for the state-wide convention of the Pennsylvania Dental Association to be held in Philadelphia. This is another fine example of the leadership roles played by Wilkes Alumni in so many community and professional organizations.

### 1953

**EARLE BARRALL** is retired from his teaching career and is now residing in Bakersfield, CA.

**RICHARD E. WILLIAMS** is Chief Engineer of the Gas & Water Distribution Division of Pennsylvania Gas & Water Company. Richard went on to Brown and received the B.S. degree in Civil Engineering in 1956. He and his wife Joan are parents of three children — Bruce, a student at Wilkes, Darrell, a student at Penn State, and Loren, at home.

### 1954

**HAROLD H. COOK** is regional Sales Manager with the National Gypsum Company and lives in Dallas, PA, with his wife Lois and son Gregg, a 1980 Wilkes graduate and daughter Bonnie, currently in high school.

**DR. THOMAS E. KELLY** is an Associate Professor of French with the Department of Foreign Languages & Literatures of Purdue University. Thomas earned the Ph.D. in 1968 from Berkeley, was the recipient of a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship, and has just received an Eli Lilly Endowment Faculty Fellowship to work on develop-

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ing American cross-cultural programs with speakers of other languages. He will be working with self-instructional learning of languages like Vietnamese and Chinese for Americans tutoring speakers of these languages.

#### 1955

**RICHARD L. BUNN** is Vice-President of the gas utility division of the UGI Corporation and heads operations which serve over 200,000 customers of eastern and central Pennsylvania. He and his wife Sandra reside in Berwyn, PA.

**JOAN (WACHOWSKI) MICHALSKI** represented Wilkes at the inauguration of Dr. Thomas Bond as President of Clarion State College. Joan's husband Stanley is well-known too as the director of bands at Clarion, and we extend our thanks to Joan for her help as our representative.

**HELEN (KOELSCH) NIELSEN** received an MA in Human Development from Fairleigh-Dickinson University in 1978 and has relocated to San Anselmo, CA after a two-year sabbatical with her husband Hans and their teenagers during which they sailed their family sailboat to Europe and back and visited 15 countries enroute. Where do we sign up for tours, Helen?

#### 1956

**ROBERT V. LYNCH** is director of Sales for the eastern United States with Gibson, Inc., a division of Norlin Music. Robert earned the B.S. in Music Education at Wilkes, and now resides in Worthington, OH.

**ALLAN and SHERRY (WASSERSTROM) ROSENBERG** reside in Wheeling, WV, where Allan recently joined West Liberty State College as an Associate Professor of Economics — he is also an Adjunct Professor at the University of Steubenville and Director of the Regents BA Degree Program. Sherry, '58, is a fifth-grade teacher with the Ohio County Schools system.

**ANTHONY (TONY) SCARANTINO** is Vice-President and a Senior Account Executive with Finance America Private Brands, Inc. in Allentown, PA. Tony and his wife Shirley have four children and reside in Allentown.

**SAMUEL R. SHUGAR**, of Geneva, IL, received an M.S. in Marketing from Northern Illinois University in May, 1980. Our latest information shows that Samuel is a Sales Consulting Manager with Western Electric and is listed in Who's Who in the Midwest — congratulations!

#### 1957

**CHARLES R. ABATE** received the MBA degree from Wilkes in 1977 and is Business Manager here at the College. Charles and his wife Lois are parents of four sons, each of whom attended the College. In between an improving golf game, Charles earned the designation Certified Purchasing Agent.

**WILLIAM JACOBSON** is Production Control manager with the Okonite Company. Bill and his wife Sylvia reside in Cranbury, NJ with children Jodi and Jeff.

**JAMES A. PALEY** is a state mediator with the Bureau of Mediation of the State Department of Labor and Industry. James lives in Kingston, PA.

#### 1958

**LEONARD V. GALLICK** passed the Pennsylvania state brokers examination in February, 1981, and is an Associate Broker with Jones Real Estate in Muncy, PA. Leonard earned an M.S. degree from the University of Scranton, and resides with his wife, Anne Marie in Muncy.

**DR. ANDREW SHAW**, Dean of Management at Wilkes College, was informed that his biography will be included in the 18th Edition of Who's Who in the East. Andy and his wife Vi reside in Dallas with their three children. Daughter Linda just completed her freshman year here at the College.

**JAMES J. WILLIAMS** reports a new position as Equal Employment Opportunity Officer with the Department of Defense at the Mechanicsburg, PA Depot. James resides in Mechanicsburg with his wife Gwen and four children.

**KEITH WILLIAMS** was recently appointed Chairman of the Mathematics and Computer Science Department at

Pennsbury High School in Fairless Hills, PA. Keith holds a Masters degree in Math from Temple University, and lives in Yardley, PA with his wife Florence. Son Mark is a Junior at the Coast Guard Academy and son Scott is a freshman at the Naval Academy. A real "All-American" family!

#### 1959

**DR. RONALD T. GAUTREAU** is an Associate Professor with the New Jersey Institute in Newark, NJ. He recently co-authored the book "Schaum's Outline in Modern Physics" which has also been translated into French, Spanish, and Italian. Ronald and wife Joan reside in Rahway, NJ.

**EDWARD S. KOZLOWSKI** is Vice-President for Manufacturing of Burron Medical, Inc. He earned the MBA from Rutgers in 1961 and resides in Bethlehem, PA.

**MARY (ANCHEU) SABEL** has a new position as Sales Representative with Country Heritage Real Estate, in East Stroudsburg, PA. Mary resides in Milford, PA.

**CHARLES A. SORBER** was named Associate Dean for the College of Engineering in the University of Texas at El Paso in September 1980. Charles earned the MS at Penn State and the Ph.D. at University of Texas at Austin, both in Engineering. He and his wife Linda reside in Austin, TX.

#### 1961

**DR. ROBERT L. CHEW** is a senior specialist, Distributed Systems Planning with Honeywell Information Systems, in Waltham, MA. Robert holds an MS in Computer Science from Stanford and the Ed.D. in Management from the University of Massachusetts. He resides in Topsfield with his wife Sally.

**RAYMOND S. LITMAN** was recently promoted to Vice-President with Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company. Raymond holds several listings in Who's Who publications, and was awarded lifetime membership in the International Association of Credit Card Investigators for the services he performed for the organization. He resides in Plymouth Meeting, PA.

#### 1962

**FLORENCE (GALLAGHER) BISCHOF** is the Director of Music Ministry at Ohio Dominican College in Columbus, OH. She and her husband Charles are parents of two children and also reside in Columbus.

**RICHARD BONA** was recently named Assistant Treasurer of Kowacki Berylo Industry, Inc. of Reading, PA. He resides in Whitfield, Reading.

**WILBUR N. DOTTER** is an Associate Professor at Montgomery College, Takoma Park, MD. He holds the MST degree from Rutgers University and resides in Silver Spring, MD with his wife Mary and children Margaret and William.

**MARGARET (RUNDLE) DOUGLAS** is an Associate Professor at Saint Xavier College of Chicago. She earned an MS degree from Boston University in 1967, and resides in Chicago with her husband Walter.

**ROBERT L. EVANS** announce the birth of their third son, Steven on April 8, 1980, joining brothers Robert and Sean. Robert is Vice-President for Marketing of radio station WYZZ-FM here in Wilkes-Barre. The Evans family resides in Hanover Hills.

**RAYMOND J. NUTAITIS**, of Tempe, AZ is a realtor-associate with Century 21 in Tempe. Ray earned a Master of Music degree from Eastman School of Music and taught at Wilkes before moving to the Sun Belt.

**DR. DAVID S. and JOAN (PITNEY) PETERS** reside in Tenny, NJ. David holds the Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from the University of Portland and is co-founder and Director of Clinical Services of the Institute for Counseling and Psychotherapy in Fort Lee, NJ. Joan, '64 is a Psychiatric Social Worker.

**DR. RICHARD T. REES** will become Director of Education and Training at Lakeland General Hospital in Florida. Rick, we all know, served in several capacities at Wilkes, including here in the Alumni Office. He has also been elected to a select national committee for the

American Society for Health Manpower Education and Training, and will serve as one of twelve reviewers on ASHET's Graduate Thesis/Dissertation Committee. We all wish Rick, his wife Linda, and children our best as they relocate from Miami to Lakeland.

#### 1963

**ERWIN F. GUETIG** was married to Helen Rack on July 11. Erwin is Vice-President of Marsh & McLennan, Inc. of New York City.

**AARON G. and JANICE (MACDONALD) HASTIE** are residing in Berwick, PA with their children Aaron P. and Suzanne. Janice, '63, is a School Nurse with the Berwick Area Schools, and Aaron is Pastor of the First United Presbyterian Church, also in Berwick.

**REGINA (RITZIE) HOELSCHER** and her husband Wilfred reside in Bakersfield, CA with their daughters Karen and Janet. Janet was born on July 1, 1980. Regina earned an MA from Penn State, and had been a Computer Programmer with Cal State.

**WILLIAM MENEVELEY, CMDR., U.S. Navy**, has been named to command the Texas Naval training Squadron No. 26, the Tigers. He and his wife Cathy, reside in the South.

**JERRY and ROWENA (SIMMS) MOHN** reside in Houston, TX where Jerry is President of Manufacturers Resources, Inc., and serves on several boards, such as the Calabrian International Corp., Chemall, Inc., and Calabrian-Cuproquim, S.A., of Mexico. Jerry is well-known to Region XII Alumni as their Regional Vice-President on the National Alumni Executive Council, and will be in touch with area graduates in the near future to organize an alumni get-together in the Houston area.

**STEPHEN E. PHILLIPS** has been named Project Coordinator of CAHN, Inc. of Forty Port, PA. Stephen earned an MA from Bloomsburg (PA) State College in May 1980 and resides in Wanamie, PA.

**DR. PATRICIA V. ROSSI** has been named Director of the Department of Pediatrics at Wilkes-Barre's General Hospital. She and her husband Al reside in Bear Creek Village and are the parents of three sons.

**JAMES W. WALTERS** assumed a new position as Director of Financial Planning with Bostitch Texton in East Greenwich, RI. James holds an MS-BA degree from Bucknell, and he and his wife Jane announce the birth of their first child, Matthew James, on August 4, 1980. The Walters reside in Coventry, RI.

#### 1964

**ARLENE (COHEN) GORDON** is now a social worker with the Jewish Home for the Elderly in Fairfield, CT. She received an MA degree from the University of Bridgeport in May, 1980, and is married to Dr. Leonard Gordon. They reside in Easton, CT.

**JOAN (HAND) DUPKANICK** gave birth to a son, Christopher William, on December 22, 1980. Joan is a teacher in the Union-Endicott (NY) Central School District. She and her husband William also have a daughter Rebecca Lynne, age 2, and reside in Vestal, NY.

**WENDELIN (DOMBOSKI) MOBERG** has a new position as Instructor of Nursing at Triton College, River Grove, IL. Wendelin and her husband Clarence reside in Chicago.

**ROBERT O. MYERS** is department chairman and teacher in the Mathematics Department at Lindale Junior High School, Glen Burnie, MD. Robert and his wife Maralyn just gave birth to their first child, Kristen, on March 13, 1981 — congratulations! Robert holds an MA degree from George Washington University, and the Myers reside in Arnold, MD.

**CAROL (PIONNER) SAVONA** received her Certificate in Elementary Education from Kean College, Union, NJ in February, 1981. She and her husband Luigi have two sons, Gian and Anthony, and reside in Kenilworth, NJ. Carol is a compensatory education reading teacher at the Lafayette Middle School, Elizabeth, NJ.

**LOUIS V. ZAMPETTI** is Production Control Manager with RCA in Rockville, MD. Louis is married to the

former Margaret Whyte and they reside in Zionsville, MD with a daughter Christa and a son Marc.

#### 1965

**NELLO AUGUSTINE** is the Coordinator of Outpatient Psychiatric Services with the Luzerne-Wyoming County Mental Health Center. Nello and his wife Maryann reside in Plains, PA with a son Michael.

Congratulations to **BARRY J. HARTZELL** on his January 1, 1981 promotion to Vice-President and General Manager for the eastern division of Safeguard Business Systems in Fort Washington, PA. Barry and his wife Janet have two sons and reside in Souderton, PA.

**LESLIE (TOBIAS) JENKINS** received the AS degree in Graphic Arts from the University of Hawaii in May 1980. She and her husband, JAMES, '65, reside in Mililani Town, HI with their daughter Karen Leah.

**JOHN J. LEVANDOSKI** was recently promoted to professional territory manager of the Health Care Division of Johnson & Johnson Co. John was made a member of the company's Ring Club, one of the highest sales honors given by the Division, and was also awarded the grand award winner of a trip for two to Rio de Janeiro. John and his wife Elaine reside in Bowie, MD with their two daughters.

**CARL J. MISSAL** is now a Supervising Principal with the Groton (CT) Board of Education. Carl earned an MS in Education from Eastern Connecticut College and a 6th Year Certificate of Educational Administration from the University of Hartford. He and his wife Patricia reside in Oakdale, CT with their four children.

**DONALD W. UNGEMAN** is an Associate General Counsel with the Johns-Manville Corporation in Denver, CO. Don received the JD degree from Villanova University and has been named to Who's Who in American Law. Don resides in Littleton, CO with his wife Marie and sons David and Joseph.

**SUSAN (WEIGEL) YOUNG** is a Speech/Language Assistant at the Elna Elementary School. She and husband Craig reside in Elna, CA with children Ian and Felicity.

#### 1966

**SANDRA (WOOLF) BAUMAN** is a reading tutor. Sandra received the MS from Lehigh University in 1968, while husband MARK, '67, earned the Ph.D. in History from Emory University. Mark is an Assistant Professor at the Atlanta Junior College. The Baumans reside in Ellenwood, GA with sons Peter and Joel.

**R. JACKSON BERKEY** is a musician with American Gramophone Records in Omaha, NE, where he just had two solo albums of piano music released — he is also active in writing choral music. Jackson and his wife Almada reside in Omaha.

**FORREST J. EICHMANN** is Director of Music at A. P. Schallack High School in Elmer, NJ. Forrest and his wife Donna reside in Woodstown, NJ with their four children: Kristen, Shannon, Lauren, and Steven.

**RAYMOND D. FREY**, of Dallas, PA is Regional Manager for the Kitchenaid Division of the Hobart Corporation, based in Kansas City.

**DONALD A. PAHLS** (MS in Physics) is a Senior engineer, Field Support with the Electronic Components Division in Allentown, PA. Don is a 1959 graduate of Penn State University and resides in Allentown with his wife Betty, a registered nurse, and their two daughters.

**F. CHARLES PETRILLO** has been winning his share of elections recently. He was elected to the Board of Directors of Wyoming Historical and Geological Society, and Secretary-Treasurer of Harvey's Lake Historical Society, Inc. In May 1981, Chuck was also elected to the Board of the Greater Wyoming Valley Chapter of the College Alumni Association. Chuck holds the JD degree from Dickinson College of Law and is Executive Director of the Luzerne County Legal Services. Mrs. Petrillo, the former MARION BOYLE, '70, received an MA from Duquesne University and was a part-time Instructor at the Luzerne County Community College. The Petrillos reside in Wilkes-Barre with their son Matthew.

**DR. SARAH (BUTLER LEONARD) RICHARDSON** is an Associate Ichthyologist with the Gulf Coast Research Laboratory in Ocean Springs, MS. Sally earned the Ph.D. in 1972 from the Virginia Institute of Marine Science, College of William and Mary. She has published numerous writings in the areas of fish taxonomy, ichthyoplankton, and life history studies of fishes, and is married to Michael, a Biological Oceanographer. They reside in Bay St. Louis, MS.

Congratulations to **DR. NORMAN STROJNY** who earned his Ph.D. from Rutgers University in May, 1981. Norman is an analytical chemist/Methods Development Pharmaceuticals with Hoffmann laRoche in Nutley, NJ.

**ALLAN D. WICHSTEIN** updated his file by telling us of the birth of a daughter Amy in May, 1979. Allan is a Systems Analyst with Hornblower-Weeks in New York City. Wife Barbara is an elementary school music teacher, and the Wicksteins reside in West Merrick, NY.

#### 1967

**JOSEPH BRILLINGER** is a lawyer in private practice in Norwich, NY. Joe and his wife Kathleen have one daughter, Amy Elizabeth.

**SALVATORE A. BUFALINO** is a Lead Engineer with McDonnell Douglas Corporation in St. Louis, MO. Salvatore earned a B.S. from Virginia Tech in 1969 and an MS from the University of Missouri in 1980. He and his wife Cathrene have three children and reside in Maryland Heights, MO.

**MICHAEL CURILLA** is a business teacher at JFK High School in Willingboro, NJ. Mike and his wife Barbara have three children, Timothy, Nancy, and Michael.

**LEONA (SOKASH) DUFOUR** is also a teacher at the Carmel Central School in Carmel, NY. She and her husband George live in Carmel with son George and daughter Alexandra.

**MARILYN L. GOODMAN** teaches in the Groton (CT) public schools. Marilyn earned the MS degree in Psychological Examining from Southern Connecticut State College and resides in Mystic.

**SYLVIA (CARSTENSEN) HUBER** resides in Athens, GA with her husband Albert and children Christina, Wendy, and Laura. Sylvia is a Rehabilitation Specialist with International Rehabilitation and holds the M.Ed. degree from the University of Georgia, 1980.

**EDITH ANN (MILLER) KACHURAK** is an Instructor at the Northampton County Area Community College. She received the MA from the University of Scranton in 1975 and resides in Bethlehem with her husband Joseph and children Rachel, 6, and Joseph, Jr., born June 22, 1980.

**RICHARD L. KRAMER** is an Accountant with Laven-thol & Horwath here in Wilkes-Barre, and is also Vice-President of Luzerne County Youth Services Commission. Rich and his wife Ruth live in Forty Fort with daughter Rebecca.

**NORMAN H. KRESGE** resides in Whitney Point, NY, where he teaches in the Central School. His wife Andrea is also an elementary Teacher. Norm earned advanced degrees in Economics at SUNY Binghamton and in Education at SUNY Brockport, and has taken additional courses at Marywood College in Scranton.

**MARTHA (THOMPSON) KVORTEK** resides in East Brunswick, NJ with husband Albert and children Erin, Rosanne, and Andrew. Martha used the update card to ask us to correct the spelling of her married name, which we had incorrect since 1968. Sorry, Martha.

**JUDITH (NOYLE) LANE** is a Certified Rehabilitation Counselor and has a private practice in Center Valley, PA. Judy and her husband James announced the birth of a son James II on March 13, 1981.

**RICHARD F. MASCIARELLA** is employed as an Economist GS-110-5 with the Bureau of Labor Statistics Office and resides in Philadelphia.

**EVELYN (MORENKO) MATELSKI** earned an MS degree in Business & Office Education from Rutgers University. She was a buyer for the Bell Telephone Company, and resides in Edison, NJ with husband Leon.

**NEIL MILLAR** was promoted last year to General Supervisor of the Financial Department of the General Motors Assembly Division in Wilmington, DE. Neil and wife Bonnie reside in Landenberg, PA with their two daughters.

**BARRY M. MILLER** is presently a broker associate in a Denver Realty Company and is part owner of MCM Construction, a building and remodeling concern. Wilkes students were very impressed with Barry at the recent Circle K convention in Pittsburgh, which Barry attended.

**JUDITH A. MISTICHELLI** has coedited a bibliography entitled "Technology and Values in American Civilization: A Guide to Information Sources." She has also published several bibliographic guides, journal articles, and reviews, and co-authored "Beyond Technics" and "Jules Verne: A Guide to Science Fiction."

**HARRY G. and ALICE (PANOWICZ) MORGAN** reside in Jacksonville, FL where Harry is a Senior Engineer with Offshore Power Systems. He received Masters Degrees from Drexel in Mathematics and from Penn in Mechanical Engineering and Applied Mechanics. The Morgans have two children, Brian and Kristy.

**DANIEL R. PRICE** earned the MS degree from the University of Scranton, and is a Social Studies teacher with the Windsor (NY) Central Schools. Dan won a Freedom Foundation Scholarship in 1980, and is a member of the Board of Trustees of the United Methodist Church of Windsor. Dan and his wife Carolyn have two children.

**GORDON ROBERTS** has been commissioned to conduct the Schuylkill Area District Choral Festival. He is director of music at Elm Park Church, Scranton, PA, and entertains regularly on Sunday evenings at many Pocono Mountain resorts.

**JEAN (COOK) SPANARELLI** is a Business Instructor at the Luzerne County Community College in Nanticoke, PA and also works with the Displaced Homemakers Program. Jean and her family reside in Mountaintop.

**WINDSOR S. THOMAS** is an Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering Technology at the State University of New York at Utica. He and his wife Barbara reside in Rome, NY with their two children.

**WAYNE P. and CAROLYN (OBERZUT) YETTER** reside in Mechanicsville, PA, where Wayne is director of Marketing Economics and Development with Merck Sharp & Dohme, a division of Merck & Co. Wayne and Carolyn, '69, have twins John and Jenny born in 1972, and Michael, born November 3, 1980.

#### 1968

**JUDY (SIMONSON) ARENSTEIN** was recently promoted to Staff Manager-Marketing with AT&T Long Lines in Bedminster, NJ. Judy, our National Alumni Association President, gave birth to a daughter, Amy Sue on August 5, 1980. The Arenstein gals reside with husband and dad Bob, a practicing attorney, in Short Hills, NJ.

**JUDITH E. BEYER** received her Ph.D. from the University of Texas at Austin in 1979, and is now an Assistant Professor in the Graduate Program of Pediatric Nursing at the University of Virginia at Charlottesville.

**STEPHEN BOSCH**, an attorney, is the Deputy City Solicitor for the City of Philadelphia. He resides in the City of Brotherly Love.

**DONALD and KATHLEEN (HAY) BOHL** reside in Berwick, PA, where Don is a Sales Representative with the Zeiser Vault Company of Necopec. The Bohls (Kathleen graduated from Wilkes in 1970) have three children, Erin, Tyson, and Justin, who was born January 5, 1981.

**LCDR. ROGER D. BREWER** is a cryptologist with the Naval Air Force, and serves with the Navy's Atlantic Fleet out of Norfolk, VA. Roger resides in Virginia Beach with his wife Barbara and children Janesse and Jason.

**JOYCE (CHRISTIAN) DETTER** resides in Silverdale, WA with husband Gary and daughters Elizabeth and Rebecca. Rebecca was born on April 8, 1981.

**NANCY (NOTERMAN) DOWNING** and husband Thomas announce the birth of a son, Thomas Joseph on



January 18, 1981. Nancy is a claims adjuster with Nationwide Insurance. The Downings reside in New Oxford, PA.

DR. WILLIAM ECKROAT is a staff radiologist with Memorial Hospital in Roxborough, PA. William and his wife Jeanne reside in Blue Bell, PA, with children Jennifer and Jean.

JEAN (GODLEWSKI) JANICK resides here in Wilkes-Barre, where she operates a day care center. She and husband John have three sons, John Joseph, James Jason, and Joseph Jason.

IRA KATZ and wife Ellyn announce the birth of a son, Robert Charles, on February 2, 1981. Ira is a Vice President of Office Automation at Chase Manhattan Bank in New York City and earned an MBA from Adelphi University in 1972. The Katz family resides in Freeport, NY.

REV. DAVID D. KIRKPATRICK was recently appointed to the Board of Directors of Herkimer (NY) Memorial Hospital. David holds a M. Div. degree from the Crozer Theological Seminary and is Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Herkimer. He and wife Nancy have three children, Dawn, Dale, and David.

GEORGE (MATT) MORAN resides in Lancaster, PA, with wife Jacquelyn and daughter Jennifer. Matt is with Fiberfill Division of Dart Industries, Inc.

NICHOLAS S. REYNOLDS and wife Libby announce the birth of daughter Nicole on June 15, 1980, joining Elizabeth and Courtney in the Reynolds family. Nick earned the JD degree at George Washington University and is a partner in the Washington law firm of Debevoise and Liberman. The Reynolds live in Alexandria, VA.

MYRNA (BRODBECK) SCHAEFER gave birth to a daughter Renee on April 7, 1981. Myrna teaches English at Meyers High School in Wilkes-Barre and received an MA from the University of Scranton. She resides in Pittston, PA, with husband Lawrence and number one daughter Stephanie.

JOHN F. SHELDON is a Senior Engineer with Raytheon of Bedford, MA. John earned an MEE degree from the University of Delaware and resides in Nashua, NH with wife Mary Jane and daughter Vicki.

MICHAEL D. and REGINA (BELDEN) SMITH reside in Pleasanton, CA where Michael is manufacturing manager with the Diablo Systems Division of Xerox. He and Regina, '67, have two sons, Timothy and David.

CARL SPONENBERG is chairman of the Music Department of Big Spring School District in Neville, PA. Carl earned the M.M. degree from the Eastman School and resides in Shippensburg, PA, with wife Jean and daughters Krista and Becky.

WILLIAM and NANCY (WANCZYK) STINGER reside in Marion, IN, where William is now manager of operations—paperware with the St. Regis Paper Company. He is in charge of paperware factories in Marion, IN; Pryor, OK; and Taylor, PA. William earned the MBA from Widener University in 1979, and he and Nancy, '69, have a son Eric.

DR. DAVID A. THOMAS was recently made chief resident of Temple University Hospital in Philadelphia. David earned the MA and Ph.D. degrees from Temple and the DO from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Congratulations to ARTHUR H. TREVETHAN, who received the MBA degree from the University of Dayton in May, 1981. Arthur and wife Cheryl live in Delaware, OH, with son Arthur R. and daughter Elizabeth.

SAM M. and NANCY (FRUSHON) WOLFE reside in Wilkes-Barre, where Sam is associated with the Wolfe Real Estate Agency. Sam also just formed Eastern Marine Sailboats with TOM WILLIAMS, '69, located here in the city. Best of luck with this new venture.

#### 1969

BARBARA (TALKOWSKI) BELLUCCI is currently in the dissertation stage of her doctoral program at Temple University and is also assistant director of the Act 101 Program at King's College here in Wilkes-Barre. Barbara's husband Joseph was recently promoted to professor of Education at Wilkes, and daughter Alison just completed

her freshman year at the College. The Bellucci reside in Conyngham with their second daughter Lisa.

CHRISTINE (FISHER) BIRKENHEAD is a laboratory supervisor at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital in Kingston, PA. She and husband JOHN, '69, reside in Dallas, PA, with their son Richard, born April 18, 1980.

JOSEPH B. FRAPPOLLI is department coordinator at Florence Township (NJ) High School. Joe earned his M.Ed. degree from Trenton State College and resides in Florence, NJ, with wife Donna and three children.

GAIL (HADSALL) THOMPSON earned the MS degree from Marywood College in Special Education and resides in Falls, PA, with husband Robert and daughter Nettie.

DR. GEORGE C. HARRISON is an assistant professor of Mathematics at Norfolk State College in Norfolk, VA. George received the Ph.D. in Math from the University of Virginia in 1973 and resides with his wife Kay and their sons Nicholas and George Alexander.

STEWART J. HARRY teaches in the Wyoming Valley West School District here in the Valley. His wife Sharon gave birth to their first child, Bethany Jane, on January 31, 1980. They are residing in Plymouth, PA.

DR. THOMAS F. KELLY, our Dean of External Affairs at Wilkes, is serving on the Boards of the American Red Cross and the United Rehabilitation Services. He earned the MA in Economics from Lehigh and the Ph.D. from Cornell and resides with wife Nancy Kay and children Christopher and Cynthia Kay in Mountaintop, PA.

WILLIAM J. LAYDEN is currently with the Bendix Guidance Systems Division of Bendix Corporation in Teterboro, NJ. Bill and his family reside in Nutley, NJ.

WILLIAM LEANDRI was recently promoted to vice-president with the Wyoming National Bank of Wilkes-Barre. Bill also earned the MBA from Wilkes in 1976 and resides with wife Paula and daughters Holly and Mandy in Forty Fort, PA.

ROSALIE (DEMKO) MUROSKI is a Lecturer in Sociology at the Wilkes-Barre campus of the Penn State University. She holds an MA from the University of Hawaii and resides in Plymouth, PA, with husband Michael.

MARTIN NAPARSTECK of Dallas, PA, is fast becoming an accomplished author. He won a creative writing award from the Book-of-the-Month Club and was a co-winner of a Freedoms Foundation award for a newspaper series. His novel "War Song" was published in March 1980, and he has also published numerous magazine articles. Martin, who is also an Adjunct Professor of Journalism here at Wilkes, and wife Ruth Anne have one son, Taft.

ANDREA L. PETRASEK is a supervisor/group worker with the Child Development Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania. Andrea earned an MA from Penn State and is a member of the Executive Council of the Wyoming Valley Chapter of the Alumni Association. She resides in Kingston, PA.

ROBERT W. REYNOLDS is a teacher at the Casady School in Oklahoma City, OK. He and his wife Gail have two daughters, Julie and Rebecca. Robert earned an MS degree at the University of Oklahoma and an M.Ed. degree at Central State University. The Reynolds reside in Oklahoma City.

VIRGINIA (THOMAS) RINEHIMER is assistant director of the Gronkowski Funeral Home in Nanticoke, PA. She and husband Edward reside in Mountaintop.

DR. ALBERT D. ROKE announces the birth of a son, David Alan, on March 23, 1981. Albert received his MD degree from the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, and is the associate director of Family Practice at the Family Practice Center of Reading Hospital. He and his wife Cynthia have another son, Michael, and reside in Reading, PA.

RICHARD H. ROWETT is an education specialist with the Department of the Navy in Harrisburg, PA. Rick and wife Cynthia also announce the birth of their first child, Nicole Ann, on March 2, 1981. They live in Harrisburg.

EILEEN (LUFF) SHOEMAKER gave birth to a daughter, Jamie Blythe, on May 12, 1980. This is the second daughter for Eileen and husband James. Whiteley is now 8, and the family resides in Ormond Beach, FL.

DR. ROBERT M. SMITH is a research scientist with the New York State Department of Health. He earned the Ph.D. at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. He and wife Julie have two children, Kiley and Tracy, and reside in Clifton Park, NY.

SUZANNE SWENSKI was married on August 9, 1980 to William Yunkunis. Suzanne is a mathematics teacher at the Tunkhannock (PA) Middle School, and the Yunkunis family is now residing in Wilkes-Barre.

SHARON G. TELBAN earned a Master of Science degree in Nursing from the Penn State University. Sharon is an assistant professor in the Department of Nursing here at Wilkes and also earned an MS in Education here. She lives in Avoca, PA.

EDWARD G. ZACKO is a teacher and free-lance professional musician. He holds a Master's degree in Music Education from Mansfield State College, and resides in Spring Valley, NY, with his wife Ellen.

#### 1970

EARL J. BALLIET is on the technical staff of Bell Laboratories. He and wife Carol reside in Blacksburg, VA.

RICHARD L. BIGELOW is now an engineer of nuclear fuel management with Northeast Utilities in Hartford, CT. He and his wife Joan have two children, Julie and Christopher, and reside in Newington, CT.

ANDREW J. CASPER is in a new position as the wastewater treatment plant superintendent for the Borough of Berwick, PA. Andrew also teaches for the Pennsylvania Department of Community Affairs in the area of wastewater treatment. He resides in Plymouth, PA, with his wife Lee and their two children.

DR. MARY (KAISER) DYBOWSKI is supervisor of the separations group with the DuPont Company in Wilmington, DE. She earned the Ph.D. in 1976 from Villanova University, and currently lives in Newark, DE, with husband Cecil.

DONALD E. GOOD received an MA in Education and the Master of Divinity degree from Liberty Baptist Seminary. Don lives in Lynchburg, VA.

KENNETH GORDON is a chemist with the U.S. Food & Drug Administration in Philadelphia. Ken's wife Karen gave birth to their first child, Jill Nancy, on May 10, 1980.

PAULA (GILBERT) GRAY gave birth to a daughter, Debbie, on April 30, 1980. Paula and husband Daniel and other child Darrah live in South River, NJ.

TRUDIE (CARLE) KERULUIS announces the birth of a son, Jon Ellis, on December 18, 1980. Trudie is a mental retardation case manager at the Children's Service Center here in Wilkes-Barre. She, husband Robert, and daughter Michele live in Swyersville, PA.

JOAN (LATSKO) KOZICH gave birth to a daughter, Kara, on December 15, 1980. Joan, husband Robert, and Kara reside in Plains, PA.

VIRGINIA (LARSON) SCHOFIELD earned the MS degree in Music from Trenton State College. She and her husband John now reside in Pleasantville, NJ.

J. DAVID LOMBARDI was recently promoted to senior vice president of the First National Bank of Danmore, PA. He, his wife Patricia, and son Scott reside in Jenkins Township.

ROBERT and JUDITH (COBLEIGH) OCKENFUS announce the birth of a daughter, Amy Lynn, on January 20, 1980. Bob is a teacher in the Pennridge School District, Perkaspie, PA.

THOMAS and LINDA (PHILLIPS) ORSECK were married on October 21, 1978. Tom is a supervising engineer—optical properties measurements with Schott Optical Glass, Inc., of Duryea, PA, while Linda is choral director and band director for the Berwick Area School District. Tom also earned the MS in Physics from Wilkes, and Linda is currently enrolled in the Education program here. The Orsecks reside in Plymouth, PA.

CAPT. WALTER P. PETROFSKI is an Air Launched Cruise Missile Curriculum Development Manager, Offensive Avionics System for the USAF Strategic Air Command at Carswell AFB in Texas. Walter and his wife Helenmarie have two children, Amy and Jason, and reside in Fort Worth, TX.

DR. JOSEPH R. PUTRUSH has been named associate pathologist at the NPV Medical Center in Plains, PA. Joe earned the MD degree from Temple University School of Medicine in 1976, completed four years of residency training in Anatomic and Clinical Pathology at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, PA, and recently passed the American Board of Pathology examination. He resides in Plains with his wife Barbara.

KATHRYN M. REESE and William Kupstas were recently married. Kathryn is employed at Easton Hospital, and they will reside in Bethlehem, PA.

ROBIN L. RENNINGER and wife Sandra announce the birth of their third child, Jodi Lee, on March 14, 1981, joining sisters Kimberly and Tamera. Robin teaches high school instrumental music in the Haddon Heights (NJ) schools. The Renningers reside in Maple Shade, NJ.

LOUISE (RICCI) ROOD gave birth to a son Christopher on May 13, 1980. Louise and husband Donald have another son, Thomas, born in 1978. Louise also earned MS degree in Education from Wilkes in 1974. The Roods reside in Pittston, PA.

PATRICIA (SRNA) REGAN gave birth to a son, Brendan David, on September 9, 1980. She holds a Master's degree from the University of Florida. She, husband Edards, and first son Kevin reside in Gainesville, FL.

SANDRA (CARDONI) TIMKO resides in Plains, PA, with husband Ronald and children Ronald, Jr. and daughter Dina.

LINDA (WALKER) MACK gave birth to a son on August 14, 1980. She and husband Clarence also have another son, Matthew. Linda is a kindergarten teacher in the Mahanoy Area (PA) School District, and the Macks reside in Barnesville, PA.

LEA GINA WHITE has accepted a new position as a vocational counselor with the Hartford (CT) Area Training Center. She is also working on her MSW degree at the University of Connecticut School of Social Work. Gina resides in East Hartford.

FRANCES (JASULEWICZ) YOUNGBLOOD is living in Wilkes-Barre with husband Thomas and son Tommy. Frances earned the Master's degree in Chemistry Education at the University of Scranton.

#### 1971

DANIEL L. ALTERS was recently promoted to operations chief with the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, Williamsport, PA. Dan and his wife, SHIRLEY (KNAUTZ), live in South Williamsport and have a son Daniel F. and a daughter Jennifer Lynn. Shirley '72, is a Chemist at the Williamsport Hospital.

MADGE (BRESLOF) ALTHOUSE is a senior contract negotiator with the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, CA. She has received advanced specialization in government contract management at UCLA in 1979. Midge and her husband William reside in Pasadena.

RUSSELL C. BAYNE has been promoted to vice president for employee relations and personnel with the Armour-Dial Company, in which capacity he will manage the personnel and employee relations departments and employee training and development at the company's nine facilities. Congratulations, Russell. Russ and his wife, LINDA (PHILLIPS) '71, reside in Phoenix, AZ.

CHRISTINE (HINCKEN) BLOOM is a teacher of English at Haddonfield (NJ) High School. She, husband Thomas, and son Timothy reside in Somerdale, NJ.

SANDRA (PERKOSKI) BRADBURY is a data processing teacher at the West-Side Vocational-Technical School in Pringle, PA. She and husband Louis have two children, Tara and Joseph, and reside in Dallas, PA.

STEPHAN N. BRANDO is a recruiter/screener for the AFL/CIO Job Corps center at Nanticoke, PA. Stephan lives in Mountaintop with his wife Gwen and son Vincent.

While JOYCE ANN (ROTHER) BURLONE was right when she indicated that our files were up to date, we're sure that other Alumni will be interested to know that she is a mathematics instructor at Tri-County Technical College in Pendleton, SC. She earned the MA degree in 1973 from Penn State University, and resides in Anderson, SC, with husband Dominick, and daughters Karen and Suzanne. Thanks for the update, Joyce Ann.

MARTIN M. CEBULA received the MS degree in Biology from Bloomsburg State College in December, 1980. Martin is an air pollution specialist with the Bureau of Air Quality Control of the Department of Environmental Resources, and resides in Hazleton with his wife Diane.

JOHN P. CHERUNDOLO is now an associate management consultant with CACI, Inc., of Mechanicsburg, PA. He earned his MBA from Penn State and resides in Mechanicsburg with his wife Donna and their son John Marcus.

SUSAN (STANORSKI) DAVIS gave birth to a son, William Joseph, on March 7, 1980. Susan and her family reside in Warrior Run, PA.

MARY (DEMKO) ERNEST is now residing in Fort Lewis, WA, with husband Franklin and children Michael and Laura.

RONALD and PATRICIA (MORAN) FEDOR are residing in Waterford, CT, where Ron is manager of a restaurant and Patricia '74, teaches in the Groton School District. They have one son, Michael, born October 19, 1980.

BONNIE (ARENA) GAMBLE gave birth to a son, Michael Adam, on November 30, 1980. She and her husband Richard live in Wilmington, DE, where Bonnie is a supervisor for the Bureau of Juvenile Corrections.

MAUREEN (KLAIPROTH) GARCIA-PONS is president of a newly-formed non-profit corporation, the Dance Association of Northeastern Pennsylvania. She is also the assistant editor of the women's page for the Scranton Tribune. Maureen and her husband Jorge reside in Moscow, PA.

MARION (BUCHEK) GRAHAM gave birth to a son, Ryan Robert, on May 7, 1980. Marion, husband Robert, and daughter Stephanie live in Mechanicsburg, PA.

JOHN M. HALLIDAY has recently been named controller of the New Brunswick Development Corporation. John resides in Parlin, NJ, with his wife DIANE PIZONT '70, and sons John and Mark.

CLARENCE HOFFNER announces the birth of a daughter, Frances, on August 18, 1980. Clarence and wife Mary reside in Pittston, PA.

NELSON W. JOHNSON is a research scientist with the Toxicology Department of Burroughs Wellcome Co. in North Carolina. Nelson and wife JoAnn have three children, Aubrey 6, Carissa 5, and Kristen—born on December 18, 1980. The Johnsons reside in Cary, NC.

JOANN (KONDEK) KATUNA gave birth to a daughter, Cara, on July 12, 1980. They and husband Elliot reside in Shavertown, PA.

WILLIAM M. KAYE was promoted to Assistant Dean of Students at the Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine in Philadelphia. He is a member of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, the American College Personnel Association, and the Association of College and University Housing Officers. Bill is listed in the 1980 International Who's Who in Community Service and was named to Outstanding Young Men in America for 1981.

GEORGE and BARBARA (ROMAN) KNEZEK are residing in Ocean, NJ, where George is division credit manager for Amerada Hess Corporation and Barbara formed Business Writing Dynamics and gives business seminars on writing effectively. George holds an MBA from Monmouth College, while Barbara holds a master's degree in English Education from Rutgers.

DR. STEPHEN T. KOSAGE, a member of the science faculty at Keystone Junior College in La Plume, PA, has been named the new chairman of the Math, Engineering, and Science Department at Keystone. He and his wife Patricia have three children and reside in Blakely, PA.

MARY ANN (KUNEY) LIPKA has a new position as a hospital consultant with Blue Cross of Northeastern Pennsylvania. Mary Ann and her husband David were married in May, 1980, and reside in Plymouth, PA.

JANET (LUSSI) MATTHEWS announces the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Anne, on May 9, 1980. She earned an M.Ed. degree from Penn State, and resides in Maryville, TN, with her husband William.

GEORGE J. MATZ is now a communications consultant with the Continental Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, of Hershey. George and wife Jean Ellen are residing in Palmyra, PA.

SUSAN McDONNELL is national sales manager for the NBC affiliate KXAS in Fort Worth, TX. Susan currently lives in Dallas, TX.

JEANETTE (ABRAHAM) ROPPA and her husband Phillip have moved to Larksville, PA. Jeanette was a teacher in the Wilkes-Barre School District.

JACOB SCHULTZ is a salesman with the Eastern Pennsylvania Supply Company here in Wilkes-Barre. Jack and his wife Pat announce the birth of their first child, Erin, on March 11, 1981. Erin weighed in at 6 pounds, 7 ounces, and measured 20 inches long. Best wishes to Jack and Pat!!!

SHARON (FORLENZA) STEVENS earned the MS degree from the University of Maryland and is an assistant professor in our Nursing Department here at Wilkes. Sharon and her husband John were married October 18, 1980, and reside in Wilkes-Barre.

ROBERT J. VIGNOLI is a teacher at Green Brook High School in New Jersey. Bob's wife Krystyna gave birth to a son, Michael, on December 21, 1980; the family resides in Somerset, NJ.

CANDICE (CATES) ZIENTEK is in her second year of coaching the women's field hockey team at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. She is also a staff member of the U.S. Olympic Field Hockey Training and Development Program, and was a player in the 1979 and 1980 National Tournaments. She and her husband Stanley reside in Ypsilanti, MI.

#### 1972

CAROL (LELAND) AREND is a teacher at St. John's School, Houston, TX. Carol and her husband Robert reside in Houston.

ROBERT M. BABSKIE is director of inpatient services of the Hazleton-Nanticoke MH/MR center. Robert earned an MA from Marywood College, and he and his wife Janet reside in Sugar Notch, PA.

JANE (WHEELER) BASILE is reference librarian at Montana State University at Bozeman. She holds an MLS degree from Villanova University and resides at Bozeman, MT, with her husband Michael and son Benjamin.

PAUL T. BROOKS is a sales manager with the Doyle Pharmaceutical Company of Minneapolis. Paul and his wife Frances have two sons, Paul T. age 3, and Peter, born June 11, 1980. They reside in Nutley, NJ.

ALICE (BUDZELEK) KLINK resides in Bethlehem, PA with her husband John and their son, David.

BRYCE BURGESS is now terminal manager of the Tucson, AZ, facility of Roadway Express. Bryce and his wife Irene live in Tucson.

ROSE (DITCHKOS) DALE is manager of the critical care-burn center of Allentown Sacred Heart Hospital. Rose, her husband Allan, and daughter Jessica reside in Emmaus, PA.

Congratulations to ERIC B. DAVENPORT, who received his MS degree from James Madison University in December 1980. Eric is corporate controller of Klockner-Pentaplast of America, Inc., of Gordonsville, VA. He resides in Somerset, PA, with his wife Jean and sons Eric, Jr. and John. Eric also teaches part-time in the accounting department of Piedmont (VA) Community College.

GRETCHEN (WINFIELD) FOLKMAN is office manager of Polyfusion, Inc., of Buffalo, NY. Gretchen and her husband Ronald live in Lancaster, NY.

JUDITH S. FRIED is a teacher in the Wilkes-Barre Area School District. She also earned an MS degree from



Wilkes in 1976. Judith resides in Wilkes-Barre.

**DAVID A. FURMAN**, formerly of Louisiana, has relocated to Savannah, GA. Dave, as soon as you send us updated information, we will let other Alumni know what you are now doing in Savannah.

**BARBARA (DEMKO) GARCIA** had a very busy Spring of 1980. On March 12, she gave birth to a daughter, Joanna Michele. On May 9, she was awarded the MS degree in Aerospace Science from East Carolina University, and then a week later on May 16, she was promoted to Captain in the U.S. Army Reserve. Congratulations to all three events. Barbara, She and husband Juan are living in Fayetteville, NC.

**FREAS L. HESS III** was graduated from the Chubb Institute for Computer Technology in September 1980, and is now a computer programmer with Public Service Electric & Gas of Newark, NJ. Freas and his wife, **PATRICIA (VOLPE)**, '73, reside in Convent Station, NJ, with their daughter, Laurie May.

**IVAN and DOROTHY (WEBB) HOYT** announce the birth of their third child, Ethan Ivan, on January 26, 1981. Ivan is an art instructor with the Crestwood School District in Mountaintop, PA, and Dorothy is a caseworker with the Family Service Association of Wyoming Valley. The Hoyts reside at Wapwallopen, PA.

**MICHAEL T. HUGHES** is the Assistant to the Vice President for Campus Life at Stockton State College in Pomona, NJ. Mike earned the MA from Glassboro State College in 1980, and resides in Ventnor, NJ with his wife Linda and sons Michael and Sean.

**STANLEY R. KOLLY** is president of S. Robert Kolly Associates, Inc., a world-wide advertising agency. Stanley earned the MS from Wilkes in 1972, and resides in Wapwallopen, PA.

**JOSEPH W. KOVELESKI** is a computer specialist with the Navy Fleet Material Support Office in Mechanicsburg, PA. He and his wife Patricia announce the birth of their first born, a daughter Erio Marie on January 18, 1980. They reside in Mechanicsburg.

**PAMELA (KRAKOWSKI) LAWSON** is a teacher- aide with the Luzerne Intermediate Unit in Kingston, PA. She and husband James reside in White Haven, PA.

**DONNA M. LEMKE** is executive director of the New Jersey Special Olympics, Inc., located at Montclair State College in New Jersey. Donna and her husband, John F. Fritz, III, reside in Ringoes, NJ.

**JAN LOKUTA**, of Dupont, PA, was good enough to take the time to let us know that he disagreed with the recent decision of the College to raze some structures on South River Street and East Northampton Street. But while we may disagree on this, Jan, all of us here at the College want you and the Alumni to know that we are interested in your thoughts and your feelings, and when you communicate them to us in the Office, we will see that they are passed on to the proper individuals. So whether you approve or disapprove of what the College is doing, let us hear from you!

**JEAN (MAZIARZ) LYNN** is a teacher with the Scranton (PA) School District. She and her husband John reside in the Electric City.

**LOUIS A. MAZZA** and Margaret Alleman were married on May 17, 1980. Louis received the MBA degree in Accounting from Penn State University, and our most current information shows that Louis is an accountant with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

**EILEEN M. MORROW** has been promoted to assistant manager with the Bucknell University Bookstore in Lewisburg, PA. Eileen started with the Bookstore as a book buyer in 1974 and is working her way up the ladder there. Along the way, she also earned an MA from Bucknell and also studied through management seminars of the National Association of College Stores.

**GRACE (RICHIE) OSTRUM** and husband Matthew are owners-operators of their own tractor-trailer rig for I.R.L. Lines. Grace passed the necessary state and federal examinations in 1980. The Ostrums reside in Dallas, PA.

**LEO C. PETROSKI** is an audit officer with the Data Processing Department of the United Penn Bank here in

Wilkes-Barre. Leo and his wife Joan Ann are residing in Shickshinny, PA.

**CARLTON E. PHILLIPS** sends us news about the arrival of daughter Kimberly Ann on February 26, 1981. rival of daughter Kimberly Ann on February 26, 1981. Proud mother is Elberta, and the Phillips reside in Harrisburg, PA with Kim's brother Brett. Carlton is an accountant with the Department of General Services.

**LINDA (BURKHARDT) SCHULTZ** is a caseworker in the placement/adoption unit of the Luzerne County Children & Youth Services, USA. On September 22, 1980, Linda gave birth to son Jeremy Evan. The Schultz family — da gave birth to son Jeremy Evan. The Schultz family — da father Gerald is a practicing attorney — live in Dallas, PA.

**SHIRLEY (GUILLES) SHANNON** is an agent for four years now with the New York Life Insurance Company. Shirley gave birth to the Shannon's first child, Meredith Nicole, on April 13, 1980. The gals and Gerard live in Farmington, NM.

**KATHRYN (KRUTE) SIEGEL** received her MS degree from Rutgers University. She resides with her husband Walter in Bloomsbury, NJ.

**CYRUS O. SMITH** and wife Katherine announce the birth of their second child, Cyrus O., II, on April 9, 1981, joining sister Katy, now almost 3 years old. Cyrus is a teacher of English and reading in the Wyoming Valley West School District, and the family resides in Edwardsville, PA.

**BRENT S. SPIEGEL** is a computer systems analyst with the Fleet Material Support Office in Mechanicsburg. He holds an MA in Industrial Relations from St. Francis College and resides in Camp Hill, PA, with his wife Mary Alice.

**DEMETRIA (DEAKOS) TARUD** is also a systems analyst, with Hazleton Tech Services in that city. Demetria, her husband Solomon, and their one-year-old daughter Diana reside in Hazleton, PA.

**ENID (SULLUM) TOPE** is now living in Allentown, PA, with husband Alan and son Adam. Enid earned the MS in Counseling from the University of Scranton and has become active in several service groups in the Allentown area.

**DEBORAH (BERTI) WALSH** is a caseworker with the PA Department of Public Welfare in Wilkes-Barre. Debbie resides in West Pittston with her husband Joseph W. and their son Joseph, III.

#### 1973

**SANDRA (HUGHES) ANSELL** is an elementary teacher, and a good one, in the Hanover Green School of the Hanover Area School District. Sandra and husband Craig reside in Hanover Township.

**RICHARD BERKHEISER** is a proprietor of the Tee to Green Golf Shop in Berwick, PA. Richard is married, and he and his wife Janice live in Bloomsburg, PA.

**MARY BRANIGAN** is a resource room specialist at George Washington High School and resides in Philadelphia, PA.

**DIANE (CHISARICK) BRENNAN** is a teacher with the Dallas School District. She and husband Frank have two children, Timothy, age 2, and Patrick, just going on 2 years old. The Brennans are residing in Shavertown, PA.

**JOSEPHINE (SCHIFANO) FINLAYSON** is teaching in the Groton (CT) Public Schools at the Cutler Junior High School. Josie resides in Mystic with husband George and son Daniel and daughter Nicole Marie. Those folks in Region VI know Josephine as the Regional Vice President of the national Alumni Association.

**DIANA (GREGORY) FINSTAD** is a staff programmer with Allstate in Northbrook, IL. Diana had a daughter, Ann Irene, in July, 1980, and lives with husband Ronald in Wheeling, IL.

**JOEL FISCHMAN** is now the stage manager of the Pennsylvania Ballet Company based in Philadelphia. His experiences at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts while Joel was in high school, as a student here at the College, and during the time he was with us on our staff at the CPA are a real plus for the Ballet Company. Joel and wife ELLEN (SCHWARTZ), '75, reside in Bensalem, PA, with children Beth and Scott, ages 3 and 1 respectively.

**MARGARET (MUTARELLI) FRAID** teaches in the Crestwood School District at Mountaintop, PA. Margaret and husband Stanley reside in Berwick, PA.

**ROBERT D. GENNARO** has a new position as manager of financial reporting for Eller & Co. in Fort Lauderdale, FL. Bob and wife Claire reside in Davie, FL.

**DR. ROBERT and SUSAN (PEZZNER) GOLDSTEIN** are residing in Riverdale, NY, where Robert is chief resident in general surgery at the Montefiore Hospital & Medical Center of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine in the Bronx. He and Susan, '74, have two children, Sharon, age 4, and Benjamin who will be 1 on June 17, 1981.

**DR. JOSEPH GRILLI** has been promoted to assistant administrator of Wilkes-Barre's Mercy Hospital. Joe earned an MPA from Penn State in 1974 and an MPA from Nova University in 1977. His doctorate is also from Nova in 1980, and he received the Certificate in Health Administration from St. Louis University in 1981. Joe resides with his wife Diane and son Christopher who was born on January 9, 1981, in Plains, PA.

**MARGARET (WALIGORSKY) HUGHES** is now residing in Covington, PA. She and husband Anthony were married on September 27, 1980.

**NORMA (ROPER) KEENEY** is living in Middletown, PA, where husband Ronald is an aircraft technician. The Keeneys have two children, Michelle, who will be 3 this summer, and Sharon, who was just 1. Norma also does substitute teaching in the Middletown Area School District.

**PATRICIA (KEATING) KEIGHTLEY** gave birth to a son, Mark Patrick, on December 18, 1980; number one son, Brian Charles, is now three. Patricia and husband Charles and family reside in Springfield, VA.

**EDWARD KOCIOLEK** is the proprietor of D.J.'s Cutting, in Pittston, PA. Ed and wife Bernice have one child, Dustin, who was born September 20, 1980. The family resides in Dupont, PA.

**MARY-BETH KORUTZ** is now the art director at the Jewish Community Center here in Wilkes-Barre. She is a resident of this city.

**SHARON (HUMBLE) NARDONE** is teaching in the intermediate grades of the Dallas (PA) Area School District. She and husband FRANK, '71, have one daughter, Heather, 4, and reside in Pittston, PA.

**HOWARD L. RIFKIN** is an attorney with State Farm Insurance in Los Angeles. We sort of lost track of Howard for a while, so please, Howard, send in a note telling us what has been happening for the past several years. Howard and wife **PATRICIA (COLUMBUS)**, '73, reside in Valinda, CA, with son Aaron, age 2, and new-born Gregory, who became a Rifkin on February 12, 1981. Congratulations, folks.

**GILBERT V. RIDDLE** is now a market research analyst with the Eaton Corporation of Flemington, NJ. Gilbert resides in Easton, PA, with wife Hermine and children Stephen, Michelle, and Diane.

**DAVID L. RITTER** earned the MPA from Marywood College and, since 1978, has been serving as the director of housing services with the Commission on Economic Opportunity in Wilkes-Barre. David and his wife **JANICE (REINDEL)**, '74, are residing in Sweet Valley, PA.

**MARCIA (MINKOFF) ROSENTHAL** is a fine arts consultant in the City of Philadelphia. She and husband Lawrence were married on October 19, 1980.

**DONNA (OSTROFSKI) ROTHER** is residing in Ashley, PA with husband Robert and sons Robert, age 3, and Michael, born February 20, 1980.

**JASHINDER (JAY) SIDHU, (MBA)**, is vice president and director of marketing of the American National Bank in Morristown, NJ.

**GEORGE P. SILLUP** is a sales engineer with the Honeywell Corporation. He earned an MA in Human Behavior and Development at Drexel University in June, 1980, and resides in Medford Lakes, NJ, with his wife Jeanne and son G. Patrick, who was born on February 6, 1980.

**CYNTHIA (FARMER) SIEGFRIED** reports from Crofton, MD, that she is now pursuing a lifelong hobby and

love of refinishing and collecting antiques. She also has small business restoring furniture and teaching restoration techniques. Cindy and husband Alan have two children, Kathryn, 5, and Robert, 2.

**NOREEN (DRUGACH) BARTO** is a sales analyst with Medison. She earned an MBA from Fairleigh Dickinson and resides in Montclair, NJ, with husband Raymond.

**PAULETTE (LOEFFLAD) BENT** received her MPA from Marywood College in May, 1981. She and husband John reside in Dallas, PA.

**JUDY COUP** is an instructor of nursing at the Williamsport Hospital. Judy also resides in that city.

**JAMES W. McGRATH** earned the M.Ed. degree in Counseling Psychology from Temple University and is a youth services counselor with the Camden (NJ) Youth Services. His wife, **MAUREEN (KENNEDY)**, '74, received the M.Ed. in reading from Glassboro State College in May, 1981. The McGraths reside in Lindenwood, NJ.

**SUSAN (McKEEVER) MUTH** is a laboratory-medical technologist at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital in Kingston, PA. She resides in Wilkes-Barre with husband John and daughter Michelle, 4.

**C. JULIE MORSE** is in a new position as bookkeeper for United for Progress of Denver, CO. She has an MA in Theater from the University of Denver and is currently working on the Ph.D.

**KAMILLE WARKALA** is teaching in the fifth grade of the Wilson School District, West Lawn, PA. She resides in Wyomissing, PA.

**DEBORAH (BOYER) WEBSTER** holds an MS degree from Marywood College and teaches remedial math with the Luzerne Intermediate Unit. She and husband Steven reside in Reeders, PA.

**FREDERICK A. WILLIAMS** is a psychologist with the Salvation Army Facilities in Hawaii. Frederick earned the M.Ed. at Temple and is now enrolled in the Ph.D. program in Psychology at the University of Hawaii. He and his wife Julia reside in Honolulu.

**JAMES V. YANORA** is a material control analyst with Air Products & Chemicals, Inc., at Trexlertown, PA. Jim resides in Bethlehem, PA.

#### 1974

**ANN (BERKISE) ANDERIKA** teaches at the YMCA Nursery School in Pittston, PA. The Anderikas announce the addition of a daughter, Rachel, born on December 5, 1980 to their Wilkes-Barre, PA home.

**LEE DAVID AUERBACH** has accepted a position as an associate with the law firm of Hall, Dickler, Lawler, Kent, & Howley of New York City. David earned his JD degree from the University of Vermont, and resides in Yonkers.

**WILLIAM A. BARTUSKI** is a sales engineer with Frog, Switch & Mfg. Co. of Carlisle, PA. The Bartuskis have three children, Jennifer, Allison, and Jeffrey, and reside in Chambersburg, PA.

**DIANE (SELTZER) BLOSS** is a teacher with the Luzerne Intermediate Unit in Kingston, PA and resides in Wapwallopen with husband Barry and son Jeff, born December 20, 1980.

**THOMAS C. BOSHINSKI** is director of internal audit of the Tropicana Hotel in Atlantic City, NJ. Tom resides in Marlton, NJ, with his wife, **MARIANGELA (SANTOS)**, '72, and daughter Allyson, born June 26, 1980.

**CHARLES BRESSLER** is an assistant professor of English at Houghton College, Houghton, NY. He earned the MS degree in 1975 at the University of Scranton and resides with his wife, **DARLENE (GIFFORD)**, '74, in Houghton. They have a daughter Heidi.

**DONNA (COFFIN) CATANESE** was married on July 26, 1980 to husband Michael and teaches children with learning disabilities in grades 4 and 5 at the Windward School, White Plains, NY. Donna earned the MS in 1978 from the College of New Rochelle and resides in Port Chester, NY.

**DORIS DOBRANSKI** is a counselor with the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitation Services and lives in Winter Park, FL.

**GRACE (RINALDI) FORLENZA** is residing in Pittston, PA with husband Patrick and daughter Angela, who celebrates her first birthday at the end of July.

**RANDALL and PAMELA (PETHICK) GALE** reside in Camp Hill, PA. Randy is a Deputy Attorney General, having received the law degree from Dickinson College, while Pam is a personnel analyst with the Commonwealth.

**JEAN (GILROY) GAVLICK** received her law degree from the Delaware Law School after earning the MS at Marywood College. She is a family law clerk with the Philadelphia firm of Abrahams and Loewenstein. Husband BLASE, '73, earned an MBA here at Wilkes in 1977 and a law degree at Delaware Law School in 1980. Blase is a trust administrator with the First Pennsylvania Bank in Philadelphia. The Gavlicks have a son, Edmund, 2, and yes, Blase, Dr. Shaw still has your letter framed and hanging on his office wall. Well said, buddy.

**VICKIE (SOGN) GEARHART** will be happy with the spelling of her name on the mailing label of this Quarterly, because we had been omitting the "e" for quite some time — sorry, Vickie. She and husband Keith welcomed a son, Jason, into their home, born on April 13, 1980; they reside in Sauk Rapids, MN.

**DIANA (GIOVANNINI) MIGLIORINO** was married on March 21, 1981 to husband Ronald. Congratulations and best wishes! Diana is a realtor associate with James R. Nasser Realty in Scranton, where the couple reside.

**JAMES GODLEWSKI** recently "retired" from coaching the Buckhorn (PA) girls' track and cross country team, which compiled a very impressive record under Jim's leadership and guidance. He has been employed as a fifth grade history and English teacher in the Wallenpaupack District for six years.

**NANCY GREENBERG** has a new position at Fisher Junior College in Boston as the director of the Travel & Tourism Administration Program. Nancy resides in Brighton, MA.

**LINDA (HILL) RILEY** is a substitute teacher with the Ipswich Public Schools. Linda resides in Ipswich, MA with husband Stephen and son Shane who just recently celebrated his first birthday.

**MICHAEL G. HISCHIAK** is a real estate accounting manager with Jeweler, Inc., in Wilkes-Barre. Michael and wife Cheryl have one daughter, Alison, who was born on October 27, 1980. The Hischaks reside in Larksville, PA.

**PETER JADELIS** was promoted to the position of vice president in charge of savings at Susquehanna Savings & Loan of Pittston. Pete and wife, **MARGARET (GATUSKY)**, '73, reside in West Pittston, PA.

**NATHAN G. KATZ** is an account executive with Dean Witter Reynolds in Atlantic City, NJ. Nathan earned the MBA from Lehigh University in 1976 and resides in Ocean City with wife Laura and daughter Laura Christina.

**JANET (CENCETTI) KNOX** is a medical technician at the Medical Center of Princeton, NJ. She and her husband James reside in Manville, NJ.

**MINDY (MILLER) LISMAN** is residing in Riverdale, NY with husband Elliot and son Josiah. Mindy earned an MA from Lehigh in 1978.

**EDUARDO MARBAN** recently received the M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from Yale University. As part of his program in physiology of the heart, Ed has written several scientific articles, and he has presented his work at major meetings in Boston, New York, Denver, and London. He is currently doing a research fellowship at the Yale Medical School and will begin residency training in internal medicine at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, in July. Eduardo is the son of Drs. Edilberto and Hilda Marban of Wilkes-Barre.

**MARY (BECKER) MARSHALL** is an intake interviewer with the Pennsylvania Department of Employment Security in Scranton. She was married to husband James on September 6, 1980, and resides in Wilkes-Barre.

**RICHARD A. McGUIRE** is the assistant town manager of Avon, CT. Richard earned the MPA from the University of Connecticut in 1976 and resides in Collinsville.

**SHIRLEY (MICHAELS) MICNICOSKI** gave birth to a son Paul on March 7, 1981. Congratulations to Shirley and dad, Franklin. They reside in Duryea, PA.

**MICHAEL A. NIEHOFF** started a new position as analyst/programmer with Air Products & Chemicals in Trexlertown, PA. He resides in Whitehall with wife Karen and daughter Nicole Amber.

**DR. PETER NORDLAND** completed a one-year hospital general practice residency in June, 1980, at Loma Linda Medical Center and has begun and just completed the first year of a 2-year residency in the specialty of periodontics at Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. Dr. Nordland resides in Grand Terrace, CA.

**LEONARD J. PACZKOWSKI** is presently pursuing a masters program in counseling at Marywood College in Scranton. He is a pulmonary function technician at Wilkes-Barre's General Hospital and was named an "Outstanding Young Man of the Year." Len and wife Barbara reside in Wanamie, PA, with daughter Lynette, age 1.

**THOMAS PANETTA** wrote to tell us of his receiving the MS in Education from Hofstra University. Now, Tom, send us more on what you have been doing in the Ashland, MA, area.

**MOLLIE (O'CONNELL) PHILLIPS** gave birth on February 10, 1981 to a son Matthew. She and husband Frank also have a daughter, Mamie, age 2, and reside in Dallas, PA.

Congratulations to **ROBERT D. PRENDERGAST** who received an MBA from Penn State in May. Bob is associated with the Pittsburgh National Bank. He and wife **SUZ-ANN (YOUNG)**, '73, reside in White Oak, PA, with son Christopher.

**BARBARA (LUCCA) RIZZITELLO** is a teacher in the Brick Township (NJ) Schools. Barbara resides in Brick Town, NJ, with husband Edward and son Evan who will be a year old in September.

**SHARON (RODGERS) NAPLES** is art director for Sheldon Vale Associates, an advertising agency here in Wilkes-Barre. Sharon and husband Gary reside in this city.

**ELLYN (MacDONALD) SALMON** is currently residing in Forty Fort, PA. She and husband Harold were expecting a third child in May, 1981, so we will ask Ellyn to tell us about it. The Salmons have a son Sean, 4, and a daughter, Jennifer, 2.

**ROGER SANDS** is a hospital administrator at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Saginaw, MI. Roger and wife Stephanie announce the birth of their son Joshua on February 17, 1981. The Sands reside at 3153 Sapphire Way, Saginaw, MI 48603.

**ELAINE (SMITH) TRAYNOR** was married to husband Joseph on October 18, 1980, and is a control supervisor with Bamberger's in Newark, NJ. The couple resides in Cranford, NJ.

**CAROLE (WARKE) STASHIK** stopped by the Alumni Office recently to say hello. Carol, originally from Newport, PA, now does social work and teaches at North Orange County Community College in California. A daughter Chris is enrolled in the pre-med program at Fullerton State while a son Ken will be a senior in high school. Carol resides in Anaheim, CA.

**DR. JOSEPH E. STELLA** received his MD degree in 1978 from Temple University Medical School. He will complete a family practice residency at Geisinger Medical Center in June, 1981, and will then join a group practice in Scranton, PA. Don't forget to send us your new address once you settle in, Joe.

**KENNETH H. STONE** is a senior partner in the law offices of Wampler, Holzman, Imhoff & Stone in San Diego, CA. Ken earned the JD degree from Western State University School of Law in 1978. He and wife Tamalin reside in San Diego.

**HARRIET R. STULTS** is an art teacher at Herbert H. Lehman High School in New York City. Holly studied at Kulecki-Starkie Academy of Jewelry Art from 1975-1977, and her jewelry and cloisonne enameling was in an exhibition sale at the Cooper-Hewitt Museum and the Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of Design for Christ-



mas, 1980. She is also scheduled to show at the Cooper-Hewitt Museum in "Crafts in Carnegie Mansion" and has exhibited in galleries in New York City, Great Neck, L.I., and Gallery 10-Soho, New York City.

Congratulations to **DR. JOHN J. TROSKO**, who received the DPM from the Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine this year. John and his wife have a son, Eric, but we don't have your wife's name on file, John. You will have to send in another update and fill us in with your current address, too.

**DR. BARRY A. WARNER** is an endocrinology fellow at the Penn State University College of Medicine. Barry received the DO from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1978 and had been a resident at the Harrisburg Hospital. He resides in Hershey, PA, with wife Evelyn and daughter Christina, age 2.

**DR. STEVEN WASKO** maintains a dental practice in Albrightsville, PA. Steve received the DDS degree from Temple University Dental School in 1978.

**DAVID T. WOJCIOWICZ** recently established his own business in Catawissa, PA — D.R.W. Associates, a Marketing/Business management consulting firm. The Wojciowicz family resides in Catawissa.

## 1975

**EUGENE B. ASHLEY** is president of the Ashley Reallors, Inc. in Montvale, NJ. Gene and wife April have two sons, Timothy, 3, and Benjamin, 6. They reside in Montvale.

**DR. ROBERT J. BALFOUR** is engaged in the practice of dentistry in Pleasantville, NY. Bob received the DMD in 1978.

Congratulations to **DR. ANN MARIE BARTUSKA**, who earned the Ph.D. degree at West Virginia University in May, 1981.

**DIANE (KEENEY) CRONK** is residing in Montrose, PA, with husband Jerry and daughter Amber Lee, who was born on October 10, 1980.

**EDWARD M. CROUGHN** is an ESEA Title I math teacher with the Wilkes-Barre Area School District. Ed holds the MA in Elementary Administration from the University of Scranton and Commonwealth Certification as an elementary principal. He and wife Louise reside in White Haven Pconos, PA.

**JAMES M. DAVIS** is a domestic relations counselor with the Luzerne County Court here in Wilkes-Barre. Jim and Loretta had double blessed event on May 11, 1980 with birth of twin sons, Jeffrey and Jason. They reside in the city.

**ROBERT F. DERLUNAS** is an administrative supervisor with the F&M Schaefer Brewing Company in Allentown, and promised samples if we put a "plug" into the Alumni Notes. Bob resides in Coaldale, PA, with his wife, Anne, and son Brian Robert who just celebrated his first birthday.

**PAUL L. DETWILER** is an associate store supervisor with Acme Markets, Dallas, PA. Paul resides in Kingston, PA, with wife Kathy and son Paul, 3.

**ROBERT A. DOMBROSKI** is a systems analyst with Sperry Univac in Blue Bell, PA. Robert and his wife Victoria reside in Philadelphia.

**LT. ALBERT G. DUNN** is serving with the U.S. Air Force at their Chanute, IL base. Al and wife Lisa have one son, Christopher, age 3.

**ROBERT G. EDGERTON** has joined the executive staff of the First Eastern Bank as an assistant vice president in the Commercial Loan Department. Bob and his wife Lisi are residents of Kingston, PA.

**RICHARD C. EVANS** is controller and co-founder of Zircon Laboratories, Inc. Richard and his wife, **PAMELA (SCHINSKI)** '77, reside in Orlando, FL.

**STEWART W. FEENEY** teaches at the Lisbon Elementary School while his wife, **PATRICIA (CLEGG)** '75, teaches at the Chaplin Elementary School, both in Connecticut. They reside in Griswold, CT.

**KENNETH R. GARDNER** is at Cornell University pursuing a Ph.D. in Applied Math. He earned an MS in

Physics in 1978 and an MS in Math at Lehigh University. He and wife **MARYANN (TERESCAVAGE)** have one child, Kenneth Allan, who was born on November 3, 1980, and reside in Ithaca, NY. Maryanne's sister Carol, '84, is a student aide in the Public Relations Office here at the College.

**DR. RALPH C. GATRONE** is a research chemist with Allied Chemical Co., in Buffalo, NY. Ralph earned the Ph.D. at SUNY-Buffalo and has done postdoctoral studies at Stanford. He and wife Colleen reside in Kenmore, NY, with their daughter Laura.

**EDWARD P. GORSKI** is a senior planner for the Department of Urban and Economic Development of the City of Utica, NY. Ed earned an MCRP degree from Catholic University in 1977 and is also enrolled in the Ph.D. program in American Government at Syracuse University. He resides in Utica.

**DR. DANA LYNN HANKEY** is a member of the technical staff of the Ceramics Division of Sandia National Laboratories. Dana earned the MS in Materials Science at Northwestern University in 1977, and the Ph.D. in Solid State Science at Penn State in 1980. Dana and wife Mary reside in Albuquerque, NM, with daughter Stephanie. They are expecting a second child in August, so we will look for another update for the Fall Alumnus.

**DR. FRANCIS A. J. KERDESKY** is presently employed as a pharmaceutical chemist with Abbott Laboratories in Chicago. He is also under contract to co-author a book on Adriamycin, a potent anticancer drug.

**DR. NELSON G. LANDESSER** is a development chemist with Merrell Pharmaceuticals in Milwaukee, WI. Nelson earned the Ph.D. at Duke University in 1980.

**DEBORAH (MAHALICK) CORSO** is an associate with Massachusetts Mutual in Phoenix, AZ. She is also a member of the Business and Professional Women's Association, and is a candidate for the Life Underwriters Training Council. Debbie and husband, **PHILIP** '74, reside in Scottsdale, AZ.

**DR. DONALD W. NASH** is completing his Family Practice Residency at the C. S. Wilson Memorial Hospital, Johnson City, NY. Don earned his MD degree from the Medical College of Pennsylvania in 1979, and was married on February 14, 1981 to the former Mary Ann Panarello.

**GEORGE OFFSHACK** is director of video engineering for D. Gottlieb & Co. of Bensenville, IL. George received his pilot's license in 1979, and has travelled extensively since then, visiting 38 states, 15 countries, and 5 continents. He and wife Rebecca have two children, Bethany, 4, and Jeffrey, 1.

**DOMINICK P. PANNUNZIO** was sworn in as an Assistant District Attorney here in Luzerne County. Dominick plans to open the first law office ever (?) in Dupont, PA.

**THOMAS W. PEZZICARA** is a sales representative with Pitney Bowes in Cedar Knolls, NJ. Tom lives in Randolph, NJ.

**BEHROUZ BEN-SABZEVARI** completed his MS degree at C. W. Post College in 1977. He and his wife Janet reside in Kew Gardens, NY.

**JAMES M. SANDERS** is a production supervisor with Air Products & Chemicals Company in Hanover Township (PA). He and his wife Irene have one daughter, Sarah, who will be one year old in July.

**MARY (EVANS) SHORES** is a public relations associate with Western Electric Company in Anaheim, CA. She and husband Peter reside in Huntington Beach, CA.

**REV. GARY SITKOWSKI** is pastor of the Calvary Bible Church in Buffalo, NY. Gary earned the Master of Divinity degree from Bob Jones University in May, 1980, and resides with wife Lisa Sue and children Jeremy, age 2, and Jessica, who was born on October 7, 1980.

**RAYMOND J. TERWILLIGER** has been promoted to vice president with responsibilities for all personnel activities within Leslie Fay, Inc. Ray and his wife Catherine reside in Kingston, PA, with their three children.

Congratulations to **DAVID C.** and **BARBARA (SMITH) THORNE**, both members of this class, on the birth of their first son on October 19, 1980. David, Barbara, and Steven reside in Willow Grove, PA.

**NANCY (RODDA) TOPOLEWSKI** is minister of Ashley and Warrior Run (PA) Presbyterian Churches. Nancy received the M.Div. degree from Princeton Theological Seminary in 1978 and has published several professional articles. Nancy and her husband John, a Methodist minister, reside in Mountaintop with their three children.

**ANITA (MILLER) WILLIAMS** is enrolled in our Masters program and is pursuing a degree in Elementary Education and Reading Specialty. Anita lives in Forty Fort with husband Lewis and daughter Holly Anne.

**CARLA (LOUCKS) YASENCHAK** is an accountant with Leslie Fay, Inc. and resides in Ashley with husband Michael and sons Mark, 2, and Michael, 4.

**DONNA (GALANO) YUREK** is currently residing in Wilkes-Barre with husband Joseph. The Yureks just celebrated their second wedding anniversary in May.

**DR. JOHN T. ZUCOSKY, III**, received the DMD degree from Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Dentistry in May 1980, and opened an office for the practice of general dentistry in Ridgfield, NJ. John and wife **ROSAMARY (KAMINSKI)** '75, reside in Ridgfield.

## 1976

**PHILIP and CAROLANN (GUSGEKOFSKI) BESLER** operate a nursery school in Mercerville, NJ. The Beslers have two children, Jennifer, 2, and Jonathan, who was born on November 7, 1980. They reside in Trenton, NJ.

**JOHN R. BRABANT** is budget director for the Bradford National Corporation in New York City. Jack holds an advanced degree from St. Johns University, and now lives in Brooklyn.

**THOMAS F. BRENNAN** is a caseworker at the Commonwealth's White Haven Center. Tom resides in Hazleton, PA.

**EDWARD A. BOSHA** is an assistant zone manager for the Bic Pen Corporation. He resides in Wilkes-Barre with his wife, Paula.

**MARYROSE (BENDIK) BURLINGTON** is a dental assistant in the office of Dr. H. P. Ayotte in Clinton, CT. She and husband Tom also reside in Clinton.

**PAUL DOMOWITCH** is a sports columnist with the Ft. Worth (TX) Star-Telegram. Paul and his wife Shelley reside in Arlington, TX.

**DEBORAH ANN DORMAN** is an assistant head nurse at the W-B General Hospital. She resides in Kingston, PA.

**LOUISE (BROZZETTI) FRYE** teaches at Bishop Hannan High School in Scranton. She resides in Scranton with husband James and daughter Camille.

**GAIL ANN GARINGER** is a sales coordinator with The Sterling Telecommunications Supply Company in Kingston.

**SANDRA (AKROMAS) KERSHAW** is a stenographer with the Workmen's Compensation Board in St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada, where she resides with husband Robert and daughter Valerie who was born October 6, 1980.

**JEANNE (NORCROSS) KRAVITZ** received the MS degree from Wilkes in May 1981. Jeanne was married on September 6, 1980 to husband William. They currently live in Harveys Lake.

**PAUL MACIK** is an assistant supervisor with the Tissue Culture Department of Flow Laboratories in McLean, VA. Paul resides in Annandale, VA, with wife **JANET (MARKOWITZ)** '75.

Wedding bells will be ringing for **MARY LOU MURRAY** who will become Mrs. James Brady on August 8, 1981. Mary Lou has been teaching since 1976, and currently lives in Budd Lake, NJ. Best wishes to Mary Lou and James — be sure to update your new address once things settle down.

**LINDA T. PAPATOPOLI** received a diploma in piano from the Mozarteum in Austria, and earned the MA from the Boston Conservatory of Music in 1978. She is now an Instructor at the Conservatory, and lives in Brookline, MA.

**JOYCE (HOOLEY) REGNA** is residing in Hudson, PA, with husband Thomas and son Thomas, Jr., born October 8, 1980.

**BERNADETTE M. SCAVONE** completed the W-B General Hospital's School of Medical Technology in June, 1980 and received certification by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists. She is a medical technologist here in Wilkes-Barre.

**JANE ELLEN SMITH** is a charge nurse in the Orthopedics Department of the Dover (NJ) General Hospital. She resides in Dover.

**THOMAS and EILEEN (PRENDERGAST) TROST** of Philadelphia announce the birth of their first child, Thomas Jeffrey, on April 12, 1981. Tom was recently promoted to district sales manager with Christmas Club, Inc.

**WILBUR C. WALTZ** is now the associate market manager with Gould 800-Battery here in the Wilkes-Barre/Scranton market. Wilbur also earned the MBA at Wilkes in 1978. He and wife Frances reside in Scranton.

**WILLIAM G. WINTER** earned the MS from Bucknell University in 1978, and started a new position as sales representative with Winter Associates in Boonton, NJ.

**PETER C. ZUBRITZKY** earned an M.Ed. from the University of Pittsburgh in 1979 and is an associate professor of Psychology and an academic counselor at the Allegheny County Community College in West Mifflin, PA. He resides in McKees Rocks, PA.

## 1977

**LISA (WAZNIK) ANDREJKO** is a teacher of elementary vocal music in the J. M. Hill School in East Stroudsburg, PA. Lisa and husband John reside in Cresco, PA.

**GAIL AZAIN** is a research assistant with the Virginia State Center of Aging in Richmond, VA. She earned the MS degree at Virginia Commonwealth University, and resides in Richmond.

**JUDITH (BALENT) BACHKOSKY** gave birth to a daughter Alison on March 11, 1981. This is the second child for Judy and husband Robert. Alison's brother Robert J. is now two years old. They reside in Altoona, PA.

**RAYMOND and JOAN (CHEMNITIUS) BEST** are both accountants. Ray is a senior accountant with Finkle & Co. of Fort Lee, NJ, while Joan is an associate accountant with the Public Service Electric & Gas Co. of Newark. The Bests reside in Cedar Knolls, NJ. Ray earned the MS from Seton Hall University in May 1980 and became certified in June 1980.

**LARRY COHEN** assumed the position of vice president of the Wyoming Paint Co. in Scranton and Kingston. Larry lives in Clarks Summit, PA, with his wife Sandra and daughters Jennifer and Melissa.

**CHESTER and JOAN (STEMPIN) DUDICK** are residing in Wilkes-Barre, where Chet has joined the law firm of Hourigan, Kluger, and Spohrer. He earned the JD degree in 1980 at Dickinson.

**RONALD G. EVANS** is residing in Wilkes-Barre with wife **CYNTHIA (EDDY)** '80.

**JOHN J. GALLO** was recently promoted to vice president in the Trust Division of the United Penn Bank. John earned the MBA from Wilkes in 1979, and resides in Conyngham, PA, with wife Barbara and son Matthew John.

**PETER GRABKO** and wife Lynn announce the birth of their first child, Peter Jason, on December 19, 1980. The Grabkos reside in Harrisburg, PA.

**CAROL ANN HASINUS** and Bryan B. Curry were married this past May. Carol is a sales representative with American Greetings Corporation, and they will reside in Louisville, KY.

**JUDITH (KEATS) HATCHER** is self-employed as an art teacher in Wilkes-Barre, where she offers private instruction. She and husband Robert have one child, Sarah Ashley, born April 26, 1980.

**MARK JACOBS** is an evaluation specialist with Emergency Medical Services in Avoca. Mark and wife Susan live in Wilkes-Barre with children Michael and Alison.

**MICHAEL JAROLIN** was married on October 28, 1978 to Deborah Kravitz. Mike is associated with the family plumbing business and resides in Nanticoke, PA.

Congratulations go out to **ROBERT H. KELLAR** who just received the MA from the University of Arkansas; he is now pursuing the Ph.D. in Psychology at that institution. He lives in Fayetteville, AR.

**WILLIAM P. KNIGHT** was recently notified that he successfully completed the examination for Certified Nurse Anesthetists on January 24, 1981. Bill is a CRNA at Mercy Hospital in Scranton, PA.

**PAULETTE M. KULESA** is a coronary care nurse at the Pocono Hospital in Stroudsburg, PA. Paulette tells us she is interested in getting the class together for a five-year reunion, so if anyone is interested, join with Paulette and insure a successful venture.

**BRUCE A. LEAR** is now co-ordinator of inventory control with Ingersoll-Rand in Phillipsburg, NJ. He is also enrolled in the management program at Penn State.

**DOTTY MARTIN** is copy editor in the Lifestyles Department of The Times-Leader here in Wilkes-Barre.

**THOMAS P. MCGANN** was married on October 18, 1980 to Joanne Maier — they are residing in Ewing Township, NJ.

**DR. GERALD MEHALICK** received the D.O. degree from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in May, and is serving an internship at the Overlook Hospital in Summit, NJ.

**ANN MARIE (GRUZDAS)** and husband Carey recently moved to Exeter, PA. We wish we could tell you more news about the PIRAGUS family, but this is all we have.

**JOSEPH W. SEKUSKY** is a caseworker with the Luzerne County Children and Youth Services in Wilkes-Barre. He and wife Gloria reside in Exeter, PA.

**DR. STEVEN B. STANDIFORD** received the MD from New Jersey Medical School in May, 1981. He is now residing in Philadelphia, PA.

**JAY G. THOMAS** is a transplant co-ordinator with the Delaware Valley Transplant Program of Philadelphia.

**THOMAS P. WAHL** is a research metallurgist with Magnetics of Butler, PA. Tom went on to M.I.T. (Anyone remember Dr. Mike's favorite story about MIT? where he earned the M.S. degree. He resides in Butler with wife Joan and son Christopher.

**MARIA (LEANDRI) YONKI** is an accounts payable bookkeeper with Insalaco's Markets in Pittston, PA. Maria resides in West Pittston with husband Robert and son Robert.

## 1978

**ANDONIS APOSTOLAROS** is the proprietor of a wholesale fruit and produce business in Trenton, NJ.

**LINDA (GOSS) BELL** is an intake counselor with Step-by-Step in Wilkes-Barre. She and husband David reside in Edwardsville, PA.

**HENRY J. BOBBIN** is teaching with the McDowell County Board of Education in Welch, WV. Henry lives in Yukon, WV.

**KATHRYN A. BOZINSKI** is a beat reporter — and a good one — with WBRE-TV here in Wilkes-Barre.

**CHRISTINE (BROZUSKY)** was married on June 21, 1980 to Richard E. TRAYER and now resides in Mehoopany, PA. She is with Procter & Gamble.

**JOANNE (PUGLIESE) CARPENTER** and husband Guy were married on June 28, 1980. Joanne became certified as an ophthalmic technician in November, 1980 and is associated with Dr. Joseph F. Pugliese in Kingston.

**LOUIS ELEFANTE** is a manager with Gould, the 800-BATTERY people. Lou has made himself very visible in the local community. He resides in Tannersville, PA.

**DAVID W. EVANS** and wife Gail are now residing in Philadelphia. Dave earned an MA degree at Claremont Men's College.

**BARRY HARCHARUFKA** and wife **KAREN (KLUCITAS)** '79 are residing in Wilkes-Barre, where Barry is associated with Electron TV.

**LT. STEVEN C. JEZ** is a nurse with the U.S. Air Force, stationed at Scott Medical Center, IL. Steve, send us your new address so we can get your mail to you more expeditiously.

**SHEILA KUPINSKY** earned the MA in psychology from Mansfield State College, and is a psychologist with the Lancaster County (PA) Crisis Intervention Center. She recently co-authored an article in the professional journal *Handbook of Rural Community Mental Health*. She lives in Lancaster, PA.

Congratulations to **STEPHEN M. LIPKA** who earned the MS in materials science at the University of Virginia in January, 1981. Steve lives in Charlottesville, VA.

**JOHN O. LYCHOS, JR.** is manager of corporate accounting with Industrial Inspection Industries in North Canton, OH. He lives in Massillon, OH.

**BRIGETTE McDONALD** teaches in the East Windsor School District. She is residing in Plainsboro, NJ.

**PATTI A. MOSER** was married on March 7, 1981 to **MICHAEL F. YANCHUK** '77. Patti is a staff nurse in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at the Hershey (PA) Medical Center while Mike is manager-in-charge at Friendly Family Restaurant in Hershey. The Yanchuks live in Annville, PA.

**DONNA M. PAPE** received her graduate degree in nursing from the University of Pennsylvania in 1981, and is a nurse on the Medical Floor of the University's Hospital in Philadelphia.

**MANDY S. WILLIAMS** recently became engaged to Nicholas R. Pennington of London, England. Mandy is a senior staff analyst with the Superior Oil Company of Houston, TX, after earning the MBA with Honors at NYU's London Graduate School.

**ANTHONY J. PINTO** is assistant program coordinator of the Deutsch Institute in Scranton, PA. Tony resides in Dunmore, PA, with his wife Elaine.

**STEWART RAE** is a medical technologist at the Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre, PA. Stewart was married on May 31, 1980, to Barbara Cuchi.

**ANTHONY J. SHIPULA** is a national account underwriter with Aetna Life & Casualty Company in Hartford, CT. Tony's wife **CHRISTINE (HUDAK)** '77, is a programmer/analyst with Aetna. They live in New Britain, CT.

**MARCIA STRATTON** earned the M. Ed. from the University of North Carolina in 1979, and is now an instructor at the University of Alaska in Fairbanks.

**LT. ANTHONY D. YOUTZ** is an air weapons controller with the U.S. Air Force attached to the 71st Tactical Control Flight at MacDill AFB in Florida. Tony completed Officer Training School in 1980. He and wife Patricia reside at MacDill.

**MARK ZAVOY** is a shipping executive with Stein World Products, Inc. of Renton, WA. Mark earned the MA in the History of the Hopi Indians, and resides in Renton with wife **JULIE ANN (BANOS)** '78, and their daughter Julie, born October 17, 1980.

## 1979

**KAREN (GLUSHEFSKI) ALBEROLA** is co-ordinator of the Job Locator and Development Program in the Career Guidance and Placement Center on Campus. Karen and husband Joe reside in Hanover Green, PA.

**STEVEN L. BAILEY** is now residing in Rosindale, MA. Tell us more about what you are doing, Steve, so we can pass the news along through the Alumnus.

**HEIDI L. BEUCKER** is a staff primary nurse at the Montefiore Hospital in Pittsburgh.

**GAYLE-JEAN (BERRY) CRAWFORD** is with the United Penn Bank in Wilkes-Barre. She and husband Bob were married in June, 1980, and reside in Wilkes-Barre.

**LT. MARK DEFALCO** commands a SAC missile crew with the U.S. Air Force. His wife **JOAN (MANCINI)** '80, teaches at St. Peter & Paul Elementary School in Great Falls, MT.

**RONALD DELEVAN** is an electrical engineer — locomotives with Conrail. He resides in Norristown, PA.

**PRESTON DYER** is a field representative with the A.C. Neilson Company. He lives in West Covina, CA.



ANN MARIE (STEFANOSKI) GORGONE is a community organizer with the Citizen's Choice Coalition in Wilkes-Barre.

ROBERT GREENWOOD (MBA) announces the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Helen on September 11, 1980. Bob's wife Barbara was director of the Upward Bound Program here at Wilkes. Congratulations to you all!

SHEILA ANN IMLER is a housing fieldworker with the Commission on Economic Opportunity in Wilkes-Barre.

W. KEITH JONES and JOANN PERANSKI '81, were married on May 30, 1981. The couple will reside in Endicott, NY, and when they tell us what they are doing there, we will pass it along to the Alumni.

ROSA KHALIFE is teaching in SS. Peter & Paul School in Plains, PA. She became engaged on December 24, 1980, but we don't know to whom, or the details of their wedding plans. Rosa?

LT. JOHN D. KOZE is stationed at Homestead Air Force Base in Florida.

JOHN P. LOHMAN is associated with the Luzerne National Bank in Luzerne, PA. He resides in Wilkes-Barre.

W. BRADLEY MCLENNAN is stationed at Mather Air Force Base in California.

ELIZABETH ANN (WASELEWSKIE) MEKOSH is a nurse in the Intensive Care Unit of Holy Spirit Hospital in Camp Hill, PA. She and husband Nicholas reside in Marion Heights, PA.

MARK A. NEYLON was recently promoted to salesman at Friedman Electric Company in Wilkes-Barre. Mark and wife Helen reside in the city with son Mark, Jr., who will be a year old in August.

MARYELLA (BOOTH) POKLEMBIA gave birth to a daughter, Joella, on September 17, 1980. The girls reside in Jessup with husband and father Joseph.

MARY CATHERINE ROSTOCK and Eugene Kudey were married on July 12, 1980. They are now residing in West Pittston, PA.

Congratulations to CARLA SECHREST, who is now a chemist with the Parsippany Troy-Hills Water Pollution Control Plant. Carla resides in Morristown, NJ.

MYLES M. STEMPIN, who did such good work with our Veteran's Office on campus is now a media programmer with the Luzerne County Community College in Nanticoke. He resides in Wilkes-Barre.

PAUL WENGEN is a product line cost accountant with Teledyne MEC of Palo Alto, CA. He and wife ELLEN (DUFOSSE) '78, reside in Sunnyvale, CA.

ANN MARIE YANUSHEFSKI earned the M.Ed. degree from Lehigh University's School Psychology Program in May, 1981. Ann Marie is currently living in Bethlehem, PA.

#### 1980

JUDITH BELLAS is now residing in Boulder, CO. Tell us what you are doing, Judy.

TAMI ANNE BERAUD is a tax auditor with the California Franchise Tax Board in New York City. Tami resides in Staten Island, NY.

DR. MARK W. BOHN received the MD degree from Hahnemann Medical College and is practicing Family Medicine at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston, PA.

D. CHRISTOPHER BRISBANE was married to Barbel. Settle on September 27, 1980.

KATHERINE ANN BURKE is a nurse at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago.

LEWIS B. CELLITI is a field engineer with Owens-Illinois, Inc., in Columbus, OH. Lew was married on April 7, 1981, to Janice Lee Wishau — best wishes!

DIANE CIMAKOSKY is currently pursuing an MS degree in Biochemistry at Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia.

JREGG H. COOK is a technical programs analyst with Gulf Oil Company in Pittsburgh. He resides in Monaca, PA.

MARK M. DROBISH is a salesman with the Equitable Life Insurance Company. He and wife BERNADETTE (SWIDERSKI) '80 reside in Forty Fort, PA.

JOHN DESALVO is an administrative specialist with IBM in Philadelphia. John and wife Joy reside in Paulsboro, NJ.

LAURA EGAN was recently promoted to assistant store manager of HomeFair Linens, Eynon, PA, a division of E. W. Kalkin, Inc., of West Orange, NJ. Laura lives in Scranton, PA.

CAROL ELKINGTON is a research assistant with CACI, Inc. — Federal, of Mechanicsburg, PA. Carol worked as a student aide in the admissions office here.

CYNTHIA (EDDY) EVANS is an optometric assistant with the Doctors Hurwitz. She and husband RONALD '77, reside in Wilkes-Barre.

JANET J. FALCHEK is a staff nurse at the Albert Einstein Medical Center in Philadelphia.

ROBERT J. GAETANO teaches at Bishop Hoban High School in the city. He is also advisor for their Yearbook, and maintains his interest in photography.

DR. HENRY A. FINN received the MD degree from Hahnemann Medical College in Philadelphia. He is now on the staff at Hahnemann Hospital. Wife CATHERINE (HUGHES) '78, teaches at the Holy Rosary School in Cherry Hill, NJ. The Finns are residing in Voorhees, NJ.

KATHRYN (TYAHIA) ISGANITIS is a production coordinator with Plastics, Inc., of Montgomeryville, PA. She and husband Dave reside in Lansdale, PA.

LINDA C. KNORR is an operating room nurse intern at the Medical College of Virginia Hospitals, Richmond, VA.

DIANE (BRODBECK) LOWE is a math teacher in the Columbia County (GA) School System. She and husband George reside in Augusta, GA.

AMY (GORDON) SHERIDAN resides in Towanda, PA, with husband Frederick. She is a nurse with the Memorial Hospital of Towanda.

MICHAEL F. LOKUTA is a systems engineer with Singer-Link Division at its Hillcrest plant in Binghamton, NY. Mike resides in Johnson City, NY.

PATRICIA J. LUPU has relocated to Whitehall, PA. Tell us more, Patti.

JOSEPH J. MAJEWSKI is a branch office supervisor with Washington Inventory Service in Hazleton, PA.

SHARON ANN MANGANIELLO is a laboratory technician with the Kirby Health Center in Wilkes-Barre. She lives in Exeter.

DANIEL PATRONICK is a teacher of English at Bayley Elland High School in Madison, NJ.

MARK RADO teaches in the Business Education Department of Bishop McDevitt High School in Harrisburg, PA.

FRANK J. RAGUKONIS and wife Annmarie announce the birth of their first child, a daughter Annie Christine, on March 28, 1981.

JOSEPH RIGOTTI is currently enrolled at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine where he is pursuing the D.O. degree.

THOMAS SALLEY has a new position as an engineer with the A.A.I. Corporation in Baltimore. He resides in Lutherville, MD.

LISA (HALL) SELLANI is a nurse at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital. Lisa and husband John reside in West Pittston, PA.

DR. EUGENE J. SIMONI is a surgical resident at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, where he is living with wife Sheena.

JANICE (BURCAK) VERINI has relocated with her husband to Coatesville, PA. Tell us more, Jan, so we can pass the news along.

DONNA LEE WHITMORE is a nurse in the Critical Care Unit of Kingston's Nesbitt Memorial Hospital. Donna lives in Wilkes-Barre.

SHEPARD C. WILLNER is currently enrolled in the Master of Public Administration program at American

University in Washington, D.C. We all remember Shep for his tireless efforts on behalf of his class and the College. Good luck!

Congratulations to RODNEY R. WYFFELS — he has been named business manager for the Galeton, PA, School District.

LYNN MARIE YEDLOCK is a staff nurse at Wilkes-Barre's Mercy Hospital. She is residing in Ashley, PA.

*We feel quite confident that you have enjoyed reading about your friends and classmates at Wilkes. We ask those Alumni who sent an Update Card to us but who were not included in this issue to bear with us — we will be including another section of class notes in the Fall issue. And for those of you who have not yet sent in an update, we urge you to do so now. It takes only a minute to tell us about your family, your career, and your educational achievements, but yet it makes very interesting reading for your friends.*

*Street addresses are included in class notes only upon the specific request of an Alumnus/a. If you are interested in contacting a friend or classmate, however, you can do so through the Alumni Office. Just drop us a note indicating who you want to contact, and we will do it for you.*

*The Alumni Office is also interested in getting reader reaction to both the Quarterly magazine as well as the Alumnus insert. Whether your message is complimentary or critical about either the format or the contents of this publication, send your comments to the Editor, the Quarterly, Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18766. We will select those most representative letters and publish them in a subsequent issue as "Letters to the Editor." So please, folks, take advantage of these opportunities to use the Alumni Office, and, at the same time, provide us via your feedback with some direction for future issues.*

## in memoriam

DR. BRIAN W. BLIEM, 25, of 44 Christopher Drive, Bucks County, died at Hahnemann Hospital in Philadelphia. Born in Newtown, he was a 1978 graduate of Wilkes College, and received his medical degree in June, 1980 from the Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine. His wife, the former Linda Caracci, is a native of Wilkes-Barre.

RICHARD C. BANTLE, of Woodstown, NJ, passed away. He was a member of the Class of 1942 and is survived by his wife Beverly and daughters Barbara and Debbie.

CHARLES G. GOLOB died on October 15, 1978. Charles attended Bucknell University Junior College in 1936-37, and earned a B.S. degree at Penn State University. He had been plant manager for the Superior Generator and Armature Company in Scranton, and is survived by his wife Louise and two children.

DR. JOHN M. KOHL, a member of the Class of 1943, died on October 4, 1980, in Wayne, PA. John was a Radiologist at Montgomery Hospital in Norristown, PA. He was originally from Kingston.

WILLIAM J. PICKETT, JR., Class of 1952, died February 6, 1981, at his home after a long illness. He was a longtime respected teacher at Flagstaff, AZ High School. He was born May 15, 1926, in Wilkes-Barre. After beginning his college education at Wilkes, he transferred to Northern Arizona State University. Surviving are his wife Mary, a son Eliot, and two sisters.

CONSTANCE (OLSHEFSKI) PINKOWSKI of Mill Hall, PA died on Friday, June 5, 1981, in Williamsport Hospital. She was a 1951 graduate of Wilkes and had been employed as an appointment secretary in a Lock Haven medical office. Surviving are her husband Daniel, and children Bonnie Lou, Dana, and Daniel. Her mother resides in Wilkes-Barre.

JANE (MILLEN) STITZER died Sunday, March 29, 1981. Born in Wilkes-Barre, Jane was a graduate of E. L.

Meyers High School. While at Wilkes she participated in women's varsity Field Hockey and Basketball; she was an Art major and a member of the Letterwomen's Club. Since her graduation in 1969, she was employed as a teacher in the Dallas (PA) Junior High School and coached girls varsity Basketball. She was 33. Surviving are her husband Thomas, parents, and sister Ruth.

R. WARREN WILLIAMS, Class of 1956, passed away after a lengthy illness on December 31, 1980. Warren was a teacher in the Wyoming Area School District. Surviving are his wife Sue and children Beth Ann and Kenny. He was a resident of West Pittston, PA.

WALTER J. ZIONKOWSKI died in Blackwood, NJ, September 6, 1980. He was the Assistant Director for Public Services of the Savitz Library of Glassboro State College since 1973. Walter was a member of the Class of

1961, and is survived by his wife Susana and stepsons Peter and Etienne.

Our condolences are extended to LINDA JO (FERARO) OBREMSKI, whose husband Willie was killed on Saturday, June 6, when a ditch he had been digging collapsed. He was 24 and a graduate of King's College. Linda graduated from Wilkes in 1979.

*Contributions to a class fund in memory of deceased friends and/or relatives are always appropriate. Gifts will be acknowledged to the donor as well as to the family of the deceased and are always appreciated by your College. Contributions and inquiries may be sent to Wilkes College Alumni Office, 170 So. Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18766.*

# sportsupdate

by Eddie White III '80



## 1980-81 SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

The 1980-81 Wilkes College athletic year came to an official close with the annual Sports Awards Banquet at the college's dining hall. Junior Tony Madden, a football and basketball standout from Pringle, was selected as the school's male "Athlete of the Year" while sophomore Karen Johnson of Bloomsburg earned the female award for her endeavors in field hockey, basketball and softball.

John Moffatt, a senior swimmer from Forty Fort, was named as the male "Scholar-Athlete" while senior Megan Ward took female honors for field hockey. Megan hails from Boonton, New Jersey. Other special award winners were:

Gallagher Award for Football: Glen Colvin, Commack, N.Y.; Senior-athlete Award: Sarah Farley, volleyball, Greenville, Tenn.; Coreen Santoro Memorial Award: Cindy Rossi, volleyball, Plains; Letterwomen's Scholarship Award: Lisa Cobb, volleyball, Taylor; and BEACON "Coach of the Year" for cross country, Ron Righter.

Taking offensive MVP honors for football was senior Carmen LoPresto of Pittston as Ed Mollahan of Dover,

N.J. earned defensive honors. The soccer MVP's went to senior John Brill of Wilkes-Barre and Stillwater junior Mike Karns. Ed Eppler, a senior from Washington, N.J., took the MVP award for cross country while teammate Ken Pascoe was named as the "Hustling Harrier."

A pair of underclassmen took MVP honors for field hockey as junior Helen Gorgas of Swarthmore took defensive honors and sophomore Diane Hall of Ephrata was named as offensive MVP. Mary Kay Price, a senior from Carbondale, was selected as the offensive MVP for women's volleyball and Cindy Rossi earned defensive honors. Cathy Price, a freshman from Exeter, took the MVP award for women's tennis.

Pete Creamer, a sophomore from Bellmore, N.Y., was selected as the top wrestler this past year and senior heavyweight Rick Smith from Wilkes-Barre took the Tim Adams Award. Capturing the MVP for men's swimming was sophomore diver Reed Bello (Holland, Pa.) and earning women's MVP honors was freshman Megan Maguire from Bear Creek. Mike McCarrie, a senior from Philadelphia, was selected as men's basketball's MVP and junior Kevin Walker (Springfield, N.J.) took the "Hustling Colonel" trophy.

A pair of underclassmen took MVP honors in women's basketball. Sophomore Stacy Keelley from Mount Holly, N.J. was the top defensive player while freshman Kim Smith, out of Plymouth, earned offensive MVP accolades. Senior Chick Andrewsavage captured the MVP for men's baseball and senior Mark LePore (Mt. Laurel, N.J.) took the golf MVP trophy. Larry Buffalo, a sophomore from Hempstead, N.Y. was the offensive MVP for lacrosse, and freshman Dave Szczepanski took the "Tool" Award for lacrosse.

Barry Spevak, a junior from Syracuse, N.Y. earned the MVP honors for men's tennis while sophomore Cheryl Frystak took MVP defensive honors for women's softball and Karen Johnson accepted offensive honors.

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## OLDTIMER'S SOFTBALL GAME

For the second straight year, the "Oldtimer's" downed the varsity Colonels, 17-6, in the annual softball game at Artillery Park. Dean George Ralston was on the mound for the "Oldtimer's" and he picked up the win, outdueling Wilkes pitching coach Jerry Bavitz, who hurled for the 1981 Colonels.

In photo A, Dean Ralston is showing his "southern" form which helped him to three hits in the game while Athletic Director John Reese drills a single in photo B. Big hitter for the 1981 Colonels was all-league Chick Andrewsavage, who belts a triple in

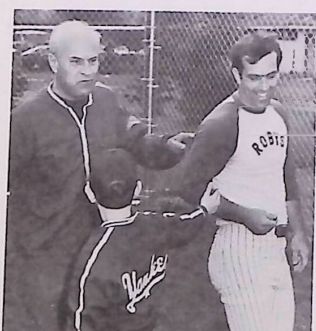
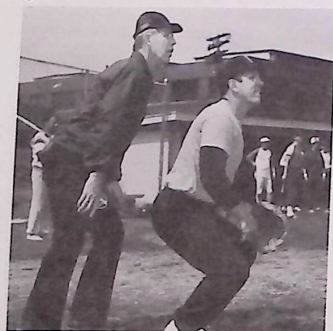
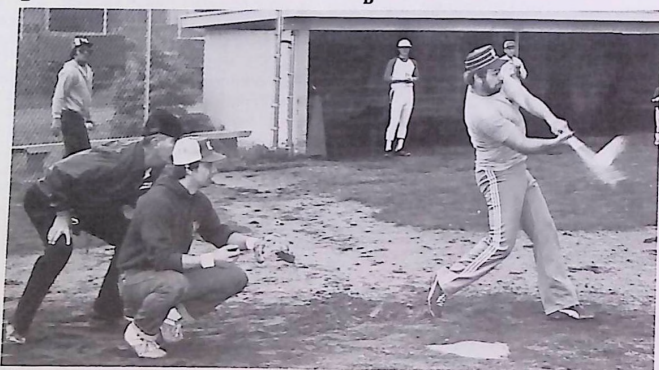
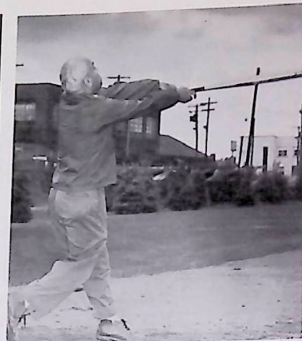


photo C. Catcher is former Wilkes great Dave Paolinelli while Dean Gerald Hartdagen serves as umpire.

In photo D, former Colonel standout Ted Yeager drills a deep drive while ump Hartdagen and Wilkes baseball coach Dave Kaschak can only watch in photo E. And in photo F, winning pitcher Dean Ralston and "Oldtimer's" top hitter Ted Yeager receive congratulations from a young Colonel fan.

The game was organized by former Wilkes diamond coach Gene Domzalski and all former Wilkes players are invited back for next year's contest.

## MOVING?

Please help your Wilkes Alumni Association reduce the cost of postage by telling us when and where you are moving. You can help, too, by telling us of a friend whom you know to be an alumnus or alumna that has moved.

Thanks for your help! Please clip off the address label below and return it with the correct address to Wilkes College Quarterly, 170 South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. 18766.

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## CREATIVE COLONEL



Have you received your Swiss-embroidered Colonel emblem yet? The 2-inch high blue and gold Colonel will stick on your shirt, cap, lapel or tie and become a special part of your wardrobe.

To receive your emblem stop by the Alumni Office or send us a note telling us what you are doing these days . . . we will, in turn, send you a complimentary Colonel.

## From Cotton to Cooking . . . Wilkes Chef has Served the Best



by Randy Xenakis

If you select at random any Wilkes College student and ask, "Who cooks your meals at the College?", the answer would be 'Freddy the Chef.' If you had the opportunity in the 1930's to ask President Franklin D. Roosevelt, "Who makes the best liver and onions dish?", he would have said, 'Freddy the Chef.' If you enjoy meeting with pleasant, down-to-earth human beings, and you enjoy good food, you'd enjoy 'Freddy the Chef.'

His life began in 1917 when he became one of eighteen children born to the Wall family of Rockingham, North Carolina. His fourteen brothers and three sisters were brought up in a typical Southern setting where the only livelihood for a black family was working on the plantation. "I could bring in over 300 pounds of cotton a day," boasts Freddy. "Every time I would drop the cotton in my satchel I would think 'eighteen cents a pound — eighteen cents a pound' and that would make my hands go faster and faster." Freddy admits that he certainly didn't become wealthy by picking

cotton, but, compared to the other cotton pickers who only averaged 150 pounds per day, he was certainly someone to be looked up to.

When Freddy was 13 he remembers several visits from relatives who lived in Washington, D.C. "They always came to Rockingham with hundreds of dollars in their pockets," he recalled. "I kept saying to my mother that Washington must be the land of plenty where you can work and earn good money." A year later, at the ripe age of 14, he set out to find what riches, if any, awaited him in the nation's capitol. "Those were the days when you could take a train from North Carolina to Washington for only \$8 — today, it costs you that much to tip the bellhop," he chuckled.

Upon his arrival in the Capitol City, Freddy searched out employment and found work as a dishwasher at Press Cafeteria located only two blocks from the White House. Little did he know that he would later be preparing luncheon specials for the President of the United States.

Being the enterprising son of a sharecropper, Freddy would soon fill his potential as a dishwasher and seek out advanced status in the restaurant business. "When I wasn't working nights at my second job — helping to dig under Washington streets for utility lines — I spent time at Howard University learning the techniques of how to cook," Freddy says proudly. "I was soon given the opportunity to cook hotcakes on the grill, later assist with special orders and, ultimately, prepare lunch for Franklin Delano Roosevelt."

Freddy admits that cooking lunch for the President was a lot of fun but, he is quick to add, that the responsibility and the work involved was demanding.

"I always had Secret Service Agents looking over my shoulder watching every move I made in preparing food for Mr. Roosevelt," Freddy reminisced. "The President would come by for lunch at noon but I would have to prepare the meal before 10 a.m. so the security agents could test the finished product. That would give them at least two hours to find out if the food would make them ill or not. It never did," he said proudly. "Oh, and by the way," added Freddy, "the President's favorite dish was liver with onions (hold the garlic) and a bowl of consommé soup." Freddy remembers those as happy times when he not only served the President but became friends with several Treasury Department officials who controlled the currency in the adjacent building. "The tours they used to give me of the vaults and the money making machines were so exciting," Freddy said enthusiastically. "Did you know that they print money like they print newspapers?" he asked. "They use these big sheets of paper and print a bunch of bills on each one before being cut into the proper sizes. Fascinating, just fascinating!" he said.



After serving the President meals for one year, Freddy assumed new duties as head cook for Highland's Luncheonette atop of the Press Cafeteria. In 1936 he was transferred to Wilkes-Barre where he was head cook for Highland's Public Square Luncheonette. "I made the move during the flood of '36," said Freddy. "Wilkes-Barre has been special to me ever since."

One reason that the personable connoisseur has a special place in his heart for Wilkes-Barre is that it was here that he met his wife of 35 years. Laura Jones Wall died of cancer in 1975 and Freddy proudly says that, "she gave me 35 wonderful years." When Laura was admitted to Wilkes-Barre General Hospital and diagnosed as having the terminal illness, Freddy arranged to rent living quarters at the hospital to be with her every minute. Laura died two weeks later.

By this time, in the mid-70's, Freddy had already been at Wilkes College for twenty-five years doing what he now says is the most rewarding work of his career. As Head Chef for the College Dining Hall, Freddy

admits that while cooking is his livelihood, much of his real satisfaction comes from working with the students.

"The students have kept me young and energetic," says the 63-year-old Mountaintop resident. "They think of me as more than a cook. They ask me my opinion when they need help and they offer me assistance when I need theirs. I live for the students and I love the College," he said softly.

His long hours, many times seven days each week, attest to his loyalty and love of Wilkes and its students. When he does find time for special hobbies, he says without hesitation that fishing is the only game in town. "I have been fishing all of my life and I have spent many days at fishing holes between Portland, Maine and Jacksonville, Florida." One of Freddy's few secrets rests in knowing exactly where the best fishing holes can be found. He will casually let on that New Jersey has its share of excellent fishing spots and that he does, in fact, spend a lot of leisure time there seeking out unsuspecting trout, bass and bluegill. Only after he divulges that information will he tell you that he has a

'special' friend there by the name of Rosa Malloy who he has known since 1977. "This gives me two good reasons to go to the Garden State," he says laughingly.

They call him Freddy the Chef. Students will say, as an often heard trademark, that "his food is very tasty." When Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson was at the College as a guest of Wilkes' first president Dr. Eugene S. Farley, she told Freddy personally, after he prepared her meal, that he has an open invitation to visit with her anytime he is in Texas. He hopes to accept that gracious offer someday.

Freddy is a unique man. He is kind, gentle, loving, sharing and caring. He is a man of integrity — learned not through the formal halls of education, but rather through determination and a strong will.

From picking cotton, to preparing food for President Roosevelt, to being chef and friend to Wilkes students, Freddy Wall does one thing exceptionally well — he loves to help others.

And that can serve as 'Food for Thought' for all of us.

## Rigley Research to Benefit Dolphins

By Jane Manganello

In 1979, Jean-Michel Cousteau, son of famed oceanographer Jacques Cousteau, visited Wilkes College. It was during that visit that Cousteau and Dr. Louis Rigley, a specialist in animal behavior and a member of the Wilkes Biology Department, were introduced.

It was soon apparent that the two scientists shared not only an interest in the same field of study, but also a mutual respect and reverence for the environment in general and marine life in particular. An invitation was extended by Cousteau to Rigley to work with "Project Ocean Search" for the summer of 1979, in South Carolina. Rigley accepted the invitation which afforded him the opportunity to work with other top researchers in marine biology. It also gave him the opportunity to work on a special project — to investigate the shallow water feeding habits of wild, Atlantic bottle-nose dolphins.

Dr. Rigley's research in this area has now warranted the awarding of a grant by the American Philosophical Society to support further study during the summer of 1981. There are several objectives, according to Rigley, for the proposed research. Primarily, there is very

little information currently available on shallow-water behavior, and the study will provide this information. Other objectives include: statistical population estimates; cooperative feeding behavior; correlation of group movement to tide change, water temperature and water salinity; acoustic communication in correlation to specific sound production for specific behavior; and the effect of recreational power boating on dolphins during feeding or movement.

Rigley, who recently presented a paper on the subject at the Pennsylvania Academy of Sciences, conducted an 8-day pilot study at the May River in South Carolina last year. During the study it became clear that dolphins could be identified by distinguishing dorsal-fin markings. This is important in that it enabled observers to determine that many returned to the same feeding spots on consecutive summers. It was also determined that these dolphins followed a type of cooperative herding feeding method whereby schools of fish were herded into shallow areas and dolphins actually slid up on the mud bank to catch fish as they were forced out of the water.

The grant will enable Rigley to research another area in which he is vitally interested — underwater communication by dolphins. Rigley has demonstrated in several previous experiments that fish do communicate. Their method of communication is accomplished when they produce sounds by rubbing bone parts together or by vibration of the muscles on their swim bladder. Recognized as an authority on the subject, Rigley has done intensive research for several years in this area. He conducts behavior modification experiments by using an underwater microphone, called a hydrophone, to record sounds. He then plays them back to correlate a specific sound with a specific behavior pattern.

Rigley has been at Wilkes College since 1974 and is becoming a well-known authority in his field. His unique teaching methods, which include intensive class participation and field trips, provide students with a kind of "best of both worlds" educational experience. This experience, he believes, is the key to the protection and preservation of our environment.



## SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON



Over fifty Wilkes scholarship students and their scholarship sponsors attended a special luncheon at the College sponsored by the College's Financial Aid Office. The luncheon was followed by a tour of the Sordani Art Gallery which, at that time, was exhibiting works of "The Students of the Eight."

Scholarship recipients in attendance include (from left to right) first row: Joyce Walsh, Donna Gardner, Marie Suchoski, Maria Smigel, Linda McCarthy, Joan Knapich, Marilyn Thaler, Gabor Varsanyi, Byron Petrushka, Colleen Gries, Dina Sauer, Susan Kuzminski, Karen Worlinsky, Sandy Tomko.

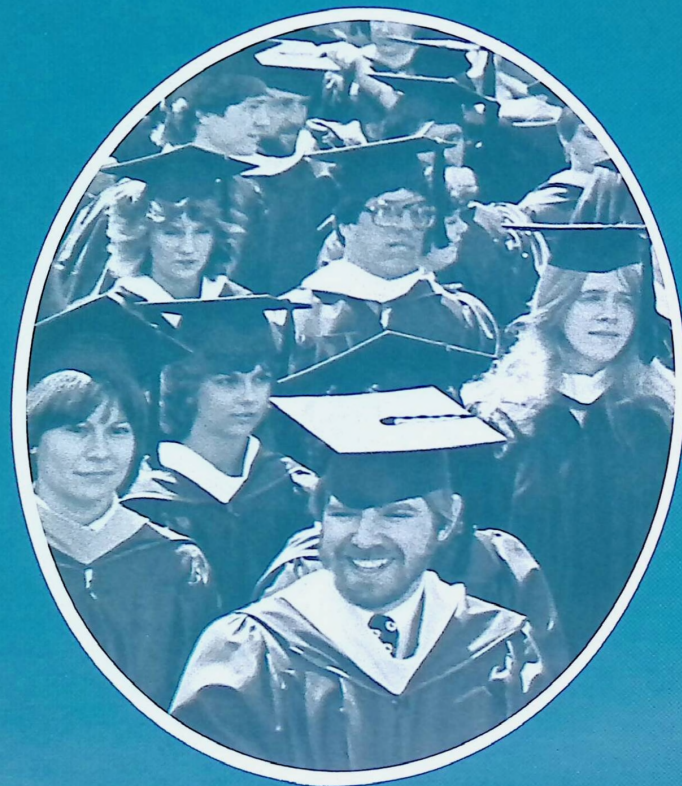
Second row: Rich Zamkowski, Eugene Neary, Joan Thomas, Cheryl Connor McLaughlin, Marta Baker, JoAnne Bennick, David Sedor, Marie Olshefski, Marylou Hinz, Donna Heidel, John Saxe, Tony Kubasik.

Third row: Stephen Lewitski, Mike Sulcoski, Vince Turosky, Roy Brady, Gary Michael, Scott Keller, Molly Brace, Michael Cook, Edward Salley, Stanley Kman, Michael Skovira, Tom Brogan, Mike Regeic, Ed Miskiel.

Fourth row: Dale Scanlon, Leo Morgan, Michael Satkowski, Francis Rowe, David Hottenstein, Joseph Mitchell, Bill Dempshi, Dave Popeck, Jeff Garbor, Ed Czech, and Ed Hayduck.



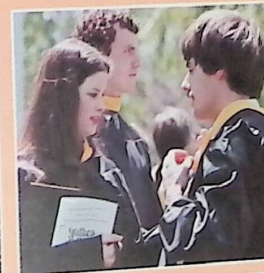
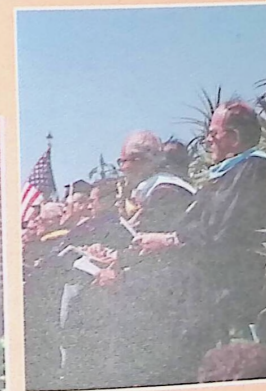
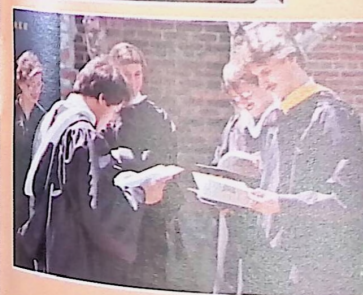
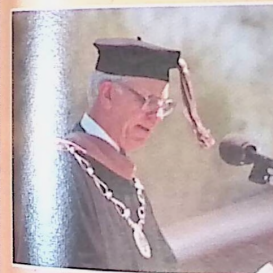
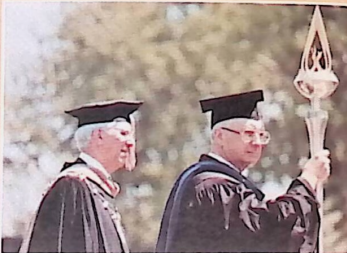
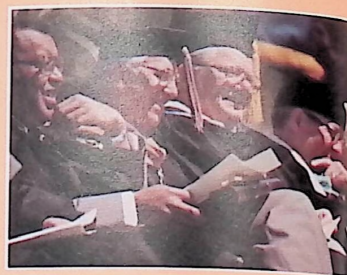
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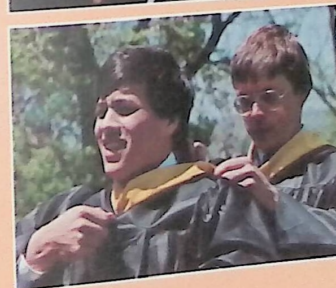
*Come, my friends, 'tis not to late to  
seek a newer world. Push off, and  
sitting well in order smite the  
sounding furrows; For my purpose  
holds to sail beyond the sunset, and  
the baths of all the western stars,  
until I die.*

Alfred Lord Tennyson

*the beginning . . .  
the end of all the yesterdays.*



Wilkes College held its 34th Commencement on May 17,  
at Ralston Field awarding 503 degrees to candidates from  
the class of 1981.







## AWARDS DINNER HONORS COLLEGE PERSONNEL

Twelve members of the Wilkes faculty and staff were honored for their service to the College. Twenty-Year Service Awards, Ten-Year Service Awards and retiring members of the faculty and staff were honored at the special awards dinner held in the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts.

Among those in attendance at the event were — first row from left: Mrs. Ruth Spear, retiring administrative aide; Mrs. Nance Cordy, 20 years service; Mrs. Rita Zula, 10 years service; Ms. Mary LeRusso, 10 years service; Mrs. Judith Griffin, 10 years service; Mrs. Harriet Frew, 10 years service.

Second row from left: Dr. Gerald Haridagen, Dean of Academic Affairs; Dr. Fred Bellas, 20 years service; Mr. Eugene Manganello, Director of Personnel; President Robert S. Capin; Dr. Andrew Shaw, Dean of Management; Mr. Louis Gettinger, retiring faculty member and Mr. Alex Pawlenok, also a retiring member of the Wilkes Faculty.

Mrs. Ruth McHenry, and Dr. John Orehtsky were also honored for 10 years of service to the College.



## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Greater Wyoming Valley Chapter of the Wilkes Alumni Association announced the election of new chapter officers recently who will serve for two-year terms.

Elected were (above l. to r.) Carol Pawluch, Secretary; Andrea Petrash, Executive Council; Alan Zellner, Executive Council; Marvin Antinnes, President; Robert Silvi, Executive Council; and Virginia Zukor, Executive Council.

Also elected were Carolyn Rome, Vice-President; John Holland, Treasurer; and Executive Council members Loretta Farris, Joanne Levnowski, and Charles Petrillo.

The new officers were announced by Mr. James Ferris, Executive Vice-President of the Wilkes National Alumni Association at the Chapter's Annual Dinner held at Irem Temple Country Club.

## "What's In This For Me?" or "Drive Off Bridge"

by Betsy B. Condron



I happen to be a William Safire addict and often get my kicks from his linguistic forays in the New York

Times. He recently expounded upon signs which try to cram a message into a few words, leaving the reader confused and/or in hysterics.

THIS DOOR IS ALARMED AFTER 6 P.M. makes the city hospital employees it warns realize they, too, "get a bit nervous in that neighborhood after dark." Safire is insulted for the laborers toiling under SLOW MEN AT WORK. We chuckle about SLOW BUMP and IN EVENT OF AIR ATTACK DRIVE OFF BRIDGE, but what about these I came across this winter: INSIST YOUR DOLLARS WORK and MONEY GIVING TIME! Are we supposed to set our greenbacks to cleaning the house or are they adding hours to our day?

On second perusal we realize we should not let our money languish under the mattress, but instead, put it in the local bank where it will earn extra benefits. Since the second sign came during December, it reminds us that we have little time left to contribute our excess funds to charity in order to gain tax deductions before the year ends.

Do you have excess funds? Do you give them away to gain tax savings? Why DO you give your money to Wilkes, the United Way, your religious organization, or the kid who sells candy for the scouts (candy you don't need at all)?

We have myriad, individual reasons for our philanthropies, big or small. (A good description

of philanthropy — "love towards mankind as shown by practical benevolence" — suggests one doesn't need to be wealthy to give!) Nobody can demand that you donate to some institution created to benefit others. That's a personal decision. So what encourages people to do so? I hear these reasons:

**Inner Satisfaction:** the joy of giving, of helping others.

**Moral Commitment:** the "there but for the grace of God go I", the desire for improvement of the less fortunate's lot.

**Tax Benefits:** the government approves private giving by allowing income tax deductions, often lessening estate taxes and probate costs as well.

**Life Income Plans:** allow regular income for the donor, and beneficiary, while providing above "perks", too.

You've read, herein, frequent references to the last two facets of charitable giving, and I've also talked about it as "a final realization of selflessness," reordering one's priorities, so to speak. Simply stated, most donors want to know two things about their gift: "What's in this for me, and what's in it for you?"

Wilkes' planned giving program recently received a tangible property gift, in excess of \$10,000. Firstly, that donor believes in Wilkes. He feels we're doing a good job of what we've set out to accomplish. He has tax incentives, sure, and wants life income, too. But, he wanted his gift funds used wisely and for a good purpose . . . voilà . . . Wilkes College.

People give to institutions which they perceive as reinforcing their own values. If a person has extra money and an interest in an institution, if he is convinced its goals and directions are sound, then a prime motivation for him is that he's helping to create something of lasting value. Our recent donor's decision to contribute property to our program was the result of an association with the College and a conviction that the quality of the institution was worth the investment. Under these circumstances, another reason for giving might be called **Creating-Supporting Valuable Institutions.**



Members of Wilkes College Planned Giving Advisory Committee met this spring at the College to review progress reports and future plans as outlined by College President Robert S. Capin and Mrs. Betsy B. Condron, Director of Planned Giving at the College.

Members of the Advisory Committee include (l. to r.) seated: Atty. Harry Hiscox, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Esther Davidowitz, Kingston; Mrs. Condron; President Capin; and Mrs. Judy Schall, Shavertown. Standing: Ms. Virginia Masters, E. Stroudsburg; Mr. Bruce Gover, Lehman; Mr. Guthrie Conyngham, Shavertown; Mrs. Dolores Laputha, Hazleton; Mr. Frank Henry, Dallas; Mr. Joseph Petz, Shavertown; and Dr. Thomas Kelly, Dean of External Affairs at Wilkes.

Other members of the committee include Mr. Noel Caverly, Shickshinny; Mr. Lonnie Coombs, Wilkes-Barre; Mr. Ronald Ertley, Dallas; Mr. Thomas Kirby, Shavertown; Mr. Richard Maslow, Dallas; Mr. Gerald Moffatt, N.Y.C.; and Mr. William Shull, Hazleton.

There is a special character to this charitable institution . . . its unique origins, its half-century history, its traditions, and the quality mentioned above. Those strengths caused one successful alumnus to say: "Wilkes is the product of the people in Wyoming Valley, a community which decided it had to help itself by helping its youth. I owe Wilkes and I'll pay my debt in every way I can!" Although that particular Wilkes friend isn't a Methodist, he might agree with good, old John Wesley whose philosophy was "Make all you can; Save all you can; Give all you can" . . . to Wilkes' planned giving, maybe?

Would you believe that when I started this article I was going to talk about memorial gifts, all kinds of ways you can give to Wilkes in honor of a loved one! Well, I've run out of space, and can just remind you that there is no more thoughtful way to show sympathy for the loss of a friend, relative or respected citizen than a gift that lives on in memory of that person. Elsewhere in this magazine you'll find a notice about sending such gifts to the College. An appropriate acknowledgement is sent to the family, noting that a gift has been made, by whom, but not the gift amount.

Many Wilkes friends make such condolence gifts a habit, thus assuaging their own sense of loss, demonstrating their sympathy to the family by a lasting gift of value to the whole community, and helping a favorite charitable institution. Of course, such gifts are tax free . . . William Safire would admonish me. The phrase is a redundancy, for there's no such thing as a "free gift". That's what a gift is . . . "free!"

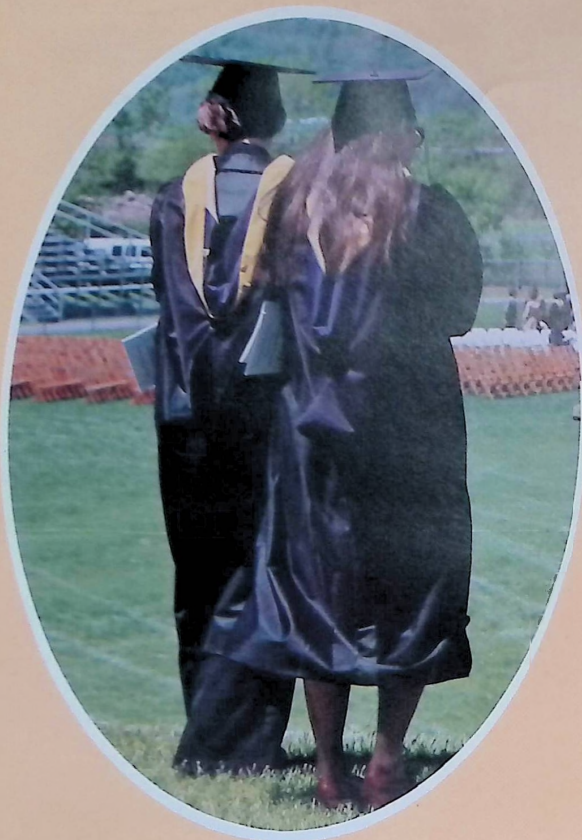
I'm going to Ireland soon and have come across this lovely Irish proverb in my reading: "Bare is the compassionless shoulder." For goodness sakes, keep your shoulders covered and, whenever you want to INSIST YOUR DOLLARS WORK, send them along to Wilkes as a "free gift" . . . sorry, Willy.

To: Director of Planned Giving  
Wilkes College  
Wilkes-Barre, Pa. 18766

- ☐ I am interested in learning more about Annuities, Charitable Trusts, and the Wilkes Pooled Income Fund.
- ☐ I wish to record that I have planned a bequest to Wilkes College.

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Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_





*... if one advances confidently  
in the direction of his dreams,  
and endeavors to live the life  
which he has imagined,  
he will meet with a success  
unexpected in common hours.*

Henry David Thoreau



*The End . . .  
the beginning of all the tomorrows.*

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