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# Frosh-Sophomores Hold Dance To Benefit United Fund Drive

## FLOOD-THOMAS DEBATE, POLL FEATURED AT TUESDAY ASSEMBLY

## **Current Events Topic** Of Lively Discussion On Political Problems

Congressman Daniel J. Flood and Attorney Enoch Thomas held a spirited debate at Tuesday's assembly. In the discussion period following their opening remarks, the candidates stirred an enthusiastic student body to frequent bursts of applause.

Mr. Flood was asked to comment on the statement made by Harry Truman condemning Adlai Stevenson as unfit for the presidency. He replied, "It is not true - period."

When asked his opinion on the administration's handling of the Suez crisis, Mr. Thomas replied that Secretary of State Dulles had shown an error in judgement.

Both avowed support of the Powell amendment which limits Federal School Aid to those schools complying with the Supreme Court decision on Segregation. On this subject, Flood made mention of his proposal for Government scholar-ships to 12,000 students each year for fifteen years. The grants will be given to those students majoring in scientific courses with provisions in the bill requiring them to teach for a period of three years.

On the subject of Social Security. both men were in agreement. However, Thomas stated that he felt a long-range approach to the problem is necessary. Flood was of the opinion that immediate action should be taken.

A major point of disagreement was disclosed when both men were questioned about their feelings on the matter of H-Bomb tests. Flood approved Stevenson's request for immediate cessation of the experiments, but is in favor of increased SPONSORED BY 'HUB' emphasis on tactical nuclear weapons. Mr. Thomas said that the prospect of loss of American lives would be an exorbitant price to pay for the political appeal such a suggestion holds.

opportunity to praise his party's be chosen from the entries submitrepresentatives, but later in the ted by the students and a merchanprogram Flood condemned the dise certificate will be awarded to Dixiecrats, while Thomas refused the winning entry. to defend Senators McCarthy, Jenner and Welker.

At the conclusion of the debate, the sponsoring International Relations Club took a straw poll of the students. Ballots were distributed to the Assembly and the students marked their preferences thereon.

#### PICTURE DEADLINE

All individual pictures for the AMNICOLA, the college yearbook, must be taken next week. There will be no pictures taken today between the hours of noon and 3 o'clock.

The regular schedule will apply all next week.

AMNICOLA Editor Bill Farish asks that every student be sure to have his or her picture taken, so it can be included in the book.

## MALE CHORUS SINGS IN 2 PERFORMANCES

by R. J. Myers

The Male Chorus will present their first performance of the year at Pomeroy's department store this afternoon between one and two o'clock. The Collegians will be participating in the color TV demonstration offered by WBRE-TV. The event will take place on the second floor and will be transmitted over a closed circuit. There will be no reception of this program outside the store area.

The program will consist of four numbers. They are: Down in Pennsylvania, Dry Bones, In My Arms, and Grandfather's Clock. The Walko at the piano.

chorus will be accompanied by Fred Later tonight, at the United Fund dance, the group will present the same program during the intermission.

All members of the organization are reminded that today is the deadline for payment of the money for the outing. Carrol Davenport or Ted Jones will accept the cash.

Director Sam Lowe warned that three consecutive absences from re-

## **Eisenhower Preferred** By Big 5 to 2 Margin; **Thomas Defeats Flood**

A political-preference poll was taken at the Assembly program last Tuesday. Ballots containing the names of the Democratic and Republican candidates for president, vice-president and congressman were distributed to the students in attendance.

A total of 720 ballots were cast, representing over 80% of the day students. The results showed an overwhelming preference for President Eisenhower. He received a total of 509 votes to 217 for Steven-

In the race for Representative of the 21st Congressional District, Thomas edged Flood by a narrow eight-vote margin. The final tally showed 364 votes for Thomas to 356 for the incumbent Flood.

It was noted that the balloting, with its five-to-two margin for Eisenhower, reflected the national trends and indicated that Eisenhower is still much more popular than his party as a whole.

will take part in the Cantata to be hearsals will result in dismissal. presented by the Wyoming Valley get more information from Mrs. He also announced that the chorus Philharmonic Society in the Spring. Vujica in the library.

## Entertainment by Marchetti Septet, Male Chorus; Frosh to Get Chance For Vengeance against Sophomores

A mass appeal to support the United Fund Drive will go into full swing tonight as the freshmen and sophomores sponsor a dance to benefit the cause. Ira Himmel and Reginald Mattioli, freshman and sophomore presidents, respectively, are general co-chairmen of the affair.

The charity dance is an unselfish gesture on the part of the two classes who might have used the date to earn money for their treasuries.

#### DR. MUI ADDRESSES N.E. LIBRARY ASSN.

Dr. Hoh-Cheung Mui, member of the History Department, who has enjoyed last summer three months of research in different libraries of the British Isles, will speak on the comparison between American and English Libraries at the Fall Meeting of the Northeastern Library Association, on October 26 in the Veterans' Administration Hospital Libraries.

The other feature of the meeting will be the morning discussion on Bibliotherapy by Dr. Edward Mc-Laughlin, Chief Clinical Psycholo-

Co-chairman of the program and the President of the organization, Mrs. Nada Vujica, Wilkes College Librarian, will preside at the meeting. Any future librarian interested in attending the meeting can

The best in music will be provided by Gene Marchetti's "Seven Sinful Syncopators", who have been gaining rapid popularity on campus. Dancing will begin at nine and will culminate at approximately midnight, with a half-hour inter-

During the intermission, Director Sam Lowe has announced that the group will sing Dry Bones, Grandfather's Clock, Dear Old Wilkes, and In My Arms.

During the remaining fifteen minutes, the freshmen will have the opportunity to haze the sophomores who were in charge of the frosh tribunal. The big event in the evening will come when the lucky ticket stub from the raffle is selected and a frosh wins the privilege of cutting Dave Schoenfeld's hair. Many seek the honor, since Schoenfeld was among the most persistent hecklers to the frosh.

The raffle is another means of the two classes to raise more money for the United Fund. Three other prizes will privilege the bearers of the stubs to paddle other troublesome sophomores.

A wishing well will be set up in the lobby of the gymnasium, another attempt to secure money for the drive. Those attending the dance are urged to throw coins in the well and make a wish.

Mattioli has announced that a large turnout is expected as indicated by the advance sale of tickets. Many local radio and television stations are supporting the dance by announcing the project on the air.

Committee chairmen for the affair are: Entertainment, Marilyn Russ, Don Stein; tickets, Dave Schoenfeld; publicity, Barbara Federer, Heddy Horbaczewski, Al Duncon; refreshments, Ruth Schaffer, Earl Bahl; decoration, Francis Steck, Janice Reynolds; wishing well, Rebel Herwig; raffle, Warren

## **COLLEGE ENTERTAINS** AT FROSH RECEPTION

by John Pisaneschi

The parents of Wilkes freshmen were entertained at a reception in the gymnasium last Sunday at Why not take the opportunity of four o'clock, following a series of campus tours guided by members

> planned to familiarize the parents of the freshmen with the campus surroundings in which their sons and daughters will spend much of their lives during the coming four

Dr. Eugene S. Farley gave a speech of welcome. He told the parents that the college expects the students to better themselves in the time they spend here.

"Education and world affairs go hand in hand. We give the student responsibility and you should give him independence," said Dr. Far-

He also emphasized that the students with the best grades and participation in some extra-curricular activities get the best jobs.

Following the welcome address, the Choral Club, under the direc-

selections including My Valley and County Fair. After refreshments were served,

the parents had the opportunity to speak to the Deans, Mr. Ralston and Mrs. Doane, and the rest of the faculty.

#### LT. COMM. GEO. H. WEBSTER TO DISCUSS NAVY PROGRAMS

Lieutenant Commander George H. Webster, United States Navy. will be in the Cafeteria on Tuesday, October 23, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., to discuss the Navy's tion of Ferdinand Liva, sang a few two Aviation Officer Programs.

# TDR OUTING AT LA

## STUDENT AD CONTEST

Any Wilkes College student interested in advertising is eligible to enter a contest sponsored by The Hub. The local store will place a monthly advertisement in the Beacon. This advertisement will

Mr. Eric Stein, retailing instructor, announced that the contest requires no artistic ability. The illustrations are supplied by Mr. B. Finklestein of The Hub, and are on display in Mr. Stein's office, Room 203, 159 S. Franklin St. All necessary information about style, price, size, etc., is contained on the illustration.

The actual layout and writing of the copy is left entirely to the discretion of the contestant, but there are two items required on each entry. The top of the advertisement should contain this statement: This ad submitted for the Hub by (Contestant's name and major.) Space must be allowed at the bottom of the ad for the name of the store. The ad should be four inches (continued on page 2) cess.

## Weiner Roast Slated For Tomorrow Night

Girls, is there a handsome young man in your class who sits and flirts with you? No, he doesn't flirt? He isn't handsome? There is a man in your class.

the Theta Delta Rho Weiner Roast to ask this man out. The weiner of Theta Delta Rho sorority and roast will be held tomorrow night | the Wilkes Lettermen. at O'Connell's Twin Lakes. The cost is -1.25 per couple.

It will be a regular picnic with hot dogs, pickles, and potato chips. Someone has even rembered to put mustard on the food list. There will be singing and dancing and a general good time.

Tickets will be on sale in the cafeteria today. Millie Gittins and Bob Moran will be the chaperones.

Co-chairmen Anne Kennedy and Rita Matiskella have appointed the following committees: Chaperones, Maryann Powell, Mary West; location, Barbara Frederer; entertainment, Rita Matiskella; tickets, Alison Rubury; refreshments, Lena Misson; publicity, Marion Laines;

clean-up, Mary Mattey.
Everyone is invited to attend. Girls, ask your fellows now. Boys, if the girls do not ask you, ask them. It is sure to be a big suc-

#### EDITORIALS —

## Homecoming

#### JUST A WORD OF THANKS

A vote of thanks is hereby extended to all those who helped in making last week's Homecoming the best in the history of the college. All the events came off well and enthusiasm was high on all sides. We are sure that everybody who entered into the spirit of the occasion had a good time. And that is what Homecoming is for.

The Beacon especially wishes to thank alumna Anita Janerick for her wonderful co-operation and assistance in handling the arrangements for the Queen. And to all the alumni, the alumni office, the public relations office, and the students who worked so hard, deepest thanks.

Everyone was not satisfied. Witness to this is the letter

received by the Beacon from 49 students.

The campus decorations this year were excellent. But we are a bit dubious about the judging of them. The criteria listed on these pages last week were originality, appropriateness and neatness. Were these criteria followed in the judging or thrown out the window? As stated, we are dubious. We think the committee should meet with this large dissatisfied group and

give them their side of the story.

At least the committee should take some action on the suggested criteria set forth in the letter. The interest was great this year. Let's not kill it by keeping the people who did such

a fine job in he dark.

## **Unnecessary Evils**

Reminiscing about the good old days, someone brought up the fact that the food in the new Wilkes cafeteria is not as good as it was when the site of the luncheon meetings was Harding Hall. Those were the days when a whole room had to be reserved for faculty members and prices were within the range of a struggling student's pocket-book.

Lately, however, many of those same faculty members who lunched at Harding Hall every noon, race over to town every

day to get a decent meal, at prices they can afford.

The prices in the Wilkes College Cafeteria are comparable to prices in downtown restaurants with high overheads. However, the quality of the food and the service in the campus cafeteria is not comparable to that of exclusive regional restaurants.

One dormitory student complained that the menus are monotonously repetitious and that the meals are less than

meager.

Dormitory students who participate in sports give up much time to support the college's athletic teams. The men practice until six-thirty every evening, forty-five minutes after the beginning of the dinner hour. Yet, when the ball teams came to dinner last Monday evening, there was not enough food for them. Pre-cooked hamburgs, left over from the luncheon hour, were re-heated and served to the men.

Our athletes need and deserve more than this to compensate for the time and the energy they consume drilling for sports events. Likewise, the student body and faculty members de-

serve some consideration.

## **Contest Entries**

The Reader's Digest is begging us to help them give away \$41,000 in prizes. They have set up the easiest contest in the history of advertising and the response thus far, is disappointing to say the least.

As of Friday of last week, only one out of every 300 college students had responded. This showing is disappointing to the Digest and to this department, also. We have been trying to plug the contest on this campus, for its successful conclusion means that more will be forthcoming. More contests mean more advertising for the Beacon, and hence, a bigger and better news-

paper for you, the reader.

Just pick up a copy of the Beacon of October 5, two weeks ago, and turn to page six. On it you will find an entry blank. The simple rules are printed on the page. Decide which of the 47 articles in the October Reader's Digest you think will appeal the most to the most readers and put the number of the articles on the coupon; then drop the entry into the nearest mailbox. (Here would be a fine spot to plug the sale in the bookstore, if we had the magazine.) For a 2-cent card and a little reading and thought, you may be the winner of \$5000 for yourself and a similar amount for the college's scholarship fund. Do it today! All entries must be in the mail by midnight of next Thursday, so this is the last time we can call it to your attention.

#### STUDENT AD CONTEST

(continued from page 1)

wide and ten inches deep.

The first of these monthly winners will be printed in the November 9 issue of the Beacon. All entries must be submitted to Mr. Stein not later than the 1st of November.

That's all there is to it. Remember that all entries must contain the name and major of the contestant. The winner's name will appear with the advertisement.

#### GRAHAM TO SPEAK

Tuesday's assembly will be a red letter assembly. Dr. Frank P. Graham, special mediator for the U.N., will speak on behalf of the Woodrow Wilson Centennial. His speech will be entitled "Freedom for Man — A World Safe for Mankind".

Graham is an internationally known educator and world diplomat, and, is in the minds of many, one of our greatest living Americans. All faculty and students are urged to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend this assem-

## UNITED FUND HAS KICKOFF IN ASSEMBLY; CAMPAIGN DEADLINE ANNOUNCED AS OCT. 26

## Letters to the Editor . .

The Editor Wilkes College Beacon Dear Tom:

Just a note of thanks for everything! Can I ever begin to thank you for selecting me as Wilkes 1956 Homecoming Queen and for making my reign a weekend of excitement, honor and sincere happiness. You can be sure I shall never forget it.

Especially, I want to thank you for my beautiful new Bulova watch. It will be a lasting reminder of my wonderful, happy weekend. Thank you, Tom, Jan and the entire Beacon staff for allowing me to live a dream come true.

Sincerely,

Marilyn Carl

(Editor's Note: Thank you, Marilyn. You made Homecoming complete. A very noble job.)

Has the importance of the Homeoming displays been realized? We, the students, accepted the challenges and competition by using our time, ingenuity, and artistic ability to the utmost.

Due to the increased competition and enthusiasm in the Homecoming displays each year, we feel that as a courtesy to us, the judges should have been better qualified. That is to say that they should have had some experience in creating displays of this type, in order to be fair in their decisions.

In our opinion, the criterion of the displays should be as follows: 1. Originality, not merely differ-

2. Theme, the method by which idea was presented

Quality — use of available material, neatness, simplicity, harmony of colors, and labor involved.

4. Lighting - used to highlight the display

5. A general idea of what is expected - common basis from which everyone works.

The injustice bestowed upon us has destroyed the increasing interest and participation that was apparent this year. Next year we will contribute only if we are assured of proper recognition.

This letter was signed by

13 residents, Warner Hall, 16 residents, Butler Hall, 12 residents, Sterling Hall,

3 residents, McClintock, 5 members, T.D.R.

### Chem Club to Hear Blaker

A number of speakers have been scheduled to appear before the Wilkes Chemistry Club, including Warren Blaker, '55 Wilkes alumnus.

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The United Fund campaign was officially opened in last Tuesday's assembly by Don Reynolds, Student Council president and co-chairman of the campus drive.

Reynolds announced the goal at Wilkes as being \$2,000 - \$1,000 each for students and faculty — and urged the students to "Cut down and give!" The drive will last until October 26.

The United Fund is a once-ayear campaign designed to eliminate the nuisance of many appeals. It will be the only drive held on campus. The U.F., which was initiated in 1949, is the forward look in charity drives, and embraces some 59 different agencies.

Dr. Charles A. Reif is chairman of the school drive. Assisting him will be the following student cochairmen: Don Reynolds, Ed Kotula, and Neil Dadurka.

The student campaign is being conducted on a class basis, thus insuring personal contact. Each student is asked to give 100 pennies, which as Mr. Reynolds pointed out, is equivalent to only 10 coffees or

. . . and you needn't be cokes'd.

## Gym to be Site of Nations Pageant; **Groh Directs Skit**

by M. L. Onufer

Sunday evening, the sixth annual Nationalities Pageant will be presented in the Wilkes College gym. Mr. Alfred Groh has written the script for it, and this year, as in the past six, he will direct it.

This year, representatives of ten nationalities will portray in six minutes some aspect of their cultural heritage through songs, dances, and skits. The nationalities selected this year are: Russian, Ukrainian, Polish, Jewish, Italian, Greek, Syrian, Negro, Welsh, and Lithuanian. The entertainment provided by such a varied group will be interesting to everyone.

The Wilkes College Mixed Chorus, directed by Ferdinand Liva and accompanied by Audrey Bartlett, will sing My Valley. This song, by Mr. Groh and Mr. Liva, written especially for the Wilkes-Barre Sesquicentennial.

Stanley Yukowski, a music student from Wilkes, will be in the Polish group; and Joe Oliver, a member of the Cue 'n' Curtain, will manage the lighting.

Mr. Robert Tener and Mr. Cathal O'Toole are working with the League of Women Voters to set up a lobby display on the U.N.

The pageant is a part of the activities of the Wilkes-Barre Sesquicentennial Committee, of which Dr. Farley is chairman.

Wilkes College has often been

## Weckesser Display Wins Alumni Trophy

A timely display by the men of the "Jewel of Jewels", Weckesser Hall, copped first prize in this year's Homecoming decorations contest. Done along a political line, the decorations were right in keeping with the forthcoming elections, and caught the judges' fancy.

Members of the judging committee had difficulty deciding the winner, however, as competition was keen. All the groups did their best, and the displays showed the result of hard work and ingenious plan-

The Weckesser display presented a "platform" which offered a welcome to the '56 Alumni, more spirit for Wilkes, and defeat for Ursinus. They cast eighteen votes for Colonel Wilkes, and also presented campaign signs of the Democrat and Republican parties (the preceding was an unpaid political

Ashley and Butler Halls, two other men's dorms, received honorable mention for their efforts, which both featured old cars. Butler Hall had its car on the porch roof, while Ashley's also was used at the game.

In the Warner Hall display, the Wilkes Colonel threatened the Ursinus Bear with a shotgun. The TDR Colonel, which was as high as Chase Hall, dangled the Bear from puppet strings.

The Band put the Grizzly Bear in a cage on the balcony of Gies Hall. Sterling Hall used a spoon them to get others to attend the game, with a sign reading: "Ster-ling will be there, will you?" McClintock Hall used a cheer-

leader theme; Harding Hall was turned into Professor Gittin's Hall of Learning, complete with text-books. The Lettermen dreamed that they defeated Ursinus in their Maidenforms.

All in all, the decorations this year were outstanding and attracted wide attention throughout the Valley.

called upon to aid in various community projects. Both the students and the faculty have contributed to the success of these af-fairs. Wilkes College is proud of the opportunity to aid such a fine project and hopes that the students will support it by attending Sunday night at 8 o'clock. There is no admission charge.

#### Drama Workshop Schedule

	Dute	1466	TIME	
	Oct.	29—Acting	7:00	P.M.
	Nov.	5—Make-up 7—Lighting	8:00	P.M.
	Nov.	7-Lighting	7:00	P.M.
	Nov.	12—Set Design	7:00	P.M.
ı	Nov.	19-Stage Ethics	7:00	P.M.

#### What . . . Where...

United Fund Committee, Junior Class Frosh-Soph Dance WC vs. Gettysburg, soccer WC vs. Lycoming, football C.C.U.N.

TDR Weiner Roast

Mixed Chorus Rehearsal Band Rearsal Male Chorus Rehearsal Male Chorus Rehearsal Assembly Male Chorus Rehearsal Male Chorus Rehearsal WC vs. Bucknell, soccer Male Chorus Rehearsal Band Rehearsal Mixed Chorus Rehearsal Male Chorus Rehearsal Chemistry Club Dance Male Chorus Rehearsal WC vs. Eliz'town, soccer WC vs. Sus'hanna, football

Warner Hall Gym Kirby Park Lycoming Cafeteria Lounge O'Connell's Twin Lakes Gies Hall Gym

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Sat., Oct. 27, 2:00

Sat., Oct. 27, 2:00

Fri., Oct. 19, 12:30

Sat., Oct. 20, 2:00

Sat., Oct. 20, 8:00

9:00

Fri., Oct. 19,

# Booters Drop Two Overtime Games

## SIANCO EARNS 'ATHLETE' AWARD, .'OP PERFORMER IN 2 SOCCER TILTS

## Connecticut Native's Hard-Charging Attack Paced Wilkes Defense

by John Macri

For his outstanding performances in the last two soccer games, this week's 'Athlete of the Week' award goes to Tony Bianco, who did such a fine job against both Rider last Saturday and against Temple on Tuesday.

Although the Colonels were 'ged in both contests, Tony's brilant defensive work stood out apove all else. He was constantly blocking kicks, stealing the ball, and breaking up enemy plays. From his tailback position, Bianco was also a spark on offense, as he set up numerous plays for the Wilkes line.

"Watash", as some of the fellows call him, hails from New Canaan, Connecticut, where he attended New Canaan High School. While in high school, he won varsity letters in football, baseball, and basketball.

Tony first entered Wilkes in 1952. After one year at Wilkes, he joined the armed forces and served with the Seventh Army Division in Ko-

Tony, who is a business administration major, returned to Wilkes Reese's squad, Tony never played last fall and is now a junior class soccer before entering Wilkes.



Tony Bianco

member. He lives in Ashley Hall, where he is dormitory president.

Like the great majority of coach

## BEARS DOWN GRIDMEN, 20-6

lost their sixth contest in nine Wilkes 49 to paydirt. Homecoming starts, being subdued by Ursinus College, 20-6.

The gridders stopped an early Ursinus drive when guard Bill Farish recovered a Bear fumble on the Wilkes one-yard stripe. Ursinus was unable to start another deep drive in the first period, but they pushed across their first counter in the second quarter when in ten

Take your pleasure big...

Smoke for real ... smoke Chesterfield!

The Wilkes College grid Colonels, power plays they marched from the

The Blue and Gold got a chance to tie up the game before the end of the first half when Ursinus attempted a punt on their own 11 and the kicker fumbled and then recovered only to be dumped on the nine. Ronnie Rescigno and Art Tambur pushed to the one, but time ran out.

After Ursinus had added two

## ATHLETES OF DECADE PRESENTED TROPHES

The presentation of trophies to co, "Outstanding Lineman of the Decade"; highlighted the halftime ceremonies of last Saturday's homecoming game.

Nicholas and Washco were named top gridders of the decade by their teammates in a recent poll conducted by the Wilkes Public Relations

Nicholas first entered Wilkes in 1949 and became an immediate grid sensation. "Nick" scored twentyfour touchdowns running out of his single-wing tailback slot.

Washco, who played on the first Wilkes football team, was a four-year letterman and the greatest tackle ever to don the Blue and

Presentation of the awards was made by George Ralston, their former grid mentor and now Director of Athletics.

## Intramural Touch Loop Opens '56 Grid Season With Runaway Contests

In the opening game of the 1956 Intramural Touch Football League, the Golden Trojans ran up a 38-0 triumph over Weckesser Hall on Wednesday, October 10. Led by Mel McNew, Bob Rahl, Androcles, and team captain Dick Morris, the Trojans displayed the same fine form that has brought them the championship for the past three

For Weckesser, Dick Murray and captain Bill Duffy played good ball in a losing cause.

The second game, played on Thursday afternoon, saw the Shawneeites down the Snakes, 27-6. Frank Mikolonis led the Shawneeites offense with two touchdowns, with Danny Lynn and Chuck Kuschke accounting for the other

Bob McGurrin registered the lone touchdown for the Snakes.

more touchdowns in the third quarter, the Colonel offense finally began to roll in the final period. Wilkes scored on a 70-yard march with Rescigno pitching to end Neil Dadurka twice and then stepping off with some beautiful broken field running for a 36-yard scoring

T. R. Price: "I like work — it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours."

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## Rider, Temple Win by One Goal; Squad Hosis Geitysburg Tomorrow, Seeks 2nd Win in Afternoon Game

by Ed McCafferty, Sports Editor

The soccer team is still mumbling under its breath after two heart-breaking losses inflicted this week by Rider and Temple in overtime periods.

It looked as though the Wilkes booters were well on their

Al Nicholas, "Outstanding Back of the Decade"; and to Gerard Wash-soccer when they jumped to a quick 2-0 lead over Temple Tuesday by virtue of goals scored by Timmy Jenkins and Carl Havira within the first five minutes of play. Nick Giordano also-booted in a counter, but it was nullified because of a Wilkes offside. (In soccer, a player is offside, if, when nearing the goal without possession of the ball, he does not have at least two opponents between him and the nets.)

## Gridders will Play Saturday Evening At Williamsport

by Cliff Kobland

The Wilkes College grid team faces a tough test this Saturday when it encounters the Warriors from Lycoming College at Williamsport.

Lycoming, which is undefeated in three games, last week pulled one of the big upsets of the grid season when they stopped Juniata College's winning streak. Juniata had previously won 25 consecutive games

The Wilkesmen, looking for their second win, should face a very tough opponent in Lycoming.

Lebanon Valley College was one of the teams that the Warriors have defeated this year. The Colonels fell victim to the Dutchmen from Lebanon earlier this season.

The Warriors will be paced by a 225-pound fullback named John Besides John's tremendous power, he is one of the fastest men on the team.

Wilkes will be hoping that star tailback Ronnie Rescigno will be in top shape to give the Warriors something to worry about. If the Colonel line can hold the powerful Lycoming backfield and spring our own backfield loose, it should be a close contest. It is a big order for the Blue and Gold forward wall, but it is the Colonels' only hope.

### COLLEGE KEGLERS TO BEGIN SEASON

by Barry Miller

This coming Sunday, the Wilkes College Bowling League rolls into action. The alleys at the Jewish Community Center on South River Street will be the site of activity of nearly 100 students and faculty members for the next few months. All games will start promptly at 7:15 P.M.

Due to the large enrollment and the limited capacity of the Center, it was impossible to place everyone on a team. However, those listed as substitutes may be able to get into a match, as often as there are spots open due to absentees.

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The Wilkes kickballers completely outran and outhustled the Temple team, but the fine passing and tricky ball-handling of the Owls. gradually ate away at the Colonel defense. The Philadelphia squad registered single tallies in the first and third quarters, the regulation game ending in a 2-2 deadlock.

Both teams agreed to play two five-minute overtime periods. Temple's Frank Fanucci, who last year was named to a third-team All-American berth, pushed across the winning goal to give the visiting Owls a 3-2 victory.

But the Owls, apparently not accustomed to spacious soccer fields such as the Colonel encampment at Kirby Park, really knew they were in a ball game. The Temple netmen were run ragged by Coach Reese's charges. One Temple booter was heard to remark as he dragged himself from the field that he hoped he never had to run as much as he had done against Wilkes.

Furthermore, the two quick goals against Owl goalie Walt Manning, who last year was given a spring tryout with the Olympic soccer team, really rattled the Temple kickers; and some of their actions were not of an especially sporting

This loss was a great blow to the Colonels because it was the second such defeat suffered within four

Shouldn't Have Been

The Blue and Gold thoroughly outplayed Rider College on Homecoming morning last Saturday, but they just couldn't push the sphere past the goalie. The regular 88 minutes of playing time ended in a scoreless tie, but the Roughriders emerged victors in an overtime arrangement similar to that of the Temple game. The final score was 1-0. This was the fourth straight shutout win for Rider this year.

**Turning Point** 

The Wilkes soccermen now have a 1-2 record. But they will be fighting mad to even their season's mark in the battle of Gettysburg when they host Gettysburg College this Saturday in the third of five straight home contests.

Reese is expected to start the same club that has performed so well thus far.

Rookie goaltender Bob Sokol, playing his first year of soccer, has thus far limited the opposition to only four goals in three tilts. This includes a shutout victory over Hofstra in the season's opener. It was the first Wilkes whitewash win since 1953, when goalie Jim Moss blanked the Trenton STC booters.

The soccermen's fine performances against their two toughest rivals is a strong indication that the team will soon get back on the right track in their quest for a fourth straight winning season.

Game time is 2:00 P.M.

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# STUDENT COUNCIL SENDS Debaters Invited BUDGETS FOR APPROVAL For Participation

## Administrative Council to Receive **Budget Proposals**

The Student Council budget committee, presided over by Les Weiner, met at Harding Lounge Tuesday night. In the table below are listed the funds requested and allotted to the various campus organizations.

Last Year's Current Amount Organization Request Request Allotted Beacon \$1900 \$2300 \$2125 C'n' C 1250 1235 750 Debating Soc. 1200 950 **Dormitories** 225 180 150 620 Manuscript 435 450 100 100 Male Chorus 3800 4150 4000 Yearbook

The total of the allotments is \$8,605. Not included in this figure are the amounts for the Intercollegiate Conferences and the Social Activities Fund. The ICC budget last year was \$990. This fund is used for financing expeditions of various organizations to points of interest to each group. The Social Activities fund is used by the Student Council in sponsoring the Cinderella Ball, the Winter Carnival and the dances held in the gym after basketball games, in addition to other similar activities of interest to the student body. Last year, the Council operated this fund with \$1,087.50.

The figures for these portions of the budget will be made public

Weiner announced that these tentative requests will be presented to the Administrative Council next week. He pointed out that these figures are not final, but are subject to approval by the Administrative Council.

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#### DR. KRUGER NAMED DEBATE PRESIDENT

Dr. Kruger, Wilkes debate coach was elected president of the Debating Association of Pennsylvania Colleges last Saturday. The election of new officers takes place each year during the annual convention of the Association.

The DAPC has thirty-five colleges on its membership rolls. Each year it organizes and directs the state debate and extemporaneous speaking contests. Wilkes, always ranked high in debate circles, won this tourney the year before last and last year the team reached the finals.

In addition to being elected president of the Association, Dr. Kruger was elected editor of the DAPC Bulletin. This is the second consecutive year that he has been elected to this position. The Bulletin, published annually, contains

articles, critiques, and records of the successes of Pennsylvania colleges during the preceding year.

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In PDP Experiment

invited, along with several other top-ranking teams, to participate in "something new" in debating. The Princeton Debate Panel originated the novel idea for November 3rd. It is an experiment in extemporaneous speaking.

The system provides that the

teams will be given the topic in question forty-five minutes before the debate begins. This will place a premium upon organization, analysis and argumentation, rather than upon the research card files so common in regular debate procedure.

Another new factor will be splitting teams and pairing the mem-bers with debaters from other schools. Thus, each team will consist of members from a different college, and the mixed teams will debate against one another. This

The Wilkes debate team has been is done on the premise that new friendship will result and the exchange and amplification of new ideas will cause a better understanding of the issues.

Dr. Kruger, Wilkes debate coach, said that the idea sounded good to him and the members of his team, and that they would like very much to accept the invitation if possible.

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