

## Presidential Search Committee Receives Nationwide Response

By Mary Ellen Alu

As the search for a new president of Wilkes continues, applications for the position have arrived from points as far north as Massachusetts, as far south as Florida, and from points as far as Texas and Colorado, according to U.S. Court Judge Max Rosenn, chairman of the Presidential Search Committee.

Judge Rosenn explained that many eligible candidates were nominated by interested friends of the college, and this includes people in other colleges and universities.

Recently, ads were placed in the *New York Times* and the *Wall Street Journal* so that the search committee will receive a broad scope of applicants and will not limit its view to a narrow area.

"Most applicants are primarily from the eastern United States," said Judge Rosenn.

Since the first meeting of the Presidential Search Committee was October 10, "it is too early to sum with what success we have made," he said.

### Interest Shown

The judge said, however, that there is a surprising amount of interest around the country from aspirants wishing to fill the position.

When asked whether Acting President Robert S. Capin might possibly fill the post permanently, Judge Rosenn stressed, "Mr. Capin has not filed an application, but I see no reason why the committee should not also give him consideration if he's interested in filling the vacancy."

Capin became the first acting president in the college's history on September 1 when Dr. Francis Michelini left Wilkes to accept a position as head of the State Commission for Independent Colleges and Universities. Capin also is the official Dean of Academic Affairs, although he has delegated some of these chores to other college personnel.

The mission of the Presidential

Search Committee is to recommend candidates, but the final selection is in the hands of the Board of Trustees, chaired by Attorney Joseph J. Savitz.

### Important Qualities

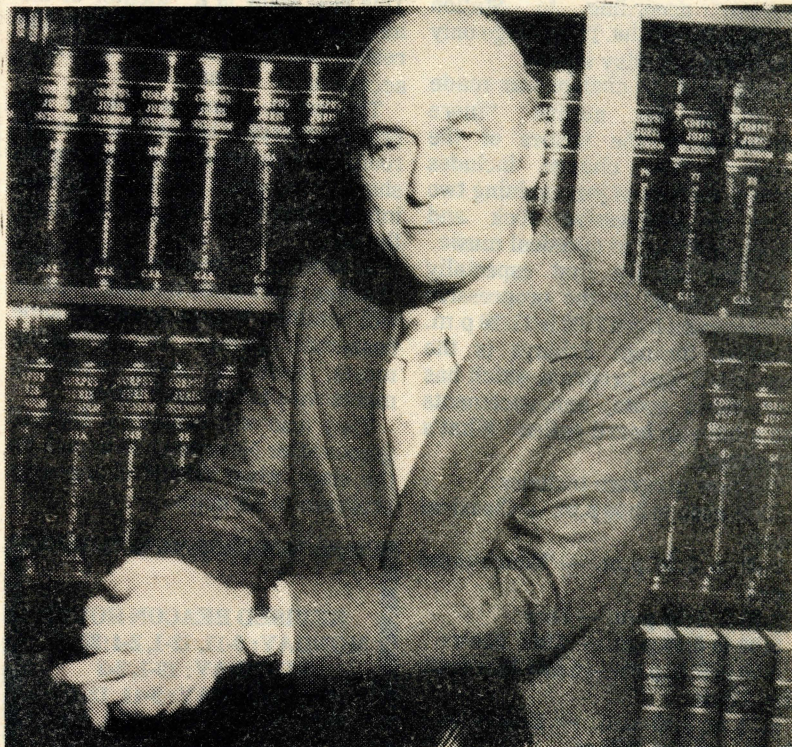
Judge Rosenn said that among the qualities that the committee is looking for in a new president is "experience in the academic field, familiarity with the problems of education, administrative and fiscal experience, and talents in fund raising—all which are critical in an independent college."

Besides these, he said the president's personality, how he meets people, his appearance, and intelligence also are vital qualities.

The judge pointed out that the search committee is broadly composed for the purpose of reflecting the various college interests.

The committee consists of seven members of the Board of Trustees, three members of the faculty, including Professor Benjamin J. Fiester, English Department; and Professor Charles B. Reif, chairman of the Biology Department; and two students—Edward Zaborney, Student Government president; and Debbie Lataro, Wilkes senior.

Judge Rosenn said that from the applicants, "selection will be made by a process which we hope will focus upon who is most qualified." Interviews also will be conducted.



U.S. Court Judge Max Rosenn

## Circle K Contest Starts Sigma Xi Multiple Sclerosis Week Lecture Wednesday

Once again it is that time of year when Circle K readies itself for the gymnasium Dance Marathon for the benefit of Multiple Sclerosis (M.S.).

This year, however, through the hard efforts of the members of Circle K, Wilkes-Barre Mayor, Con Salwoski is proclaiming November 17-23 M.S. week in the city.

In conjunction with this, Circle K has outdone itself by kicking the week off with their "Lovely Legs" contest.

Voting will begin on Saturday, November 15 at the home football game against Delaware Valley and continue through the next week in the cafeteria and the Commons from

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for the small fee of 25 cents.

For only a quarter anyone can choose the loveliest legs from the Wilkes students, faculty and administration.

Legs include those of: Dean Ed Baltruchitis, assistant dean of men; Dr. Joseph Belluci, Education Department; Paul Domowitch, BEACON sports editor; Boyd Earl, Mathematics Department; Chuck Mattei, Environmental Science Department; George Pawlusch, assistant director of Public Relations and Sports Information director; Dean George Ralston, dean of Student Affairs; Dr. Charles Reif, Biology Department chairman; Mr. Rosendo Santos, Music Department; Colonel Richard Wing, ROTC; and Zeke Zaborney, president of Student Government.

Prizes will be awarded to the owner of the loveliest legs as well as the owner of the set receiving the least amount of votes.

Under the leadership of President Bill Goldsworthy, West Pittston; Vice-president Jean Johnson, Dallas; Secretary Elizabeth Gulla, Swoyersville; and Treasurer Dave Golias, Forty Fort, Circle K also will sponsor a talent show in the Student Union Building preceding the Dance Marathon.

Four pair of legs are featured this week and the remaining pairs to be shown in next week's BEACON.

Any interested students for either the talent show or the Dance Marathon are urged to contact any member of Circle K as soon as possible. Names also may be submitted at the Circle K mailbox in the bookstore.

Support is needed for the success of the events. All students are invited to participate.

Dr. Jerrold Meinwald, professor of chemistry at Cornell University, will be the guest lecturer at the Sigma Xi Club on Wednesday, November 12 at 8 p.m. in the Room 102 of Stark Learning Center.

He will speak on "Aspects of Chemical Ecology."

Professor Meinwald, internationally known chemist and lecturer, has been a member of the faculty at Cornell University for 22 years and has been an invited lecturer at more than a dozen leading colleges and universities in the country.

The Wilkes Sigma Xi Club, dedicated to the promotion of scientific research, includes scientists from all over Wyoming Valley. Its program of renowned lecturers is open to anyone interested.

The local Sigma Xi Club is affiliated with a national organization, Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society of North America. Professor Meinwald was chosen this year as one of the Sigma Xi national lecturers.

Prior to joining the Cornell University faculty, Dr. Meinwald received his undergraduate degree at University of Chicago and was awarded his AM degree in 1950 and his PhD in 1952 at Harvard where he pursued efforts to synthesize lysergic acid.

In 1952 Dr. Meinwald accepted a DuPont Postdoctoral Fellowship at Cornell University where he has spent most of his subsequent career: instructor, 1952-54; assistant professor, 1953-58; associate professor, 1958-61; professor, 1961-72; and since 1973, acting department of chemistry chairman.

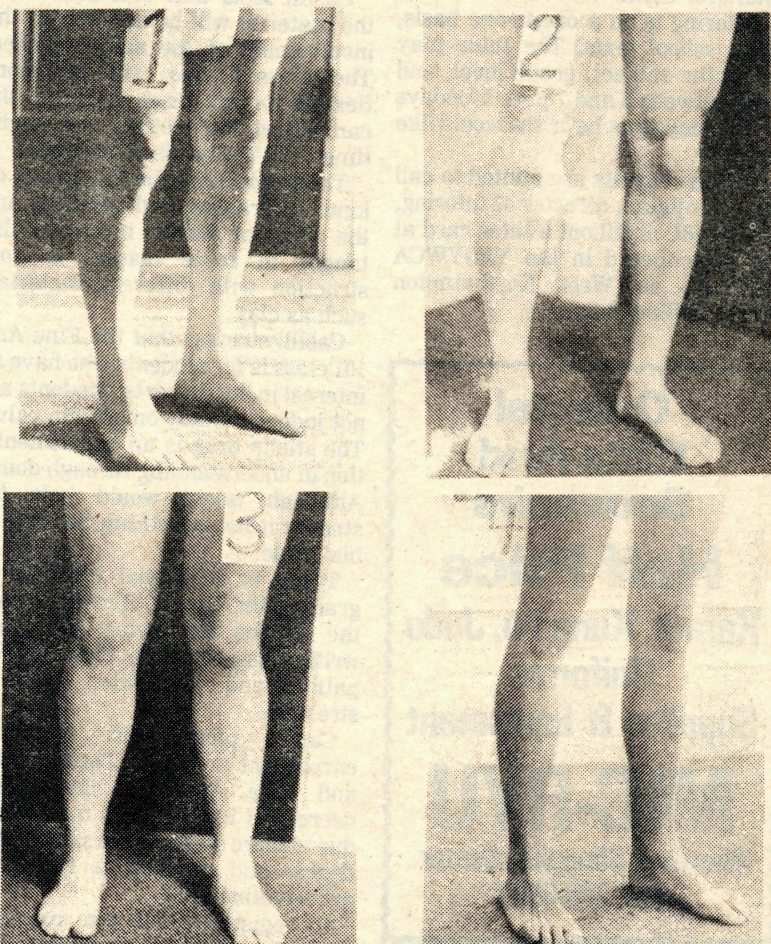
He was a member of the group of

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## Corrections

In the majorette story published in last week's BEACON it was erroneously reported that Sherree Kessler, who was injured and not able to perform, had not returned to the squad. She has been performing with the rest of the majorettes for the past few weeks.

In last week's story and headline on the outcome of Blood Donor Day, Co-chairman Dave Bujno's last name appeared incorrectly. The BEACON regrets the error.



WHOSE LEGS?—As part of Multiple Sclerosis Week in Wilkes-Barre, the Wilkes College Circle K Club will begin the week with the "Lovely Legs" contest.

Eleven pair of legs either of a Wilkes student, faculty member, or a administrator will be competing for the title of Wilkes "Loveliest Legs."

Photos By Ray Preby



# WCLH Initiates New Programming

The Wilkes radio station WCLH (FM 90.7) recently has changed its program according to Station Manager Ed Bosha. The change only affects the weekday shows.

Bosha said the change was made to make the station "more responsive to the wishes of the campus." The change includes shifting one hour of jazz, gaining two hours of progressive rock and cutting one hour of classical music.

Another change that especially will be noticed in the progressive rock segment from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m. Mondays through Fridays is the segmented type program which has short news spots, announcements and a bulletin board called "What's Happening."

The new program includes:

12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. — Classical music

2:00 to 3:00 p.m. — Educational tapes

3:00 to 5:00 p.m. — Jazz

5:00 to 6:00 p.m. — Kids' Shows

6:00 to 6:30 p.m. — 5 and 10 minute Shot Spots

6:30 to 7:00 p.m. — Educational Tapes done at Wilkes

7:00 to 11:00 p.m. — Progressive Rock

One of the new features of the station's program is "Zodiac News" presented on the half hour during the jazz and rock shows. According to Bosha, this is a "Paul Harvey type of thing" made up of short news items of interest on the national level which comes out of San Francisco.

Another new feature is Bosha's own bicentennial show called "Play It Again, Uncle Sam" on Sundays. This show is an attempt to get people involved with the bicentennial activities in the area to come and discuss these activities on the air.

Another new show presented by

Dan Normolle on Sundays from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. is "Wider Than Air." This new show is a "theater of the air type thing" and "pertains to the realm of theater in America" according to Bosha.

The radio team is now in the process of trying to get a production room set up in which the can prepare short news spots on tape without interrupting what is going out over the air.

In addition to these new shows and changes in schedule the radio station will continue to broadcast all home basketball games and wrestling meets, including away wrestling meets with Lehigh and Navy.

They also will broadcast football games after November 10 to pick up the slack when WBRE changes its program to all news.

## REVISED BEACON HOURS

MONDAY: 9-11, 12-1, 2-4:30

TUESDAY: 10-1, 2-3

WEDNESDAY: 9-11, 12-1

THURSDAY: 9-11, 12-1, 2-3

FRIDAY: 2-3

## YWCA Tutoring Service Needs Wilkes Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to tutor school children, grades first through twelfth, by the YWCA Tutorial Program.

The children are from families unable to afford private tutors and have been referred to the YWCA program by school guidance counselors or community social agencies.

Relying on volunteer tutors, the YWCA provides the pupils with free tutoring, a service provided since 1964.

Subjects taught include elemen-

tary modern math, junior high school math, algebra, geometry, English, reading, spelling, and the sciences.

Presently, two children await tutors to aid them in math and sentence writing. Two elementary education majors are sought as tutors for them.

Tutoring is on a one-to-one basis, using school texts. The tutor may select the subject, grade level, and hour between 3 and 7 p.m. Mondays or Tuesdays that he or she would like to teach.

Wilkes students are invited to call Mrs. Janjigian, director of tutoring, at 823-0181, or fill out a tutor card at the switchboard in the YM-YWCA Building, 40 West Northampton Street, Wilkes-Barre.

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**FACULTY RECITAL**—Michael Haberkorn, instructor of piano at Wilkes, will present a Department of Music faculty recital highlighting classical compositions and works of an American composer on Sunday, November 9, at 3:30 p.m. in the Center For the Performing Arts.

Haberkorn received his B.M. and M.M. from the University of Illinois while studying under a fellowship with Soulima Stravinsky. He has studied both privately and as a student at the Julliard School with Beveridge Webster and has done post-graduate work at Peabody Conservatory and Northwestern University.

Under the auspices of the State Department, Haberkorn has toured Europe as pianist for the American Youth Chorus. He has also studied and performed in the master classes of Irwin Freundlich, Alexander Uninsky, Leon Fleisher, Loren Hollander and John Browning.

Sunday's program will include works by Bach, Brahms, Rachmaninoff and Chopin. Selections by the American composer Edward MacDowell will also be included as part of the Music Department's bicentennial series.

The presentation is open to the public without admission.

## Change Made In F.A. Course

"A more lasting impression and understanding" of the material and the work will be the goal of the Fine Arts 101 class, according to Department Chairman Henry R. Casilli.

The 101 class will no longer involve team teaching. Instead the lecture and workshop or studio sessions of the class will be taught by the same instructor.

Casilli feels that coordination of the material will be better with the involvement of the same teacher. The classes also will be more flexible for the teacher. He or she can adjust the lecture and studio time to fit the needs of the class.

The emphasis in the 101 class is on kinds of drawing and painting, and the different medias involved. Also taught in some classes is construction with different materials such as clay.

Casilli stresses that the Fine Arts 101 class is for students who have an interest in the fine arts. Students are not judged harshly on artistic value. The studio time is an experimentation in understanding through doing. Although talent would help the student it has no strong bearing on his grade.

There is additional criterion in grading the course. Teachers have the options for giving tests, and written assignments. Class participation and discussion also is stressed.

Casilli points out that the enrollment in Music, Theater Arts, and Fine Arts 101 classes has decreased but he feels that this is due to more students pursuing a B.S. degree and choosing to take their arts elective later.

In registering for the upcoming semester, students should note that the 101 class is also taught in evening school. The Fine Arts 102 class picks up where 101 leaves off. Diversification of media and a more advanced approach to art are features of this class. The 101 class is a prerequisite to 102.

## SG Absorbs Party Loss

The IDC-CC Halloween party held last week lost money for the two organizations and Student Government voted to partially subsidize the loss. Inexperience was cited as the cause for the problems, and a recommendation was made to IDC and CC to keep financial records of future social events to prevent the mistakes from recurring.

The Leslie West-Slade Concert is scheduled for Friday, Nov. 14. Tickets for Wilkes students are \$4.50 and \$4.00 and must be purchased with I.D. Tickets will be available this Saturday and Sunday from 12-5 p.m. in Room 340 in N.M.D. Tickets will also be sold in the SG office every afternoon next week until 5 p.m. Tickets will be sold at the door the night of the concert, but must be purchased at the regular price.

Student Government elections for the freshman class will be held Tuesday, Nov. 11 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Commons and from 4:30-6:30 p.m. in N.M.D.

Dr. Howard Swain, head of the Curriculum Review Study, requested SG's assistance in obtaining student's response to a curriculum evaluation. SG agreed to devise a possible procedure for making the evaluation.

This is the last week Student-Faculty applications will be available. They can be obtained from the bookstore or SG office.

Beginning next week Stark Learning Center will be closed at 10 p.m. each night because of security regulations. Other suitable areas for studying at this time are being sought.

## Pinky's Puzzlers

By Pinky DiZebba

1. What was the name of the inspector on "Superman"?
2. What was the secret identity of Batman and Robin?
3. What were the names of the two seagulls in Red Skelton's impersonation?
4. Who were the original Supremes?
5. In what series of movies did Robert Blake, star of "Baretta," start his acting career?
6. What was Archie's last name in the Archie comic series? From what town was he?
7. What was James Garner's, star of the "Rockford Files," first TV series?
8. What was the name of Quick Draw McGraw's sidekick?

## ANSWERS

1. Inspector Henderson
2. Bruce Wayne and Dick Grayson
3. Gertrude and Heclif.
4. Diana Ross, Mary Wilson, and Florence Ballard
5. He was one of the Little Rascals
6. Andrews. His hometown was Riverdale.
7. Maverick
8. Bobalouie

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# Col. Wing Details AFROTC Program

By Joe Buckley

"To offer an opportunity for area students to earn a commission in the Air Force and to add another dimension of appeal to Wilkes College" is the purpose of the AFROTC program at this college, according to Lieutenant Colonel Richard L. Wing.

Colonel Wing, professor of Aerospace Studies and Commander of AFROTC Detachment 752 at Wilkes, said there are two reasons for having Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps programs at civilian schools: the first is the input of people with different educational

backgrounds from different schools into the service. The second reason is the output of those people back into society.

In 1972, Dr. Francis Micheleni said of the establishment of the AFROTC at Wilkes, "We are particularly interested in this program because of the opportunities it will offer to local students, particularly in financial assistance." Now, according to Colonel Wing, about 10 per cent of the students in AFROTC are on full tuition scholarships achieved competitively.

**Scholarships Available**  
Scholarships are possible for

studies in math, physics, nursing, and medical programs with the exception of the Wilkes-Hahnemann program. Since the purpose of the Hahnemann program is to produce doctors for Northeastern Pennsylvania and the purpose of the AFROTC's scholarship program is to produce flight crew personnel, the two programs conflict.

The AFROTC program also furnishes uniforms and AFROTC textbooks. During the two years of the Professional Officer Course, a subsistence allowance of \$100 a month is paid during the school months.

## Pilot Competition Keen

The keenest competition in the program, according to Colonel Wing, is for pilot training. The greatest opportunities, he said, are in missiles, electrical engineering, and computer technology.

There are still some students, according to the Colonel, who do not know that an AFROTC program is available. "We are a minority group," he said. "We have a different focus." Becoming known, then, is of primary importance to the program. "Our survival," he said "depends on the public's understanding of AFROTC."

To achieve public awareness and understanding, the AFROTC staff uses television and newspaper ads and are available for civic groups, speaking engagements and volunteer efforts. Those efforts were recently demonstrated at Wilkes by

## Advice Issued To Commuters

Commuters using special monthly parking stickers issued by the Commuter Council for the Park and Lock South garage are advised not to remove valid stickers from their autos and tape them to other vehicles.

Attendants at Park and Lock have noted that sometimes students will try to transfer stickers from one vehicle to another because the original auto is being repaired.

Rather than do this, students should report to an attendant upon entering the garage and the attendant will issue the student a temporary pass for the garage.



**AFROTC STAFF**—Shown above in their Kocyan Hall headquarters are the staff members of AFROTC Detachment 752 at Wilkes.

Sitting are Col. Richard L. Wing, Commander; and Mrs. Johanna R. Adamitz, secretary.

Standing, left to right, are Capt. Richard D. Willett, SSgt. Raymond L. Talbott III, TSgt. John R. Kijek, and Capt. Galen D. Bonebrake.

the AFROTC's help during the flood scare of a few weeks ago and by the winning AFROTC homecoming display.

Because AFROTC is not a subject major, the staff members are not advisors to any students. But, according to the Colonel, students are prone to stop in and talk to the staff members who are always willing to help. The varied activities of the AFROTC are all a part of "being where the people are," and making ourselves "well enough known so that people are seeking us out," said Colonel Wing.

## ROTC Enrollment Up

AFROTC total enrollment has gone up over the past four years. There were 16 cadets in 1972, 31 in 1973, 39 in 1974 and 47 in 1975. Colonel Wing said, "We are gaining in the number of Wilkes graduates in the Air Force." Concerning the continuation of the program, he said, "Viability is not assured, but the prospects are the brightest they have ever been."

During their first two years, AFROTC cadets earn four credits in aerospace studies. They earn 12 more credits during their last two years. Academic requirements are the same as the college's. "If you're

in good standing with the college," said Colonel Wing, "then you're in good standing with us."

Any interested student, according to the colonel, may take any of the aerospace courses by registering as a special student.

To be accepted for AFROTC scholarship competition or the Professional Officer Course, a student must complete the Air Force Officer Qualifying Test, a physical examination, and an application for the program.

In the four-year AFROTC program every cadet takes four weeks of field training. Cadets in the two-year program must take six weeks of field training.

After being commissioned as a lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force, the person must serve four years of active duty.

Another aspect of the Wilkes College AFROTC is the extra-curricular activity. There are intramural athletic teams and such cadet get-togethers as a formal spring dance, pizza parties, game nights, movie nights, participation in canoe races on the Susquehanna River, and visits to Air Force bases. The AFROTC also provides the Color Guard for Wilkes College football games.



**AFROTC CADETS**—Some of the AFROTC cadets who are enrolled in local colleges are:

First row, left to right: Gerald A. Garafola III, Union, N.J., King's; Ronald J. Harlow, Gouldsboro, Wilkes; Evelyn D. Hager, Wilkes-Barre, Wilkes; Patricia L. Sebring, Wilkes-Barre, Wilkes; John A. Levandowski, Moosic, Wilkes; and Bronis J. Voveris, Pittston, King's.

Row 2: Lawrence H. Stahler, Scranton, Wilkes; David E. Davis, Lake Ariel, Wilkes; Bernard F. Chandler Jr., Wilkes-Barre, Penn State, W-B Campus; Andrew S. Sendrick Jr., Larksville, King's; and William J. Reh Jr., Ashley, Wilkes.

Row 3: Mark A. Symanwicz, Reading, Wilkes; William Bartholomew, Williamsport, Penn State, W-B Campus; Dane A. Drasher, Orwigsburg, Wilkes; Charles J. Boytin, Hunlock Creek, King's; David J. O'Hop, Duryea, Wilkes; David D. Rosengrant, Wilkes-Barre, Wilkes; Robert L. Woods, Wilkes-Barre, King's; Donald V. Miller, Plymouth, King's; and John J. Harper, Endwell, N.Y., Wilkes.

## NOTICE

Try-outs for the majorette squad will be held on Thursday, November 20, in the gymnasium. Time will be announced. Practice will begin on Monday, November 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the gymnasium.

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# Letters Show Involvement

Last week we couldn't believe what we witnessed in our mailbox and finally on our editorial page. The influx of letters, both positive and negative, was phenomenal as compared with previous issues this year.

It is good to see individuals finally taking part in the expression of valued opinions. For a while, we believed that our audience either did not know how to manipulate the keys on a typewriter or worse, that they had grown apathetic to college life.

One of the BEACON'S many purposes is to keep readers informed about campus news and generate public interest.

If you have an opinion, we ask that you express it in writing as often as you feel it is necessary. If you don't have an opinion nor wish to form one, it is very unfortunate.

Although we cannot expect all of our readers to be as dedicated in writing fair and numerous letters as Dr. Charles Reif, we hope that more students, faculty and administrators will take advantage of their opportunity to have their sentiments read occasionally on page 4.

It also is a fine sight to see our out-of-town subscribers participating in our letter column.

Some people feel that much indifference exists at Wilkes when it comes to activities and writing letters to speak your mind. Too many people are afraid of criticism of their viewpoints by their peers. However, no one would know this by the healthy involvement in last week's issue by writers whose letters extended to a second page.

We also would like to commend those men and women who stood behind their individual attitudes by signing their names.

Just remember, the key to getting things accomplished at Wilkes is to GET INVOLVED!

## Topics Never Dull In Lecture Series

The Concert and Lecture Series has always provided the college and surrounding community with a rainbow of speakers and performers.

Looking back, remember Gus Hall, the American communist party candidate in 1972, standing between guards posted at the exits of the CPA. Last year we had the privilege of hearing F. Lee Bailey, famous trial lawyer now Patty Hearst's defender. We even had a visit from Star Trek's own creator, Gene Roddenberry.

This year the series expanded its list to Moshe Dayan and more recently, Dr. Paul Griesmer.

Griesmer's talk on abortion drew some comment as some said it was "one sided." People felt that Griesmer should have presented both sides of the coin on the abortion issue.

We have always felt that a speaker is in demand for what he has to say. We do not believe that a speaker is obligated, under the auspices of the Concert and Lecture Series, to tell "other sides" to the talk of the night.

Each lecturer is unique because he is a proponent of a certain stance. The Concert and Lecture series provides ample opportunities each year for wide discussion on either the speaker's viewpoint or our own beliefs.

The series never leaves us snoozing.

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## Letters to the Editor

### The Start Of A Wilkes Dream Dies As A Result Of Apathy

To the Editor:

Today, at the Wilkes Music Department, an idea died, and a lesson was taught. The idea was to establish a musical ensemble which would permit the alumni and top music students of the Wilkes Music Department a chance to practice and perform together.

Mr. Veremeychik of the Music Department organized the group, undertook the difficult task of

### Congresswoman Offers Internships

To the Editor:

Each semester Congresswoman Elizabeth Holtzman invites five students to work full-time in her Washington office on legislation, research and correspondence in addition to other office responsibilities.

The semester program can be combined with a summer internship, if the student wishes.

Because our office receives so many applications for internships, it is helpful if we hear from students applying for the spring semester as early in the fall as possible. We require a personal interview, if feasible, either in New York or Washington to help us evaluate each application.

Students can apply for a semester internship by sending a letter and resume to Ms. Marilyn Shapiro, Administrative Assistant, Office of Rep. Elizabeth Holtzman, 1027 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Sincerely,  
Marilyn Shapiro  
Administrative Assistant  
Office of Rep. Elizabeth Holtzman

### President Needs Help From Sophomore Class

To the Editor:

It has been brought to the attention of the Executive Council of the Class of '78 that certain members of the Class are displeased with the Council's efforts to provide activities. Unfortunately, it is true that only a few select people have been doing all the work.

The members of the Council would like to change this as much as anyone else and have more class participation. In an effort to resolve this problem there will be a class meeting today at 11 a.m. in SLC 1. Help is needed for the Sophomore Class Party on Sunday, November 15, in the SUB.

Also, some important decisions concerning the Freshman-Sophomore Dinner Dance on May 7, 1976 will be made. If you are interested in planning more and different class activities and helping with those already scheduled, please attend the meeting.

There is no reason why anyone need be bored on weekends at Wilkes. Your attendance and willingness to help will be deeply appreciated. The rewards will be more activities on weekends for YOU.

Sincerely,  
With regards from the Class of '78  
Executive Council,  
Dion Spencer  
Class President

finding a rehearsal time which was not conflicting with the busy lives of twenty students and professional musicians, and set up a tentative program of music.

Today, after a month of rehearsals, this dream died. It is a tribute to Mr. Veremeychik that we made some very fine music during that month. It is also a tribute to him that the group lasted this long.

From the start, this group has been plagued with absences. Certainly some were for very valid reasons. Many people took efforts to notify Mr. Veremeychik in advance and even send in their music for that day. Others merely didn't show up!

With the tentative concert date rapidly approaching, and almost one fourth of the musicians missing, the group has been dissolved, at least for the present time. The end of another dream at Wilkes.

I said before that a lesson was taught. It is simply this: apathy is alive and well among the students and alumni at Wilkes. It was well taught to those persons now graduated, and is apparently still being offered on the curriculum.

Although this particular experience is in the Music Department, I remember well that it was true in other areas when I was a student, and expect that it still prevails throughout the campus, much to the shame of everyone who has ever said, "Why should I bother?"

Again, I wish to thank Mr. Veremeychik and those students and alumni of the music department who were faithful to the dream for some very gratifying moments of music making. Thanks also to the others for a lesson in reality.

Yours truly,  
Earl D. Orcutt, '69 B.A. in Music

### Reader Discovers Solution To Environmental Dilemma

To the Editor:

In a letter appearing on October 30, Dr. Reif makes it clear that his belief (not certainty!) in current human overpopulation warrants a perhaps painful decision of disposing of human life.

He also agrees that abortion involves the killing of a human being. We may therefore conclude that a human embryo is a member of the human species and a candidate for the slaughter house.

At this point, I must question Dr. Reif's logic. If it is all right to kill human beings, what are the criteria that determine who should be the first to be killed?

Going along with his logic, those who can be of greatest service to the TOTAL ENVIRONMENT should survive. An embryo with a full life ahead of it certainly has better potential for the future than people who, in all likelihood, have less left to offer to the well being of the TOTAL ENVIRONMENT.

Well, following that reasoning, I cannot help but arrive to this conclusion: Dr. Reif and I should be among the first ones to terminate occupancy of this planet for the sake of its environment; and I suspect, the sooner the better.

Sincerely,  
M. Roberto Jernio

### Hockey Team Sends Thanks

Dear Wilkes Family:

We would like to thank you for the support and encouragement you extended before and during the Field Hockey Tournament we hosted this past Friday and Saturday. You were instrumental in making the tournament a success and helped us to a fourth place finish.

Thanks again.

Cordially,  
The Wilkes College Field Hockey Team and Coach Gay Meyers

## Special Selections

A Journalism Society Meeting will be held on Thursday, November 13, at 11 a.m. on the second floor of Shawnee Hall to discuss plans for the Annual Sigma Delta Chi Convention.

Commuter Council meeting will be held this evening at 5:30 p.m. in the Commons with Jackie Pickering presiding.

Inter-Dormitory (IDC) will meet on Sunday, November 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the Commons.

Clubs, organizations or individual Wilkes students interested in visiting the new Susquehanna Atomic Power Plant in Berwick may sign up in the Student Government Office for any Saturday afternoon in November. Students must furnish their own transportation.

Student Government will meet on Tuesday, November 11, at 6:30 p.m. in Weckesser Hall with Ed Zaborney presiding.

Cinema 133 Film Society and The King's College Library will present the film "Covered Wagons" on Tuesday, November 11, at 7 p.m. in the Library Auditorium of King's. Admission is free and the public is invited.

The Spanish Club will sponsor a trip to Puerto Rico from January 6, to January 13, 1976. Reservations must be made by November 4, 1975 and a \$100 deposit by November 18, 1975. If interested call Dr. Hilda Marban at 287-5198, or at Kirby Hall, Rm. 301, 325, Maria De Rojas, 474-5271, or Gayle Kollar. 735-6806.

Any organization posting materials in the library is NOT to staple it to the walls (which are panelled). Also, material is only to be placed on the Bulletin Board and must be of a college-oriented nature and not personals.



# Take A Break ... Laugh!



By Marianne Montague

## The Crush'

Sometime in our lives each one of us has experienced what is known as "The Crush." We fall head over heels in love with someone we hardly know but whom we're sure is the person of our dreams. I've been waiting for Prince Charming to ride his white horse into my kitchen for years now. I've even considered eating a poisoned apple (like Snow White) to see if he comes any faster.

Anyway I know all the symptoms of having "The Crush" and I thought I'd give you a little basic lesson. See if you have any of the symptoms. There are several basic forms of crushes:

### For the Girls:

You think your crush is the greatest invention since the parking lot, but he doesn't know you exist. A typical day in the life of this poor, forlorn soul would consist of:

Girl: I hope I see Joe today. The last time I saw him he opened his mouth and I thought he was gonna say "Hello." But he burped instead. Maybe he'll at least remember me as the girl who heard him burp.

Enter Joe.

Girl: Hi, Joe. (Girl melts all over sidewalk.)

Joe looks at her weirdly and then steps right over her.

Girl: (Pulls herself back together from her swoon) He's probably embarrassed because I'm the girl who heard him burp. Maybe next time he'll say hi.

### For the Guys:

She knows you exist all right. How can she miss you? You follow her everywhere.

Guy: Let me see now, according to my master schedule of her classes, she should be getting out of history class now.

Enter Gail.

Guy: (Drops book on Gail's toe)

I'm sorry, Gail. It was an accident.

Gail: That's the SEVENTEENTH book you've dropped on my baby toe today!!! Do you have some perverted reason for this? Is somebody paying you to have me crippled for life?

Guy: I just wanted you to notice me. Did you notice me?

Gail: Did Ireland notice the potato famine? Did the United States notice World War II? Did Dean Ralston notice the parking gate after he hit it? Yes, I noticed you. Are you happy?

Guy: Does that mean you like me? Will you go out with me?

Gail: I like you just as much as I like final exams. I could suggest a place for you to go by yourself, but I'm too much of a lady to tell you.

### One more Example:

You know him a little but you freeze when you're near him.

Girl: (Smiling) Hi, Jerry.

Jerry: Hi.

Girl: (Still smiling) How are you?

Jerry: Lousy, I have a terrible cold.

Girl: (Smiling still) That's good.

Jerry: I'm flunking out of everything.

Girl: (Smiling, ever smiling) That's good.

Jerry: My mother wants to throw me out of the house.

Girl: That's good. (Smiling into space.)

Jerry: Is that all you can do is stand there and smile and say, "That's good?"

Girl: (Hypnotized smiling) Hi, Jerry, how are you?

Yes, the story of the crush is often a sad story. People who have crushes are dreamers; but as you must know by now, this column is written for dreamers, by a dreamer.

## Chem Speaker

(Continued from Page 1.)

scientists who founded the International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology and has served since 1970 as its research director.

His professional activities include visiting scientist, lecturer and or professor at Brookhaven National Laboratory, University of California at Berkeley, Stanford University, University of New Hampshire, Rockefeller University, University of California at San Diego, Washington University, University

of California of San Diego, Washington University at St. Louis Mt. Holyoke College, Smith College, Amherst College, University of Massachusetts, University of Virginia, University of Wisconsin, University of Kansas, University of North Carolina, Western Reserve University, University of Chicago, Notre Dame University, Pennsylvania State University and Bucknell University.

In 1955 Dr. Meinwald married Dr.

## 'Rhymes With Plague'

Dear Miss Montague (rhymes with plague):

Thanks to you and your appeal for new material to replace my absent joke book, I have been blessed with an Eloise-like deluge. Herewith are some of the best offerings. (Their significance is enriched by identifying the contributors.)

"Speech was given to man to prevent thought." —A. Hoover

"He who shall, so shall he who." —G. Ralston

"No columnist is useless: she or he can always serve as a horrible example for others." —C. Reif

"Faculty members are a lot like nature: spread them around and they'll do a lot of good; collect them together and they're a public nuisance." —Nameless administrator and anonymous student

"A clean desk is the sign of a sick mind." —T. Kaska

"You was a good boy." —New Wilkes grad, praising the behavior of her six-year-old during Commencement.

"No two women are alike — and neither is any one woman." —J. Meyers

"We like to be around when a new idea strikes a brass hat — it makes such a nice hollow, ringing sound." —Sgts. Kijek and Talbott

"The lunch special for this week is mother-in-law sandwich: cold shoulder and hot tongue." —W. Denion

"A committee is a group of the unable appointed by the unwilling to do the unnecessary." —H. Cox

"What wine goes with aspirin?" —L. Hobrock

"I have a little brown-eyed cow who gives me milk and cheese.

And now I'm sitting in my room with hoof-and-mouth disease." —R. Rozelle

"Spending time near the water should be relaxing — have you ever seen a tense piece of water?" —C. Mattei

"A sage gent once observed that writing editorials (and columns) can be like wetting your pants in a blue serge suit. It gives you such a nice warm feeling and no one seems to notice." —T. Moran

"You can observe a lot just by watching." —Y. Berra

Marianne, aren't friends wonderful?

Sincerely,  
Col. Richard Wing

### NOTICE

Tickets for the Winter Carnival on February 6-8 are on sale in the SUB and are \$26 per person. This year's trip is to the White Beauty View Resort. ID's must be presented before boarding the bus.



**EXHIBIT**—Rick Marchant will open his senior art exhibit Saturday, November 8, at 8 p.m., at the Conyngham Art Gallery. The exhibit, which runs to Friday, November 14, includes paintings, prints, photography and ceramics.

The exhibit will represent Rick's four years of study at Wilkes and will show a little of the different areas he's studied. His entire art experience has been at the college since he was never involved with art before coming to Wilkes. In fact, he was originally a sociology major.

Rick feels that his oil paintings are his strongest pieces of work, and photography is also a favorite medium. The exhibit includes quite a bit of photography, much of which features scenes from the Maine coastal area.

Commenting on his style of painting, Rick said that he is "definitely a realist, because I interpret things closely to the way I see them." He added that some of his work can be considered realistic with a little impressionism.

Rick explained that as an artist he needs inspiration. He doesn't work according to a schedule, because "you can't budget time in art."

The senior art major from Norwich, N.Y., is a resident assistant and the coach of the Wilkes swim team. His coaching responsibilities take up a great deal of time but he enjoys his experiences with the team.

The exhibit can be viewed from 1 to 9 p.m. daily.

## Film Festival Friday Night

## Gordon Lightfoot Record Review

By John Henry

Commuter Council will present a seven-hour film festival tomorrow night in the college gym beginning at 8.

The presentation will include three full-length films: "Horsefeathers," starring the Marx Brothers; "The Bride of Frankenstein," starring Boris Karloff; and the featured film, "Bob and Carol and Ted and Alice," starring Eliot Gould, Natalie Wood, Dyan Cannon, and Robert Culp.

W.C. Fields will be seen in "Hurry, Hurry." The comedy team of Laurel and Hardy star in "The Brats."

Among the selections are two recent cartoon flicks, the Pink Panther in "Pickled Pink," and Inspector Clouseau (the role popularized by Peter Sellers) in "French Freud."

Refreshments will be available.

For over ten years Gordon Lightfoot has been a folk hero in Canada. But he remained obscure in the United States until he signed with Warner Brothers, and Producer Lenny Waronker sophisticated his sound.

"Cold on the Shoulder" is the fifth collaboration of Lightfoot and Waronker and contains all the standard elements. Strings and-or steel guitars are softly mixed with Lightfoot's 12-string guitar while the rhythm section moves gently along under his unique voice stylings.

The album does reach Lightfoot's usual level of pleasant quality but fails in achieving much dramatic impact. It's not until the very last track, "Slide On Over," that Lightfoot seems to have his eyes open.

The album is pleasant enough for listening, better than the pre-Waronker offerings, but it does lack much punch.

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**STRUTTER SQUAD**—The Wilkes strutters provide entertainment at each football game when they perform their well-rehearsed routines on the field. Pictured above, from left to right, are members of this year's squad: kneeling, Laura Davis, captain (West Nanticoke); Doni Edwards (Wilkes-Barre); Susan Rinehamer, captain (Wanamie).

Standing, Faith Skordinski (Wilkes-Barre); Maria Baloga (Wilkes-Barre); Sue Suchoski (Wilkes-Barre); Sue Pudlosky (Wilkes-Barre); and Frieda Skaff (Wilkes-Barre). Absent from the picture are Patti Fichtner (Rochester, N.Y.); Shirley Mariani (Plains); and Susan Fichera (Solebury).

## Stutts Was 'Fantastic' But Dizzy Disappointing

By Janine Pokrinchak

Two out-of-the-ordinary performances were offered in the Center for the Performing Arts last week as part of the Wilkes College Concert and Lecture Series. Dizzy Gillespie and Company gave a concert of blues and jazz music. Will Stutts, as

Mark Twain, provided an evening with the American humorist.

After a half hour delay, Dizzy Gillespie and Company began their concert on what seemed to be a promising note. In addition to his music, Gillespie provided the audience with some humorous insight.

Gillespie and his group, consisting of a guitarist, bass player and drummer, are definitely talented musicians. Their music was very soft, which was a change from the loud and sometimes harsh sounds usually heard today. Gillespie's performance was marked by his very unique style of playing. The puffed cheeks and the up-turned bell of his trumpet are Gillespie's trademark. Besides his unique style, Gillespie has many songs for which he has rightfully earned his standing as a "living legend."

Although Gillespie and Company showed their musicianship through individual solos and improvisations, the concert seemed to become rather monotonous. Pieces appeared to run together, sounding very much alike. Perhaps the best pieces of the concert were the last couple Gillespie played. Unfortunately, a large percentage of the audience had left by then and missed possibly something worth hearing after the many disappointments of the evening.

On the other hand, Will Stutts did an excellent job. His portrayal of Mark Twain was very convincing. Even though Stutts' monologue gave Twain's impressions of bicentennial America, many of the ideas still hold for contemporary American society. Stutts was extremely realistic. His use of props, including the cigar, added more depth to his characterization. His mannerisms and expressions are priceless. His timing of lines was perfect. He waited for the right moment to deliver the Twain humor. The humor reflected upon religion, politics, women, and other topics of America in Twain's lifetime.

All in all, Stutts was fantastic in providing a glimpse of Mark Twain.

### NOTICE

A meeting of all club presidents will be held Thursday, Nov. 13 at 11 in the lobby of the CPA.

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## Strutters Show Spirit In Special Routines

By Wilma Hurst

Football games just aren't complete without pre-game and half-time entertainment, and the strutters are one group which performs at every game.

Along with the majorettes, these girls do two routines at the games and practice many hours weekly preparing for their field show.

Among the eleven girls are four named "Susan," a coincidence which can obviously be very confusing at times.

The strutters are headed by co-captains Laura Davis and Susan Rinehamer. The latter said that the girls are very enthusiastic and "the only problem is that they won't bring their shakers to practice."

One of the girls, Frieda Skaff, wasn't able to perform because of an injury. Despite this, she still came to practice and showed a lot of enthusiasm. At this time she has returned to the squad.

The strutters also make their own uniforms and help raise money for them through sales and car washes. They bought jackets this year, as did the majorettes and cheerleaders, and proudly described them as being

gold with blue embroidering. They also pointed out that their names are embroidered on them.

Sue Rinehamer praised the crowd at Wilkes' games, saying, "they make us feel we're doing something worthwhile," and also complimented the band, and especially Mr. Weber. Other squad members agreed with her, and stressed that he is very cooperative.

Cooperation is a key word to use when describing the strutters, majorettes and cheerleaders. They work together as members of the Women's Athletic Association and support each other on the football field.

The three squads are planning a special routine for the last home game in honor of the bicentennial. They will perform on the field in red, white and blue outfits while the band plays a medley of bicentennial tunes.

Strutter tryouts will be held this month. Prospective members of the squad are judged by their performance in two routines and marching. They are temporary members for their first year and can become permanent members after a second tryout.

## Wilkes Polar Bear Club Sets Trip During January

Skiers, both experts and beginners, can really enjoy their semester break this year, by joining the college's Polar Bear Club in its trip to Sugarbush, Vermont, Sunday through Friday, January 18 to 23.

"Ski magazine has called Sugarbush the nicest place to ski in America," said Ken Rex, president of the club who has been skiing for six years.

Sugarbush, which has something for everyone, has 45 miles of trails in 34 different runs.

The price of the trip is \$79 per person and includes transportation and lodging. The Middle Earth Condominiums, where the Wilkes group will be staying, is conveniently located on the ski slope.

The Condominiums are equipped with kitchens, living rooms, dining rooms and private baths. The price is based on two persons per room.

Lift tickets are \$33, and for beginners, ski lessons will be \$6. Lessons include races, movies, and "chalk talk."

Without ski equipment, rentals will be \$26.

According to Barbara Chandler, club secretary, "There will be a party beforehand for those who are going on the trip to get acquainted."

Those interested in the trip are asked to attend the club's meeting on Tuesday, November 11, at 12 p.m. in Stark Learning Center 127.

A \$20 deposit must be in by November 14, and the remainder by Friday, December 5.



For reservations or more information contact: Rex at 287-4005; or Jim Daoust, treasurer of the club, at 822-7658; or Faith Skordinski, recording secretary, at 822-4475.

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# Sports Chatter

By Paul Domowitch

For Jim Hazlett, head coach of the Susquehanna University football team, the pendulum was swinging pretty close to his head prior to Saturday's victory over Wilkes. But the 17-6 win over the Colonels has possibly given him a little breathing room to work with now, and he may well be around to see yet another season.

It seems that college alumni and administration at the Selinsgrove institution aren't too pleased with the job that the 55-year-old mentor has been doing this campaign, and rumors were circulating around that he would be out of a job very soon.

**LIKE WILKES**, THE Crusaders were also expected to do big things this year. Thirty lettermen were returning from a team that went 4-5-1 in 1974. But among those five losses were some very close contests. Westminster beat them by seven. Albright by five, Wilkes by a mere two after a fifty yard Crusader field goal fell short by two yards, and Waynesburg by one. So you can see why there was a considerable amount of anticipation down there for a winner.

But what is expected, and what actually is attained are two very different things, as Wilkes can tell you only too well. They opened the year with a loss to Grove City, and kept going down hill from there, until they finally pulled out a win two weeks ago against Lycoming. A 1-6 log was a long way from the 7-0 that they were shooting at.

So, a dejected Susquehanna team, and an all-but crest fallen Wilkes unit clashed Saturday in a game of "pride." There was only one difference. A win by the Crusaders would mean something. Wilkes, despite being 2-3, was still Wilkes; a team feared and looked up to in MAC football circles. For Wilkes, beating Susquehanna seemed little consolation after what had happened the two preceding weekends.

And on that note, Hazlett went back to Selinsgrove carrying his shield in victory, instead of carrying an unemployment check in defeat.

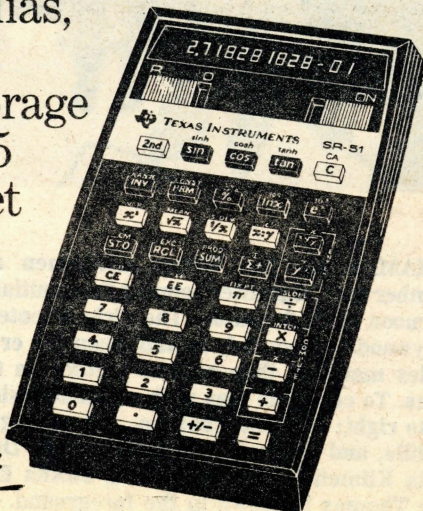
**GEORGE PAWLUSH**, THE Wilkes Sports Information director, was honored recently by CoSIDA, a national organization of SID's, when the Wilkes College football program was selected the third best in the entire nation among Division III schools. It is quite an honor, but one which he certainly deserves, as any person who has seen a Colonel program will be quick to admit. Congratulations George!

**THE BLUE AND Gold** swim team will take on a new look this season. With the rapid influx of female swimmers into the Wilkes aquatic program, they have decided to form a separate girl's team. The women will practice with the men's squad, but they will have their own captain, and swim a competitive schedule separate from the men.

**TIP OF THE WEEK:** Middle Atlantic Conference "Northern Division" champion Albright, has a good shot at being selected to one of the eight berths in the NCAA Division III playoffs. They are currently 6-1, after trouncing highly-touted Albany State last weekend, and should finish the 1975 regular season at 8-1, with only Lebanon Valley and Upsala remaining on their schedule. The only question is - would they accept it?

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# Dennison Prevails; Tops Wheelers 16-7 In Grudge Battle

BY PAUL DOMOWITCH

In a game marred by numerous fights and penalties, the Dennison gridders topped Fritz Wheelers 16-6, Tuesday afternoon at Ralston Field, to take over sole possession of first place in the National Division of the Wilkes Intramural Football League.

The victory upped Dennison's record to 4-0, with only Tuesday's battle with the Rams remaining on their regular season card, before the playoffs.

**FOR THE WHEELERS**, it was their initial loss of the campaign, and it drops them down to second place at 3-1. With only one regular season game remaining for them also, they are guaranteed a playoff berth.

Dennison wasted little time in grabbing the lead; an advantage they never relinquished. On the first play from scrimmage, Dennison quarterback Dave Orischak found split end Kevin Rolands all alone down field, and heaved a 75-yard scoring pass to him, that put them up 6-0, with only 25 seconds gone in the contest.

Seconds later, Orischak and Rolands again combined on an aerial for the two point conversion to make it 8-0.

With the staunch Dennison defense holding, the offense again got the ball in excellent field position at the Wheeler forty. Runs by halfbacks Nicky Holgash and John Pinelli picked up 12 yards, but a

fourth down keeper by Orischak failed, when he was nailed by Wheeler gridder Billy Winter on the 26.

**THE WHEELERS**, UTILIZING the halfback option pass from Winter to receiver Tom McIntyre time and time again, moved the ball up to the midfield stripe before being stopped.

Dennison attempted to go right to the air seconds later, but Wheeler cornerback Dave Silver stepped in front of a Orischak flat pass, and returned it to the Dennison 40, with 3:23 remaining in the half.

The Dennison "D," led by Len Wasmanski, again responded to the call, and staved off a late Wheeler rally as the period ended.

McIntyre, operating out of the halfback position, ran the ball 44 yards around right end on the opening play of the second half, to give his team a first down at the Dennison 11.

**MOMENTS LATER**, WINTER found McIntyre open in the endzone, and the deficit was cut to two. But two attempts at the PAT came up short, and Dennison still had an 8-6 advantage.

Keeping it on the ground, Dennison moved into Wheeler territory at the 31, when with eight minutes left in the contest, halfback Pinelli vaulted straight up the middle untouched for his teams second score of the game.

The victors made good once again

on the two-point conversion, with QB Orischak connecting with Bob Haldemann, to put them up by 10, and all but put the game out of reach.

The Wheelers made a desperation attempt at one final drive moving to the Dennison 44 with two minutes remaining. But once again, Len Wasmanski penetrated the Wheeler offense, and got to Winter for a 10-yard loss.

Dennison then proceeded to run out the clock, and take home a hard-fought 16-6 decision over the Wheelers; a squad made up of many players from the 1974 league champion, Webster II unit.

## Harriers In Tourney

The Wilkes cross-country team, under coach George Pawlush, will travel to Gettysburg College this Saturday afternoon to participate in the Middle Atlantic Conference championships.

Runners who will be competing under the Blue and Gold banner are co captains Steve Standiford and Jeff Metzger, Mike Salley, Jeff Davis, Bob Scott, and Mary Kay Malloy.

## Colonelettes Finish 4th In MAC's

BY DOTTY MARTIN

The first annual Middle Atlantic Conference field hockey tournament was held last weekend at Kirby Park, and the Colonels of Wilkes copped fourth place honors in the nine-team event.

Wilkes saw all hopes of a tournament championship go down the drain Friday morning as they lost their opening game to a strong Dickinson team, 5-1. The Wilkes girls were too tensed up for this game, and as a result, moved slow and didn't play together. Sue Funke scored the lone Blue and Gold goal, while Barb Long assisted. Goalie Nancy Roberts did a fine job with 14 saves.

**THE BLUE AND Gold** spirits picked up again Friday afternoon, however, as the girls downed Lebanon Valley, 2-1. Lebanon Valley had previously been chosen as the third best team in the tournament, preceded only by Elizabethtown and Gettysburg. But the Colonels knew it was either win this one or go home empty handed - and they decided to stay!

Goals were scored by Sue Funke and Penny Bianconi and the two of them, along with Barb Long showed outstanding team work on the line, while fullbacks Jean Johnson and Kim Flis played outstanding defensive games.

On Saturday morning Wilkes defeated another strong team, Franklin and Marshall, 3-1, to stay in the running for third place. Going

into the second half with a 1-1 tie, the Colonels scored twice more while holding their opponents scoreless in the vesper portion.

Wilkes met Dickinson once again on Saturday afternoon, in a battle for third place. Sue Funke scored a goal as they went through the Blue and Gold defense twice to capture third place, 2-1.

Elizabethtown defeated Gettysburg, 4-2, on Saturday afternoon for

the championship. But with nine teams taking part in the tournament and only four places given the Wilkes women did a fine job with their fourth place title. And now MAC field hockey is a reality - to be carried on every year.

The Wilkes stickwomen will be participating in the Susquehanna field Hockey Tournament this weekend at Susquehanna University.



**HAPPINESS IS...**winning the first annual Middle Atlantic Conference field hockey tournament. Coaches of the top four tourney teams are pictured along with Wilkes College acting president Robert Capin (far left), and tournament co-ordinator Doris Saracino (far right). Colonelette coach Gay Meyers (with the hat on), is shown grasping the fourth place trophy that her team won in the two-day event.



## Fights Mar Key IM Contest (see Page 7)

**BEACON SPORTS***Colonel Pride Suffers A Big Blow*

BY PAUL DOMOWITCH

For the Wilkes College Colonels, the 1975 football season ended on October 25, at Albright College in Reading. The 20-14 loss to the Lions, which killed any hope of a repeat Middle Atlantic Conference championship for the Colonels, was the final nail on the coffin for the demoralized Blue and Gold.

Expecting to accomplish so much this season, and then suddenly facing the realization that two consecutive defeats to Ithaca and Albright had left them with nothing, the Colonels packed up any remaining desire and drive they possessed, and tossed it out the window.

It's a sad fact, but one that is very true, and the 3000 spectators at Ralston Field last Saturday, are witnesses.

**PLAYING SIXTY OF** the worst minutes of football of their careers, Wilkes lost to Susquehanna 17-6; the same Susquehanna team that had been victorious only one of seven previous starts prior to last weekend.

Going to the game, the players were listless, and passive. Gone was the momentum that two months earlier, they had hoped would carry them into the NCAA playoffs. Gone also was the desire to win.

They went through the motions during those first two quarters of football, but they weren't fooling

anyone; especially themselves. By halftime, they were down 10-0, thanks to a pair of interceptions and a fumble.

Missing from the lockerroom of the Bobby McBride Fieldhouse, was the sound of a team determined to come back in the vesper portion. They had been behind at the half before, but somehow had always managed to stir some inner drive within themselves and battle back. Not this time.

**TRUE, THEY DID** move on their first possession all the way down to the Susquehanna four yard line before being stopped, but it was a lackadaisical drive; a drive that was missing something. Two weeks earlier, they would have scored. This particular Saturday, they did not.

Slow to react, and making mistakes reminiscent of a sandlot team, the Colonels bungled away scoring opportunities time and time again. As the minutes ticked away, dedicated, unknowing fans kept waiting for the big comeback, that would stave off this ultimate embarrassment. But again, it was not to be.

With a little more than two minutes remaining, Albright fullback Paul O'Neill romped 21 yards straight through the heart of the Colonel defense for a final score to sound the death knoll.

An NCAA playoff berth lost, then

an MAC championship, and now the worst loss of all: their pride. When all else is gone, pride usually looms larger than life. But last weekend on

a cloudy afternoon in Edwardsville the Colonels let that slip right through their fingers.

**GRID GRIT:** The players held a team meeting Tuesday morning in Weckesser Annex, headed by co-captains Steve Leskiw and Fred Lohman. Saturday will tell what effect it had on the players, when they meet Juniata College in Huntingdon. The Indians are 5-2 on the year, with only losses to Albright and Lycoming marring a perfect

slate...Wilkes has won the last five meetings between the two institutions, dating back to 1965...Two years ago, the Colonels upset them 25-15; and Juniata went on to finish second in the NCAA Division III playoffs...Fullback Fred Lohman and tackle Bob Para should be back in the lineup this week, after sitting out the Susquehanna contest...WBRE Radio will broadcast Saturday's game from the Central Pennsylvania campus.



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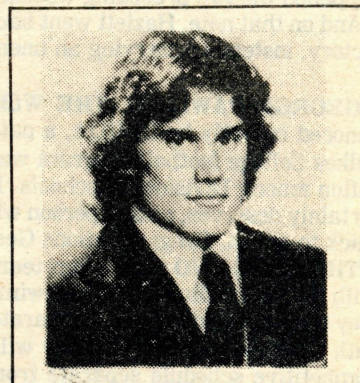
*Ithaca Grid Player Killed  
As Car Collides With Truck*

Michael Bond, a 21-year-old starting defensive halfback for the Ithaca College football team, was killed in an automobile accident on October 27.

Driving a small foreign car near Lansing, N.Y., just outside of Ithaca, Bond collided with an oncoming 10 wheel dump truck, and was killed almost instantly. Cause of death was determined as multiple body injuries.

Bond was attempting to pass another vehicle, when the collision occurred. Their has been some assumption, that he may have been blinded by the sun, and failed to see the truck approaching him.

As a player, Bond was described as one of the best cornerback's in



Ithaca grid history, and also returned kicks for the unbeaten Blue Bombers, who are ranked second in the nation among Division III NCAA schools.

**Netwomen Cop NPWIAA Crown**

BY DOTTY MARTIN

It was a joyful trip home for the Wilkes women's tennis team on Monday as they downed Marywood, to cop the league championship of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Association (NPWIAA). The Wilkes girls edged the Scranton girls 3-2.

Chalking up individuals victories to aid the winning cause co-captain Pat Steele, 6-0 and 6-2 in singles, and Renie Corbett and Diane Polachek, 6-4 and 6-1; and Darlene Chaump and Sally Steele, 6-2 and 6-3, in doubles.

**THE COLONELS HOLD** an unblemished 8-0 record in the league as they defeated each of the other four teams twice each. The girls defeated Scranton, 5-0 and 5-0; Baptist Bible, 5-0 and 5-0; Misericordia, 4-1 and 3-2; and Marywood, 3-1 and 3-2. Marywood was the NPWIAA defending champions, taking the title last year.

Individual statistics for the Blue and Gold netwomen in the NPWIAA are as follows: JoAnn Englot, 5-3; Pat Steele, 8-0; Joann Pugliese, 5-1, with one tie; Renie Corbett, 1-0. In doubles action, it was Renie Corbett and Diane Polachek, 8-0; Sally Steele and Darlene Chaump, 5-1; Nancy Cardillo and Chris Koterba, 1-0; Darlene Chaump and Sharon Wilkes, 1-0.

The overall season record for the Colonel Netwomen was 8-4. In other action, the girls lost to Bucknell University, 7-0; Lycoming, 5-4; Mansfield, 5-4; and Bloomsburg State College, 9-0.

Overall individual statistics are: JoAnn Englot, 6-6; Pat Steele, 8-4; JoAnn Pugliese, 5-5-1; Sharon Wilkes, 2-3; Merle Zipkin 1-4; Maria Klimchak, 1-2; Renie Corbett, 1-0; and Diane Polachek, 1-0. In doubles action, Renie Corbett and Diane Polachek, 9-3; Sally Steele and Darlene Chaump, 5-5; Chris Koterba and Nancy Cardillo, 2-2; Darlene Chaump and Sharon Wilkes, 1-0.

**WHEN ASKED HER** feelings on such a fine season and the championship, Coach Julie Thomas commented, "I can't really take credit - because the kids did it all. I helped them as much as I could, but they worked hard and won the title for themselves.

"Credit should also be given to coach Sandy Bloomsburg, she really produced such a fine team." (Coach Bloomsburg is on a leave of absence this year, working toward her Master's Degree in Psychology at New York University.)

And it looks like the women's tennis team is in great shape for next year. With only two seniors leaving, Darlene Chaump and Nancy Cardillo, all others are expected to return to the courts next season. Co-captains JoAnn Englot and Pat Steele, with 6-6 and 8-4 overall records, respectively, will both be back next year.

The "freshman powerhouse" as she has so often been termed, Renie Corbett will be back next year with even more experience, and a year of college play under her belt. Her counterpart Diane Polachek, will also be back. JoAnn Pugliese, who is usually a tough contender, will be returning, as will Sharon Wilkes, who has shown great promise this season.

Doubles players Chris Koterba and Sally Steele are both juniors and have another season to look forward, as does Merle Zipkin, who is just a sophomore, and Maria Klimchak, who has three years of varsity play remaining. All in all, the tennis team seems to be set for the next few years.

A championship is something every team would like to have-but is something only those who work hard for, and fight for, can attain.

The Wilkes tennis team has done just that - and they have been rewarded with what they were fighting for from the first day they went out onto the courts way back in September.



**CHAMPIONS—**The Wilkes netwomen are pictured displaying the "number one" sign after copping their initial NPWIAA tennis title Monday afternoon up in Scranton. The girls defeated defending league champion Marywood College, 3-2, to nail down the crown. Down 2-1 after the three singles matches, they rode to victory on the play of their two doubles teams. To complete play with an unblemished 8-0 log. Pictured first row, left to right: Darlene Chaump, JoAnn Pugliese, Karen Pumbo, Nancy Cardillo, and Sandy Steele. Second row: Diane Polachek, Renie Corbett, Maria Klimchak, Sharon Wilkes, JoAnn Englot, and Pat Steele. Coach Julie Thomas is shown in the foreground.