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The Thespians Stage Cabaret Party To-Night

Semi-Formal Dance Will Be Held September 12 At Country Club

RUSS ANDALORA ENGAGED FOR AFFAIR

By Muriel Brandsdorf

Wilkes College has completed plans for its first semi-formal. This dance, called the Indian Summer Serenade, which promises to be one of the most colorful affairs ever given by the college, will be held on September 12, 1947 at the Irem Temple Country Club. An unusual and attractive feature of the dance will be the decorations employing an Indian theme. Russ Andalora and his popular orchestra will furnish the music for dancing from 9 to 1. The dance is being co-sponsored by the International Relations Club and Beta Gamma Chi, the girls' sorority.

Every student will receive one free ticket for himself and one free guest ticket on his student activity pass. Each ticket will entitle one couple to attend the dance.

In this way each Wilkes College student will be able to invite one outside couple as his guests.

As this is the first semi-formal to be given since the transition from Bucknell University Junior College to Wilkes College it is expected that the entire student body will attend the Indian Summer Serenade.

The honorary chairman of the dance is John Riley. The tri-chairmen are Ralph Carey, Rhuea Williams, and Tex Evans. Edie Rudolph is in charge of arrangements. Other committees are: Hall: Nelson Nelson and George Maisel; Decorations and program: Joe Berger and Martha Hoyle, chairmen; assisted by Howard Trammel, Harry Davis, and Michalene Kowicz; Invitations: Joe Pringle, chairman; and Carolyn Jones; Refreshments: William Davies, Gene Maylock, and Al Stratton; Publicity: Wesley Lane, Miriam Golightly, and Paul Elvidge; Tickets: Harry Davis, Charles Templeton and Mildred Gittens, honorary.

Language Clubs Continue Series of Parties Tonight

By VINCENT MACRI

The fifth of the series of social affairs sponsored by the Language Clubs will be held Friday evening, August 29, on the lawn between Chase and Kirby Halls. Three movies, "South of the Border With Disney", "The Count of Monte Cristo", and "Aqua Frolics", will be shown. Refreshments will be served between the pictures.

The Language Clubs have enjoyed great success in the four previous affairs and plans have been made to accommodate the largest crowd of the season at this next event.

The club plans to conduct two more programs following the performance on August 29. Similar events will be presented on September 4 and September 13. "Pagliacci" and "Puss In Boots" will be shown at the former, and "Courageous Mr. Penn" and "Minstrel Man" at the latter.

The language clubs are planning a semi-formal dinner on October 6 and also a tour a San Juan, Puerto Rico, from December 27 to January 3. This tour is open to all students of Wilkes and further information concerning the trip can be obtained from Miss Martha J. Silseth, head of the Spanish Department.

Accounting Club Starts Activity

By GEORGE MILLER

W. F. Dobson, CPA, will be the first in a series of speakers to be heard by the newly formed Accounting Club. Mr. Dobson will speak Thursday, August 28, at 3 p. m. in the Chase Theatre.

The Club held its first meeting August 21, at which time officers were elected and plans for future meetings were discussed.

Committee Makes Tentative Plans For Honor System

By CAROL GALLOW

At a meeting of the Honor Committee on Friday, August 15, tentative plans were made to establish an honor system at Wilkes College. The objectives of such a plan are to instill honor and promote scholastic achievement on the part of the students.

The procedure concerning tests or examinations is recommended to be as follows: (1) In all examinations there will be no proctor. (2) Each student will sign the following pledge: "I pledge my honor that during this examination I have neither given nor received assistance." (3) Violations of the honor system will consist of any attempt to receive assistance from written or printed aids, or from any persons or paper, or of any attempt to give assistance whether the one so doing has completed his own paper or not. This rule holds both within and without the examination room during the entire time in which the examination is in progress, that is, until all papers have been handed in. (4) Violations also will consist of obtaining or attempting to obtain, previous to any examinations, copies of the examination papers or the questions to appear thereon, or to obtain any illegal knowledge of these questions. (5) Any undergraduate not signing the pledge placed upon the examination paper will be notified by the professor holding the examination, and if unable then to sign he will be reported to the committee for investigation. Failure to sign the pledge to an examination paper upon notification by the professor or by the committee shall be prima facie evidence of violation of the Honor System.

This procedure also concerns term papers and all phases of college activity. A stipulation made in the plan is that all term papers must be the original work of the student. College activities will also be conducted as provided for in the Honor System.

These provisions are a result of the meeting of the honor committee on August 4.

Nine students will constitute the governing body of the Honor Council: three seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, and one freshman. The officers, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Secretary will be respectively the ranking senior, the ranking junior, and the ranking sophomore. The Vice-Chairman automatically will become a member of the council in his senior year, with ranking privileges withheld. However, if this member for any reason becomes unable to hold office, the next ranking junior member automatically will succeed him. This member will be responsible for introducing all records of past proceedings at the first meeting of the new Council. Each member of the Honor Council must maintain at least a C average.

Provisions for the election of these members were also made in this tentative plan. The members of the Honor Council will be nominated by the Faculty Committee and elected by the student body.

POPULAR RADIO ANNOUNCER, JIM McCARTHY, WILL EMCEE EXCELLENT FLOOR SHOW

LEE VINCENT WILL PLAY — PARTY STARTS AT 8:30

By HAROLD REIN

Tonight at 8:30 the student partygoers of Wilkes College will begin an evening of cabaret fun at the Thespians' "CAMPUS QUARTER," the nightclub for a night.

Reservations indicate that a record-breaking crowd will attend the affair which is being held at the First Presbyterian Church House on the corner of Northampton and South Franklin Streets.

At well-timed intervals throughout the evening, highly-entertaining floorshows, consisting of prominent student and professional talent, will be presented to the merry nightclubbers. Jim McCarthy, known in the community as a four-star radio announcer and top-rate Master of Ceremonies, will head the all-star program. Never has Wilkes seen such a galaxy of stars as will be featured on tonight's program.

Lee Vincent and the band that has made him famous throughout the valley will lend the evening a festive air with their capable musical renditions. Lee and his music-men have just completed a very successful engagement with the renowned Three Suns of Picadilly Circus Lounge fame. The popular valley bandsters will give out with their sentimental swing, dreamy waltzes, and solid jazz from 8:30 to 12.

The nightclub atmosphere that will reign at the "CAMPUS QUARTER" will be magnified by the presence of a headwaiter, hostesses, and waitresses. Even photographers will be on hand to take candid shots of the merrymaking, and will also take souvenir pictures of individual parties if desired.

Refreshments will be served throughout the evening, but unlike other nightclubs, the "CAMPUS QUARTER" will present no bill to its patrons. There will be enough food and drink in the QUARTER'S kitchen to quench the thirstiest of thirsts and the hardest appetites.

composed of the Dean of Men, the Dean of Women, the Registrar, and the heads of the departments. For the original election of members there will be a minimum of ten nominees for the three members of the senior group; a minimum of ten nominees for the three members of the junior group; a minimum of seven nominees for the two members of the sophomore group, and a minimum of four nominees for the freshmen. On succeeding elections there will be seven nominees placed for the election of the two senior members. The nominations for the original election will take place in the fall. All succeeding nominations and elections will take place in June.

This plan is still in the discussion stage, especially in regard to the pledge and the time of elections. When completed and approved by the Committee, the plan will be submitted to the Student Council for consideration and approval.



Jim McCarthy



Mickey Carvel
Vocalist with Lee Vincent
Orchestra

If you want to meet your friends for a night that will be "something to write home about," come to the "CAMPUS QUARTER" tonight at 8:30 in the First Presbyterian Church House. Everyone will be there, so you can't afford to miss the "CAMPUS QUARTER," the nightclub for a night.

The following people have been busily at work making the arrangements for the gala affair: HOUSE: Clem Waclawski, chairman; Joe Berger and Harold Rein; REFRESHMENTS: Eleanor Krute, chairman; Helen Davidson, Harold Rein, Jack Powell, and Bob Nolan; PROGRAM: Alfred Moskowitz, chairman; Elva Fuller, Norbert Olshefski, and Bob Wentz; DECORATIONS: Alfred Colmer, chairman; Martha Hoyle, Jack Powell, Sheldon Fried, Caryl Galow, Daniel Williams, George Dale, Alfred Moskowitz, Edythe Rudolph, and Joe Gudaitis; PUBLICITY: Caryl Galow, chairman; Paul Elvidge and Marion Golightly; RESERVATIONS: Carolyn Jones, Chairman; Miriam Golightly, Eleanor Krute, Caryl Galow, and Myrtle Rutledge.

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Sad Sack Nine Tighten Hold On First Place

By GEORGE BRODY

The I. R. C. gave the Sad Sacks their toughest battle of the season, but power will out, and at the finish, the Sacks were on top by a 6-2 score. I. R. C. held a commanding two run lead going into the fourth, but the pitching faltered momentarily, the infield added two errors, and the encouraged war clubs of the Sad Sacks took advantage of the misplays to button up the game.

On Wednesday the Sad Sacks took their fifth straight win by trouncing the Dorm nine, 13-1. On the same day the I.R.C. club edged out the Engineers, 9-7.

The surprising Faculty didn't surprise anyone this week and came out a loser to the Pre-Med. The score was 7-4. It was a steady game that saw the better team win. The Pre-Med team looked good enough to threaten the leaders. Unfortunately, its early season weaknesses have caused three losses that aren't likely to be made up before the season closes.

In an exhibition game the Beacon ball team put out its best effort this week, but its best wasn't good enough and it went down swinging to the stronger Clowns 8-2. The Clowns are still in the running, having lost only one game. An upset by any of the three teams, against the Sad Sacks will put the Clowns in a tie for first place, making necessary a play off that should be worth anyone's time.

League Standings

Sad Sacks	5	0
Clowns	4	1
I. R. C.	4	2
Engineers	2	2
Pre-Med	2	3
Faculty	2	3
Dorm	0	4
Beacon	0	4

Remaining Games

- Sad Sacks vs. Faculty.
- Sad Sacks vs. Pre-Med.
- Faculty vs. Dorm.
- Faculty vs. Sad Sacks.
- Clowns vs. Engineers.
- Clowns vs. I. R. C.
- Dorm vs. Beacon.
- Dorm vs. Faculty.
- Dorm vs. Engineers.
- I. R. C. vs. Clowns.
- Pre-Med vs. Beacon.
- Pre-Med vs. Sad Sacks.
- Beacon vs. Engineers.
- Beacon vs. Pre-Med.
- Beacon vs. Dorm.
- Engineers vs. Clowns.
- Engineers vs. Beacon.
- Engineers vs. Dorm.

Lee Vincent Now Section's Top Band

By Clayton Bloomburg

The Lee Vincent band will be the feature attraction at the Cabaret Party tonight. Dancing will be from nine till twelve. The ork is terrific in every sense of the word. Most of you music lovers have danced to the music of this fine organization at one time or another. Most of you are acquainted with Lee's parade of Bands. He gives fine renditions of Glen Miller's Moonlight Serenade, Bob Crosby's Big Noise From Winetka, Stan Kenton's Artistry Jumps, and various other numbers by the top flight bands of the nation today. Since you probably know quite a bit about Lee, what say I give you a little personal data about the boys in the band?

Lee is a great attraction. He plays a very fine electric bass, in fact, the only electric bass viol in the valley. Besides his excellent ability to play the bass and to handle men, Lee has an engaging personality. These factors make him an outstanding man in the musical world.

Mickey Carvel is the crooner who is a sensation on the vocals. Mickey also holds down a trumpet chair and does a fine job in the brass section.

The newest edition to the Vincent ork is the up and coming drummer, Buddy Carlin. Buddy should go places with this ork. He has come a long way since this writer first met him, and since then he has come up the ladder. He has a great beat and backs up a band very nicely. Lee has taken him in hand and is putting the finishing touches on his playing. Bud is still studying music and informed me he expects to attend a music school in the near future.

The band is what it is today because of the fine cooperation among the members of the outfit. They never run down the next fellow because he hits a few "clinkers" or misses his cue at one time or another. They always lend a helping hand to the next man. Most of the fellows play more than one instrument and are capable of helping the next man. Thus the ork is a fine, integrated organization. You will be able to judge this for yourself at the next dance!

Softball League Will Hold Picnic

By Russ Williams

On Saturday, September 6, 1947, the Wilkes Intramural Softball League will stage an eventful outing at Sans Souci Park for all students and their friends. Plans are being made to produce a social affair to surpass all other functions held this semester.

Transportation, refreshments of all sorts, including clams, tickets for rides, and possibly swimming accommodations will be provided for by the Student Activities Fund. Busses will leave the campus area at 11:30 A. M. A crowd of at least 500 is expected to attend.

During the day the League's winning team will be awarded a trophy, and the League's President, Mr. Ralston, will be presented with a gift.

A softball game between the League's winning team and an all-star team made up of the best players of the losing teams will be the outing's main attraction. The never-tiring Marty Blake will manage the All-Stars.

The League was instigated early this semester by Ed Burt-savage and Marty Blake to provide a form of recreation for the students and to improve sports-manship. In the winter a continuation of intramural sports will include ping pong, bowling, and basketball.

The following are the committees in charge of the outing: General

NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY

Among the new and interesting books recently received in the library are the following:

- Bekessy, Emery, BARABBAS, 1946.
- Woolf, V. S., A HAUNTED HOUSE, 1947.
- Morgan, A. E., NOWHERE WAS SOMEWHERE, 1946.
- Beard, C. A., MAKING OF AMERICAN CIVILIZATION, 1946.
- Miller, A., CHRISTIAN SIGNIFICANCE OF KARL MARX, 1947.
- Allport, G. W., HUMAN NATURE AND ENDURING PEACE, 1945.
- Bohme, Y., THE WAY TO CHRIST, 1947.
- Tyler, P., MAGIC & MYTH OF THE MOVIES, 1947.
- Halsey, G. D., SUPERVISING PEOPLE, 1946.
- Faulkner, W., SOUND AND FURY, 1946.
- Patterson, E. M., INTRODUCTION TO WORLD ECONOMICS, 1947.
- McPartland, Y., SEX IN OUR CHANGING WORLD, 1947.
- Pyle, E. T., HOME COUNTRY, 1947.
- Fosdick, H. E., ON BEING FIT TO LIVE WITH, 1946.
- Kincaid, R. L., THE WILDERNESS ROAD, 1947.
- Waring, P. A., SOIL & STEEL, 1947.
- Kohn, H., PROPHETS & PEOPLES, 1946.
- Roberts, K. L., LYDIA BAILEY, 1947.
- Jackson, R. H., THE NURNBERG CASE, 1947.
- Valentine, P. F., TWENTIETH CENTURY EDUCATION, 1946.
- Watson, G. B., ACTION FOR UNITY, 1947.
- Seton - Watson, H., EASTERN EUROPE, 1946.
- Louchheim, A., 500 YEARS OF ART, 1946.
- Beard, M. R., WOMAN AS FORCE IN HISTORY, 1946.
- Yasuda, K., PEPPER-POD, 1946.
- Collins, N., DULCIMER STREET, 1947.
- Woods, R. L., THE WORLD OF DREAMS, 1947.
- Edman, I., PHILOSOPHER'S QUEST, 1947.
- Howard, A., THE SOIL AND HEALTH, 1947.
- Dreier, T., THE RELIGION OF A VAGABOND, 1947.

Chairman, Marty Blake; Assistants, Bob Anthony and Dick Martin; Location Committee: Bob Anthony, Chairman; Bud Jonathan, Dick Martin, Jim Morse, Ed Burt-savage and Marty Blake; Transportation Committee: Ralph Carey, Chairman; Russ Williams, Hank Anderson and George Brody; Refreshment Committee: Hal Glowacki, Chairman; Bud Jonathan, Bob Anthony and Hank Anderson; Program Committee: Bob Anthony, Chairman; Ralph Carey, Hal Glowacki, Dick Martin, Marty Blake, George Brody, Hank Anderson and Jim Morse.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

Please accept my belated bravos on your "Tin Drapes", or is it "The Iron Curtain?" At any rate it was quite an event for someone to exercise the democratic privilege of free speech in the Beacon.

May I also commend Mr. Berger's comment. It must have been very gratifying to him that the only weak spot you pointed out in his letter was not in the form of its criticism, but in the alleged misuse of the word incriminating. This I am not so sure was a mis-use, for according to my Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, fifth edition: "in-criminate...to charge with, or involve in a crime or fault; to accuse."—not specifically denoting a crime. However my dear Editor, you may take your pick if you happen to suffer from a guilty conscience.

Your colleague of the Fourth Estate,
Jack P. Karnofsky

Ed. Note—The Beacon is well aware of the definition of incriminating. The Beacon was interested in the connotation of the word incriminating.

Battin' The Breeze

By BRODY

On Saturday, Sept. 6, the Intramural League will hold a clambake at Sans Souci Park. It is free to all students and their friends. Sans Souci Park was chosen because it is easily accessible to all who wish to attend. More than that, the facilities are many and varied, and if you become bored with our program, try the Roller Coaster, it's guaranteed to bring you back to the clambake.

The feature will be a softball game between the Sad Sacks and an All-Star team chosen from the rest of the League. Two representatives from each team are to meet at Chase Hall on Tuesday, August 26, for the purpose of voting for the All-Star team. It is imperative that the representatives attend.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE BEGINS

The big day is Monday, August 25. That's the day football practice begins!

If you think that last year's undefeated team was good, wait till you see the material that will represent Wilkes this year! No position is safe; no player will be able to relax. Every position is open, and every man must fight for his berth.

Practice will be held at the same hours and same place as that of last season. Mr. Ralston requests that all candidates report Monday. It is necessary to start things moving, because the opening game is a tough one, and it will be a feather in our caps if we can knock the West Point Jayvees right out of Michie Stadium. Another undefeated season will be a proud achievement, so let's get behind the team. If we can't play football, we can certainly support it.

Love's Kiss

Love is a vision, of which I see not,
Love is a hearsay, of which I hear none.

But loving you is not to be sought
For loving you has got to be won.

You gaze at me shyly,
simply serene,
I get to wondering, if this
is a dream.

Our fingertips meet,
there is a slight squeeze,
Your eyes start to shine, like
the moon through the trees.

Up to my nostrils flows the scent
of your hair,
My weakness is known,
I'm caught in your lair.
My lips brush your cheek,
trembling so,
In just one kiss,
this love you will know.

Your lips blossomed forth,
so round and so sweet
Your eyes gently closed,
my lips came to meet.
We were lost in reverie,
the world was a blind,
The past that had happened
was all left behind.

Ever so careful,
your lips withdrew,
wandered past my ear
whispering "I love you."
Never to be forgotten
is that one subtle kiss.
For we were that couple —
a man and his Miss.

FRANK KARDELL

Mistress: When you wait on the
table tonight, please don't spill
anything in front of my guests.

New Maid: Don't worry, Ma'am,
I don't talk much.



"Parted or straight back, Sir?"