

Holiday Greetings
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Merry Christmas
and
A Happy New Year

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WILKES COLLEGE, WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA

Friday, December 18, 1959

Lettermen to Sponsor "'60 Swing"; Scholarship Fund to Receive Profit

by Jay Olexy

"Ring out the old year, ring in the new!" The Lettermen's Club will officially welcome "Baby '60" to the campus Friday evening, January 1, at the "'60 Swing."

President Ray Yanchus, above, announces that the first campus social event of the year will feature record music for dancing from 9 p.m. to midnight. Admission to the dance is 49 cents, "a New Year's bargain."

Since the Christmas All College Dance has been cancelled, this will be the only dance to be held during the holidays. The Lettermen hope that the "'60 Swing" will provide vacationing students with the same opportunity for renewing acquaintances.

The club invites all those who may be suffering queasy effects from the previous night's activities to stagger into the gym and bring their New Year's Eve spirit (singular) with them.

Proceeds of the dance go to the Lettermen's Scholarship Fund and provide financial help for a promising freshman chosen each year. Last year's recipient of the scholarship was Girard Senick, an alumnus of Girard College, and a member of last year's MASCAC championship wrestling squad, where he held down the 130-lb. slot. Senick is majoring in Commerce and Finance.

Two members of the Wilkes coaching staff, Mr. Francis Pinkowski, football and baseball coach, and Mr. Russel Picton, swimming coach, will chaperone the affair.

Members of the club's executive council who are arranging the affair are Ray Yanchus, Carl Havira, Joe Morgan, Lou Davis, George Gacha, Dick Weiss, Paul Aquilino, Marv Antinnes, and Fred Williams.



Ray Yanchus

TDR Distributes Toys; Aids Salvation Army

by Jean Shofranko

Eleven TDR members completed the sorority Christmas charity program Wednesday when they helped distribute gifts at a children's Christmas party held at the Salvation Army Citadel.

Among the gifts distributed were a large number of toys collected by sorority members. Instead of repairing toys solicited on campus, as was done last year, the coeds set up a collection box at Chapman Hall.

Sorority members who distributed the toys reported that they had a very enjoyable time entertaining the children and selecting appropriate toys for the various age groups.

TDR members who participated in the project were Doris Gademian, charity chairman; Cathy Brominski, Romaine Olzinski, Tina Wentz, Virginia Morgan, Carolyn Rhone, Elaine Kozemchak, Beverly Traher, Sandra Potapczyk, Diana Williams, Carol Draper, Jeannette Bucholtz.

Ed Club Holds Party, Plans Combination Dance

by Steve Cooney

Plans are being formulated by the Ed Club for their Friday night dance which will be held in the gym January 15.

Once again this year the affair will feature square and modern dancing. Music will be furnished by The Statesmen, with calling being handled by Joe McKeown.

Yesterday a club meeting and Christmas Coke Party was held in Conyngham Annex. The party was free for all members of the club in good standing. (Meaning all those who have paid their dues!)

At the meeting yesterday the general chairman and committee heads for the upcoming dance were nominated, but these names were not turned into the Beacon in time to meet the press deadline.

"Woman would be more charming if one could fall into her arms without falling into her hands."
— Remy DeGormont

All College Dance Off; Local Bands All Busy

The Christmas All College Dance, ordinarily the highlight of the holiday calendar, has been cancelled. Scheduled for December 26, the popular affair was forced to be abandoned when Student Government was unable to engage a band.

Because the proposed date fell so close to Christmas Day, the committee members found themselves without an orchestra as all local groups had been previously booked.

No other weekend date over the holidays was available, prompting the decision to cancel the dance completely.

Retailers Revamped; Activity List Planned

After a two-year period of inactivity, the Retailing Club is in the process of reorganizing. Elections were held Monday and a constitution will be drawn up and submitted to Student Government for approval when school resumes in January.

Don Lewis, senior Commerce and Finance major, was elected president of the group. Joe Hysick, also a senior Commerce and Finance major, will serve the Club as secretary-treasurer.

Allyn Jones, another senior Commerce and Finance man, and Dave Roebuck, also a Commerce and Finance senior, were named co-chairmen of the planning committee.

The club intends to resume its previous activities: field trips, visits to local retailing places, inviting speakers for a general program designed to be helpful to students interested in retailing and the problems faced by retailers.

Jaycees Fete YMCA Children Here; Nork-Cardone Comic Team Featured

by Ralph Price

The second annual Christmas party for the children of the South Branch YMCA will be held this evening from five to seven o'clock in the College Commons. This party is sponsored by the Wilkes Jaycees and it will be attended by approximately thirty-five children.



Nork and Cardone

TEXTILE 87, WILKES 76

The basketball team traveled to Philadelphia Wednesday night and was defeated by the Philadelphia Textile Weavers, 87-76. Wilkes led early in the game, 16-10, and the score was tied at halftime, 35-35. Textile took the lead early in the second half and went on to take their 4th win of the year.

Radecki scored 18 points and Gacha hit for 16.

Entertainment will be provided by the comedy team of Nork and Cardone. Nork and Cardone are now appearing at the Europa Lounge in Wilkes-Barre. They have shows on Thursdays and Saturdays.

Both members of this comedy team are students at Wilkes. John Nork is a sophomore psychology major and Joe Cardone is a junior business education major. They both reside in Nanticoke.

The two comedians have planned an act especially designed to please the children, modeled after Red Skelton's style of humor.

The children will also be treated to a visit by Santa Claus in the person of Fred Wall. When he is not performing his duties as jolly old St. Nicholas, Fred is the cook at the Wilkes Cafeteria.

Ice cream, soda, candy, cookies, and other goodies highlight the menu for the party. The cake and cookies will be baked by the mothers of the Jaycees.

The festivities will be topped off by the singing of Christmas carols and the playing of games.

The committee for the affair is made up of Don Goobic, party chairman; Paul Klein, gifts; John Matthey, publicity, and Roger Cease, baked goods.

ICG Sponsors Dance, Launches 1960 Program

by Sandy Biber

The Intercollegiate Council on Government will launch its 1960 program with the sponsorship of the first Friday night sports dance after Christmas vacation. The dance, entitled the 'Merry Mix-Up', will be held in the gymnasium from 9-12 p.m.

Music for dancing will be provided by the Blue Notes.

The price of admission is fifty cents. Tickets may be purchased from any I.C.G. member or at the door.

Committee chairmen for the dance are: dance chairman, Art Evans; tickets, Pat Shovlin; publicity, Michael Bianco; chaperones, John Mullan; food, Charles P. Kings.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS BUILD BACTERIA "CRUSHER"



Hanover Township High School recently donated to the Wilkes science departments a machine to be used in bacteriological research. This machine, which in reality is a bacteria "crusher," was created by Hanover students, under the supervision of Hanover's biology department.

The crusher operates by applying pressure to plastic tubes, which contain both the bacteria and quantities of microscopic glass beads. The bacteria are crushed, then these harmless bacteria are used to study the possibility of creating immunizing drugs from the harmless bacteria.

Members of the Wilkes faculty directing this research project are Dr. Sheldon Cohen and Mr. Calvin Freeman.

Students and faculty of Hanover Township High School pictured above are: first row, left to right: W. R. Ichtter, principal; Joseph Yedloski, David Phillips, John Howatt, and Philip McKernan. Second row: Charles Prizniak, Leonard Rishkofski, Thomas Daves, and Joseph Gading.

EDITORIALS —



Loyal? Legal?

Today is the deadline for application for loans under the National Defense Education Act. According to Robert Morris, who is in charge of distributing these applications, only 23 have applied for aid under the Federal program. Last Spring 70 applied. Mr. Morris states that there is a danger that the Wilkes appropriation under the act may be cut if the response doesn't come up to expectations.

We can scarcely believe that our college has become a haven for financially independent students. Furthermore, we suspect that there must be some valid reason for the lack of interest in picking up aid to further one's education.

Some inkling of the reasons behind the hesitancy may be seen in the public skepticism concerning the act expressed by high-ranking government officials, including President Eisenhower.

In a report prepared by the Harvard "Crimson" recently, the center of dissatisfaction seems to be section 1001(f) of the N.D.E.A. This is the famous—or infamous—"loyalty oath" provision which has caused seven prominent colleges to refuse even to participate in the Title II loan program. They were: Princeton, Haverford, Swarthmore, Bryn Mawr, Amherst, Antioch, and Reed. Later, Oberlin, Harvard and Yale reconsidered their participation, withdrew, and returned the funds that had been granted to them.

The main objection seems to be that under Title II loans, each institution is given a certain lump sum to distribute to its students as it deems proper. Therefore, the institutions do more than send in the applications, they directly administer the loyalty provision.

Furthermore, Title II of the N.D.E.A. is the only program of its kind which requires matching funds from the college. In effect, this means that the college not only administers the loyalty provision for the government; it must also require an oath and affidavit in return for its own money.

Dr. William P. Fidler, testifying before a Senate committee on behalf of the American Association of University Professors, stated the A.A.U.P.'s objections to the disclaimer affidavit:

"First, our belief that it is a denial of due process of law to compel an individual to gauge his conduct by such vague criteria, when criminal liability may turn on his action; second, our grave doubts as to the constitutionality of a provision which may infringe upon the first amendment protection of freedom of belief and association; third, our repugnance against test oaths of any kind; and fourth, our particular objection as educators to being singled out and being required to testify that we are not being disloyal."

The matter certainly bears closer investigation. While few loyal citizens would refuse to swear to their loyalty, any man would object to having to prove his loyalty to the United States, particularly when a subversive agent at whom the provision is aimed would not hesitate to perjure himself, oaths be damned. The disclaimer affidavit suggests a lack of confidence in youth by its government through means of a device which is ineffective at best, and perhaps unconstitutional.

Pitter-Patter

Santa Claus came early this year to the Rileys. Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Riley announced Sunday the long-awaited birth of their first child, a baby girl. Mrs. Riley is the former Marita Sheridan of Nanticoke, an alumna of Wilkes.

Want A Want Ad?

The Beacon is attempting something new in the way of service to the reader, a classified ad service. If you want to sell or buy, offer your services as baby-sitter, housecleaner or term paper typist, try the new classified advertising.

There will be a minimum charge of 25 cents for ads up to ten words. For each word over ten there will be a charge of 5 cents. Advertisers will be required to sign name and address to each ad, for billing purposes. Material to appear in the Beacon must be in the Beacon mail box not later than 3 p.m. Tuesday to appear in Friday's paper. Payments must be made at the Finance office and designated to the receiver of the payment as "Beacon Income."

WHAT... WHERE... WHEN...

Basketball - Wrestling Doubleheader with Lebanon Valley — 7 p.m., Gymnasium, tonight.

Bible Study Group — Bookstore Lounge, Noon, today.

Lettermen's Club Dance — Gymnasium, Friday, January 1, 9-12.

Basketball — at Moravian, Wednesday, January 6, 8 p.m.

DEAN'S CORNER — NOTICE

All notices from the Deans' office, appear in the "Dean's Corner" of the College Bulletin board behind

Chase Hall. Such notices generally require immediate action. Read them and heed them DAILY.

Letters to the Editor...

December 14, 1959

Dear Editor:

Last Friday's edition of the Beacon included an article concerning the compulsory class meetings held last week. The portion of the article dealing with the meeting of the senior class included a resume of a report submitted by myself concerning the work of the class gift committee.

The resume, which stated that my report included an explanation of the administration's adverse response to all the suggestions proposed for a class gift, was rather inaccurate. In my report, I stated that Mr. Picton, who has been kind enough to work with the committee, gave us some comments, from the administration's viewpoint, concerning the suggestions that had been made.

It was felt that some of these suggestions were not suitable as a class gift. However, other suggestions were favorably commented upon and additional ones were made concerning areas which my committee had overlooked.

Since I am convinced that the inaccuracy arose from the condensation of news which is necessitated by a number of characteristics peculiar to the press medium, I feel that the opportunity to use this column to correct this inaccuracy sufficiently deals with the matter.

Sincerely,
Christine Winslow

From: Court of Appeals Chairman
To: Student Body
Subject: Court of Appeals

Recently the Court of Appeals met to review the policies covering the Court of Appeals as specified in the Student Body Constitution. Dr. Stanko Vujica, Mr. George Elliot (Faculty representatives), Mr. Robert Morris (Administration representative), William Roub and I (Student representatives) were appointed by the Student Government to serve as members of the Court of Appeals for the 1959-60 school year.

Any decision of the Student Government may be adjudicated by the Court of Appeals upon formal application of appeal by a student. The procedure to be used is: the appellant shall file with the Chairmen of the Court a written summary containing the argumentation and evidence presented by him before the Student Government. The Student Government, in turn, shall also file a written summary on the same case, listing the minutes of the meeting(s) concerning the question and the reasons for its decision.

The Court of Appeals will then examine both summaries and decide whether or not further investigation is necessary. If no further investigation is deemed necessary, the Court will render a decision on the basis of the reports filed. If further investigation is necessary, representatives from the Student Government and the appealing group may be called to appear before the Court.

The Court's decisions in all cases shall be rendered by a majority vote. Its decision, if contrary to that of the Student Government, shall be forwarded in writing to the Student Government. Within one week after the Court's decision, the Student Government shall meet to reconsider the question.

The Student Government may override the Court's decision if a two-thirds vote of the Government's membership is obtained in favor of such action. If not, the decision as rendered by the Court of Appeals will be final.

The Court of Appeals is a rather unique organ in college student government in that it acts as a check on improper Student Government action which might be impelled by haste and miscalculation and it is a potential safety valve for individual dissatisfied members of the student body who might be dissatisfied with a decision of the Student Government.

Campus Observer

December 8, 1959

"To The Campus Observer:

We the undersigned believe that there should be some change as to the date of registration between semesters. As of now, most dormitory students have to travel back to school during their between-semester vacation, many as far as 200 miles. This is a great inconvenience, and we definitely feel that some change should be made. We feel that a good date would be that of a dormitory students' last final exam. This would only pertain to dormitory students."

The above was signed by many students from several dormitories. The Observer talked with Mr. Whitby about the situation; Mr. Whitby made the point that the above example would not be fair to other students. He offered the suggestion that dorm students have another student register for them. The idea also arose for dorm students to fill out the large schedule blocks as much as possible before registration, leaving only the actual classes to be filled in by the other students who would register dorm students. This would be a registration by "proxy."

Another objection to the plan proposed by the dorm students is that students would not know at final exams if they had passed all their courses or not. Failure in one course alone would disrupt the early registration.

The administration realizes the hardship that is felt by dorm students due to this registration plan. If any worthwhile suggestion is brought forth to relieve this hardship, and still be fair to ALL students, the Observer is certain it will be used. It must be considered from not only the student angle, but also from the viewpoint of the faculty and the administration.

APPOINTMENT "POLICY"

Have you ever made an appointment with a member of the administration? If you have, you probably have been kept waiting long past the time scheduled for the appointment. Take for example the person who has an appointment at 2 o'clock. Arriving a few minutes before 2, he seats himself for what is supposedly a few minutes wait. Two o'clock comes and goes and still he sits. Two-thirty arrives, the buzzer rings, and someone else gets the nod to enter the office. Finally, your turn arrives, only to find that someone has just arrived that MUST see so-and-so immediately. So you sit and wait some more. At last, you are admitted to the inner sanctum, and the purpose of your appointment is revealed to you.

This practice occurs too often. If a business office were run in this manner, very little if anything would be accomplished. The Observer would like to know if this practice is becoming one of the "Policies" of the school. If so, the Observer suggests that this "policy" be changed.

LETTER FROM KRIS

The Christmas Season has finally arrived. Across the campus and around the town decorations have brightened the scenery and provided a cheery atmosphere. In accordance with the season, the Observer presents a letter in its entirety:

The Campus Observer may be interested to know that my office has received several letters concerning gifts, and I would like to use your column to predict who will receive what gifts. Presents may possibly be distributed as follows: Gordon Roberts, a room in Butler Hall; Steve Cooney, a cigarette smoking machine; Dick Myers, a Silver Cloud Rolls Royce; Dr. Reif, freshmen arriving on time to his classes; Mr. Groh, a large ash tray; Faith Edwards, answers to the Foreign Service exam; Arthur Hoover, more sleep at night; Mr. Morris, his old office; the Beacon staff, a raise in pay; Dr. Gaito, an elevator to his office; Ray Yanchus, a big bag of pop-corn; Marie Realmuto, contact lenses; and lastly, to the student body of Wilkes College, a very Merry Christmas.

Seasonally yours,
Kris Kringle

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

A question has arisen in the minds of several students pertaining to the use of funds by the Psych.-Soc. Club. The Observer is happy to say that about \$100 was used to make a Merry Christmas for three local families. If this donation was not made, these families would have had a bleak and dreary Christmas. Congratulations to the Psych.-Soc. Club for having the Christmas Spirit.

The Campus Observer wishes to extend at this time a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone.

Yours truly,
The Campus Observer

Any formal appeals or questions concerning the Court of Appeals may be addressed to the Chairmen, Court of Appeals, Chase Hall, Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
Michael Bianco
Chairman,
Court of Appeals

GUIDANCE NOTICES

Senior men may pick up their Career booklets at the Placement Office now.

A representative from Parsippany, Troy Hills School, New Jersey, will be on campus Wednesday, January 6, to interview senior education majors in: Elementary edu-

cation, math, science, English and social studies.

VETERANS — NOTICE

All P.L. 550 veterans are advised that forms for the month of December are available now for signature in the Registrar's Office, 1st floor, Chase Hall. All forms must be signed by the start of Christmas recess — TODAY.

SENIORS — NOTICE

All seniors who expect to be graduated in June or in January must see Ruth Bishop, Recorder, in Chase Hall — TODAY.

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Wrestling, Basketball Tonight At Gym

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Bernie Radecki Captures Week's Award for Showing in Wagner Game

Bernie Radecki, senior co-captain and one of the leading point-producers on Coach Eddie Davis' basketball team was named to receive this week's Beacon award.

Radecki has been a bright spot in the Colonels' lineup in all games played to date. Against Wagner he scored 14 points and kept Wilkes in the game at the beginning of the contest. Bernie registered 7 of the first 9 points scored by the locals.

In four games this year Radecki has tallied 49 points for an average of 12.2 per contest and has been a sharpshooter from the foul line, hitting 21 of 28 attempts.

Radecki has been a four year varsity performer on the basketball team and has been one of the leading scorers over the last three years.

Last year he was named the outstanding basketball player on the team in a poll taken among his fellow players.

Bernie is working toward a B.S. in Chemistry and plans to graduate this June. He is married and re-



Bernie Radecki

sides with his wife, Fran, and their two children on Green Street in Ashley.

B.S.T.C. Pinmen Avenge Defeat; Colonel Late Rally Stops Short

Bloomsburg's bowlers took the measure of the Wilkesmen Sunday by a 2581-2465 score. The match game competition was the return meet following the inaugural attempt at such competition at Bloomsburg.

The down-river keglers found the Kingston Lanes to their liking after a shaky start. Wilkes was pressed all the way in the first game, but edged the Huskies by ten pins, 838-828. Dan Lewis with 200 and Dave Sokira with 178 sparked the win. John Huda hit 193 for the visitors and Tom Payne chimed in with 191.

Bloomsburg galloped off to a roaring start in the second match and ended up with 870 to 797 for Wilkes. Anchor man Harry Criswell was tops for Bloomsburg with 212 and Jim Wagner contributed 186. Lewis hit 187 for Wilkes.

Wilkes tried to come from behind in the final match, but let too much ground pass and failed to overtake the Huskies. Bill Watkins rolled 210 and Lewis completed the match with a 192 for the high series, 579.

Identical scores of 202 by the Huskies' captain Bud Weber and Wagner were balanced by the other members of the squad and the visitors won, 883-830.

A rematch, the "rubber" series, will be bowled shortly after the holidays. Additional meets with Susquehanna and the Penn State University Center are in the offing for the Colonels.

Sunday's Scoring Summary

Bloomsburg STC — Harry Criswell 212-539, Jim Wagner 202-532, Bud Weber 202-516, Tom Payne 191-505, and John Huda 193-489.

Wilkes — Dan Lewis 200-579, Bill Watkins 210-495, Dave Sokira 178-483, Emil Petrsek 166-464, and Dick Myers 159-444.

BOOKSTORE NOTICE

Millie Gittins advises that all special accounts at the Bookstore will close today.

Chuck Robbins

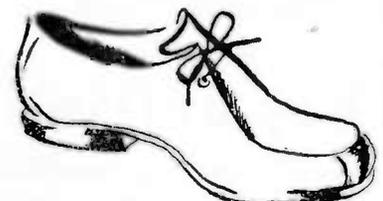
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Smashers Upset Dusters As Blitzes Tie Busters; Flatballs Close Gap

by John Nork

The Pinbusters, in first place in the Coed Bowling League by two games, will be unchallenged for the next two weeks as the bowlers take a well-deserved rest. The action will resume on January 10.

Sunday night saw a surprising upset in the contest between the last place Smashers and the second place Gutterdusters. The Gutterdusters, after two consecutive clean sweep victories, were defeated by the Smashers, 3-1. In other contests, the Pinbusters and the Blitzkriegs each settled for two points, while the Flatballs took 4 points from the Kingpins.

John Sapiego and Marshall Brooks sparked their Smashers victory with a 200-503 and 156-420, respectively. Dick Myers, 207-550, and Dan Lewis, 189-535, were high men for the losing Gutterdusters.

Dave Sokira rolled a 180-512 and Emil Petrsek topped a 211-510 for their Pinbusters as they split four points with the Blitzkriegs. Bob Hewitt and Fred Jacoby shared top honors for their Blitzkriegs with a 217-545, and 196-527.

Jerry Chisarick was high man in his Flatballs' clean sweep over the Kingpins with a 183-524. John Matthey helped with a 168-491. Adam Gajewski, 178-488, and Tom Dysleski, 164-457, were high men for the losers.

The scoring:

Smashers — Sapiego 200-503, Brooks 156-420, Bob Licato 142-409, Bernie Radecki 182-317, Andy Benoska 186-312, Mark Adelson 176-310.

Gutterdusters — Myers 207-550, Lewis 189-535, Bernie Shupp 209-472, Lois Tremayne 148-392.

Pinbusters — Sokira 180-512, Petrsek 211-510, Bob Barovich 157-463, Jim Bogden 178-317, Roger Cease 158-291, Tony Doknovich 140-253.

Blitzkriegs — Hewitt 217-545, Jacoby 196-527, Bill Watkins 196-483, Dave Godsiskowski 159-422, Ed Stofko 135-383.

Flatballs — Chisarick 183-524, Matthey 168-491, Dick Barber 177-474, Anne Ligetti 154-390.

Kingpins — Gajewski 178-488, Dysleski 164-457, Arlene Kuss 160-444, Jerry Kulesa 167-442.

THE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pinbusters	21	11	.656	
Gutterdusters	19	13	.594	2
Blitzkriegs	19	13	.594	2
Flatballs	15	17	.469	6
Kingpins	13	19	.406	8
Smashers	10	22	.313	11

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ALL WORK GUARANTEED

Grapplers Open Season Against Lebanon Valley Dutchmen at 7; Cagemen Also Oppose L.V. Team

A wrestling-basketball doubleheader features tonight's sports activity at the college gym. The Colonels go against the Lebanon Valley Flying Dutchmen in both ends of the twin bill.

Coach John Reese's grapplers open their 1959 campaign at 7 p.m. against a seasoned squad which has seven veterans back from last year's team.

Featured in the Lebanon Valley lineup will be 123-pounder Barry Keinard one of the top wrestlers for the men from Annville last year.

Another big attraction that the Dutchmen feature is 325-lb. Ken Longenecker. Longenecker is a 6'4" senior who is familiar to Colonel fans as a result of his exploits on the football team where he played tackle. He will wrestle in the unlimited class for the Dutchmen.

Coach Reese will unveil his squad for the first time this year to local wrestling fans.

Probable starters for the Colonels include: Booke Yeager, former National Prep champ and YMCA champ at 123 lbs.; Dick Stauffer, last year's MAC champ at 123 lbs., who will move up to 130 lbs.; Capt. Joe Morgan, at 137 lbs.; Ron Bienkowski or Mike Armstrong, at 147 lbs.; newcomer Joe Stretanski at 157 lbs.; Ed Stofko or griddler Glenn Rittenhouse at 167 lbs.; Marv Antinnes, MAC champ at 177 lbs.; and veteran Bob Sislian in the unlimited class.

Ted Toluba, another of Coach Reese's MAC champs, will be out of action for this match due to a shoulder injury sustained in practice.

Immediately upon completion of the wrestling match Coach Davis' hoopmen will take the floor against the Lebanon Valley basketball team.

Coach Reynolds Marquette has his boys off and running this year and feels that they will give a good account of themselves in the MAC conference.

The Dutchmen's attack will be built around five lettermen back from last year's team. Back for another season of play are Hank Vandewater, the team's high scorer last year as a freshman; Sam Butz, high scorer two years ago; Barry Skaler, Steve Wisler, and Allie Kohler.

Last year Wilkes suffered a 91-70 defeat at the hands of the Dutch-Annville.

Monday's Results

Wagner College of Staten Island, N.Y., broke a 7-game Wilkes winning streak Monday night when they defeated the Colonels, 100-54.

The Wilkes attack sputtered and stalled all night as the home forces dropped further and further behind. Wagner hit the century mark with 15 seconds remaining in the game.

Co-captain Bernie Radecki was the only Wilkes player to hit double figures as he registered 14 points for the contest.

Butler vs. Globetrotters
Thursday, Jan. 14
Falcons vs. Warner
Kookies vs. Ashley
Gore vs. Barre

Wilkes Open Wrestling Tournament Dec. 28-29; 300 Entries Expected

The 28th annual Wilkes Open Wrestling Tournament will be held December 28 and 29 at the gymnasium. Often referred to as the "Rose Bowl of Wrestling," the tournament usually attracts 300 or more wrestlers and hundreds of wrestling enthusiasts to the local college.

Some of the wrestlers represent colleges and universities of athletic clubs, while others enter the tournament unattached.

This year, as in the past, four wrestling sessions will be held over the two-day period. The semi-finals and finals will take place on Tuesday, December 29, at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Additional features of the tournament include a wrestling clinic, a tourney banquet, and consolation bouts.

Individual trophies will be awarded to the victorious wrestlers in the various weight divisions and to the winning team.

The Bruce Blackman Memorial, honoring the late sports editor of the Times-Leader Evening News and who was a great wrestling fan and supporter of the open tournament, will be awarded to the outstanding wrestler.

The tournament should prove interesting to fans of the Wilkes wrestling team as the college grapplers enter the competitive field each year.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday, Jan. 5 (7:15)
Hot Rods vs. Marauders
Untouchables vs. Rejects
Rowdies vs. Tabled Ten
Thursday, Jan. 7 (8:15)

Sidewinders vs. Scorpions
Hot Rods vs. Rejects
Marauders vs. Tabled Ten
Monday, Jan. 11 (7:15)

Untouchables vs. Scorpions
Rowdies vs. Sidewinders
Hot Rods vs. Tabled Ten
Thursday, Jan. 14 (7:00)

Rejects vs. Scorpions
Marauders vs. Sidewinders
Untouchables vs. Rowdies

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Monday, Jan. 4 (7:15)
Butler vs. Kookies
Gore vs. Falcons
Barre vs. Globetrotters
Thursday, Jan. 7 (7:00)

Ashley vs. Warner
Butler vs. Falcons
Kookies vs. Globetrotters
Tuesday, Jan. 12 (7:15)

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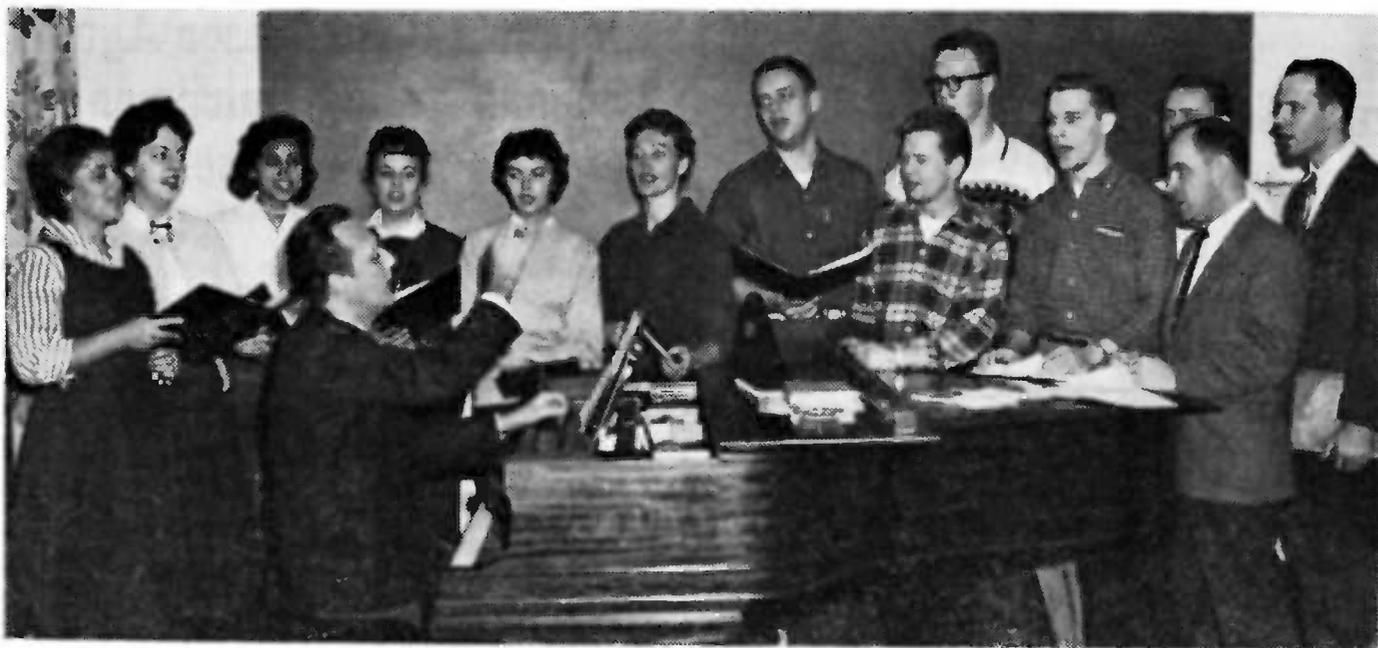
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Madrigal Singers In Town, Gown Concert



CONCERT REHEARSAL — Mr. Richard B. Chapline puts the Madrigal Singers through their final warmup for Sunday's concert. With him, from left to right, are: Christine Bialogawicz, Patricia Lutz, Rhea Politis, Mary Jean Sako-

ski, Beverly Major, Mrs. Eleanor Detroy, Bill Peters, Mickey Wheeler, Ray Nutaitis, Ed Yadzinski, Don Jones, Stewart Waller, and Larry Weed. The program will be held at First Presbyterian Church, starting at 3:30 p.m.

Chapline Leads Group in Rare Medieval Music

Christmas Mass "Proper" Highlights Yule Program

The Madrigal Singers will present the third concert in the ninth annual Town and Gown concert series Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church, beginning at 3:30.

Featured on the program will be performances of Gregorian chant, done in the manner it was meant to be done — unaccompanied.

Mr. Richard Chapline, director of the group, announced that the program will include a group of medieval carols ranging from the "Latin Carol" of the 8th century to "Go Tell It On the Mountain", a Christmas spiritual from the Southern part of the United States.

Completing the program will be the "Proper" of the Midnight Mass from Christmas Eve. This particular mass includes the words and music intended for the first mass of Christmas, which is performed on Christmas Eve.

Members of the Madrigal group are: sopranos: Rhea Politis, sophomore; Mary Jean Sakoski, junior; and Mrs. Eleanor Detroy, well known for her theatrical and musical performances; altos: Beverly Major, junior; Christine Bialogawicz, freshman; and Patricia Lutz, sophomore; tenors: William Peters, senior; Ray Nutaitis, sophomore; and Mr. Stewart Waller, music director of the First Presbyterian Church; basses: Donald Jones, sophomore; Edward Yadzinski, sophomore; and Mr. Larry Weed, college band director and music instructor.

Library Lists Hours, Best Selling Novels

by Cynthia Hagley

During the two weeks of Christmas vacation, library hours will be as follows:

December 21, 22, and 23:

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

December 24 and 31:

9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

December 28, 29 and 30:

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Library will be closed from 5 p.m., December 30, until school reopens on January 4.

New Books

In the past few months, books of all kinds, shapes and sizes have been coming into the library. Some of them are gifts, and others were ordered brand new. Among the new books Exodus, by Leon Uris, and The World of Suzie Wong, by Richard Mason, join the many best sellers our library has accumulated.

Several other books are among the new collection. A biography of one of the most publicized figures in the political world, Richard Nixon, by Earl Mazo, is an up to date edition copyrighted in 1959. As stated in the blurb, "Anyone concerned with American politics to 1960 and beyond—will find this indispensable and absorbing reading."

The Eavesdroppers, by Samuel Dash, is the story of wire-tapping and its practices in crime detection and crime-making today. What the state and federal laws say about this subject and how the private individual can protect himself are topics representing a major part of this book.

Gertrude Stein is the third author in this report. Yale University Press has published many of her fine writings that were released only after her death. As Fine As Melantha is a collection of pieces which the reader must puzzle out for himself.

In the art work section comes a book written strictly for German students. The reason . . . the text is completely in that language. However the beautiful photography work done should not be shoved aside because of this. Der Berg is an essay in pictures about the beautiful mountain ranges of this world. Some of the angles seem to be an almost impossible feat for any photographer.

Collegians Entertain Church, Business Groups; Plan School Appearances

The Collegians, in fulfilling their pre-holiday schedule, were busy these past few weeks serenading various organizations in the city and surrounding areas.

New Play Smash Hit New York Critics Agree

The critics of such miles-apart weeklies as Time and the New Yorker concur in the judgment that *At the Drop of a Hat*, two-man revue by and with Michael Flanders and Donald Swann, resident at the Golden Theatre since October 8th, is the best musical of the new theatrical season. In a rare burst of enthusiasm, Time's Louis Kronenberger saluted the invaders thus: "The two of them are notably British but notably themselves — casual and informal, yet with the timing of the solar system and the teamwork of the Lunts. Altogether, they are as engagingly funny a pair as any nation need ask for or any theatre season expect, and have given Broadway its gayest evening since *La Plume de ma Tante*."

The New Yorker's acidulous and omniscient Kenneth Tynan sheathed his dirk on seeing *At the Drop of a Hat* and called it "two hours of wit, charm, heartease and immaculate timing . . . Mr. Swann is innocence, Mr. Flanders experience, and their coalition is irresistible. There is nothing on Broadway I would rather see twice."

On Monday, December 7, the Collegians' double quartet presented a program for the Hoan Bible Class of the Kingston Presbyterian Church. Tuesday, the Wyoming Valley Women's Club enjoyed a program of song at the First Presbyterian Church. The men were guests at a reception following the program. After having a day off, the Collegians entertained the Anthracite Bankers' Association Thursday night at the Hotel Casey in Scranton.

This past week was even more hectic as they entertained Sunday at the Plymouth Methodist Church, combined with the Women's Chorus. Monday they appeared at the General Hospital Student Nurses Party, Tuesday at Assembly and Wednesday, the Forty Fort Methodist Church. Next week they will appear in the Kingston public schools.

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Dramatists Hold "Open House;" Unveil Renovated Chase Theater

by Wayne Thomas

Cue 'n' Curtain, the college dramatic society, has reached another milestone in its long and interesting history. On Wednesday, the organization held open house, at which time the public was invited to see the new renovations which have been made at Chase Theatre.

This is the first complete renovation in the building since it was first used as a theatre in 1938. Records of great musical shows were played, and members of the society were on hand to answer questions about the theatre.

The members of the dramatic society have been kept busy redecorating the theatre since the project began in October. The entire interior of the building has been repainted and a new stairway has been installed from the stage to the second floor of the structure. Another added feature is the new curtain track which has been installed. Unlike the one used previously, this new installment will allow the curtain to move silently along the track. New costume racks have also been purchased.

Chase Theatre, which was once used as the carriage house of the Chase family was donated to the college in 1937 by Admiral Harold R. Stark as a memorial to Mr. Chase and his wife, Admiral Stark's sister. The second floor of the building was gutted by fire in 1944 and the interior had to be redecorated. No renovations were made

"Hep or Square" — Topic; Dr. Vujica to Give Talk

by Gloria Zaludek

Are college students really square? At the next assembly January 5, Dr. Stanko Vujica will relate his campus observations concerning college students. For this assembly Dr. Vujica has chosen the topic: "The Beat Generation and the Careful Young Man."

Dr. Vujica received his degree from the Universities of Zagreb, Yugoslavia and Innsbruck, Austria. He taught philosophy in Yugoslavia, and upon his arrival in this country in 1947 he began teaching at Wilkes, where he is now chairman of the philosophy-religion department.



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to the main floor of the building at that time, however.

One-Act Plays

Cue 'n' Curtain is planning to perform several one-act plays and also excerpts from plays in the future. Plans are also being made to have a program during which various committees of the organization will explain their functions to the public in order to better acquaint them with the theatre. These performances will be given in Chase Theatre.

The society also conducts workshops every Saturday morning. Everyone is invited to attend these meetings which begin at 9 a.m. Officers of the organization are: Robert Evans, president; Gene Stickler, vice-president; Patricia Ide, secretary; and Virginia Lyons, treasurer. Mr. Alfred Groh is faculty advisor.

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