

EDITORIALS —

Let's Take Off the Gloves

With the entire nation blushing to stuff a jet-age skeleton into its international relations closet, we were privileged to hear one of the country's most distinguished journalists explain what effect the recent hullabaloo will have on the coming summit talks.

John C. Metcalfe was engaged in the fascinating game of espionage himself when he posed as a Nazi-American Bund member to expose the storm trooper tactics by Nazi Germany in this country.

That the pilot of the U-2 jet was trespassing is openly admitted. That the U.S. was caught red-handed in an act of air-space violation and espionage is likewise openly admitted, said Mr. Metcalfe. He further suggested that the U. S. had no other course but to smile and say, "Well, we both play the game, but you guys caught us off-base."

He allayed fears that this incident would have adverse effect on the summit talks because, in his opinion, the talks would not have settled much anyhow. We can heartily concur with this opinion.

The Soviet leaders have indicated a desire to take over the free world by fair means or foul from the time they first took power in 1917. Lenin, Stalin, Malenkov, Bulganin, Khrushchev—what's in a name? All have pursued, in one way or another, the same simply stated goals of the October Revolution.

The only thing the Reds intend to do is keep pressure on the West. They want neither war nor a lessening of international tensions. The former would ruin them, or at least give them control of a devastated, wasteland world if they won. The latter, however, serves their purposes well, as it served them at Potsdam and Yalta.

During the recent world war, the Allied propaganda machine ground out messages of brotherly love towards the U.S.S.R. At the same time, Allied leaders shivered in mortal fear of the consequences of that unholy alliance. They knew that Russia's imperialist designs on what are now its satellite nations would threaten the mutual security of the West and post-war events proved the truth of those fears.

We needed Russia to defeat the Nazis and trusted in diplomacy to contain the big, bad Bear. Diplomacy failed. The Reds got what they wanted and have never let up the pressure to gain the rest of their desires. We knew that they were out to create a Communist empire by absorbing contiguous nations. The creation of that empire is a continuing process. They won't stop, and by maintaining international tensions, they know that we will only continue to make concessions and thus goes the vicious circle.

What's the answer? Nobody seems to know. The fear of a devastating World War III looms as a specter too menacing to risk force. BUT — in every instance of Western insistence the Reds have backed down, or at least made efforts to create tension in another area of the world. If we intend to get anywhere in this grim game of defensive chess, we'd better change our tactics and perhaps some of the rules of the game.

It's time for Western powers to take off the gloves and try a little tough talk. The Berlin blockade failed when the Reds realized that the West would not back down. Berlin is still a sore spot. If our gambits at the summit contained a little offensive spirit — which the Reds are not accustomed to seeing — perhaps they would be forced to try some concessions on their own. Perhaps not, but we do know for certain that a defensive position will only result in more humiliation for the West.

Somewhere the West must throw down the gauntlet and proclaim, "they shall not pass." Berlin is a better spot for such a stand than our own shores. If this be "brinkmanship," then so be it. The time has long passed when the West can take the word of Red diplomats. A strong stand at the summit is the only way we can come home from Paris with any prestige at all. The U-2 incident can be a blessing in disguise if we will only take the initiative and proclaim a firm intention to take positive steps towards providing a defense for Western nations and self-government for all who wish it.

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

Bible Study Group — Bookstore Lounge, Today, Noon.

"There's Nothing New Under the Sun", lecture by Sol Davidson — Osterhout Library, Today.

Golf, Lycoming at Wilkes, Today, 2:00 p.m.

Cinderella Ball — Gymnasium, Tonight, 9-1.

Tennis and Baseball at Albright, Tomorrow.

Spring Weekend Carnival and Dance — Parrish Parking Lot, Tomorrow, 8:00 p.m.

All College Outing — Wolfe's Grove, Sunday, 1 p.m.-9 p.m.

Car caravan will leave Parrish Parking Lot at 12:15 p.m. for Wolfe's Grove.

Tennis at Moravian, Monday, 3:00 p.m.

Wilkes-Barre Philharmonic Symphony Concert — Gymnasium, Monday, 8:30 p.m.

Baseball at Ursinus, Tuesday, 3:00 p.m.

Education Club — Conyngham Annex 101, Thursday, 11 a.m.

Baseball, Scranton at Wilkes, Thursday, 4:00 p.m.

Fine Arts Fiesta Art Exhibition — Public Square, May 19-22. Collegians Dining at 5 p.m., May 21.

CINDY

(continued from page 1) education major and a registered nurse, is the daughter of Mrs. John Brominski, 252 Watkins St., Swoyerville. She is a cheerleader, a member of T.D.R., and the kick line. Her professional nursing affiliations include the Nesbitt Hospital Nurses Alumni Association and the American Nurses Association.

Carol Emanski

Miss Carol Emanski is a terminal student majoring in medical technology. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emanski, 40 Pierce St., Kingston. Miss Emanski has been a Dean's List student and is active in T.D.R. and the Biology Club. She was a member of her class council for two years and the freshman handbook committee.

Doris Gademan

Miss Doris Gademan, a resident of Chapman Hall, is working for a bachelor of science degree in nursing education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee P. Gademan, R.D. 5, Danville. Miss Gademan is an active member of T.D.R., I.D.C., the Court of Review, the Kick-Line, School Spirit Committee, and a member of the Cheerleaders. Offices which Miss Gademan holds or has held are: executive council and charity chairman of T.D.R., dormitory president ('59-60), I.D.C. representative, co-chairman School Spirit Committee, and president of the Education Club.

Mary Homan

Miss Mary Homan of Jackson Heights, N.Y., is a commerce and finance major and a member of T.D.R. and C.C.U.N. At Wilkes she is a resident of McClintock Hall. In 1958 she was chosen April Showers Queen, best dressed girl on campus, and president of T.D.R.

Jocelyn King

Miss Jocelyn King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, 29 Elizabeth Ave., Pompton Plains, N.J., is a business education major who has appeared in Cue 'n' Curtain productions "Born Yesterday" and "A Phoenix Too Frequent." Her other activities include membership in T.D.R., S.A.M., and was former captain of the girls' basketball team.

Lou-Ella Meringolo

Miss Lou-Ella Meringolo, a resident of Sterling Hall, is a terminal student majoring in social studies. She is the daughter of Mr. Louis Meringolo, 59-17 74th St., Elmhurst, N.Y. A member of the retailing club and a former Hampton exchange student, Miss Meringolo was also secretary of the C.C.U.N.

Marie Realmuto

Miss Marie Realmuto, an art education major from Bayside, N.Y., is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Realmuto. In addition to holding the office of secretary of the C.C.U.N., she is also a member of the Education and Art clubs, I.D.C., S.A.M., and the Amnicola staff. She is a resident of Catlin Hall.

Georgianna Sebolka

Miss Georgianna Sebolka is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sebolka, 255 Wyoming St., Wilkes-Barre. She is a music education major who belongs to the Wilkes-Barre Philharmonic and the Young Musicians Symphonette. On campus she is a cheerleader, a member of the Women's Chorus, School Spirit Committee, class council, mixed chorus, and secretary of her freshman class.

Jean Shofranko

Miss Jean Shofranko is an English major and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shofranko, 141 Spring St., Wilkes-Barre. She is feature editor of the Beacon and was chosen Homecoming Princess this year. Her membership in other campus activities have included participation in the executive council of T.D.R., Manuscript association, and yearbook staff.

Raye Thomas

Miss Raye Thomas, president of the chemistry club and a chemistry major from Wyoming, was selected for "Who's Who in American Colleges." She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas, 309 Monument Avenue. Miss Thomas is a cheerleader, a member of T.D.R. and the Women's Chorus.

Editor Announces Amnicola Date

Frank Edwards, editor of the Amnicola, has announced that the yearbooks will be ready for distribution on or about May 25.

This year the 184-page yearbooks are being printed by a local firm. Twelve hundred copies will be available to the students free of charge.

The covers of the Amnicola will be simple in design; and will be done in white and aqua instead of the traditional blue and gold.

Working with Edwards this year were: Beverly Major, assistant editor; Don Bogert, business manager; Joan Leggetts, picture editor; and Eleanor Brehm, copy editor.

P.R.O. Director Honored by State Jaycee Organization

The Pennsylvania Jaycee SPOKE Award, honoring the Top First-Year Jaycee in the state, was awarded last weekend to William A. Zdancewicz, Public Relations Director of the College, and member of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The Jaycee SPOKE in the Wheel of Progress Award represents outstanding service, participation, orientation, knowledge, and enthusiasm toward the scope and purpose of the Jaycee Movement as best demonstrated by a member during his first year in the Jaycees.

The state SPOKE winners now will enter the national competition for the National SPOKE of the Year Award which will be decided at the 40th annual national Jaycee convention to be held at St. Louis, Mo., in June.

Zdancewicz joined the Greater Wilkes-Barre Jaycees in March, 1959 and one month later was appointed to membership on the Board, serving in the capacity of Public Relations Director. He initiated a program to promote the aims and purposes of the Jaycee movement and for his efforts he was named Outstanding Internal Chairman last month.

He became an elected member of the Board of Governors of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Jaycees recently and also has been named to succeed himself as Public Relations Director under the present administration.

A former member of the college division of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Jaycees, he presently serves as its adviser. He is a graduate of Edwardsville High School, and a veteran of the Korean conflict. A graduate of Wilkes, he received his bachelor of science degree in 1958 and is presently continuing his studies here toward a graduate degree in General Education under a program being sponsored by Temple University.

MANUSCRIPT NOTICE

The Manuscript will be distributed on campus early next week. Pickup spots are: Parrish, Pickering, Conyngham, Stark, the Bookstore, and the Library. The Manuscript is free to all members of the faculty and the student body.

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- Personals -

The Inter-Dormitory Council elected officers for the coming year. Elected were: Pete Greenberg, president; Jane Rescorla, secretary; Dave Peters, treasurer.

Rudy Schoenfeld, freshman resident of Hollenback Hall, flew to Atlanta, Ga., and Washington, D.C. last weekend. He has his International Pilot's license and serves as pilot for the Bolivian Embassy.

Larry Williams, senior accounting Bob Washburn, Dick Salus, and majors, have accepted jobs as junior accountants with Price-Waterhouse Company, New York. Peter Perog will be employed as a junior accountant in the Newark branch of the same company.

James Stephens, senior chemistry major, will be working with Hagan Chemical and Control, Inc., of Pittsburgh, as a consultant engineer.

John Mulhall has been awarded a scholarship for Fells Institute of State and Local Government at the University of Pennsylvania; John will be studying for his master's degree in government administration.

(Ed. Note: Persons wishing to insert personal notices in next week's issue, the last of the year, should see Personals editor, Betty Hoeschele.)

Philharmonic Concert Highlights "Pops"

by Frances Olack

The Wilkes-Barre Philharmonic Orchestra, under the direction of Ferdinand Liva, will present its final concert of the season at the gymnasium Monday evening at 8:30. This will be a "pop" concert and will feature the following selections: "The Grand Canyon Suite" by Grofe; Brahms' "Symphony No. 2"; "The Nutcracker Suite," by Tchaikovsky; "Peter and the Wolf" by Prokofiev; "The Music Man," by Willson; and Ponchielli's "Dance of the Hours."

Soloist with the Philharmonic in this traditional "pops" will be Thomas Hrynkiw, freshman music major, who will offer Morton Gould's "Interplay" with orchestral accompaniment.

MARV ANTINNES

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one for being a member of the championship MAC squad and another as outstanding wrestler.

As a finale, he was cited with the Howie W. Davis trophy for all-around excellence.

Antinnes has also been elected captain of the 1960-61 wrestling team.

This is the ninth year the Beacon has picked an outstanding athlete. Other winners, going back through the year, have been: Mike Dydo, Ron Rescigno, Jim Ward, Carl Van Dyke, Jim Ferris, Len Batrone, George McMahon, and Parker Petrilak.

Antinnes' name will be placed on the permanent trophy that is kept in the lobby of the gym and he will be presented with a similar replica for his personal possession. Presentation will be made at Tuesday's assembly.

Lockerroom Chatter

by RAY YANCHUS, Sports Editor

IN MEMORIAM

Neil Dadurka, ex-Wilkes all-around athlete and past president of the Lettermen's Club, died last Thursday at 9:10 p.m. at March Air Force Base Hospital in Riverside, California, of injuries received when his jet plane crashed nose down between two farm houses.

Much has been written in the past few days about Neil and his heroic act of riding his crippled ship over heavily populated areas when he had a chance to eject himself into space and safety — and people have asked, "Why?" Why didn't he leave the plane when he had plenty of time to do so? To answer this question one would only have to have met and talked to Neil once and I'm sure they would have realized, as we who knew him realized, he would have never considered any other outlet.

As we witnessed by his actions on the football field and on the wrestling mat, Neil was never one to turn away from a challenge. Most of the time the odds were stacked against Neil as he continually faced bigger and faster men on the line and on the mat. However, hustle and determination, plus an extraordinary will to win, were always added to Neil's side, and when he put forth his efforts on the athletic scene this extra something sort of evened things up.

I was fortunate to have played football with Neil, thus giving me a personal relationship with him, and one thing I remember distinctly was when we played our final game of the season against Moravian. On a certain play Neil flashed downfield as we were going for a long scoring pass. Neil hadn't scored a touchdown that year and this was his final college game. Both he and the other end broke into the clear as I dropped back to throw. The ball didn't go to Neil and his teammate missed the pass. Neil never said one word to me as he hustled back to the huddle, shouting that we'd get them on the next play.

That's the kind of guy he was, I never knew him to say one unkind word to anyone. His popularity was reflected in his being chosen to co-captain the wrestling team that year and in the opening match against East Stroudsburg he went along for the ride as the football season had ended just a few days before. At the last moment, Neil was asked to wrestle in a trial match. As things developed, Neil went into his heavyweight bout with Wilkes losing, 15-14, and quickly responded with a pin victory to win the meet for Wilkes. Neil won nine and lost two that year as he completely reversed his previous season's record of no wins and four losses. As we sat in the cafeteria one day before the wrestling season started, he commented to me about the insanity of the wrestlers for electing him co-captain after his showing the year before. However, his teammates on the squad realized, I'm sure, as we who knew him, that it wasn't records that counted with Neil, it was his heart, and plenty of heart he had.

Neil's heart can probably be best shown by his meeting with the president of TDR at the beginning of his senior year. He approached the sorority head in the capacity of president of the Lettermen's Club, and he posed this question to her, "What can the lettermen do to help you girls in any way this year? The lettermen are getting the reputation of being slobs," he continued, "can we help in any project, even serve at teas?" And there was the criteria for the year, serve at teas we did, and what's more, we enjoyed it.

THANKS

Thanks Neil, thanks for being you to the end. We'll always remember the contributions you made to the college, to your friends, and to the future generations that will pass on this campus. But most of all, we'll remember the day you gave your greatest contribution to the people you chose to protect, the day you entered the "All-American" honor roll for action above and beyond the call of duty.



Neil Dadurka

Diamondmen Hit Road, Face Albright, Ursinus; Suffer Loss at S.U.

The Colonel baseball team will travel for two games this week before returning to oppose a strong Scranton squad. Tomorrow they don the visiting uniforms when they tangle with Albright. Coach Pinkowski will be trying to shake the away jinx which has been hampering the locals in the win column. Senior George Gacha will probably get the starting bid against Joe Wertz, the hard-throwing righthander for Albright.

On Tuesday the Ursinus Bears will host the Blue and Gold squad. The Bears are in third place in the power-laden Southern Division with a 6-3 record. Jim Whenhold, Ed Savastio, and George Armstrong head the Ursinus batmen while Len Drummond is their leading hurler.

The Scranton Royals highlight the returning game to Artillery Park as the Colonels attempt to avenge an earlier season 6-5 loss. The Royals are the top team in the Northern Division with a 5-1 log. George Gacha will be the sure starter in the Colonels' avenge try. Ralph Hendershot, Walt Folek, Jerry Lawrence, and John Matthey will furnish the power for the Blue and Gold. Bob Meckwood, who is leading the league in strikeouts and earned run average, will get the Royals nod for mound duty.

On Saturday the Colonels lost a 22-5 contest to Susquehanna University. The Crusaders celebrated their Alumni Day by having a fireworks at the expense of the Colonel hurlers.

Nick Alesandro started for the locals and absorbed his first defeat. Gacha, Folek, Lawrence, and again the "Gooch" hurled for the hapless Blue and Gold.

The highlight for the Colonels in the romp was the hitting of Paul "Untouchable" Aquilino. The left-hander finally broke his hit famine by banging out three bingles. Dick Harvey also had three hits, including a double. Bob Ontko and Bill Schutter chipped in with triples.

GYM LOCKER NOTICE

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Ira Himmel Shows Heart, Drive, Paces Netmen to Third Win

Ira Himmel, captain and coach of the Wilkes tennis team, has been named as "Athlete of the Week" for his outstanding play at Susquehanna University. Wilkes emerged with a 6-3 victory.

Last Saturday we saw Himmel fight his heart out to overcome a player who had defeated him previously this year. Jack Wurster, Susquehanna singles netman, had defeated him in a hard fought contest by 6-8, 6-2, and 4-6.

However, on Saturday Ira was determined to come out the victor. The match began with Wurster taking a quick lead over Ira by 4-1. Ira then fought from behind to tie the score at 5-5. Wurster then took the next game plus the first three points of the following game.

The score then stood at 5-6 in games and 0-40 in favor of Wurster.

Ira then realizing his disadvantage clamped down on his opponent and took the next five points to tie the set at six games apiece. Having come back from this deficit of set point, there was no stopping Ira. He put the pressure on and won the next two games, giving him the set, 8-6.

Not being satisfied with this score, he finished off his opponent in a fashionable manner of 6-0. Ira has also defeated singles players from Lycoming and Rutgers.

It was three years ago that Ira started the game of tennis on an intercollegiate level at Wilkes. Since then he has worked hard with the team both in playing and coaching.

Ira is a senior with a major in Commerce and Finance. He resides at Butler Hall and comes from Passaic, N.J. Ira intends to continue his education by attending George Washington Law School next fall. One of his goals is to see the tennis



Ira Himmel

team have their own courts and also possess a winning record. Both of these goals are finally becoming a reality.

GOLF NEWS

The golf team, whose record now stands at three wins and four losses, will host Lycoming this afternoon at two o'clock on the links at the Irem Temple Country Club.

The Colonels will be out for their second win over Lycoming, having defeated them earlier in the season at Williamsport. Tomorrow the team travels to Harpur College, New York, for the Tarpur Tourney.

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Netmen Meet Albright, Close Year at Moravian; Post Third Victory

Tomorrow afternoon the Wilkes tennis team travels to Reading to take on Albright College, one of the top contenders for the MAC title. Albright ran amuck in defeating Susquehanna, 9-0, earlier in the season. The Colonels, whose record now stands at three wins and two losses, will have their last meet of the season Monday afternoon at Moravian College at Annville, Pa.

Last Saturday afternoon the team won its fourth match of the season by defeating Susquehanna University, 6-3, for the second time this year.

The meet saw Steve Klein win his fourth singles match of the

season and several Wilkes rallies as Dirk Dunlap and Ron Biekowski dropped their first singles sets but came on strong in the second and third to win their matches.

In the singles, Owen Francis was defeated by Summers of Susquehanna, 6-0 and 6-2; team captain Ira Himmel downed Wurster, 8-6 and 6-0; Susquehanna's Williams defeated Piccareta, 6-4, 2-6, and 1-6; Dunlap over Snyder, 4-6, 6-3, and 6-2; Bienkowski downed Purcell, 6-8, 6-4, and 6-3; and Ron Bienkowski finished off the Colonels' singles scoring by defeating Rhodes by scores of 6-2 and 6-1.

In the doubles scoring, Summers and Wurster of Susquehanna defeated Himmel and Francis, 6-4, 3-6, and 6-0; Dunlap and Bienkowski won over Williams and Snyder, 4-6, 6-4, and 6-2; and Piccareta and Klein defeated Rhodes and Strayer, 6-1, 1-6, and 6-1 to end the meet.

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Blivets Down Rowdies To Throw League Lead Into Three-Way Tie

by Tom Evans
 "They said it couldn't be done," but the Blivets did it. They pulled the upset of the year by downing the previously unbeaten Rowdies by a 9 to 5 score. This stinging defeat threw the league into a three-way tie between Ray's Recruits, the Rowdies, and the Blivets. The game was close all the way with the lead changing hands three different times. In the sixth inning Tom "Guffy" Pugh blasted a grand-slam home run to ice the game for the Blivets. The former Plymouth ace had three-for-four with six RBI's to lead his club to victory. Gary "the gazelle" Vandenburg astounded the crowd with a circus catch in right-centerfield in the last inning to choke off a final threat by the Rowdies. The way it looks now the underdog Blivets are the dark-horse team. Look for them to surprise the haughty defending champs, the Recruits, and the slugging Rowdies in the playoff games.

STUDENT LOAN NOTICE

Student loans under the National Defense Student Loan program are available for any undergraduate desiring to apply. Application forms for this program are available in Robert Morris' office, first floor, Chase Hall.

These forms must be filled out and returned to Mr. Morris no later than May 30.

Stevens Will Host For CCUN Dance

Next week the CCUN will close out the Friday night dance schedule with a record hop at the gym. The dance is entitled "Rock Around the World," and presents disc jockey Don Stevens, of Scranton's radio station WARM.

Both rock 'n' roll records and popular ballads will be played for the dancers and several contests will highlight the activities for the attendants at the affair.

There will be intermission entertainment and Stevens has promised a surprise guest band specialty number. Contests will include: "find your mate," John Paul Jones, a broom dance, "bunny hop," and Mexican hat dance.

D-J Is No Stranger

Stevens is no stranger to campus audiences. He has a daily record show on WARM from 9 o'clock until noon. He presided over the 1958 Cinderella Ball coronation ceremonies. Prior to joining the staff of WARM, he worked on WBRE radio and television here in the Valley.

His wife is also a former Wilkes personality who was director of publicity for the College in 1958. She aided the Wilkes chapter of CCUN in their national publicity on the visit of Mrs. Roosevelt, who spoke under CCUN sponsorship at a student assembly program.

Dancing from 9-12

The "Rock Around the World" will take not 80 days, but three hours — from 9-12. Soft drinks, potato chips and pretzels will be on sale.

"Kickline" Elects Officers

The girls of the Kick-line have elected officers for the 1960-61 year. Jan Bronson was chosen captain, Peggy Churchill was elected co-captain.

Final tryouts for the organization will be held today at noon. In a project to raise money for new uniforms, the girls plan to operate a balloon sales booth at the Spring Weekend Carnival.

Other officers of the group: Linda Paonessa, correspondence; Nancy Tinklepaugh, publicity; Elaine Kozemchek, treasurer; Sandy Biber and Elaine Kozemchek, buyers.

Judy Alinikoff Heads 1960-61 Cheerleaders; New Members Selected

by Leona A. Baiera
 Next year's cheerleading squad will consist of six new members as a result of last Thursday's selection. Judy Alinikoff, junior elementary education major, has been selected captain of the squad.

Those selected are: Pat Capers, Hannah Janjigian, Terry Makarczyk, Linda Paonessa, Carol Thomas, and Andrea Crease, substitute cheerleader. Miss Beryl Cole, Dean of Women, Miss Marita Zoolkoski, physical education instructor, and last year's cheerleaders made the selection. Mr. Reese, director of athletics, verified their choices.

Other cheerleaders returning to the squad next year are: Rachael Altavilla, Dick Barnes, and Ruth Ann Boorum. Any young men on campus who are interested in participating in the squad to promote school spirit should notify Judy Alinikoff.

Cheerleaders will be notified about future meetings and practice sessions. Judy Alinikoff reports that this year's response for practice proved to be a good indication of school spirit.

Faculty Members Inform Club of Grad School News

In a special program concerning graduate schools, members of the faculty will speak to the Education Club at next Thursday's meeting at 11 a.m. in Conyngham Annex.

This meeting is not just for members of the club, but is open to all students who are interested in hearing about the graduate programs available here.

Both Bucknell and Temple Universities have programs leading to master's degrees which can be obtained on campus through courses offered in a cooperative effort.

Also on the agenda of the meeting is a general explanation of traditional methods of preparing for a master's degree through study on other campuses.

Final Play, "The Tramp," Concludes Stellar Season for Cue 'n' Curtain

by Wayne Thomas

Cue 'n' Curtain concluded a successful season this past week with its presentation of "The Tramp". The play, written by Myvanwy Williams, a member of the Coughlin High School faculty, has a Welsh background and features several members of the campus theatrical group in key roles. On Saturday night, a special performance for the alumni of Cue 'n' Curtain and the incoming freshman dormitory students was given. This performance was especially well received and the playwright was applauded.

Clarinet Clinic Held At College Last Weekend

by Doug Keating

Daniel Bonade, considered the Dean of American clarinet teachers, was guest conductor of a clarinet clinic here last Monday. The sessions were held in Stark 116. The afternoon and evening sessions were broken with a supper held between sessions. Dean Ralston presented a plaque to Mr. Bonade honoring him as an outstanding clarinetist.

Letters were sent to the music directors of 120 secondary schools throughout eastern Pennsylvania, inviting them and their students to attend the affair. William Gasbarro, of the College music department, was chairman of the clinic.

Mr. Bonade has had a distinguished career in music. He began the study of the clarinet at the age of eight in Geneva. Later he entered the Parish Conservatory where he studied under Henri Lefebvre and was awarded that institution's coveted First Prize in clarinet.

After performing with several European orchestras, he was invited by Leopold Stokowski to join the Philadelphia Orchestra, with which he was associated for 15 years.

Following this he served with the Cleveland Symphony, the Columbia Broadcasting Company Orchestra, and the National Broadcasting Company Orchestra under the direction of Arturo Toscanini.

At present, Mr. Bonade is on the faculty of the Juilliard School of Music, New York.

Special Alumni Award

Mary Frances Swigert, senior English major, was presented with a special award by the Wilkes College Theatre Alumni. This is the first year that this award has been given, and the Alumni Association plans to make this an annual presentation.

Dr. Samuel Rosenberg, Dean George Ralston, and Alfred Groh, advisor to the dramatic group, spoke on the growth of the theatre and its significance in a college such as Wilkes. Following the Saturday performance, a party was given for the players by the alumni.

Members of the cast were the following Cue 'n' Curtain participants: Fred Malkemes, Jr., Bonnie Jenkins, Philip Lawler, Jr., David Aston, Stephen Cooney, Joel Harrison, Mary Frances Swigert, Carol Vaughn, Roy J. Morgan, Dolores Amir, and Arnold Popky. Several guest performers also appeared including Jerri Jean and Bonnie Baird, Michael Murphy, and David Kistler.

The play was directed by Alfred Groh, scenic design by Patricia Hemenway, and technical director was Raymond Litman.

Awards Night

The final event of the Cue 'n' Curtain calendar for this season—will be the annual awards night to be held on Saturday, May 21 at 7:30 p.m. At that time, presentations will be made to the best actor, the best actress, the best supporting actor, and the best supporting actress.

The backstage award will also be presented at this program.

All faculty members as well as all interested students are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Cue 'n' Curtain officers for the past year were: Robert Evans, president; Eugene Stickler, vice-president; Patricia Ide, secretary; Virginia Lyons, treasurer; and Stephen Cooney, historian. All of these officers are seniors. Cue 'n' Curtain members voted for new officers yesterday.

- - PERSONALS - -

Two chemistry majors, Robert Verespy and Andrew Benoska, have been offered positions with Bethlehem Steel. Verespy will be employed as an analytical chemist in Bethlehem and Benoska will be in the chemical division of the company at Sparrows Point, Maryland.

Jean Shofranko will be teaching in the Wilkes-Barre city schools in the English department; Frank Edwards plans to teach music at West Pittston High School.

Chemistry major John Sapiego has been accepted for employment by the Hercules Powder Company of Parlin, New Jersey.

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Juniors Choose Dance Site

by Mary Frances Barone

Co-chairmen Bill Davis and Bill Raub have announced that the annual junior class dinner-dance will be held at O'Connell's Twin Lakes on June 2. The dinner will begin at seven o'clock.

Following the dinner, Lee Vincent and his orchestra will furnish the music for dancing until midnight.

Davis and Raub have appointed Gail Hughes and Mike Armstrong as co-chairmen of the program committee. Tentative plans have been made for the evening's program.

Other committees include arrangements, publicity, and tickets. Sally Price and Robert Hewitt are in charge of the arrangements, while Louis Hishack is handling the publicity.

Juniors may purchase tickets for the dinner-dance from Chairman Joan Leggetts and her committee. The tickets are priced at \$3.50 per couple.

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