New Representatives Needed
For Student Government Posts

by Mary DiGiuseppe and Barbara Loretto

The new Student Government members were announced at the first official meeting of the Student Government for the 1961-62 school year, held on Monday evening at Harding Hall. The new members will fill vacancies caused by recent resignations. The date for the election has been set as Friday, October 6. The new term is for the quarter, and Mike Bianco was appointed permanent parlia-

dmentarian. Mike Bianco, a member of the sophomore class, was appointed state chairman of the Collegiate Council for the United Nations.

Executive Will Speak To Interested Students
On "The Obvious"

Louis P. Shannon, manager of the School's Extension Division, has chosen "The Disap-
ppearances of the Obvious" as the topic when he speaks here next Tuesday.

Mr. Shannon is a native of Philadelphia, and at the age of 80, he is one of the oldest members of the University. Mr. Shannon was secured through the office of Dean Ralph of Administration and Finance, and has been the principal organizer for college activities. Reports were also submitted by the publicity, curriculum, and executive committees.

The Student Government was created to consider matters off campus, such as state or federal legislation, and to stress to the student body its importance, which would involve the student body as a whole. Mike Bianco was appointed chairman. Ed Rogalski was put in charge of a Bureau of Public Relations, to investigate the possibility of the Student Government's expanding the bulletin board on the Common.

Special Events Committee

An invitation from the Special Events Committee, The Omega Psi Phi, and Ted Begun and Jim Walters, announ-
ced that a rope-pulling contest between the seniors and juniors will be held at the football game on October 7. Donna Bennett and Mike Jenkins reported that a Student Government sign will be posted at Harding Hall in the near future. Other committees discussed plans for the upcoming homecoming dance, basketball games, and the homecoming football game.

Lettermen Drink to Raffles

The Lettermen's Pre-Season Party will be held today in front of the Octagon student union. The party will be sponsored by the Lettermen's Pre-Season Party Fund, and will be open to all members of the College.

Group to Charter Buses

Buses to take students to away games will be available for the first time this year by the School Spirit Committee. The buses will be available for next Saturday's game with the Pennsylvania Military College, and will be in service until 8:30 p.m. The price of the ticket for this trip to the PMC is located in Chestertown, Pa., will be $3.00. Admission to the game will be free for students on the buses.

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A motion passed at this first meeting was that the new Student Government body. For the 1961-62 school year an official record will be kept of the votes of every Student Government representative on all matters of importance. This will enable interested members of the student body to check on their representative's vote on pertinent issues, to ensure proper representation.

Topics on the agenda included reports from the standing committees. Jim Walters announced that the extra-curricular activities budget has been increased by $47,000, which may be donated to a scholarship fund, or as voted by the Student Government. Jerry Shilanski, representing the School of Music, interviewed the Student Government. Mr. Shilanski proposed that a public address system be installed for use in college activities. Reports were also submitted by the publicity, curriculum, and executive committees.

Jerry Shilanski

This will enable the Student Government to take part in five campus groups in Europe in World War II. Married and the father of four children, he has published several articles and is a great conductor of the U.S. Air Force and U.S. Navy Bands, among others.

Discusses the subject further, Shilanski stated that it is the ob-

tive of the Student Government to increase active participation in campus activities by more colleges nationwide.

In addition to serving as state chairman of the Collegiate Council, Shilanski is enrolled in the liberal arts and is interested in entering the field of journalism upon graduation. For several years in his youth, he was a member of the Student Government of the University of Pennsylvania.

USMC Team Coming

A Marine Corps Officers Selection Team will be on campus Octo-

ber 4 and 5 to interview students who are interested in becoming of-

icers in the United States Marine Corps. This Selection Team will interview students in the upperclassmen in the Commons.

These basic programs are available: two for male students and one for female students. One male program is for freshmen, sopho-

mores, and juniors; the other for seniors and graduates. A female program is open to juniors, seniors, and recent graduates. A male and female program can be had from the Team when it is on campus.
Editorial

"Toy Day" Fulfills Useful Purpose

The annual freshman "toy day", conducted last Friday on campus acquired an added significance this year as the Inter-Dormitory Association transformed the day into a project for charity.

The freshmen were instructed to wear their "Sunday best" and as usual, they attracted the attention of many an upperclassman as they appeared on all parts of the campus on Friday morning. The boys were asked to select the neatest and most unusual toys. The winners were awarded with an exemption from tribunal attendance, but the story does not end here.

This year, "toy day" was only the beginning of a project which was to gradually transform the hearts and consciences of many children, as well as to bring credit to the students of Wilkes, particularly to the freshmen and the men of I.D.C.

Following the noon contest, the freshmen were invited to place their "toys" outside the dormitories for distribution. The boys were then taken by two I.D.C. members to local institutions. Half of the 250 toys collected were donated to the St. Stephen's Home, and the remainder were given to the Plymouth Salvation Army for distribution among the needy.

This project certainly brings a great deal of credit to the college and the I.D.C. members who arranged the project as well as the freshmen who participated are deserving of recognition.

Thanks to them, this year's "toy day" fulfilled not only the purposes of the orientation program, but also brought a great deal of pleasure and enjoyment to those less fortunate. Once again, congratulations to all concerned for a job well done.

From the First Row

Baltimore Chamber Orchestra Well Received by Students

by Bob Kundreskas

The Baltimore Chamber Orchestra under the direction of Elliott W. Galkin presented a varied program of music for the audience. The program was void of the usual "workhorse" generally expected at such presentations.

The opening work, a rarely heard concerto for bassoon, by Pasternak, was a great success. The fact that the ensemble was a first of its kind was a factor. The bassoonists were crisp and the bowings precise.

In the "Concerto for Piano and Orchestra in D minor," by Pasternak, Daniel Abrams proved himself more equal to the demands of the composer. His playing was strong and precise.

Belia Bartok's "Roumanian Dances" followed to the ear. The dances are highly expressive and Mr. Galkin exalted this expressive feeling with precision in detail and various Rubato.

The "Concert Piece for Bassoon and String Orchestra," by Phillips, was another masterpiece. The bassoonists were extremely expressive and the conductor did have, at times, difficulty in keeping up with the scoring. The student body, as delighted as myself with the performance, appreciated their interpretation with their hands.

The warm applause awarded the orchestra upon its completion of the program was well-earned deservingly.

Letter to the Editor

Coed Claims Satisfying Smile; Personality Completes Picture

by Jerry Shalansky

Did you know that Wilkes College can claim the distinction of having "The Most Satisfying Smile in Luzerne County" as a senior coed? Well, we can! Thanks to Lee Boier, who says she has brushed with that certain brand of coed sparkle that transforming pearls that sparkled when she giggled was enough evidence to convince me that I was being used the wrong tooth paste. Necessity to say, I rubbed my nose three times of Lee's brand. I know I can't brush off every meal, but you know those commercials influence one's thinking.

The same thing started way back in 1907 when Lee was a junior at West Portage High School. The Luzerne County Dental Association ran a contest, and guess who? Her "gleamy" smile was undoubtedly one of the contributing factors. "I'm just thinking for nothing back the way adults often do. And, I have to confess, the desire to have always amazed me."

I'd like to have four children someday, but I really can't get to know a child's problem unless we meet on the subject of 'Kids'. I taught in a public school, where only one specimen was a child, and I feel like I'm a small child myself. However, I believe that in order to understand children, "They are constantly surprising; and so innocent, they say anything spontaneously, without thinking it through."

At the beginning of this interview, Lee was worried about how she was going to find enough answers to "what is the proverbial question, "What has your college education done for you?" You do not think Wilkes?" "What would you like to do?" "Be a coed?" She was bubbling over with candid replies.

"I have taught me to evaluate all phases of my life. I now know what is important and what is not. Anyone that does not search for better horizons and higher goals, I think has not learned anything."

"I feel that college has given me as a group an opportunity to be. I have rid myself of prejudice and have become a more well-rounded person because of the many (continued on page 4)
**Booters Have Tough Test With Wagner Today;**
**Gridders Open Against Moravian Tomorrow at 2 P.M.**

**Hounds Feature Passing Attack; Colonels Have Balanced Offense**

The Greyhounds of Moravian College will provide the opposition for the Blue and Gold gridders as they raise the curtain on their 1961 season tomorrow afternoon. Kickoff time is listed for two o'clock at the new Wilkes College Athletic Field. The Greyhounds downed the Colonels, 14-2, in last year's contest and hold a 9-1 series edge over the Wilkesmen.

The Greyhounds started the season last week and were edged by C. W. Post, 21-11. Although they tasted defeat the scouting reports indicate the Greyhounds have a strong team with depth at each position.

For the first time the visitors are operating from the wing-T formation with quarterback's option. Andy Semmel got the starting nod at the quarterback slot last week-end and responded with nine completed passes, good for two touchdowns. Jim Frank, Bill Hino, and Jim Kofman fill out the remaining backfield posts. The Greyhound line shows good size, fair speed and experience.

Of course the Colonels will have to take a backseat to no one as they attempt to bob above the .500 mark for the first time in recent years. Last year the Colonels utilized primarily power plays up the middle to lead their offensive thrust. This season the power is still there but a better-rounded attack is expected.

A sharp passing attack, quarter- back Ted Travis-Bey to Rick Rees and Larry Turl, mixed strategie-

**Lepore Gains Nod as Athlete of the Week**

This year on the Wilkes soccer team the emphasis is on close teamwork. One of the players who exemplifies this endeavor is senior Retailing major, Frank Lepore. "Sweetie Pat," as he is called by his teammates, serves almost as a cheerleader for the team in addition to handling his outside right position with a great amount of skill and determination.

In Wilkes' 1-0 victory over Susquehanna University Wednesday, Frank repeatedly initiated drives that ended with the Wilkesmen hammering at the Crusaders' goal. He was instrumental in the Wilkes scoring thrust, as he helped bring the ball past the Susquehanna defenders into scoring position. Late in the game Frank made several crucial defensive moves as the team stayed off a rejuvenated Crusader attack.

**Ferrismen Perform Well in Clash Against Fast Susquehanna Team**

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The defense was strong with Ted Toluba, Dick Morgan, Tom Toma- lin, Jim Jones, Chuck Weiss, and Erwin Gueifturning in sparkling performances. John Adams registered fourteen saves in scoring his first shutout as a goal-tender.

After this afternoon's game, the booters will have a week's rest before traveling to Easton to meet the mighty Lafayette team on October 7.

**TOUCH FOOTBALL LEAGUE TO SWING INTO ACTION**

John Reese, director of athletics, announced yesterday that the intramural two-hand touch football league would swing into action in two weeks. In the past a bit of student interest has been aroused in intramural play and it is hoped that this year's league will be a good one. All the managing agers should turn in their rosters this week to Mr. Reese. "The sooner the rosters are turned in," Reese said, "the sooner we can get the league underway, and the better the schedule will be."

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Travel, History, Art Offered Through Informative Books
by Gloria Zaluski

Books which the library has recently added to its section of "Reading for Fun and Enjoyment" offer a variety of engaging topics. Among them is John Beck's study of contemporary Siam—the transition from its ancient ways to a type of Westernization. Crime and politics are involved in the lead to a country in which the scents of flowers and incense mingle with an over-thickening miscellany of potbellies; where the chantung of Buddhist chimes is heard with the blare of cowbells, replacing both the latest 'hits'; and where, in an elegant setting of rice fields and jungle, the jewelled spires of royal temples rise above rows of concrete office buildings.

On April 19, 1776, Adam Cooper, aged fifteen, signed the muster roll of the Lexington militia. April Morning by Howard Paset is a story of the unbearable tension of the next twenty-four hours of his life. This is the story of a battle, but certainly no battle story you have ever read. In addition to the portrait of Cooper's coming of age, of his first knowledge of love and death, and of his struggle to triumph over his own youth, it is an account of the heroism of an unheroic people.

For those who practical readers who are searching for new job opportunities, the library has purchased Walter de Sazer's Mak-Ing Pottery. The author offers a series of photographs of the processes involved in this age-old craft. Examples of work by ancient and modern craftsmen show application of method and the inspiration of line and form. Another book for the practical-minded is Metalslax for Amateurs by Peter Mantoni. Contained in it is a comprehensive treatment of the entire art, concise and carefully prepared.

Accounting Club Film
Robert Yetter, Accounting Club president, announced the showing of a sound film entitled, Responsibility Accounting for a Small Manufac-turing Concern. The film will be shown Tuesday in Chase Theater. Admission is free, and it is possible through the courtesy of Arthur Anderson and Company, New York City, Certified Public Accountants. There is no admission charge.

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"God hath not made a creature than can comprehend him.

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WILKES COLLEGE BEACON
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"Roaring Twenties" Dance at Gym; Charleston Costumes Featured

by Lillian Bodkin

"The Roaring Twenties" will be the theme of tonight's dance to be held at the gymnasium. Sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the dance will feature decorations commemorative of the twenties era, including beer legs and boudoir cancles. To further carry out the theme, the chairman of the affair, Jules Heller and Benjamin Weaver, urge all students to wear costumes depicting the twenties.

SERNER ASSEMBLY
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Jill's assembly program. She will attempt to instill enthusiasm in the student body.

That afternoon, a Punch Party will be held in her honor on Chase Lawn from 1 to 3 p.m. All faculty members and students are urged to attend this affair.

JOBS...
CAREERS...
What's the difference between the two?
A JOB
is necessary to earn a living or to supplement present limited income. A CAREER
is a goal that one is working to achieve. Examples include becoming a successful business executive, a university professor, a medical doctor, a lawyer, or a worldwide motion picture producer or musician.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES...
are numerous. They may include becoming a qualified executive, a university professor, or a medical doctor. There are also many opportunities in the field of accounting, finance, or marketing.

We will be holding a career day later this week to discuss these opportunities in greater detail.

STUDENT SKETCH
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thought-provoking courses I have taken. However, at times, I get feelings of inadequacy because I realize how much there is to learn and how little I really know.

"I say what I think and I think that the biggest problem at Wilkes is that most of the students are commuters. I don't think we would come back to Wilkes if I couldn't live in a dorm," she frankly admitted.

"I think the most important thing to be doing is to get more involved in campus life. I feel that commuting hampers social participation and creates a barrier against the unity of students. Perhaps more Student Leaders can help make campus life more interesting for day students.

"The scholastic facilities are very good at Wilkes, but the dating and social scene could use some improvement. Again the dorm-day student barrier comes into the picture.

"The college has grown tremendously, and I have seen much of that growth take place during my three years here. I would like to see a fine arts building erected and possibly a student union," Lee offered as suggestions for further ex-

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