Ten Coeds Vie for Fashion Title

Reduction in Student Defense Loans Result of Rising Tuition Expenses

by Joe Kline

Rising costs in tuition placed in last June an indirect burden upon the administration as it did directly upon the students. The problem for the administration arose out of the student defense loans, the right to which were decided by the students for the defense loans. The administration, desiring to fulfill the needs of the students loans of defense, has been divided equally between the fall and spring semesters.

After very careful deliberation, the students have adopted the following plan to solve the existing problem. Since the remains of the fund would not be enough to cover the demands of all the students, there would be a cut in the allocation of this fund. Either there would have to be discrimination as to who received the loan and who did not, or there would have to be a uniform cut of all loans. Because the latter alternative survived the most fair, it was accepted by the administration, and a uniform cut of all the loans to all upperclassmen. It was felt that time the the students and undergraduates under a great deal of careful pre-college counseling and planning will be necessary to cut out their loans this year.

In order to prevent a similar situation in the future, and to cope with the conditions brought upon the loan operation, the administration plans to grant loans only if the plans are carefully analyzed. Any requests for loans will be carefully analyzed and if necessary will be refused. The College also plans to lower the $500 maximum limit on the loan, because which may be given to a student in one instance. In this way, more students will be able to take advantage of the loan program.

One of the ten College co-eds, photographed above, will be selected as the representative of judges Saturday evening as the best-dressed woman on the campus and will represent the College in Black Beauty Magazine's annual contest to determine who are the ten best-dressed women on the American college scene. Sented, Ruth Friedlander, Joan Smith and Elaine Kosenchak; Standing: Evelyn Platt, Jane Falka, Charolette Levenson, Mary Russin, Gloria Silverman, Lynne Stockton and Dana Saladan. Photo by Hogen Oh

Friedmann, Frynik, Liva To Perform in Fourth of Concert Series

The fourth of a series of "town and gown" concerts will be presented in the College gymnasium at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 10. Mr. Martin Friedmann, who recently played with the Scranton Symphony Orchestra, will be the centrepiece of this violin recital. Participating with Mr. Friedmann will be Thomas Frynik, well-known pianist on campus, and Mr. Enzo Live, renowned as the first cellist of the Wilkes-Barre Philharmonic orchestra but who in this recital will accompany Mr. Friedmann on the guitar, an instrument which he plays as a side enjoyment.

For the first part of the program Mr. Friedmann will play Beethoven's Kreutzer Sonata, after which he will present Beethoven's Kreutzer Sonata, which is the most famous of all the violin sonatas. A special feature of the program will be three Paganini Sonatas for violin and guitar as well as the Vaixtumest, Halade and Polonaise.

All those desiring to attend will be admitted free of charge.

To compete for both the title of Best Dressed Coed and the honor of being one of the "Ten Best-Dressed College Girls in America" the concert will be part of the annual fashion show Saturday evening at 8 in the gymnasium sponsored by Associated Women Students in conjunction with Glamour magazine's annual contest.

The candidates, chosen by an open ballot of the student body and a selection committee composed of A.W.S. members and Mrs. Hervey D. Ahlborn, Dean of Women, will each model an outfit, and an open competition of campus, an off campus daytime ensemble, and an evening dress. The candidates are Lynne Stockton, Joan Smith, Gloria Silverman, Dana Saladan, Mary Russin, Evelyn Platt, Jane Falka, Charlotte Levenson, Elaine Kosenchak, and Ruth Friedlander.

Qualifications

The judges of this year's contest, members of the faculty and administration, are Dr. Bernice Legus, Mrs. Ruth Roberts, Mrs. Doris Schwartzchild, Mr. Stanley Gutin, Mr. Arthur Hoover, and Mr. Livingston Clevell. The winner will be selected on the basis of the following qualifications: "good figure, beautiful posture; clean, shiny, well-kept hair; good grooming - not just neat, but impeccable; a deft hand with make-up (enough to look pretty but not overdone); a clear understanding of her fashion type; imagination in managing a clothes budget; a walkable wardrobe plan; a suitable campus look; individuality in her use of colors, accessories; appropriate look for off campus occasions."

Photographs of the winner in a campus outfit, a daytime off campus ensemble and a party dress will be sent to Glamour magazine. These photographs will be judged in competition with the photographs of winners throughout the United States and Canada. Glamour's editors will be the judges on the campus.

Trip to New York

The ten national finalists will receive a personal gift from the editors of Glamour, an all-expense paid visit to New York in June, and will be introduced to over 1,000 members of the fashion industry at a fashion show previewing Glamour's August issue. The contest winners will be flown to New York via American Airlines and will stay at the Biltmore Hotel. They will be entertained at the theater, for receptions and luncheons, and will receive various gifts.

Glamour also chooses honorable mention winners. Pictures of these winners will appear in a Fall issue of the magazine. These will also receive a personal gift from the editors.

The College segment of the contest is under the general chairman-ship of Maryann Wilson. Other committee members are Barbara Love, Lila Koriko, publicity; Marie Benish, entertainment; Jane Pal-ka, Anita Hovanes, judges; Gloria Zabud, Jo Stogrendahl, rec-ords, Jolene Zabuk."
QUIT BEFORE YOU GET AHEAD

Our society becoming a society of quitters. No longer is it considered sensible for one to do anything even slightly discomforting. If work bores you, go on strike. If your parents expect you to obey or even—perish the thought—to work around the house, run away. If studies require study, quit school. If nothing makes you happy, '(Happiness is here equated with comfort.)'
The "escape trend" has become quite popular during the past fifteen years. What better way is there to make the headlines than by taking an overdose of, by leaping off a, or by slashing one's wrists. What greater thrill is there than hearing a classmate say of you, "Isn't he brave?" Just a week before graduation, he decided studies were a drag so he quit school. I wish I had such courage.

But one wonders whether it is easier to die or to go on living. Are those more courageous who abandon a project rather than persist in its completion? The answer lies in the area of values. If immediate satisfaction be considered more important, then the quitters are the winners.

And in the land of escape continues, we will have a world filled with successful people—immediately successful, that is. At once they will achieve success by suicide, either suicide of body or soul. The world will be successful and dead, simultaneously.

What - Where - When

Mississippi Film — Stark 116, Friday, 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.
Facility Seminar — Commons, Friday, 7:45 p.m.
Sophomore Class Dance — Wilkes Gym, Friday, 9:00 p.m.
Best-Dressed Coed Contest — Wilkes Gym, Saturday, 6:00 p.m.
Basketball, Wampers — Away, Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
Wrestling, Millersburg — Away, Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
Swimming, Millersville — Away, Saturday, 2:00 p.m.
A Heart Beat Dance — American Legion, Saturday, 9:00 p.m.
Town and Gown Concert — Wilkes Gym, Sunday, 3:00 p.m.
Cash for Books — Bookstore, Monday
Education Club Meeting — Pickering 209, Tuesday, 11:00 a.m.
Girls' Basketball, Bloomsburg — Away, Tuesday, 4:00 p.m.
Basketball, Lock Haven — Home, Wednesday, 8:15 p.m.
Swimming, Lock Haven — Away, Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.
Girls' Basketball, Moravian — Away, Thursday, 7:00 p.m.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"Worm Your Trumpet, Gable"

Dear Editor:
Once upon a campus certain of the students, for a number of reasons, decided to establish on campus what was termed an HONOR SYSTEM. The students who desired to introduce the honor code had to introduce the Honor Code to the entire student body. They believed that the Honor Code would not only be to their own advantage but also to the advantage of the student body as a whole. They believed that the Honor Code would prevent cheating on other campuses but in the one or two instances in which a proposed honor code had survived the efforts of various committees and had reached a vote, the ballotting had sounded the death knell of the proposal. Nevertheless, for some unaccountable reasons, the certain students, with indelible stampings on their foreheads, went on with the establishment of an Honor System. What is more, all students on campus underwent metamorphosis and became honorable. What a revolution! Little did anyone suspect the student body was such an Honor System could influence life on Planet Earth.

First of all, on campus cheating in examinations, term papers, quizzes, and exams was completely eliminated. Teachers were no longer called upon to waste their time proctoring examinations and having the wool pulled over their eyes. Second, studies were abandoned; the problem was studied three hours a week for each credit carried simply because such was the honest thing to do. Thus, without resorting to device or to device, every student was graded over 100% on every examination. Of course, with only perfect papers (the class mean being 100%), no student's grade was superior or even above average so that the only mark given was two.

Third, the improved studying on the part of the students made the professors' work easier, so the professors expected for a long time. At first, under the Honor System, the teachers had only to give the students the first day of a semester a course outline, the name of the book, and a set of examinations, attendance being no longer necessary. The students, being honorable, did the work and earned their grades. It is a good thing, installed machines which passed course outlines, prepared class projects, and turned in grades. Examinations being done, the longer needed to be taken and disappeared from the classroom. The administration soon followed except for the director of building and grounds who lingered on to see the cleaning of the buildings. Actually, the students came to realize that their litterbugging, bit flipping, destruction and defacing of property, etcetera, etcetera, were all dissolved and the maintaining the buildings was no longer much of a chore.

What happened on the one campus soon spread to other campuses. That is, the plan of the Honor System as displayed in the United States spread to the common market nations, the British Commonwealth countries, the Arab world, Africa, and finally to the USSR and China. The influence of the Honor System, of course, made W.A.R impossible and thus the military men and women of all nations soon found themselves unemployed along with the Honor System.

Those who were still earning money at some kind of honest labor continued to pay taxes and their honest tax return soon balanced state and federal budgets. Politicians disappeared, and all elected officials soon realized that deficit financing was immoral and soon no government had any debt. At first the unemployment and unemployment problems seemed to rage on, but with no more cheating on relief rolls, no interest to pay for surplus, no war machine to keep oiled, no foreign aid necessary, the national debt dropped and the money woman had enough money to take care of everyone. The communists claimed their dreams had prevailed and certain others thought the world was at last coming to its senses. The plan was formed to cut down expenses and everyone had freedom, joy, and honest, of course.

The place where concern was shown about the situation on Planet Earth was in heaven. Not too long after the Honor System became the accepted status on Earth, Saint Peter's statistics noted an increase of preachers passing through the numerous congregations. The figures were reported to the Jehovah who checked into the state of affairs and immediately called in his first corretor player. "Gabe," said the Almighty. "You'd better warm your trumpet. I guess the time has come to close out that operation on Planet Earth. Those people down there just aren't human anymore."

W. Mahlon L. Poston
Cagers Seek Win from Seahawks; Beat Knights, Then Drop Two Games

Tomorrow evening the Colonels basketball team will visit Staten Island, N.Y., to meet the Seahawks of Wagner College. Last season coach Herb Sutter's quint battered the Colonel five, 88-63, in a run-away contest. Wilkes has never beaten Wagner on the hardwoods.

This year's Seahawks squad boasts six returning lettermen and three fine sophomores. Marty Arna, last year's leading scorer is leading the team again this year with ample help from freshmen Fred McCracken and Klitch and Paddy Mattici referrals. Among their victories this season is a win over powerful Seton Hall University.

On Wednesday, Feb. 13, the Colonels will host the Seahawks in a 6:15 contest. Earlier this season the Warriors stopped the Daviessmen, 85-79, at Williamsport, in a contest in which an unusual number of personal fouls were called.

Get First Win

The cagers picked up their first victory of the season last Saturday as they rolled over a weak Madison Fairleigh-Dickinson, 51-08. Harvey Rosen led the Colonel scoring with 24 points while Jay McAndrew drew collected 18. The loss marked the second loss on successive evenings for the Knights as they lost to King's College on Friday. Sophomore Dick Lewis led the Knights' scoring with 16.

On Monday the Wilkesmen were upset by the flashy Royals of the University of Scranton, 103-73. Sparkled by Little All-American candidate Wilkie Wallace's 40 points the Royals made the game a rout midway through the first half, taking a 57-35 lead at the half and maintaining the margin to the finish. Rosen was again high for Wilkes with 19.

Gardner, Top Athlete, Aids Grapplers' Sur

For this issue the Beacon has selected Wilkes grapple John Gardner as "Athlete of the Week." A 147 pound class champion wrestler, John earned four letters in that sport and was team captain of a fairly strong squad.

This is John's second season on the Colonel mat squad. In his first year with the team, John walked off with the 147 pound class trophy at the Tri-CAC championships at West Chester. In gaining the top spot, John faced two other champions and a fall in the tournament. In the final, John captured the championship by a 3-1 decision over Paul O. Bucknell on a close 1/4 riding time decision. I.

This season the "Leopard" started off slowly, but has come on in leaps and bounds. Against East Stroudsburg, with the Colonels trailing, 15-4, John produced a first period pin to bring things closer at 15-10, and provided the key to a close 17-13 Wilkes victory. In the last outing, against Moravian, John decided his opponent, 8-2.

In addition to his skill as a grappler, John has also proved himself an outstanding athlete on the football team, receiving a halfback for the Colonels this year. Earlier in the year, John was selected by the New York gridiron press. Not only did John gain Beacon College letter, he received an honorable mention from the Eastern College Athletic Conference during the year's campaign. If John chose to, he would also not like to omit considering John Gardner for the CIAA basketball championship if he were at Central.

In his two years at Wilkes John has become well known among the Colonels student body and other team followers for his efforts, and has gained local and conference honors in both football and wrestling. The mat team are always sitting on the edge of their seats waiting and cheering for John. His fine archery work and wrestling ability that John has been selected as this issue's "Athlete of the Week."

Beaten Wagner

Coach John Beyea's grapplers have posted to Millersville this Saturday to oppose the Marauders. The Colonels battled the Marauders to a 14-14 tie in last season. The Millersville squad has posted to a 3-3 record so far this season, including a 16-16 tie with powerful West Chester. Leading the Marauders will be co-captain Phil Loht who has posted a 5-1-1 record so far this season. One of the Marauders' losses this year was to East Stroudsburg.

In the most exciting match of the year, the Colonels rallied to de- feat East Stroudsburg 15-13. The Colonels Teachers ran up a quick 9-0 lead by winning the first three matches on decisions. Freshman Bob Weso- ton and Joe Easley battled to draw, and East Stroudsburg led, 13-4, going into the last three matches. John Gardner pinned his opponent in the first period, and Harry Vogt copped a close 1/4 decision to bring the score 15-13 going into the last match. Heavyweight Bob Herman quickly pinned his opponent and the Colonels a 17-13 triumph.

Last Saturday the Colonels traveled to Moravian and trounced the Greyhounds, 25-3. Ned McGinley started the rout with a 9-6 win over Tom Wilson in the 123 pound division. Both Tim Adams and Dave Puerta decisioned their opponents to give the Colonels a quick 9-6 lead.

Bob Weston, wrestling in only his second varsity match, upset the Colonels lead to 14-0 by pinning John Celery in the second period. Freshman Joe Easley dropped his first match of the year and lost a tough 1:3-1 decision to Moravian captain Dick Bedics. John Gardner decisioned Joe Corga, 8-2, in the 167 pound division to sew up the victory for the Colonels. Harry Vogt re-

unbeaten in the 177 pound class by pinning Len Wilkers, and Jim Easley decisioned his opponent for the Colonels' fine performance by shutting out Bill Libelly, 5-0.

Coach Beyea's grapplers now have a 4-1 record and appear to be strong contenders for the MAC championship.

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Dean’s List: Student, Elaine Collier, Devotes Energies to Yearbook, Music

Planning for the future has become an integral part of Elaine R. Collier’s existence. As the current chief of the yearbook, Elaine devotes most of her energy to the preparation and design of the annual yearbook, which quickly earns her a well-deserved reputation among her peers as a diligent student and prolific writer.

Elaine has spent the last three years planning for that day in May when the yearbook will take its final form. She has been constantly training herself to ensure that the yearbook will be a reflection of her hard work and dedication.

Elaine’s time last year was also spent in planning her marriage to Harry Collier, a graduate of Wilkes who last year served as head of the Alumni while Elaine held her position as Assistant Editor.

A Dean’s List student, Mrs. Collier takes an active interest in music as well. She is a member of the Madrigal Singers, WC Chorus, and serves as organist for the Plymouth Alliance Church. As a current member of T.R.I.B.E., she has served as past secretary of the C.C.A. and is a leader in all the above-mentioned activities. Elaine also manages to work at the Alumni Office on occasion during the school year as well as during the summer months.

When asked about what improvements she would like to see at this college, Elaine’s comments were, “Every college could be more parking lots. I’m very disgusted about the situation. And as for the honor system, I don’t think it’s a good idea and it’s an idealistic rather than a realistic system. After all, an atmosphere of cheating is found in life, beauty, necessity, in anything.”

The McIlvaine editor finds that anyone who urbanizes the campus may be discouraging at times. “There’s a lot more work than appears on the surface,” she said. However, people just don’t believe that it’s possible to be an active member of the student body during the oncoming weeks, especially that of the underclassmen.

Majoring in psychology (she has also taken several French and French courses), Elaine now resides with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray-Ray.

TDR Completes Plans For Annual Valentine Dance at Gym on Friday

The T.D.R. Semi-Formal, "Parade for Lovers," will be held in the gym from 9 to 12 p.m. on Feb. 12, and is open to everyone on campus.

In accordance with the theme, the guests will be either wishing wells and birds. Any couple caught together during the dance may have their picture taken on "the bridge" for one dollar. The highest bid of the evening will be the selection of a queen from the group present. Tickets are three dollars a couple. Music will be furnished for dancing by Donlins' Pennsylvania, and refreshments will be served all during the evening.

Barbara Pileggi, president of T.D.R. announced the following committee for the semi-formal: chairman; Janie Farr, publicity; Laura Blythe, and Rachel Phillips, table decorations; Mary Frances Barone, favors; Erin McGinnis, co-ordinator; Janie Woolbert and Janet Ainsworth, ceiling.

Elaine Collier

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Students Enjoy “Snow” Activities At Annual Pocono Winter Carnival

"Focus" Moves to WARM

"Focus" which has been airing on WARM for the past fifteen weeks will move to WARM as of February 10 according to Livingston Well, creator of "Focus."_letters are used in the place of punctuation.

Runners who will appear on the first show on WARM are Joyce Cavallini, Marshall Brooks, Bob Gallahard and William Carver. Their topic will be, "How Deep Is the Ideological Rift Between Russia and Red China?" Gordon Roberts, executive alumni secretary, will be moderator.

"Focus" is a public service feature brought to the people of Wilkes Valley by the students of the College.

Sophs Hold Record Hop

If you suddenly hear "your" song while walking down the gym floor, don't panic! The music is probably coming from the "Let's Dance" record hop by the student's union. Records will provide the entertainment for this casual affair. The sophomore class is sponsoring this dance, which will begin at 9 p.m. and end at 12 a.m. The admission charge is still only 50 cents. Recently, WILKES JACKETS, Barb and Missie Millen, sponsored "Let's Dance." The proceeds from this hop will be used for the class of '65 to benefit one of their projects.

Student Union Use Lags; Prompts Action by IDC

The frequent use of one of the Student Union has prompted a reminder to all students that the Student Union is open for 24 hours daily. Groups desiring to use the Union should contact Judy Siico. The facilities available include ping-pong equipment, a juke box, a recreation hall, milking machine, and an in-

Despite the long spell of bitter cold weather, the students of Wilkes College, who faced the forces of nature to attend the annual winter carnival held at Buckhill Falls on January 29,Activities began early in the morning and proceeded continuously until late in the evening. The highlight of the day was the new Snowflake Princess. Students vied for the privilege of the skating rink and the sledding hill and skating slopes as well. Cold weather with ideal snow conditions made all these activities very desirable.

As the evening approached, the students were able to relax at the main inn, in order to conserve some energy for the dance to be held in Convention Hall beginning at 9 p.m. Music for dancing was provided by the Rh. B. Allen, and entertainment by the guitarists of John B. Hall and Bernie Cohen. Promotions at 10 p.m., the students made their way back home.

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