Student leaders meet with AIC

Alicia Ramsey selected

by Claudia Hoch

A six-foot-high red heart and a three-and-one-half-foot-high white cupid dominated the scene Friday night, at the TD&R semi-formal held at the Marco Polo Room. Tables decorated with red hearts, white cupids, and red candles complemented the red velvet carpetry against the white walls. Crested goblets bearing the TD&R insignia were given as souvenirs of the evening.

At intermission Alicia Ramsey, a junior (social) senior 65%, was crowned the Valentine Queen by Toni Supchak, a senior from Plymouth. Alicia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, of 252 Park Avenue, Wilkes-Barre, is a business education major, a member of the WKSA Psychology Club and served on Student Government committee. She is also vice-president of TD&R and a cheerleader. As a remembrance of the evening, she was given a gold heart and was presented with a necklace of red and white flowers.

Chaperones for the affair were Dean Alibrown, secretary advisor, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Reif, Dr. and Mrs. Franco Michetti, Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Rapuzzi, Miss Mary Dunasures, and Mr. Peter Nische.

Sixty-five girls and their dates danced to the music of the Symphonettes in the holiday atmosphere. Refreshments consisted of punch and cookies were served.

ICG sets up $100 fund

by ZIG A. PINUS

The Intercollegiate Council on Government announced at the recent Student Government meeting that due to its last successful dance a $100 scholarship will be set aside for any incoming Wilkes freshman for next year. Such action marks the first time an organization will use its profits to sponsor a scholarship fund. The only stipulation for the scholarship will be that the recipient, from a local high school, should demonstrate definite leadership potential. Matt Flas, Student Government president, designated a committee composed of ICG and SG members to initiate the program.

Another important aspect of the meeting was Mike Hamilton's proposal that a committee, involving faculty and students, should be organized to receive school policies and happenings and consequently make revised recommendations. Such a proposal is part of a continued effort by SG to involve the students more directly in school policy making.

Matt Flas announced that a new report from the Academic Integrity Committee, Subcommittee B, is available for all students and can be obtained from Mr. Roberts' office at Chase Hall. The essential result of the committee's action is the recommendation that students and faculty should serve in every committee within the school rather than having many committees restricted to faculty and Administration members.

TD&R's request for money for its own events,产生有更高的概率。
Dear Editor:

I am writing to complain about the absence of cigarette machines on campus. In an age when educators across the country are proclaiming the absolute desirability of cigarettes as an aid to smoking, this is nothing short of criminal.

There is a health factor here, too. I know someone who has noticed the edge on the campus, trying desperately to reach a cigarette machine. He has grown quite serious. Only the fast-thinking response of a chain-smoker who was able to make smoke into a study aid kept him from going out.

You can imagine my added consternation in finding that our school system does not cover nicotine fits. Such is the double-edged sword of prejudice wielded by our archaic Administration.

Stephen Robertson '68

Feats of Clay

We see that the popular press is scolding Mohammad Ali again. It should surprise none by now. The press is always making poor excuses for any fighter, good or bad, that Ali fights. There can be only one reason for this practice: Ali is the most popular of all the traditional sports heroes that America has grown to expect. Ali holds unpopular views, and the press is hoping that somehow 'God will punish him' or something. Perhaps it is time that we realize skill has something to do with success and give some credit to someone who is undoubtedly tops in his field.

WHAT WHERE WHEN

MANUSCRIPT FILM EARRINGS OF MADAME DE... - CPA Tonight 7:30 and 9 p.m.

CHERRY TREE CROP Letterman's Club Gym Tonight 9:12 p.m.

BASKETBALL Wilkes vs. Moravian Home Tomorrow 8:45 p.m.

WRESTLING Wilkes vs. Dickinson Home Tomorrow 7 p.m.

SWIMMING Wilkes vs. Elizabeth Away Tomorrow 7 p.m.

CONCERT 1967 Intercollegiate Gym Club Festival Temple Tomorrow 7 p.m.

CONCERT Shamandah Junior Choir CPA Tomorrow 8:30 p.m.

LECTURE CURRENT THAI AFFAIRS Hon. Sukhnarninninden, Ambassador from Thailand King's College February 13 7 p.m.

BASKETBALL Wilkes vs. Susquehanna Home February 20 8:15 p.m.

SWIMMING Wilkes vs. St. Joseph Home February 21 2:44 p.m.

WRESTLING Wilkes vs. Ithaca Away February 22 8 p.m.

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College gung-hos plans for Washington crossing
by Helen Dugan

Now must students are aware of the great honor that has been bestowed upon the College this month. For the first time in the history of the event, the George Washington Day Wing-Ding Committee of the greatest Wilkes-Barre area has chosen the Wilkes campus as the location of its annual celebration in commemoration of our beloved first president. Since this is also the first time this particular celebration has been held anywhere, the College will be following forth in all its hopes that this will become a yearly event on campus.

The festivities officially began this morning with the crossing of the Susquehanna bay by the faculty of the history department. Unfortunately, the department was unable to find a boat large enough to accommodate the eager throng and was forced to use three row boats, two canoes, and one kayak all held together by Dr. Cox donning his famous Southern "swim-for-your-life" stroke.

In spite of transportation difficulties it was a majestic affair as the uniformed heroes pushed off from the shore...and then off to the oil drums. The magnificent scene was interrupted momentarily when the lead canoe hit a snag, sending George Washington (whose real identity is still being sought) rather abruptly into the dust. But the landing three hours later was still exciting despite the rather solemn dredging procedure that was going on for the president.

At a ceremony, "Washington — The Surveyor," a math major was supposed to have been selected to point out the exact location, longitude, latitude, area, etc. His exhausting study was culminated in an informative lecture held following the infamous landing. A rather unfortu-

ate situation did happen though when the I.M.R. computer popped a screw and coughed out the name of Marvin Sandop - Push - comma: 38 instead of the senior — cum: 3.89 that was requested. The error was not a catastrophe though and the lecture turned out to be an extremely inter-

esting one. Who would have believed that Wilkes College is located 38° lat-
titude, 2955° longitude and slightly southwest of San Diego, California?

Meanwhile, on campus, the student body is still awaiting the arrival of the 30,000-pound cherry tree that the stu-
dents are planning to plant as a sur-

prise in Dr. Farley's front yard. The dedication ceremony is scheduled for 3:15 p.m. and the historic chopping down of the tree for 3:30 p.m., fol-
lowed by remarks by Matt Floss on the home system. The festive activities will be held through Wednesday, and it has been noted that advantage has been taken of the sentiment and patriotic senti-
ment by various individuals of the College. Flyers have been found say-

ing: "If you love your country, you'll love your college P. R. department!

which no one understands, but

the Republicans in college are looking into the situation. Also, Dr. Cox says that if he wins the pie eating contest tonight, he will take his Concord-less, flag-de-

signed underwear off the Chaise Hall flag pole. Such tactics are rather un-

fair but seem to be working well.

Various Washington-oriented activities are planned for the beginning of next week, but the Highlights will be Wednesday night when the Wing-

Ding Committee will officially close its program. The closing will be a spectacular firing of some faculty or Administrative member (please let me know if you know), and that of George Washington slept.

The Bying tribute will be grappling an olive branch in one hand, thirteen arrows in the other, and the American flag in his heels. Volunteer(s) for this honor are now being drafted. And as the disappeared olive branch, the flag(?) descends from the Class of 51, and the last of the tree splinters are removed from Dr.

Farley's living room, the committee will withdraw from the campus with what we hope will be satisfaction from a flawless patriotic affair.

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CHERRY CHOPP EXHIBITS COX AT GYM TIGHT

Carol Olnokinski

The annual musical event, the Cherry Tree Hop, will be held tonight at the gym. The dance, sponsored by the Lettermen, will feature pie-eating and log-sawing contests at inter-

vals. Music will be provided by the Rising Sons from 9 to 12 p.m.

Dr. Harold Cox, upholding the honor of the South, will attempt to consume more pie than Jay Hulliday, Bill Layden and Breece Cannon. The copy-

ing Lettermen will match their brawn against Dean Ralston and Mr. Evangelista in the log-sawing event.

Prizes for this event, which is sponsored by the Lettermen, are for the Lettermen's scholarship fund, which grants a full tuition scholarship to an incoming freshman on the basis of need, academic ability, and partici-

pation in athletics.

Tickets may be purchased at any Lettermen or at the door.

by William R. Mason

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Cagers capture fifth win while losing three games

Bob Thompson

A week ago Wednesday the Col-

onels lost to their arch rivals Lycom-

ing, 100-92. While the Colonels played one of their best games of the season, as always against Lycoming, but were unable to stop the Warriors on their home court.

While the Colonels had trouble finding the mark, Lycoming had trouble missing, especially in the sec-

ond half. Lycoming opened with a full court press, but the shooting of Freshman Bob Ockenfuss soon stopped that. The Colonels were down Coach Rainey's charges with his height ad-

vantage and accurate shooting.

Chuck Sample was high for Lycom-

ing with 32 points. He scored a goal from midcourt on a desperate throw at the half buzzer and also at the final signal. The big difference in the game was on the last five line where Ockenfuss picked up 20 points to Wilkes' 8. High for Wilkes was Dale Nicholson with 18 and the Colonels had a large lead, aware of Drew's prowess, started his second team.

Intramural fives start third week of winter action

by George Pastush

After two weeks of intramural basketball league action, four teams are setting the pace for play-off hon-

ors. Leading the pack are the Nut-

crackers and F Troope, both with identical 4-0 marks. Close behind are Wing F and National Garages, with 3-1 and 3-2 records respectively.

F Troope, in a switch of strategy, banged up three impressive victories last week. First, they came through with a 102-43 win over the Trojans, 64-27 to the steady scoring of Joe Koteza who popped in 23 points. Henry Colon led the Indians with 18 markers. Their next victory came over the highly-touted Trojans, 54-42. Coach Conolly led F F Troope with 20 points while Rich Simonson accumulated 15 points for the losers. Closing out their week schedule, F Troope came out on top over National Garages by a slim margin of five points. Captain Vrasel, led by F Troope with 22 points while Fred Bauer led National Garages with 23 points.

In other top games the Nutcrackers took the record at 5-1. Lefty Morgan, 95-33. Harry Morgan set an intramural season high in that contest, hitting for 37 points. Paul Morgan also aided the Nutcrackers with 35 points. Haima Hall van-

quished the Trojans, 62-53. Prewell and Hodes led the win with 16 points while Kashner had 21 points for the losers.

Led by Dave Peterfreund, they man-

aged to hold a 5 point lead despite a poor shooting percentage. At the ten minute mark Mike Smith came to the floor taking the first string and the Colonels left with a 12 point half time lead.

The first string began the vapour half and quickly built up a big lead as the Colonels coasted to their fifth victory of the season.

High for Wilkes was Daniels with 21 points Jim Smith garnered 17 de-

cider playing with a face guard to protect his broken nose and Dale Nicholson chipped in 15.

Last Saturday night the cagers dropped an away contest to Upsilon, 73-67, after pulling within points with five minutes left.

The loss brought the Colonels' re-

cord to 5-1 on the season. Dale Nicholson led the team's scoring with 20 and rebounding with 10. Return Daniels came up with 12 points and 12 rebounds. Also scoring in double figures for the Colonels was Jim Smith with 13 points.

(Scranton)

Last Monday the cagers dropped a home contest to the Scranton Universi-

ty Royals by a 74-62 score. The loss was the twentieth against five wins for the Colonels.

The Colonels reached into their bag of tricks in an effort to stop the Royals. In the first half, the Colonels enjoyed a one-man slow down offense which worked fairly well. The team used a four man screen along the base line and let Reuben Daniels, alone outside, to try for a clear shot. The net result was Daniels seven goals in nine attempts. This was coupled with a tenacious defense which kept the ball away from the high-scoring Rhett Jenkins, who had only ten counters on the night.

The team then came away with a victory except for the outside shooting of guards Moylan and Melofchick. They were held to 22 of 37 on the Royals' 42 at the half. Midway through the first half, Coach Nat Volpe substituted with Scott since Jenkins plays only offense and did little of that in the half.

The strategy for the vapour session was different for both teams. Wilkes spread up and narrowed the margin to four and six points through most of the half. The Royals, to protect their lead, began to slow down the pace.

If the first half was a disaster for Jenkins, the second half was worse. The few times he got the ball - after shooting at his teammates to feed him - he either missed or fumbled the ball. The Colonels, however, were unable to capitalize on Jenkins' mistakes because of their own.

With less than a minute to go, Scranton held only a 6-point lead. They froze the ball, and Wilkes was forced to feed Melofchick and Moylan both sank one pointers. With an eight point lead the Royals could gamble on sending their guards long on Wilkes shots. The gamble worked and the result was three easy layups, well back on the hatter, and that was the ball game.

High for Wilkes was Daniels with 22 on 10 for 15 from the field. Fresh-

man Bob Ockenfuss played a good game defensively blocking several shots and pulling down 10 rebounds. Jim Smith collected 12 assists for the losers. For Scranton Moylan was high with 51 points.

Colony grapplers conquer Lycoming

The Colony grapplers kept their winning streak going by downing a highly rated Lycoming squad, 18-9, at the Warrior's gym last Saturday night. The victory brought the grapplers record to 9-0 on the season.

The Colonels jumped off to a fast 5-0 lead in the early weights as John Marlin and Steve Krachenske both won decisions.

At 135, the Colonels Jim McCormick, undefeated in several matches, lost a 9-2 decision to Lycoming's Ron Taylor. Coming through with an upset was Mel Fleming for Lycoming in the 160-pound match against Wilkes Dick Cook. Fleming came out with a close 6-5 win.

All of the bouts went the distance as the evenly matched squads were unable to register any pins. The Colonels came out on top in six of the bouts while the Warriors captured three decisions.

Krachenske, John Weniard, Barry Gold and Fran Oleyx all remained undefeated. Oleyx once again showed superior skill as he decisimated a man outweighing him by 40 pounds.

Results:
135 pounds - Marlin (WI) decisioned Soonger 6-2.
130 pounds - S. Kaschenske (WI) decisioned Conry 13-7.
137 pounds - Taylor (L) decisioned McCormick 9-3.
145 pounds - Cruse (L) decisioned Marshall 6-5.
152 pounds - Johnson (L) decisioned Feorde 7-3.
160 pounds - Wendi (W) decisioned Daceau 7-3.
167 pounds - Fleming (L) decisioned Gaugh 6-5.
177 pounds - Gold (W) decisioned Cone 11-2.

Heavyweight - Oleyx (W) decisioned Feorde 5-1.

Sharok garner honors for his aggressive play

Bob Thompson

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