I. R. C. Represented at Regional Meeting

The twelve-man delegation departed for the 16th annual convention of 400 Pennsylvania College delegates last Thursday and returned tired and exhausted on Sunday. After the smoke of political strife had cleared, the Wilkes I.R.C. members again found themselves in prominent positions in the MODEL CONGRESS. Louis Bonanni, president of the Junior Class and a Political Science major, was selected as assistant regional director for the Northeastern Region of the I.R.C. at the annual meeting in Harrisburg last week-end.

Two other Wilkes delegates served in the capacity of clerks on various committees. Jerome Reynolds acted as the clerk for the Labor Committee while William Crouch acted as the clerk for the Committee on Natural Resources.

John Murtha was also appointed a teller for the election of speaker involving the election of Ed Duester from Dunston, St. Vincent's, and Haverford.

The club is presently making preparations for the WSSP auction which will be held at the Lodgian on Friday, June 26. The auction will be sent to the WSSP which in turn aids students in the colleges abroad.

Charles Caffrey will arrange social evening meetings with the members of the club participating on the panels on present controversial topics.

2. Spotlight on 1-Ac#ts: Warmouth Shows Skill

The Cue 'n Curtain presented its first attempt at "Experiment-at-Theatre" last Wednesday and Thursday nights at Chase Theatre. The Wilkes College "Trip" included "False Adventure," an original play by Dale Warmouth, "Bert Stein Silent," a comedy of his own, and "Wilson-Sarrel." "False Adventure," a melodrama, presented Dale Warmouth in the dual role of actor-author. The author, who also directed the show impressed his casting abilities. In spots the lines of the play were vaguely reminiscent of Anerson or Pry. Warmouth's play played to a packed house because of its dramatic punch, but the occasional superfluous line, and the ingenious stagecraft were more than sufficient to "make" the play. Terry Turison played the show and delivered the best performance of the evening with her portrayal of "Rose Mary." the typeface of the first love of all men of every generation. Dale Warmouth, appeared as the lead; Wayne Maidral was the chief supporting actor.

The remainder of the cast included Helen Brown, Joseph Keen, Jeanette Fosco, Elaine Began, Peter Marco, Robert Stackhouse, and Leo Kan. The second play, "Refund," was directed by Troy Andronaco. Ed Wallisoff turned in the top performance of a group which was universally good. Bert Stein Douglas, Robert Whitehead, Matt Ristin, David Whitney and Robert Ladd have all been mentioned as possible applicants for vacancies on the Wilkes faculty.

The third play, "The Surname of Sariel," was, according to the program, "a beautiful dream play." In the audience was a group of friends. Shirley Salsburg received a few wood lines, and the group of friends was a supple test for "the old woman." The cast included Diana Campus, Ann Belle Perry, Ann Ann, Sam Melles, Irene Jankel, Shirley Salsburg, Betty Brettell, and Shirley Williams. The play was under the direction of Peter Marco.

The supervisor of production of the one act was Alfred Groh. The stage manager was Jack Goldsmith. The lighting, which was good, was done by a student. The costumes were designed by Peter Marco. The players were all well directed.

3. INTRA-MURAL NEWS

Ten teams competed in the Volleyball Tournament two nights last weekend at Chase Theatre.

The Pick Ups, made up from a group in the gym, won the tournament laurels. They defeated the Easts and the Wests in the semi-finals, and won the championship by knocking off Cook's Tones in the finals, two games to one.

Dennis and Rettie starred for the losers in the finals. Gritsko and Oliver sparkled with the win.

The Pick-Ups included the following players: Ed Gritsko, Herb Katon, Bill Lewis, Bill Johns, Lou Kruell, Lionel Dandiek, and Chambers.

The softball league, under the guidance of "Harry" Moran, will begin activities on April 24. Six teams have entered the league. The games will be played in Kirby Park and will start at 4 p.m.

Go out and get over and cheer the boys on! "WSSP.""
CAMP POCHOHONA SAFARI

By ANITA JANICHER

Sometimes in March the Library staff decided to have an outing. After diligently persuading the Farmers' Alliance: they decided to hold it on Sunday, April 12. The weather was beautiful, and everyone was excited. It was a lovely day, and the idea of a picnic in the woods was a welcome change from the usual routine.

The picnic was held at the camp of the local Boyscouts, who had kindly agreed to host the event. The boys had prepared a delicious meal of hot dogs, hamburgers, and salads, along with plenty of drinks and snacks. The atmosphere was lively and cheerful, with everyone enjoying each other's company.

After lunch, the group went on a nature hike, exploring the surrounding woods and enjoying the beauty of the natural scenery. The hike was challenging but rewarding, and everyone appreciated the opportunity to get some exercise and connect with nature.

The evening concluded with a bonfire, where the boys shared stories and songs around the flames. It was a wonderful way to end the day, and everyone left feeling energized and refreshed.

The next day, the group returned to the library, energized and ready to tackle their upcoming tasks. The picnic had been a successful way to unwind and recharge, and everyone looked forward to the next opportunity to experience something new and different.
Colonels Gain First Win, Beat Powerful Team From Ithaca, 5-4

The Wilkes Colonels defeated a strong Ithaca team last Wednesday afternoon, 5-4. The team from New York held a 1-0 lead after two innings, but the Colonels came back with three runs in the third to go into the lead. From that point on, the Colonels were never behind. John Zigmund allowed 11 scattered hits and was never in serious trouble. He also scored what proved to be the winning run in the eighth inning when he doubled on an error by the end basemen.

The Ithacans scored first when Leonard and Weiss walked. Yancey forced the pitcher out and out, but stole second to score. Lampell doubled to score Leonard. Zigmund then forced the pitcher to ground out to first, and Strickler struck out the lead off man, Gilberti, to end the inning. Wilkes came right back in the run. Zigmund struck out, Ransdallfbusch flied out to left, but Harton drew a base on balls. He stole second base and

error. They tied the score in the seventh when Der Cola reached first on an error, stole second and scored on Yancey's single.

Wilkes scored the winning run on Zigmund's double and a subsequent Ithaca error. Yancey threatened in the eighth and ninth, but Zigmund was too tough with men on. The winning pitcher was Zigmund, the loser Carline. Kiskakisa started for Ithaca and lasted three and one-third innings. Colonels too over in the fourth and fifth innings with the box.

Kernels from the Colonels—

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"We do a horse act"

Choral Club Makes Hit At Tuesday Show

On Tuesday morning, members of Wilkes College heard an entertain ment program put on by the Choral Club at the assembly. The program was directed by Dr. Cobleigh, head of the music department.

A first rendition of the choral group was that of the Waltz Scene, from Gounod's operatic adaptation of the drama, Faust. The three solists who participated in the number were Nancy Boston, soprano, as Marguerite; Jane Westland, baritonne, as Mephistopheles; and Helen Bilker Han cow, as Siebel.

The Jewel Song, taken from a scene where Mephistopheles presents Marguerite with a chest of jewels, was sung as a solo by Carlie Jane Thomas.

Following this beautiful aria, Mr. Westland sang Valentine's Song, and another well-received number, arising from the scene in which Valentine, Marguerite's brother, implores God to protect his sister

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Student Council Meeting of April 17th

The meeting was called to order by President Rob Elson.

Mr. Elson read two pending acts before the Pennsylvania Legislature, the first regarding loyalty oaths, and the second setting up a committee to investigate indoctrination of students into Communism. Mr. Goldstein moved that we act in such a way that it be made known that the Council vigorously oppose both bills.

There were Cinderella committee reports.

Mr. Lewis moved that the Sophomore Class control Freshman trials, with upperclassmen to participate in the hazing. Mr. Cathro seconded, Mr. Reynolds amended to read "subject to the approval of the Student Council" and Miss Menegus seconded. Mr. Lewis accepted the amendment. Mr. Cathro amended it to read "and that the rules and regulations be made by the Sophomore Class" and Mr. Lewis accepted the amendment. The original motion was carried.

Miss Menegus moved adjournment, and Mr. Whitney seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Connie Smith
Secretary

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HAUGHTY HOMER HACKS HALLOWED HALLS,
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SPECIAL TO THE BEACON

"Memo this!—We're just going to have to do something about the lack of spirit in these campus organizations," bellowed J. B. Coon, vice-chancellor of Kliryo University.

His secretary nodded approvingly, jotting down three pages of shorthand, and left the room. She was back in a minute in a rush in a heat.

"Mr. Coon, Mr. Coon! Homer Bones of Wilkes College just arrived on campus. He has solved the spirit problem in campus organizations throughout the country. Perhaps he can help us."

"Yes, yes, indeed! Show him in! Show him in!"

Homer swaggered into J. B. Coon's office, took the offered chair and smiled knowing.

"Look here, Mr. Beeson," began J. B. Coon, "this situation is getting out of hand. We have to have bigger turnouts and more spirit in the organizations on campus. What can you do for us?"

"Bones is the name, Homer Bones."

"Sorry, B. B. but I'm pretty well shaken up about this—You don't mind the 'B. B.' do you?—fine. What can you do for us?

"How's your enrollment?"

"Dwindling. Down to a mere skeleton—oh, pardon me. It just dropped out. We were once robustly overcrowded. Our school was famous and had much tradition. Kliryo was here when—oh—why are you giggling, B. B."

"Sorry, I was just thinking of an old Army expression."

"Keep it clean, boy."

"Oh, it's clean. What were you saying about enrollment?"

"Yes, B. B. it's just this: the spirit on campus is at an all-time low. Membership is dwindling too much."

"I think I can handle your problem quite easily. Now as I understand it, your problem is to get students to meetings. Am I right?"

"Gad, what a mind! Yes, you've hit the problem on the head, B. B."

J. B. Coon, Homer beamed.

but how do you propose to solve it?

"Quite simply. As you know, most normal and abnormal students love to have their pictures taken. My plan is simply this: each time you want a turnout, simply announce that pictures are to be taken. And when that method wears out, you can begin using a camera, then a flash bulb, and finally, as a last resort, you can put film in the camera."

When Homer ceased pounding on the desk, he sank back into his chair and pulled forth his hillfold.

"B. B. Coon kissed Homer's hand and gave him a quick shoe shines."

"H. B., you've solved our problem; you've cleared the case; you have done it! Oh, how can I repay you? How? HOW?"

"B. B. towed with his hillfold, smiled, and counted his $5,000."

"Tell me B. B. Tell me! I'll do anything."

Homer recounted his money. The secretary knocked and announced that the reporters and photographers from the campus newspaper were waiting to interview Homer.

"You mean I'm going to be interviewed and my picture is going to be taken?" asked Mr. B. B.

"They page spread!" bubbled J. B. Coon. Homer beamed.

The Bloodmobile will arrive on the Wilkes campus in about ten days—Wednesday, May 2. It will be on campus from 12:00 to 6:00. So save up your blood and be ready for the Bloodmobile when it comes. You'll feel good by knowing your blood helped save someone's life.

NOTICE!

The Gymnasium will mark the scene of the United Nationalities Pageant on Sunday, April 29. The cause is something we should all be aware of and active in each day. Plan to attend the special event.