

*The Board of Trustees  
The President  
and The Faculty of Wilkes College  
are especially privileged to welcome  
Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson  
at the*

*Dedication  
of the*

*Wilkes College Research and Graduate Center  
at two-thirty in the afternoon  
on Saturday, the eleventh of January  
Nineteen hundred and sixty-four*



# wilkes college convocation and dedication of the research and graduate center

Friday, January 10

Saturday, January 11, 1964

Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania





“WIDER REGIONAL HORIZONS  
through  
education and research”

Friday, January 10

12 Noon

LUNCHEON — Hotel Sterling  
For the Convocation and Dedication Committees and Participants

2:00 - 5:00 P.M.

OPEN HOUSE — Stark Hall, Research and Graduate Center

5:30 P.M.

**Regional Development — A Local Challenge**

ADMIRAL HAROLD R. STARK, *Master of Ceremonies*  
*Chairman, Wilkes College Board of Trustees*

DR. EUGENE S. FARLEY, *President, Wilkes College*  
“Defining The Problem”

ATTORNEY ANDREW HOURIGAN, JR.  
*Past President, Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce; Member*  
*of the Wilkes College Board of Trustees*  
“The Community Efforts — Past”

MR. THOMAS H. KILEY  
*President, Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce; Member*  
*of the Wilkes College Board of Trustees*  
“The Community Efforts — Present and Future”

DINNER — Wilkes College Commons (by special invitation only)  
*Because of the limited facilities, invitations must be restricted.*

8:15 P.M.

**Regional Development — A State Challenge**

MR. JACK BUSBY  
*President, Pennsylvania Power & Light Company*

HONORABLE WILLIAM W. SCRANTON  
*Governor of Pennsylvania*

Wilkes College Gymnasium, South Franklin Street

saturday, january 11

12 NOON

LUNCHEON

**Education, Research and Economic Development**

MR. DONALD F. CARPENTER

*Manager, Films Department  
E. I. DuPont de Nemours and Company, Retired*

"Research and Economic Development"

MR. MILTON J. SHAPP

*President, Jerrold Electronics Corporation*

"Education and Economic Development"

Wilkes College Commons (by special invitation only)

The College has always held a profound conviction that the Community and the College are vitally interdependent. Through this civic luncheon the College will in part express its appreciation of the neighborly feeling that has been evident in all facets of the Community. (Because of the nature of the luncheon and limited facilities, invitations must be restricted.)

2:30 P.M.

**Regional Development — A National Challenge**

ACADEMIC PROCESSION ..... GORDON ROBERTS  
*Accompanist*

INVOCATION ..... DR. JULE AYERS

WILKES COLLEGE CHORUS ..... RICHARD CHAPLINE  
*Conductor*

REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER ... HON. DANIEL J. FLOOD

"Regional Redevelopment as a National and International Challenge  
in Our World of Peril and Hope" ..... DR. FRANK P. GRAHAM  
*Chairman, Area Redevelopment Administration;  
Representative of United Nations to India and Pakistan;  
Former President, University of North Carolina*

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE UPON  
WALTER SAMUEL CARPENTER, JR.

DEDICATION OF RESEARCH AND GRADUATE CENTER

BENEDICTION ..... REV. HERBERT G. NAHAS

RECESSIONAL ..... GORDON ROBERTS  
*Accompanist*

*The audience is requested to remain until the  
Academic Processional is completed.*

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