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Colonels won the initial Lambert Bowl award in 1966 but lost it to Wagner by a narrow margin last year despite an equal 8-0 record.

In the most recent balloting for 1968, Wilkes drops

will be made at a later date. Also to be presented at the dinner will be the Lambert Trophy and the Lambert Cup.

Wilkes led, 6-0, with the kick for extra point failed. About midway in the second period, Wilkes got on the score-board again but nobody knew at the time that it would be the last time in the game. Yeager set up the score with a 16-yard run around Skvarla's left end position and with two more run had a first down on the

Ted Yeager Aids Wilkes Top PMC

Mini-back Ted Yeager, former Southern Area gridiron star, now has piled up 510 yards on 112 carries for Wilkes College this season.

Yeager aided the drive for the Colonel's first six-pointer in the 34-0 victory over PMC College. Yeager and Rich Simonson reeled off 31 yards in the drive that saw Joe Skvarla grab a toss from Simonson for the TD.

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Longest Win Streak: Wilkes Eyes 29th

The president says the coach deserves all the credit and the coach says you have to hand it to the president for courage and determination, and both of them say it couldn't have been done without the kids. The kids? Well, they just go out each Saturday and hit hard for 60 minutes.

That, simply, is how you build a winning streak—the nation's longest college football winning streak—and it belongs not to Southern California, not to Yale, not even Ohio U. It belongs to the Wilkes College Colonels, the "Big Gold Machine."

Sports Special

By Phil Pepe

Wilkes is a liberal arts college of 2,400 students, of which less than 1,000 are men and 88 play varsity football. The school is located in Wilkes-Barre, in the hard coal region of Pennsylvania, that section of the country where football is more a cult than a sport.

THEY GROW THEM big and tough there and the Colonels have a clear field to the best of the crop—after Alabama, Ohio State, Penn State and even the Ivies have skimmed the cream off the top of the bottle.

"The kids we get," says coach Rollie Schmidt, "are too small for big time competition or a step too slow or didn't get any recognition in high school.

If those are the leftovers, nobody at Wilkes is complaining because tomorrow the Colonels meet Lebanon Valley in their last game of the year and a victory would run their consecutive victory string to 29.

IT WASN'T ALWAYS that easy. Less than a decade ago, Wilkes had permanent residence in the basement of the Middle Atlantic Conference. Then something happened. According to Wilkes' president, Dr. Eugene S. Farley, that something is "one darn good coach" named Rollie Schmidt.

"Until we got him, we were always on the bottom of the pile. Nothing has changed to account for our success except the coach. In fact, before he came we were considering dropping football because we felt our failure was demoralizing to the students."

Like most college presidents, Dr. Farley is quick to point out the academic side of Wilkes, placed among the nation's top 92 colleges in academic standing by a Columbia University survey. The cumulative average of the football squad is 2.41, above the school average, and a representative player is Brinley Varchol, who, in addition to a 3.87 average in math, was a tough middle linebacker on last year's squad.

COACH SCHMIDT throws his bouquet at Dr. Farley as a man of courage and action by pointing out that he lifted Wilkes from a school with one building and 60 students in 1946 to its present academic—and athletic—eminence.

The coach minimizes his contribution because he was a loser in 15 of his first 23 games. "I used to toss and turn at night wondering when we'd win a game," he recalls. "Now I toss and turn worrying how I will react when we lose a game. Will I congratulate the other coach or punch him in the nose?"

The Wilkes legend grows. An increasing number of pro scouts have found their way to the tiny campus, specifically to keep eyes on Bill Layden, 6-2, 230 defensive tackle; Joe Skvarla, 6-2, 190 split end; and Joe Wiendl, 5-10, 175 safety.

AND THE WILKES legend has found its way north to Vermont. When the Colonels played season, they were greeted by the U. of Vermont earlier this banners which queried, "Who the hell is Wilkes?"

They got their answer . . . a 31-9 pasting.

Phil Pepe, former columnist for the World-Telegram and World Journal Tribune, has joined THE NEWS sports staff. His colorful inside stories will appear on these pages regularly.



— AP Wire Photo

WILKES COLLEGE HONORED — Coach Roland Schmidt accepts for Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, a Washington Touchdown Club trophy for an outstanding small college football record. Wilkes has the longest winning streak of 29.

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Hold Banquet For Gridders At Southern

Parents of football players and Southern Area Boosters Association last night co-sponsored the banquet for Southern Columbia Area football team.

The program began at six o'clock in the high school auditorium where films of the Tiger contests, taken by Rev. Jerry Haupt, pastor of the Catawissa United Methodist Circuit and active booster, were shown.

At 6:45, mothers of the football players presented a short play depicting how a football camp would be operated if mothers were in charge. The humorous sketch included the coaches as well as the players.

Dinner

A roast beef dinner was served in the cafeteria at seven p.m., with Rev. Jerry Haupt offering grace and following the meal the group returned to the auditorium for the program of the evening.

Harold Dalious, school director and active booster, presided and conveyed congratulations to the coaching staff and team on their 6-4 season from Gerald C. Hartman, supervising principal, who was unable to attend the banquet.

Aerio M. Fetterman, high school principal, spoke to the group and welcomed the parents and boosters to the meeting. He, too, congratulated the team and the boosters for their work in making the football field possible.

George Leffler, booster president, introduced the officers of the association and mentioned those who were responsible for the work on the field.

Charles Nesbitt, athletic director at Southern and also assistant football coach, spoke briefly.

Coach Sarra

Head Coach Joseph Sarra introduced the senior football players and their parents, and the undergraduate members of the team the their parents. He praised the work of the squad during the season, saying it was a team that played with determination and one he was proud to have coached.

Yeager Speaks

Ted Yeager, former Southern Area speedster and now known as the Wilkes College's miniwonder, who during the past season piled up 577 yards rushing for the Colonels, told the group about the transition from high school to college. He noted that because he played football he was able to be on campus two weeks before other students which did much for his orientation to college life. Ted is third leading ground gainer in the MAC league aiding Wilkes College to retain possession of the longest current winning streak in college football — 29 victories.

Wilkes has been named winner of the Lambert Bowl, an award presented annually to the top small college team in the East.

Penn State Coach

Earl Bruce, freshman football coach from Pennsylvania State University whose career covers 40 years with 17 in high school and 23 at Penn State, spoke to the group on the four points that make good football players — intelligence, speed, attitude and perseverance.

Dr. E. A. Rodriegus, Elysburg, and team physician who attended all the home contests was introduced and spoke briefly.

Honored guests at the banquet were Earl Bruce, members of the football squad, Aerio Fetterman, James Smith, Ted Yeager, Rev. Jerry Haupt, Ralph Wolfgang, Richard Roberts, Sr., Lee Yeager, and Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Rodrigues.



TIGER PARENT-BOOSTER BANQUET—Principal participants in the Southern Columbia Area banquet last evening honoring the Tiger football squad are, from left, George Leffler, president of the boosters; Joseph Sarra, head football coach; Ted Yeager, former Southern player; Earl Bruce, Penn State University coach; Harold Dalious, director and master of ceremonies, and Charles Nesbitt, athletic director and assistant football coach.
(Morning Press Photo)

Football Statistics

After PMC

	WILKES	Opponents
First Downs	113	66
Number of Passes Attempted	147	175
Number of Passes Completed	67	66
Number of Passing Yards Gained	984	738
Number of Passing Touchdowns	10	0
Number of Passes Intercepted	13	19
Number of Rushing Plays	355	270
Number of Rushing Yards Gained	1,408	815
Number of Rushing Yards Lost	103	261
Net Yards Gained Rushing	1,305	554
Total Offense	2,289	1,292
Number of Punts	38	60
Punting Yardage	1,534	2,132
Punting Average	40.7	33.8

Individual Passing:	**Attempted**	**Completed**	**Yards**	**TD**
Rick Simonson	103	50	758	6
Joe Zakowski	34	15	198	4

Passes Caught:	**No.**	**Yards**	**TD**
Joe Skvarla	42	742	9
Barry Davenport	16	166	0

Rushing:	**T.C.B.**	**N.Y.G.**	**Avg.**
Ted Yeager	112	510	4.5
Vince Yarmel	79	262	3.5
Rick Simonson	42	139	3.3

Scoring:	**T.D.**	**P.A.T.**	**F.G.**	**Total**
Joe Skvarla	9	0	0	54
Dave Kaschak	0	18	3	27
Joe Wiendl	4	0	0	24
Ted Yeager	3	0	0	18
Vince Yarmel	3	0	0	18
Rick Simonson	2	0	0	18

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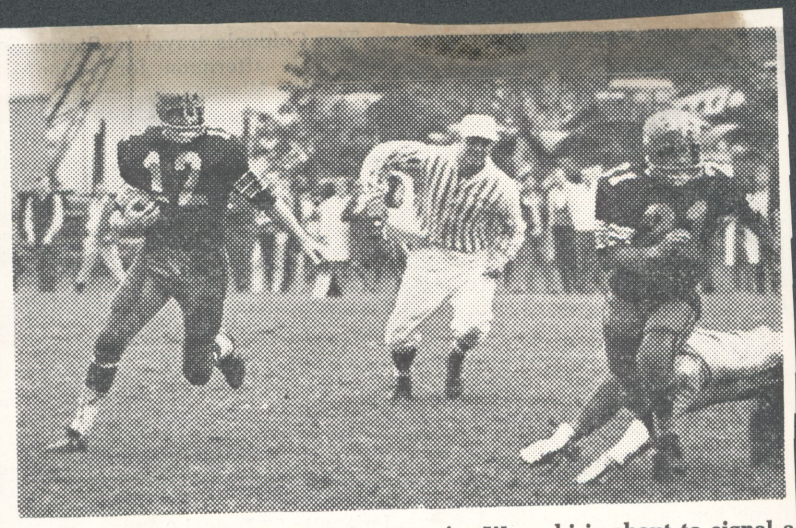


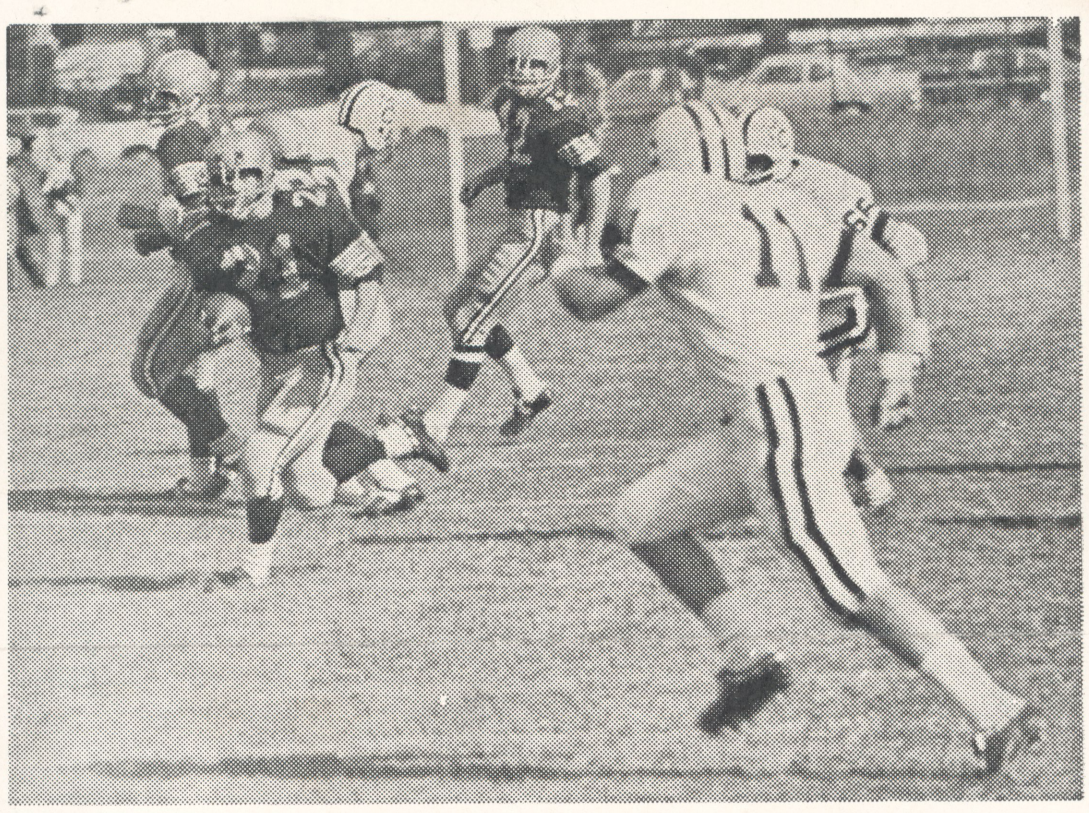
THAT'S A NO NO. Umpire Kazmier Wysocki is about to signal a penalty as he notices an infraction in last weekend's victory. Quarterback Rick Simonson is trying to sweep the end as Ted Yeager provides the blocking.



Ted Yeager (21) picks up a few yards for the Colonels in yesterday's Itha
tilt. (Photo by Strinkoski)

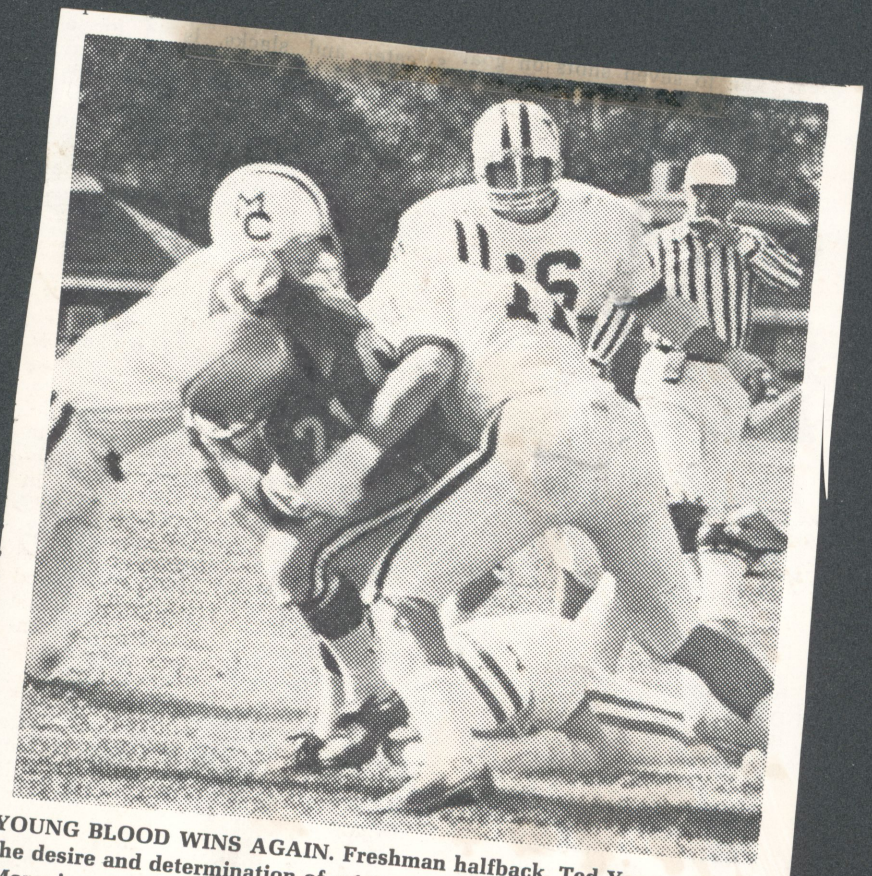


Wilkes College's Pat Malloy, left photo, returns interception for touchdown against PMC yesterday while Colonels' Rich Simonson, right photo, prepares to execute the option play (Strinkoski Photos).





Wilkes' halfback Ted Yeager (21) attempts to escape a Delaware Valley defender yesterday. (Photo by Strinkoski)



YOUNG BLOOD WINS AGAIN. Freshman halfback, Ted Yeager displays the desire and determination of a 148-pound halfback in a game of giants. Moravian captain Greg Seyfert and an unidentified Greyhound combine efforts to down the Colonel back. Yeager gained 114 yards on 19 carries in Saturday's 40-0 romp.

Gridders to Be Feted at South'n Area

Parents and the Southern Area Boosters Association will co-sponsor a banquet for the High School football team on Sunday evening beginning at seven o'clock at the school cafeteria.

The featured speaker will be Earl Bruce, assistant football coac at Penn State University. Remarks will also be given by former Southern football standout Ted Yeager, who had a remarkable fresh season with the undefeated Wilkes College football team this fall.

Master of ceremonies for the affair will be Harold Dalious, a school director and active member of the Boosters Association. At six o'clock Rev. Jerry Haup will show a film of the Southern football games this season.

All parents, interested fans and boosters of the Southern Columbia foothall team are invited to attend the gala affair.

Seek 22nd Triumph

Wilkes Opens at Vermont

This Saturday will signal the opening of another grid season for the Colonels of Wilkes College. To gain their 22nd successive triumph the Wilkesmen must get by the University of Vermont Catamounts.

The loss of Little All-American Bob Mitchell, who rewrote University of Vermont and New England rushing records, along with top-flight ends Jeff Kuhman and Keith Keiderling has greatly depleted the Catamounts offensive strength. There is no significant sophomore offensive backfield help but plenty of new faces for the line. The Catamounts should shine on defense. Their size is impressive. Battling on their own home grounds and with 25 lettermen returning the Catamounts will be a tough opener for the Schmidtmen.

The Wilkesmen invade the State of Vermont with one of their best teams in history. Thirty five returning lettermen and a host of newcomers give the Colonels balance at every position.

The two linebacker spots, left open by the graduation of Brinly Varchol and John Jarvella, are still up for grabs. This position is looked upon to be one of the few problem areas for the Colonels. Jim Loveland, Gary Hegel, Charles Graziano, Pat Malloy, Tony Cardinale, and Harry Hoover are all fighting for the starting nod. P. J. Kane and Mike Connolly, both three year veterans complete the linebacker portion of the 4-4-3 Wilkes defensive alignment.

The "Flagrant Four" of Bill Layden, John Howe, Joe Koterba, and Paul Merrill appear ready to go after a tough scrimmage with Princeton. The defensive backfield of Joe Wiendl, Jay Holliday and Dan Malloy are tops in any league.

The offensive machine is set with ends Mike Babuschak, Joe Skvarla; tackles Ed Burke, Bruce Comstock; guard Ang Loverro, and center George Conway should be rough and mean after their bout with the Tiger. Three players are vying for Joe Roszkos' vacant guard spot. Either Les Loveland, John Chaump, or Bernie Mallon will be holding down the starting position on Saturday.

The starting offensive backfield as in the past is still a question mark. Coach Schmidt will choose his starting four from Joe Zakowski, Dave Kaschak, Vince Yarmel, Charlie Fick, Barry Davenport, Joe Frappolli, Bob Gennaro, Rick Simonson, or Aldo Farnetti.

The **Beacon** announces the selection of freshman halfback Ted Yeager to the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference All-East Division III Team. Yeager was selected on the basis of his outstanding performance at Moravian last Saturday. The 5'6", 148-pound scatback gained 117 yards and scored two touchdowns in the Colonels' 40-0 romp over the Greyhounds. Yeager was the only freshman to be named to the squad.

Yeager Starts Wilkes On Way to 22nd Win

Ted Yeager, former grid standout at Southern Columbia High School, broke loose on a 65-yard run the first time he got the b all Saturday to score the initial touchdown for the Wilkes College Colonels as they defeated the University of Vermont, 31-9, in the game played at Burlington, Vt. It was Wilkes' twenty-second straight victory.

Yeager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeager, Catawissa, is a 150-pound freshman back with the Colonels and it was his first college game.

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Smeltz After Downs' Stock

Pocono Downs, Incorporated, 504 First National Bank Building, was named defendant in an equity action instituted at the courthouse yesterday to compel it to abide by an option to sell stock in the corporation.

Plaintiff is M. David Smeltz, 3814 Kingsley Drive, Harrisburg, an area in Susquehanna Township.

Complaint avers Pocono Downs was first incorporated on or about January 27, 1961, as Anthracite Raceway, Incorporated, and on or about May 23, 1963, its name was changed to the present one by amendment of its articles of incorporation. It is alleged that on August 3, 1962, plaintiff and defendant, then known as Anthracite Raceway, entered into a written agreement giving Smeltz, an option to purchase 10 per cent of the authorized stock of the corporation at 10 cents a share and the right to purchase 10 per cent of any additional shares which might be issued in the future on the same terms per share as any other stockholder or officer shall receive.

Complaint adds that under terms of the agreement the option was to be exercised within 60 days from the issuance [illegible] racing license [illegible]

Ted Yeager of Wilkes Makes All-East Team

New York, Oct.9 (AP)—Ends Dick Knight of Norwich and John Cook of St. Lawrence were named today to the weekly small-college Division III football team of the Eastern Conference.

The other linemen chosen were Bob Morris of Lebanon Valley and Tom Oberst, Union, at the tackle positions, Jim Simonelli of Penn Military and Joe Asconi, Wagner at the guards, and Bill Assenheimer of Alfred at center.

The backfield is made up of quarterback Jay Bernadoni of Trinity, halfbacks Ted Yeager of Wilkes and Wayne Huntsinger of Drexel and fullback John Nice of Delaware Valley.

Yeager and Nice will be opponents Saturday when Wilkes plays Delaware Valley at Doylestown.

Yeager, 145-pound speed marchant, carried the ball 19 times and gained 114 yards and two touchdowns in the Colonels' win over Moravian last week.

Meyers Cross Country Team Upset by Abington Heights

Kim Baxter of Abington Heights set a new course record of 13:28.4 yesterday as the first three men across the finish line broke the previous record when Abington cross country defeated Meyers, 21 to 36.

Top Meyers runner was Ed Zarenski who finished in third place. The Meyers junior varsity was led to victory by Robert Petyo who finished with the time of 15:04. The Junior High Mohawks also racked up an impressive victory with Gay Aston, [illegible] and Gene Davis [illegible] first three places. [illegible]ed behind Abington at an invitational meet ea[illegible] lier in the season, but this l[illegible] marked the first time the M[illegible] varsity ever lost a dual [illegible] The two teams will mee[illegible] Crenango Valley Invit[illegible] Binghamton [illegible]turda[illegible]

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Ted Yeager, all Susquehanna Valley Conference selectee at Southern Columbia Area High School last fall, has earned a starting halfback slot on Wilkes College's traveling team, Wilkes-Barre, and is making his presence in college football ranks known.

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During his high school football career, Yeager was a prolific runner. He also excelled in wrestling, narrowly missing sectional and district titles in his three years of varsity competition.

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game and third MAC Northern Division Championship.

Varchol made the All-East weekly teams four times and in his final season gained All-MAC and All-State First Team honors. The Wilkes alumnus will also serve as an assistant to Coach John Reese during the grappling season. He is slated to begin teaching math in the Wilkes-Barre School District this Fall. Varchol is happy to again be a part of the winning athletic program at Wilkes. He will be primed for the offense.

"Brinley having been brought up with our system can add immeasurably to our overall program. His love for the game will help our squad," expressed a very enthusiastic Roland Schmidt.

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quarterback spot when Zakowski got injured.

Frappolli showed his running ability in last week's 28-19 victory over Ithaca College here. On the first play after he was inserted at quarterback, he rolled out to his right and ran for 20 yards to the seven-yard line.

The Wilkes offensive line will have something to prove this week as they had trouble getting started last week. Two of the four scores turned in by the Colonels in last week's contest were made by defensive backs, Joe Wiendl and Jay Holliday. A third was set up by one of the three interceptions made by defensive back Dan Malloy.

The Wilkes defense, proud of its record of allowing less than a touchdown per game, bent a little with the Ithaca Bombers and gave up 19 points. The front four of Bill Layden, John Howe, Paul Merrill and Joe Koterba will be out to play halfback in the Upsala backfield, if they can.

The linebacking crew, including Mike Connolly, P. J. Kane, Pat Malloy, Jim Loveland and Harry Hoover will also have its work cut out as Upsala boasts some fine running and a great passing attack. The Vikings have a 3-1 record this season and would consider it a successful year if they could knock off the Colonels.

Meanwhile, Wilkes knows it must win and win big to stay in the lead for the Lambert bowl or a post-season bowl game. This week the Colonels led the balloting for the Lambert award again but fell from 78 to 75 points. King's Point, third last week, climbed to second this week, with 71 points, only four behind the Colonels.

Wilkes received five of the first place votes this week compared to seven last week out of a possible eight. They grabbed two second place ballots and strangely, one fourth.

At the same time, the Colonels did not place a man on the Eastern College Athletic Conference All-East team despite some outstanding performances, including Dan Malloy's three interceptions and Wiendl and Holliday's touchdown runs.

Wilkes College Wins 29th Game

Many in the area saw Ted Yeager, former Southern Area speedster aid Wilkes College in their 23-16 victory over stubborn Lebanon Valley on Saturday afternoon. The game was televised locally over Channel 16.

It was the 29th in a row for Wilkes as they annexed their fourth consecutive share of the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern College Division title at Ralston Field.

Wilkes, 6-0 in the MAC, shares the crown with Albright, which defeated Upsala, 28-0, to finish its MAC season at 7-0.

Yeager Helps Wilkes Keep Streak Intact

Ted Yeager of Catawissa had an instrumental part in the drive that set up Wilkes College's field goal which salvaged a 9-7 victory over Upsala over the weekend as the Colonels ran their win streak to 26 straight.

The former Southern Columbia standout displayed some fancy footwork in moving the Colonels on runs of 16, 6, 4 and 2 yards until the Viking defense held and Dave Kaschak kicked a field goal from the 37-yard line, his third three-pointer of the year.

Yeager was the Colonel's workhorse carrying the ball 21 times for 82 yards. The 145-pound mini-mite has now gained 400 yards in his freshman season.

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Former Southern Columbia Gridder Cops All-Star Post

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The backfield is rounded out with quarterback Jay Bernadoni of Trinity and fullback John Nice of Delaware Valley, and Wayne Hunsinger, Drexel.

Linemen chosen included ends Dick Knight of Norwich and John Cook of St. Lawrence, tackles Bob Morris of Lebanon Valley and Tom Oberst, Union, guards Jim Simonelli of Penn Military and Joe Aconi, and center Bill Assenheimer of Alfred.

Quarterback Steve LaMore of RPI was named sophomore of the week.

Yeager was an outstanding ball carrier for Southern High elevens last year and in 1966. He excelled as an explosive type runner for which he attracted much attention from collegiate talent scouts. Yeager sparked Tiger teams to victories on runs as distant as 70 yards and did an equally good job on defense.

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Still missing from the workouts and definitely in the holdout category is Al Butler, the

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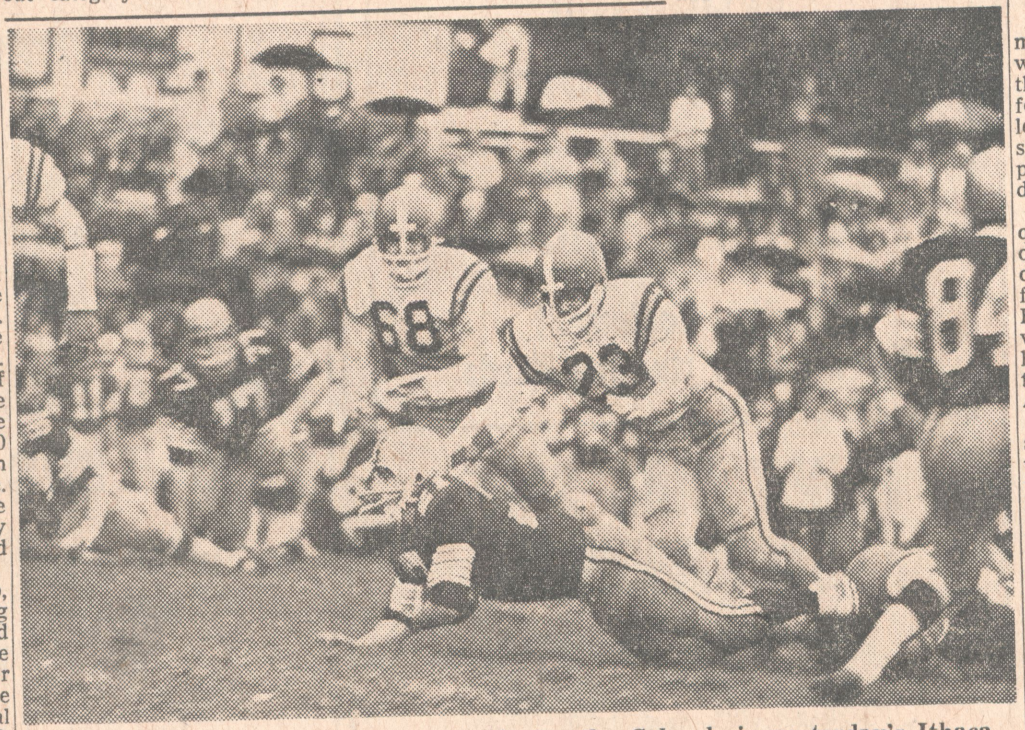

Ted Yeager (21) picks up a few yards for the Colonels in yesterday's Ithaca tilt. (Photo by Strinkoski)

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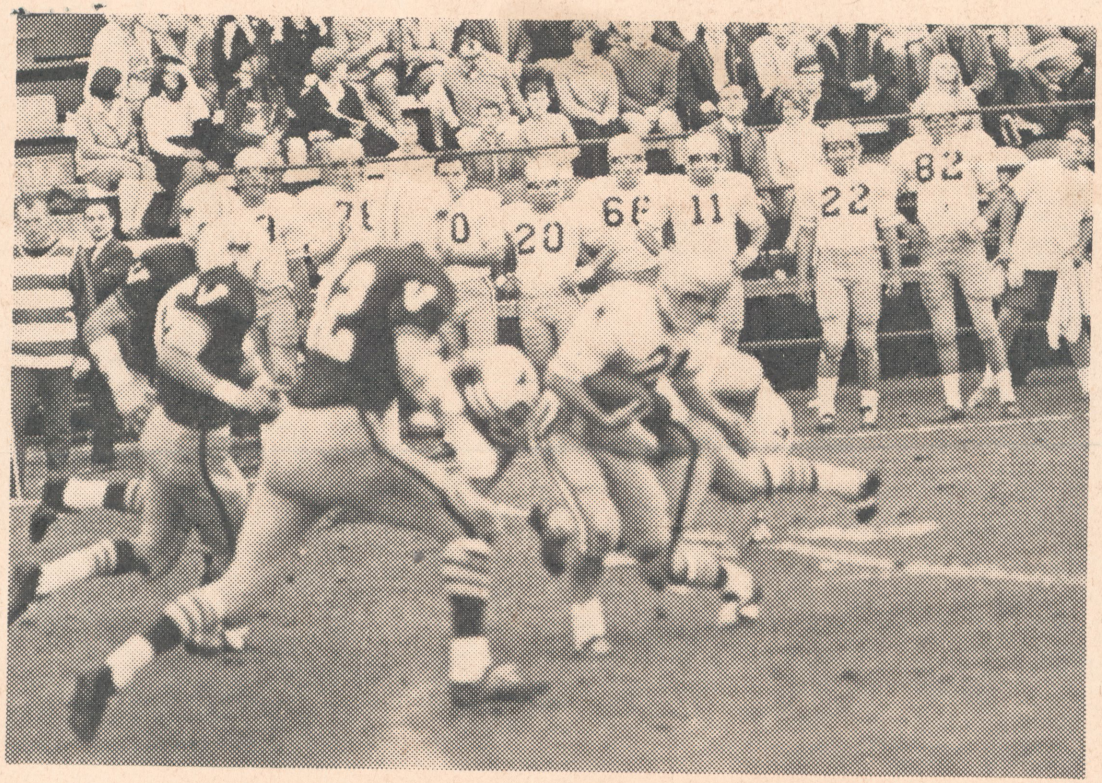
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Wilkes After 26th Straight Win Against Upsala

Vikings Last To Top Locals

Wilkes College will be looking for its 26th consecutive win when it takes on the Upsala College Vikings on Saturday at Ralston Field, Kingston. Kickoff time is 2 p. m.

Upsala is the last team to beat Wilkes prior to its current win streak topping the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt, 26-20 in the fifth game of 1965. Since that time, no one has been able to turn the trick.

Last year, Wilkes traveled to East Orange, N. J., and knocked off the Vikings, 23-14, avanging that lone loss which kept them from having the longest win streak in the nation now at 30.

Coach Schmidt will probably start Rich Simonson, former Meyers High School star, at quarterback due to the injury suffered by Joe Zakowski of Hanover Township, at Delaware Valley two weeks ago. Joe Frappolli, senior signal-caller from Florence, N. J., will spell Simonson in the Colonels' "I" formation. Frappolli had been working out as a surprise starter at halfback but went back to his old

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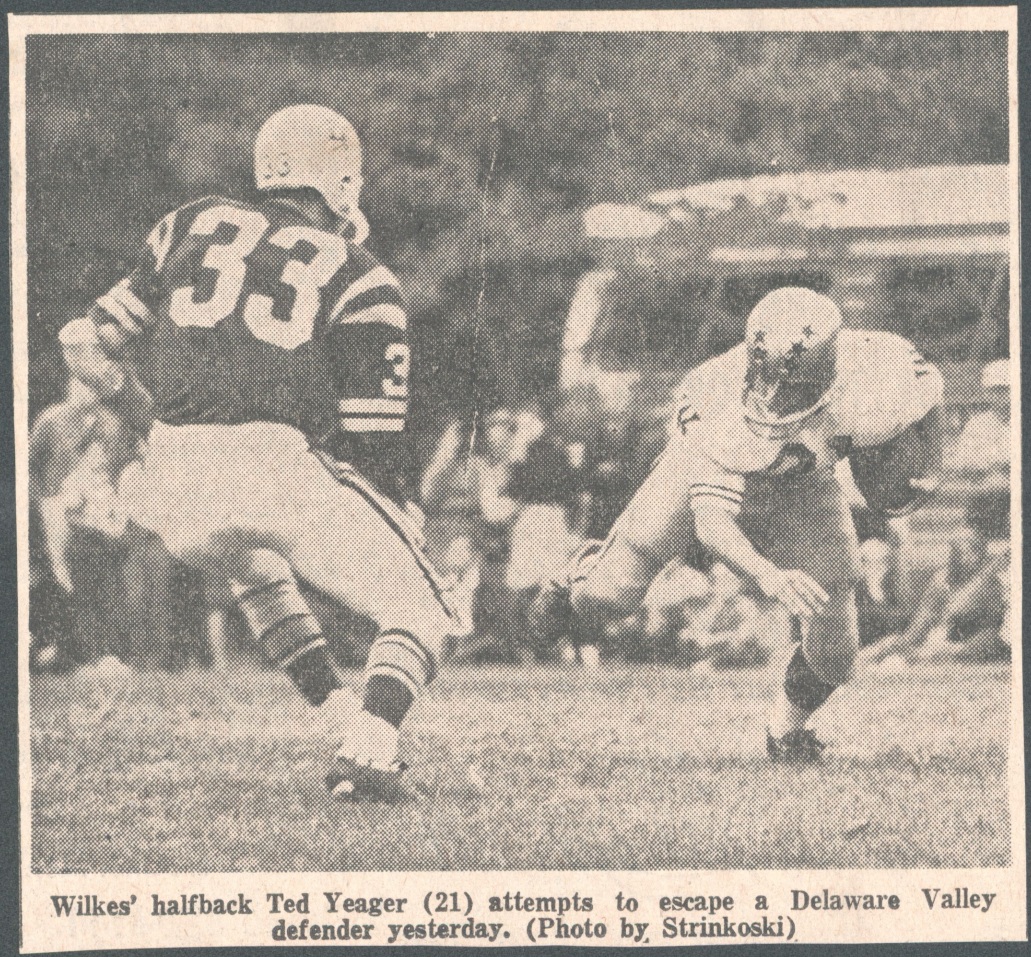


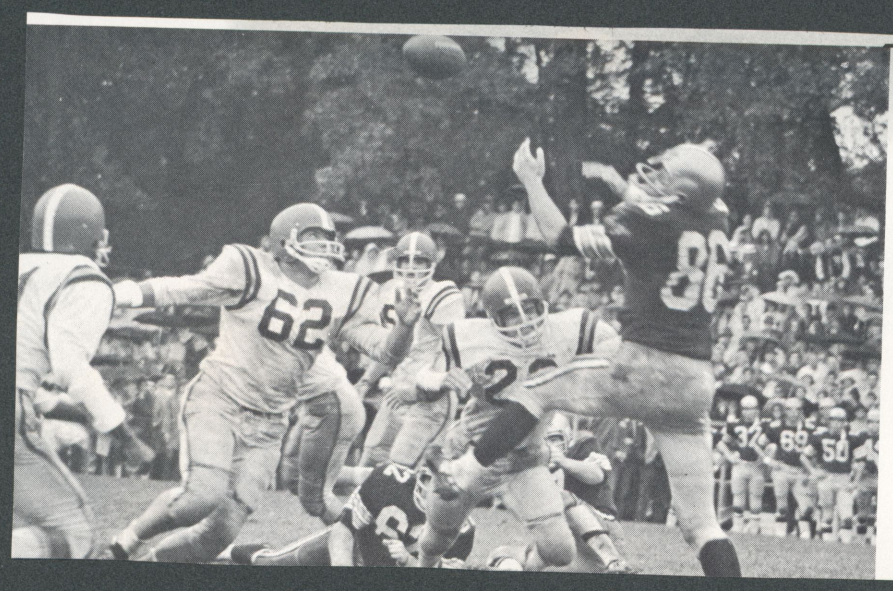
Wilkes' halfback Ted Yeager (21) attempts to escape a Delaware Valley defender yesterday. (Photo by Strinkoski)



A CLOSE CALL. Freshman halfback Ted Yeager gains valuable yardage in the Colonel 34-0 triumph over PMC Colleges. The 148-pound "mini-mite" has gathered a total of 510 yards on 112 carries for a 4.5 average per carry to lead the rushing attack.



JOE FRAPPOLLI bursts over tackle as halfback TED YEAGER provides ample blocking protection during the Ithaca game. Wilkes prevailed in the rain-drenched contest 28-19.



MIKE BABUSCHAK, Wilkes tight end, goes high for a Rick Simonson aerial in second half action of the Colonels win over Ithaca.

Yeager Begins Long Jaunt



Ted Yeager (21) of Catawissa, breaks for daylight to put the Wilkes Colonels in the lead in the opening minutes of Saturday's game with University of Vermont at Burlington. The Colonels won it, 31-9 in their first meeting with a Yankee Conference team.

Yeager, a Freshman, scored on a 65-yard scamper the first time he touched the ball in a college game. Other Colonels identifiable in the photo are Mario Zinicola (78), Bob Gennaro (30), Stan Zientek (20), John Baronowski 66), Joe Frappolli (11), Aldo Farnetti (22) and Bill Lazor (82).

WILKES HALTS LEB[illegible] VALLEY FOR 29 IN ROW

MAC Defending Champ Wilkes Dumps 'Green' Moravian 40-0

STATISTICS	W	M
First downs	19	7
Rushing yardage	294	67
Passing yardage	132	106
Passes	9-21	11-27
Passes intercepted by	2	0
Punts	7 39	11-33
Fumbles lost	1	2
Yards penalized	1	28

By TERRY LARIMER

Wilkes showed yesterday it has no intention of relinquishing the Middle Atlantic Conference crown it has held for three years.

The Colonels played 60 minutes of almost flawless football and extended their winning streak to 23 games by annihilating Moravian, 40-0.

The Colonels had an easy time with the green and ailing Greyhounds, who could not muster a decent attack all day and allowed Wilkes to grind out 426 yards.

The Greyhounds could only penetrate Wilkes territory twice, once each in the second and third quarters, once to the 37, once to the 29.

The Colonel front four allowed Moravian only 67 yards on the ground. Little Bob Smith, the top Greyhound ball carrier, ran 15 times for 28 yards, less than two yards per carry, and fullback Rick Hoppes gained 20 yards on eight carries, or 2.5 yards a carry.

In the air, the Greyhounds did better with 106 yards but not well enough as the Colonel pass defense was tough when it had to be.

The Colonels meanwhile fielded a trio of field generals who connected on nine of 21 passes for 132 yards.

What accounted for the scoring gap, however, was Colonels' ground game which amassed 294 yards.

Ted Yeager, a 5-8, 165-pound freshman, accounted for 177 yards in 20 carries and two touchdowns, while fullback Vince Yarmel carried 12 times for 56 yards.

The pace of the game was set on the first two series of plays. Moravian took the opening kickoff and was forced to punt after stalling at their own 42. Wilkes took the ensuing punt on their own 33 and drove for a touchdown in seven plays.

Halfback Bob Gennaro started the drive with a 17-yard run up the middle, Yeager carried 31 yards to the 14 and a pass interference penalty put the ball on the 9. Gennaro carried for four yards and Yeager lugged the ball in from the 5 on a cross-buck off left tackle.

The Colonels scored again later in the period on a 22-yard drive after recovering a Moravian fumble. Joe Zakowski followed Yarmel and Yeager around left end for the last 20 yards.

The Colonels marched 83 yards for the third score in the second quarter behind the running of Yeager and the receiving of Joe Skvarla.

Quarterback Rick Simonson was at the helm for this drive and hit Skvarla five times for 47 yards and Yeager carried five times for 29 yards and the TD.

The teams played even in the third quarter, but the Colonels turned the game into a rout in the final period scoring on drives of 58, 14 and 31 yards.

The 58-yarder took nine plays with Skvarla taking a pass for 20 yards. A 13-yard ramble up the middle by 225-pound Charlie Fick helped and Simonson rolled out for the last five yards.

The 14-yarder came after a pass interception and took four plays. The 31-yard drive took four plays after All-MAC safety Joe Wiendl returned a punt from the Moravian 44.

WILKES

Ends — Babuschak, Jones, Koterba, Lazor, Merrill, Skvarla, Williamson.
Tackles — Comstock, Eustis, Hoover, Howe, Kolm, Layden, Mazur, Mitchell.
Guards — Baranowski, Chaump, J. Loveland, L. Loveland, Loverro, Mallam, Moore.
Centers — Conway, Kenney, Roman.
Backs — Connolly, Davenport, Farnetti, Fick, Forde, Frappoli, Gennaro, Harkins, Hegel, Holliday, Kane, Kaschak, Mallov, Moser, Peterfreund, Simonson, Staake, Wiendl, Yarmel, Yeager, Zakowski, Zientek.

MORAVIAN

Ends — Rheinhardt, Martinelli, Betz, Brocious, Silva, Jones, Margiotta, Brookfield.
Tackles — Arnesen, Waradzyn, Hutler, Bogardus, T. Gratz, Mickner.
Guards — Kemmerer, Wilson, Zaninelli, Mancini, Sinclair, Bona, Grigg, Yodis, Brady, Wilcomes.
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Wilkes	0	0	0	0— 0

Moravian

W—Yeager 5 run, kick failed.
W—Zakowski 20 run, kick failed.
W—Yeager 4 run, Staake kick.
W—Simonson 5 run, Staake kick.
W—Frappolli 1 run, Staake kick.
W—Farnetti 2 run, Staake kick.

Wilkes Colonels Win 24th in Row

Wilkes battered Delaware Valley, 31-3, for its 24th victory in a row The victory brought Coach Roland Schmidt's team a step closer to the Lambert Bowl and a third consecutive undefeated record.

The score was, 10-3, at the half time, but in the third period the Colonels scored two TD's aided by runs of Ted Yeager, billed as the Colonel's Mini-mite. Yeager is the former Southern Area speedster and is having a good season with the Wilkes football team.

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Added to Wilkes Grid Coaching Staff



WILKES GRID COACHES—Wilkes College head football coach Rollie Schmidt, left, is shown giving his two new assistant coaches a tour of the Colonels' home field yesterday after making the announcement of their addition to the staff. Gene Domzalski, center, and Brinley Varchol, right, are no strangers to the local sports scene. Varchol was a co-captain for the Colonels last season, while Domzalski garnered plenty of recognition at the University of Wyoming during the late 1950's.—(Photo by Ace Hoffman Studios).

Colonels Fill Vacant Posts for New Season; Schmidt Lauds Aides

In a move to strengthen the Colonels chances for another banner grid season, the Wilkes Athletic Department yesterday announced the appointments of Gene Domzalski and Brinley Varchol to the football coaching staff for the 1968 season.

Head Coach Roland Schmidt, extremely pleased about his two new assistants stated, "Both Gene and Brinley bring a wealth of background and experience to the staff. We are most fortunate to have secured them."

Domzalski just recently appeared in sports headlines as he guided the Nanticoke Area Trojans to their first PIAA District Two Baseball Championship.

A native of Newport Twp., Domzalski starred for the Nutcrackers in three sports—football, basketball, and baseball, making area All-Scholastic Basketball teams in his senior year.

After graduation from Newport Twp. High School in 1956 he moved via a football scholarship to the University of Wyoming.

Domzalski led the nation in punt return average in 1958. That same year he reached additional national prominence by appearing in the Sun Bowl against Texas Tech. Spreading his talents to the baseball diamond, Domzalski led the Cowboys hitting with a .330 average. Upon completion of his sophomore year the Newport Township native spent six years in the New York Yankee chain, reaching as high as the Yankees triple A affiliate at Richmond before retiring from organized ball in 1964. In his minor league career, Domzalski made four different league all-star teams. He moved back to Wyoming, in 1964, where he completed his college requirements and served as the Cowboys' Assistant Baseball Coach.

The new Wilkes assistant, returned to Wyoming Valley in 1965 and almost succeeded in coaching the Newport Nutcrackers to the Wyoming Valley Basketball Championship, losing out only to archrival Nanticoke in a playoff game. In two years of coaching Basketball at Newport, Domzalski compiled logs of 18-3 and 9-12. He also coached the Nutcracker diamond squad in 1967, tying Lake Lehman for the League crown.

Will Handle Defense

Married to the former Arline Barnowski of Wilkes-Barre, the Domzalski's have two children. Commenting about his appointment he added "I'm looking forward to be a part of the winning spirit displayed at Wilkes." The new assistant mentor will serve as the Colonels defensive coordinator. Coach Schmidt added, "Gene has done an outstanding job with all the players he has ever coached, we are looking forward to seeing him on the staff."

Varchol, is a product of the Wilkes College, dynasty, having four years under the tutelage of Coach Schmidt. At Hanover Township High School, the new assistant coach starred on the football and wrestling teams. Capping his high school Athletic career as a senior, he was voted as the schools "All-Around Athlete."

While at Wilkes, Varchol had a memorable grid career, shoring the Wilkes linebacking corps. The Hanover Township native pilfered 10 passes during his years at Wilkes and is tied for the record of interceptions made in one season with Dan Malloy. His best memorable grid moments came against Juniata in 1965, East Sroudsburg in 1966 and last year's Lebanon Valley game.

Against Juniata, with the score reading 23-20 and the Indians threatening in the final seconds, Varchol picked off a pass and romped 55 yards to seal the win for the Schmidtmen. Facing East Stroudsburg in 1966, the alert corner linebacker swiped an enemy spiral on the ten yard line and scored, to gain the Colonels a 10-0 win. The Lebanon Valley contest will always bring back found memories for it was here that he finished his college football career by being a intricate part of a team which had just won their 21st straight

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championships in Wyoming Valley competition and 9-1 records, the fiery mentor has installed Greater Nanticoke Area with the greatest football machine in its history.

For his encore season against stacked odds that found everyone out to knock off the king, Dan Distasio was elected "High School COACH OF THE YEAR."

Other athletes who were in the running for top high school laurels were Maurice Peoples, GAR triple-jumper who won state honors with a 48-foot jump, and Chuck Chulada, another Big 33 gridder and runner-up in the state wrestling tourney as a heavyweight. Wiendl was unopposed as collegiate athlete, while Ron Rainey of Wilkes basketball, John Reese of Wilkes wrestling, and Mike Kwak, who started the LCCC basketball team, were aspirants for collegiate coach honors.

Syl Bozinski, Nanticoke Area's perennial basketball championship coach, and Marv Antinnes, Wyoming Seminary's outstanding football and wrestling coach, opposed Distasio for high school coaching honors.

WVAA President Lee Richards also announced that John Pickett, Dallas High School athlete, will be honored for the glory he helped bring the local region as a member of the Pan-Am and Olympic teams.

PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

The NCAA's selection committee met yesterday but failed to name teams for the Boardwalk Bowl game at Atlantic City and the Grantland Rice Bowl at Murfreesboro, Teen. Both are scheduled for Dec. 14.

Wilkes, 8-0 this season and with a 29-game winning streak, hopes to play in the Boardwalk Bowl.

The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt, winners of the Lambert Bowl for the second time in three years, certainly deserve a berth in a post-season game but an appearance at Atlantic City in the winter time doesn't sound too enticing.

The Colonels no doubt would like a trip to Florida to play in the Tangerine Bowl at Orlando but that game attracted Ohio University of Ohio against Richmond or The Citadel. It will be played Dec. 27 at night.

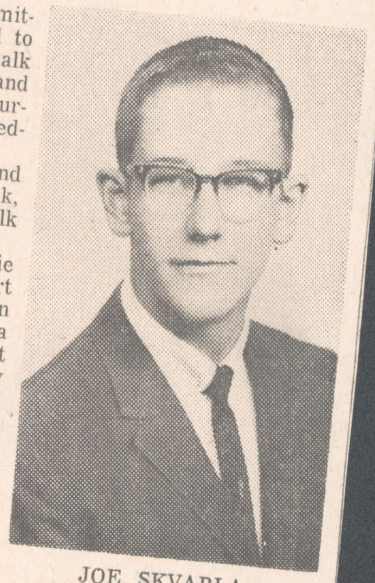
Playing at Atlantic City on Dec. 14 would mean three weeks of drills for the Colonels in what could be some brutal weather judging from conditions of the last 10 days.

For our part, we would prefer watching Wilkes tangle with Albright next week for the championship of the Middle Atlantic Conference's Northern Division. They now share the crown with unblemished records. Albright is 7-0 in the loop to 6-0 for Wilkes. Albright lost a non-conference game to Springfield early in the season, being 8-1 for the campaign.

What a game that would be based on the figures produced by both schools. Albright in nine games scored 136 points while giving up 78. Wilkes racked up 224 in eight starts while yielding 54. Lebanon Valley nearly upset both, dropping a 7-6 decision to Albright and a 23-16 verdict to Wilkes. Albright finished the season with a 28-0 win over Upsala. In mid-season Wilkes edged Upsala, 9-7.

First tribute for Coach Schmidt and his boys will come Saturday night when the Parents Football Club of the college holds a dinner and dance at Nanticoke American Legion Home. Judging from the ticket reservations a capacity crowd will attend.

It isn't often that an end challenges for State scoring laurels but that's what Joe Skvarla of the Colonels is doing with 11 touchdowns for 66 points. He's the team leader in scoring. Dave Kaschak failed to lug the pigskin over the goal line but he's the team's second best point-maker with 32 on 20 extra points and four field goals.



JOE SKVARLA

Season records for the Colonels, as submitted by George Pawlush of the college's sports publicity staff, follow:

Game scores:

Wilkes	**31**	**Vermont**	**9**
Wilkes	**40**	**Moravian**	**0**
Wilkes	**31**	**Delaware Valley**	**3**
Wilkes	**28**	**Ithaca**	**19**
Wilkes	**9**	**Upsala**	**7**
Wilkes	**28**	**Dickinson**	**0**
Wilkes	**34**	**PMC**	**0**
Wilkes	**23**	**Lebanon Valley**	**16**

Individual scoring:

	TD	EP	FG	T
Joe Skvarla	11	0	0	66
Dave Kaschak	0	20	4	32
Joe Wiendl	4	0	0	24
Ted Yeager	3	0	0	18
Vince Yarmel	3	0	0	18
Rick Simonson	3	0	0	18
Jay Holliday	1	0	0	6
Bob Gennaro	1	0	0	6
Pat Malloy	1	0	0	6
Aldo Farnetti	1	0	0	6
Mike Babuschak	1	0	0	6
Joe Frappolli	1	0	0	6
Joe Zakowski	1	0	0	6
Bill Staake	0	4	0	4

Cumulative tackles and assists:

	Tac.	Ast.	Tol.
P. J. Kane	67	87	154
John Howe	42	53	95
Mike Connolly	40	45	85
Jim Loveland	31	48	79
Bill Layden	39	31	70
Paul Merrill	22	38	60
Pat Malloy	32	35	67
Joe Wiendl	32	28	60
Joe Koterba	22	37	59
Dan Malloy	28	23	51
Jay Holliday	20	29	49
John Mazur	16	21	37
Harry Hoover	12	20	32

Wilkes Parents Club Honors Widow Of Late Coach



Mrs. John Ewastation, widow of the late Wilkes College defensive line coach, was honored at the second annual Parents Football Club testimonial dinner held recently in Nanticoke. The late coach was killed in an automobile accident last year.

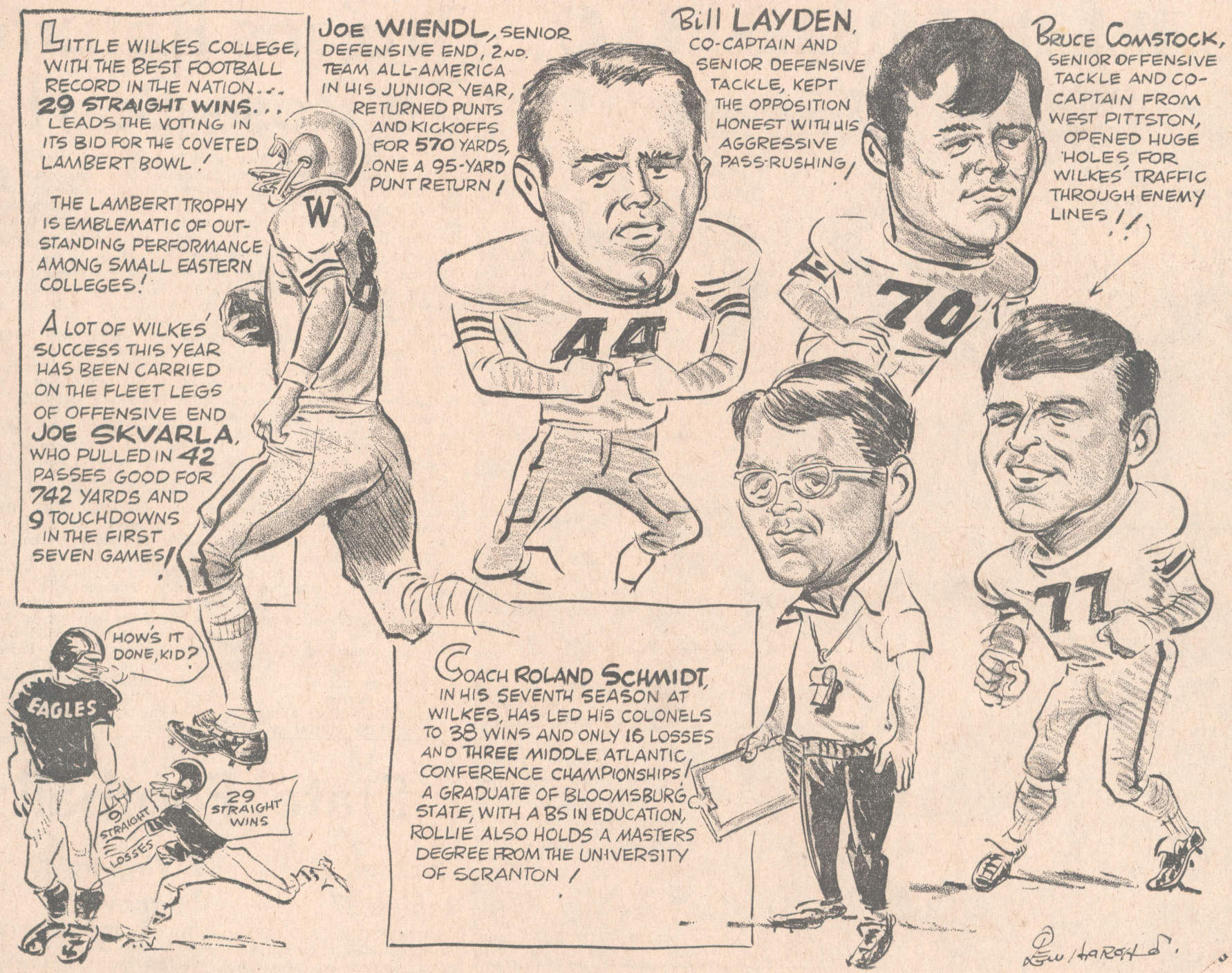
In honoring Mrs. Ewastation, P. J. Kane, defensive linebacker for the Colonels, presented her with the game ball used in the Wilkes-Delaware Valley contest this past season.

Mrs. Ewastation is shown with Tom Davenport in foreground. Mr. Davenport is the father of Barry Davenport, offensive halfback with Wilkes.

Shown at the speakers table from left are George Conway, Wilkes tri-captain; Dr. Eugene S. Farley, president of Wilkes College; P. J. Kane, Joseph Skvarla, Sr., father of Joe Skvarla, record-breaking offensive end for the Colonels, and Head Coach Rollie Schmidt.

A crowd of over 500 attended the affair at which time members of the MAC championship team were presented mugs suitably inscribed.

SALUTE TO COLONELS . . . . . by Lew Harsh



Five Wilkes Gridders Named To Little All American Squad



JOE WIENDL



JOE SKVARLA



BILL LAYDEN

Wilkes College football team, which has the longest winning streak in the nation, gained additional honors this week when five of its players made honorable mention on the Little All American team.

Gaining the honors were Joe Wiendl, Joe Skvarla, Bill Layden, Bruce Comstock and Joe Zakowski.

Wiendl and Layden played on the defensive team for Wilkes team which racked up 29 straight victories. Skvarla, Zakowski and Comstock played with the offensive team.

Wiendl played at the safety spot for the Colonels and on several occasions ran punts back for touchdowns. He is considered one of the best athletes in the history of the school.

Layden's outstanding line work helped the Colonels repel enemy drives many times. He was a tower of strength in several games but ended the season with an injury that put him in the hospital for several days.

Skvarla was cited for his work at offensive end, where he broke all school records in pass receptions and scoring for a wingman. He's a product of Plymouth.



BRUCE COMSTOCK

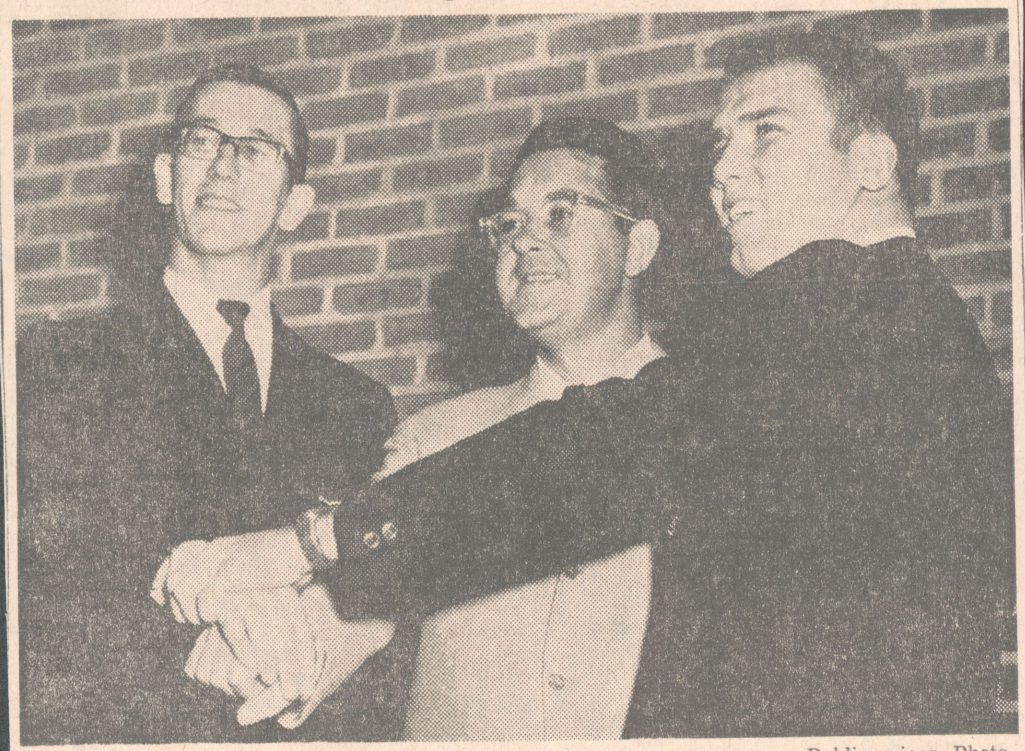


JOE ZAKOWSKI

Comstock, tackle from West Pittston, also excelled on offense making good use of his 205 pounds to open big holes for the running backs.

Zakowski, who starred in many sports at Hanover Township, was a terrific quarterback throughout the campaign until he was injured near the end of the season. He was credited with many TD passes.

Football Coach Congratulates Selected Gridders



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Coach Rollie Schmidt, center, congratulates Joe Skvarla, senior end from Plymouth, left, and Joe Wiendl, senior safety man from Westfield, N. J., on their selection to the Eastern College Athletic Conference Division III All-East football team.

The two Colonels selected for the team made Wilkes the only college out of 36 in the division to place two on the All-East 13-man squad. ECAC officials believe it is the first time in over 20 years for a college to place more than one man on the squad.

1968's Most Outstanding

Schmidt, Distasio, Wiendl And Bilko Are WVAA 'Best'

Steve Bilko and Joe Wiendl, both outstanding athletic competitors in three sports, emerged as the top athletes in Wyoming Valley as the Wyoming Valley Athletic Association fashioned its first annual "Athlete of the Year" balloting. Rollie Schmidt and Dan Distasio, both gridiron mentors whose names are linked with football success, captured top laurels in the "Coach of the Year" category.

The Wyoming Valley Athletic Association, newly formulated by local sports enthusiasts to aid local sports, will honor all the recipients and other nominees at the first annual sports banquet in the near future.

Steve Bilko, the first three sport All-Scholastic performer in history, has been the mainstay of Nanticoke Area athletics for two years. In 1968, the 6-2" Trojan, Mr. Everything, led the football, basketball, and baseball teams to league titles.

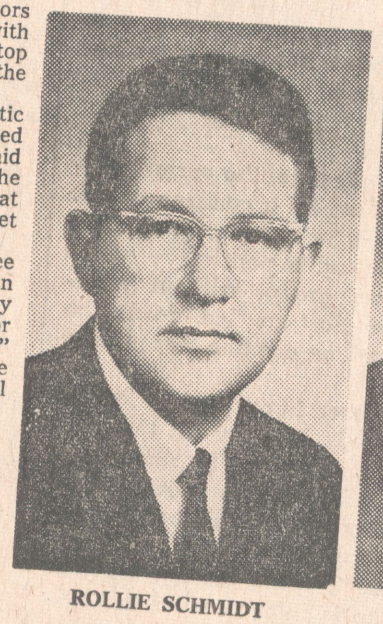
As a split end, Bilko was the best on the local gridirons with quick moves and sure-fingered hands. He showed his tremendous catching ability with eleven touchdown catches the past season. He also saw duty as a defensive back and responded with a timely interception in the final game of the season against Central Catholic to help cement the WVL title for his squad.

Steve was chosen as a member of the elite Big 33 gridiron team for his effort.

In basketball Steve led the Trojans to an impressive 21-2 record with the WVL title and District II honors in route. This season the "high-leaping" forward is just as impressive as captain of the undefeated Trojan hoopsters.

Baseball-wise, Steve excelled with a .425 batting average and the roaming power of the best centerfielder in the league. Again it was Steve's timely hits and catches that led to a title, the first in twenty years.

Showing the outstanding performances in three sports, it was evident that Steve Bilko was "High School Athlete of the Year."



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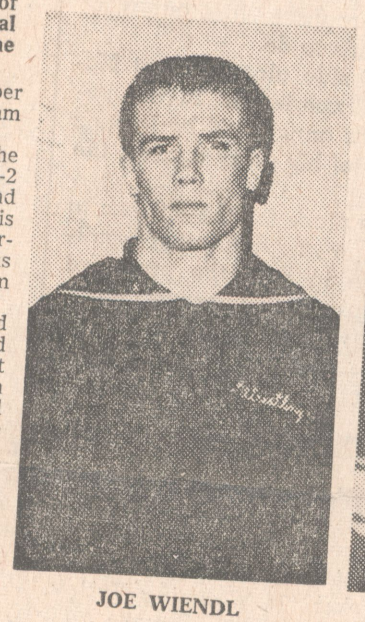

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Wiendl Tops

While the local school boy headlines were being captured by Bilko, the collegiate scene was completely dominated by the two sport All-American and three sport All-MAC performer, Joe Wiendl.

Never in the history of Wilkes College has one athlete so completely engulfed the sports front as Wiendl. A crack defensive halfback whose punt returns set the Pennsylvania college football news afire, a wrestler who overcame a broken nose to become National NCAA College champion, and the slick bat and running legs of the top MAC base-stealer all added up to only one man—Mr. Wilkes Athletics, Joe Wiendl.

For four football seasons opponents of Wilkes College have shuddered when number 44 took to the field. For Joe it was a day of battle and for 29 consecutive battles he and his teammates were the masters. Intercepted passes, a magnificent, bone-crunching open field tackle, or the touchdown run with a punt were the trade-marks of the Blue and Gold clad 44. For two seasons the laurels of All-Pennsylvania, All-MAC, and collegiate All-American were piled on Joe but all he did was turn around and start to wrestle.

Wrestle Wiendl and take a loss. That was the talk around MAC mats as Joe dominated the MAC 160-pound class for two years. Last season he went on to greater laurels when, although suffering from a broken nose and stifled by a protective mask, the Colonel kingpin won a NCAA championship. Just in time to return to the campus and baseball.

For his outstanding, salient performances in 1968 Joe Wiendl was the unanimous choice as "Collegiate ATHLETE OF THE YEAR."

College Mentor

"The Miracle Man" may be the title most often deemed Wilkes College football and baseball coach Rollie Schmidt. From the ashes of a sadly outmoded football program, the congenial mentor built a gridiron machine that completely engulfed the MAC for three seasons and holds the country's longest winning skein at 29.

Last year was a typical season for the Colonels. Eight opponents and eight victories —identical with the two preceding years. But last year restored Wilkes College as the Lambert Bowl winners, the symbol of top small college power in the East, and the Coveted Washington Touchdown Club award as outstanding Small College Team in the Country.

If you throw in the first Wilkes College baseball championship and you have an idea why Rollie Schmidt was "Collegiate COACH OF THE YEAR."

Distasio Selected

Where Rollie was supreme, the bulky mentor of Nanticoke Area football was wonderful. Taking a sputtering machine, Dan Distasio turned the Trojan gridders into league champions.

Utilizing the psychological edge of a top-notch defense, Distasio showed the Nanticoke Area football team what teamwork, hard work, and a winning spirit can bring. With back-to-back

Rollie Schmidt Honored At Testimonial



Rollie Schmidt, head football coach at Wilkes College, was honored by some 300 friends and associates last night at a testimonial dinner at Fox Hill Country Club.

Principal speaker for the evening was Jim Crowley, one of the famed Four Horsemen of Notre Dame and former grid coach at Fordham University.

Among those in attendance were Dr. Eugene S. Farley, Wilkes College president; representatives of the Wilkes faculty and athletic staff along with several senior members of the Colonels grid team.

Shown above, first row from left, Chick Marra, Dickson City High School grid coach who was humorist for the evening; Jim Crowley, Joe Wiendl, All-America gridder and national wrestling champion from Wilkes; Coach Schmidt.

On steps from left: County Commissioner Francis "Chink" Crossin, toastmaster; Ed Donohue, athletic director at King's College and head basketball coach at that school; Prof. Francis Swingle of King's.

Invocation and benediction was given by Rev. Dr. Jule Ayers, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre. Rollie Wyandt, general chairman of the dinner introduced the toastmaster.

—Photo By Jim Kozemchak, Jr.

Remarks were made by Atty. Tom Gibbons, vice president of Fox Hill Country Club; John Reese, athletic director, Wilkes College; Dr. Farley, Ed Donohue, Prof. Swingle, Lou Palazzi, National Football League official, and Don Koval.

Carl Zoolkoski, chochairman of the affair, presented a set of golf irons to Schmidt. After accepting the set of irons, Schmidt introduced his assistant coaches.

Coach Schmidt received three standing ovations by the assemblage and concluded the program with a brief but emotion-packed acceptance talk.

8 From Wilkes Named to MAC All-Star Squad

Comstock, Layden, Wiendl and Koterba Are Selected to Team for 3rd Straight Year



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Two of the Wilkes players were named for the second straight year. They were Merrill and Skvarla, who joined the other four Wilkes repeaters in the charmed circle.

In connection with the fine record posted by the Wilkes defense, the final National Collegiate Sports Bureau statistics today showed the Colonels were fourth in the nation in the College Division in defense against scoring. Wilkes allowed 6.8 points per game on 54 points in eight games.

The only records in the nation among College Division teams that were better than Wilkes were Central Connecticut, 4.4 points per game; King's Point, N. Y., 5.7 points per game, and Muskingum, Ohio, 5.9 points per game.

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Washington TD Club Names Wilkes Nation's Top Small Colle

GROUP TO HONOR COLONELS AND OSU

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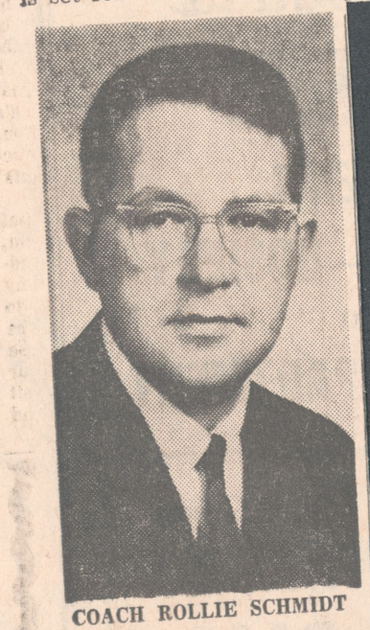

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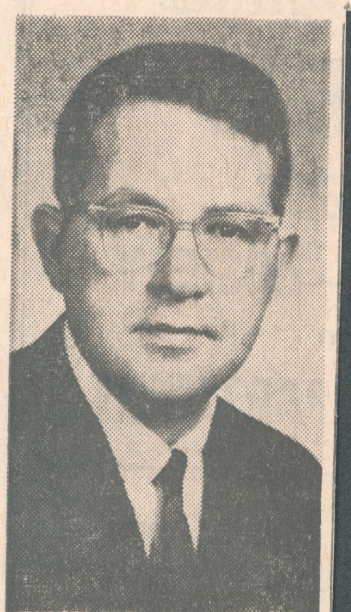

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In announcing the award, the Touchdown Club noted that Wilkes ran up 224 points to 44 for its opponents in winning eight games this past season.

The Colonels from Wilkes-Barre placed six men on the Associated Press All-State team, a feat only surpassed this season by Penn State, the number two team in the nation.

Coach Woody Hayes will not be present to accept for Ohio State as he is visiting the Armed Forces in Vietnam. Richard L. Larkins, director of athletics, will attend for the Buckeyes.

Hayes guided Ohio State to a 9-0 regular season record and capped that with a 27-16 victory over USC in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. The Buckeyes have now won 14 games without a loss.

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Wilkes College Football Team Receives 'Timmie' Award

"It is always with great pleasure and pride that the Touchdown Club of Washington, D.C. announces its Outstanding Small College Team of the year. They are the champs in their own league but unheard of otherwise." With this program book statement the Wilkes College Colonels were officially placed on the football map of the nation.

The scene was the nation's capital last Saturday evening as the Touchdown Club staged its 34th Annual Awards Banquet before a distinguished sell-out black-tie audience of 2,200 at the Sheraton Park Hotel.

The Colonels joined a select circle of twenty top performers of 1968 from the college, pro, and local school football ranks, plus greats from the world of baseball and boxing in receiving the coveted "Timmie" Award. Likened to the "Oscar" presented by the motion picture industry, the "Timmie" symbolizes the spirit of the nation's youth in athletics. Coach Roland Schmidt was on hand to accept the award from Chief of Naval Operations, a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Admiral Thomas Moorer.



The "Timmie" is the highest honor ever bestowed on a Wilkes College athletic team. Last year's recipient was Fairmont State College of West Virginia, the 1967 NAIA National Champion. The award was a fitting close to the 1968 grid season which saw the Colonels push their four year victory skein to 29, longest of any college team in the nation, win the Lambert Bowl and annex their fourth consecutive MAC Championship.

Vice President Hubert Humphrey was on hand to receive the Mr. Sam (named after the late, beloved Sam Rayburn) Award as the "Governmental figure who has fostered and contributed to Sports", from last year's recipient, U.S. Secret Service Chief James J. Rowley, in the crowning event of the evening.

Headlining the affair were presentations to two college All-Americans of the club's most coveted awards — Walter Camp Memorial and the Knute Rockne Memorial. Southern California's Mister Everything, O. J. Simpson, who busted virtually every national college record, received the Camp Award from another former football champion, Supreme Court Justice Byron "Whizzer" White.

Ted Hendricks, Miami's three time All-American defensive end, was presented the Rockne Award as the Outstanding College Lineman. The "Mad Stork" gained the reputation of having opposing teams scorn his side of the line and made over 350 tackles during his illustrious career.

Joe Paterno, who guided Penn State to their first unbeaten season in eleven years and a thrilling last second 15-14 Orange Bowl win, was acclaimed as the Outstanding College Coach. Rose Bowl Champion Ohio State was honored as the Outstanding College Team.

The pro ranks were well represented in the award distribution. Ray Nitschke, the defensive mainstay of the Green Bay Packers, was honored with the Richard P. McCann Memorial Award as the NFL's Outstanding Player. Daryle Lamonica, Oakland quarterback, was given the AFL Outstanding Player Award on the merits of a brilliant season.

Coach Don Shula, of the NFL Champion Baltimore Colts accorded as the NFL's Outstanding Coach. Baseball, too, held center stage, with the LA Dodgers' superman, receiving the Clark Griffith Memorial Award for Outstanding Contribution to baseball. Drysdale set a major league record of 58⅔ consecutive scoreless innings in 1968.

Coach Schmidt said, "We were overwhelmed to accept the award as the Most Outstanding Small College team in the Country. It was just a fantastic experience for not only our team and Wilkes, but we're proud for our community as well.

"This award carries more prestige than the Lambert Bowl, simply because this takes in the entire nation, while the Lambert Bowl takes in strictly the east. We're proud of both awards."



Wilkes Grid Coach Rollie Schmidt, left, shows trophy to College President Dr. Eugene S. Farley.

WEISS OF JUNIATA WINS MVP HONORS

Joe Cowan and Don Weiss have been named the Most Valuable Players in the college divisions of the Middle Atlantic Conference for the second year in a row.

Cowan, a multi-talented halfback for Johns Hopkins, earned the MVP Award in the Southern College Division and Weiss, Juniata's record-breaking quarterback, repeated as the Northern College Division's outstanding player.

Cowan and Weiss also led the two division all-star teams selected in voting by the conference coaches.

Six players, including four from Wilkes, were named to the Northern Division team for the third year in a row. The four Wilkes players are Bruce Comstock, Joe Koterba, Bill Layden and Joe Wiendl. Other third-year all-stars are Dennis Zimmerman of Albright and Ted Cottrell of Delaware Valley.

Weiss was one of six players who made the team for the second time in the North. The others are Herb Nauss, Albright; John Nice, Delaware Valley; Greg Seifert, Moravian; and Paul Merrill and Joe Skvarla, Wilkes.

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Wilkes, the Lambert Bowl winner and co-champion with Albright of the MAC Northern College Division, placed eight men on the mythical team. Albright and Delaware Valley each had four all-stars.

Lebanon Valley led the Southern Division teams with six men on the division team. Co-champion Franklin and Marshall had five men on the coaches' squad. Johns Hopkins, the other co-champion in the South, joined Muhlenberg and Western Maryland with three all-conference players.

There were 23 men named to both divisional teams with ties in the voting for linebacker in the Southern Division and for offensive guard in the North.

All Star Team

OFFENSE

E Joe Skvarla, Wilkes
E Harry Capozzoli, Delaware Valley
T Bruce Comstock, Wilkes
T Gratz Turney, Moravian
G Terry Jones, Albright
Jim Konzelman, Upsala
G Angelo Loverro, Wilkes
C Wayne Mehalick, Delaware Valley
QB Don Weiss, Juniata
HB Dennis Zimmerman, Albright
HB John Iannauturro, Moravian
FB John Nice, Delaware Valley

DEFENSE

E Joe Koterba, Wilkes
E Paul Merrill, Wilkes
IL Ted Agurkis, Albright
IL Cliff Berg, Juniata
IL Bill Layden, Wilkes
LB Ted Cottrell, Delaware Valley
LB Dave Fleck, Juniata
LB Paul Kane, Wilkes
B Herb Nauss, Albright
B George Seifert, Moravian
B Joe Diendl, Wilkes

Most Valuable Player: Don Weiss, Juniata Quarterback

HONORABLE MENTION

Offense—Jeff Barnes, Juniata end; Bill Andes, Lycoming tackle; Ed Burke, Wilkes tackle; Glenn Grigg, Moravian guard; Paul Litwinetz, Albright center; George Conway, Wilkes center; Jim Harland, Juniata fullback; Dave Patterson, Upsala fullback.

Defense—Mike Grant, Albright end; Don Stump, Delaware Valley end, Pat Moore, Juniata end; John Arthur, Susquehanna end, Tom Sweeney, Albright interior line; Fred Jannutti, Delaware Valley interior line; John Howe, Wilkes interior line; Frank Klassen, Albright linebacker; Tom Gargulio, Albright linebacker; Bill Curley, Lycoming linebacker; Ed Zanielli, Moravian linebacker; Pat Day, Delaware Valley back; Joel Delewski, Juniata back.

Wilkes Grid Team Leaves For Lambert Award



—Photo by James Kozemchak, Jr.

Shortly after 7:30 a. m. today, two chartered Martz buses carried the undefeated Wilkes College Colonels football team to New York City where they received the coveted Lambert Bowl as the outstanding football team in Division III in the east. The entire squad, numbering more than 60, were guests of the Touchdown Club at Hotel Delmonico's this morning at 11:45. Coach Rollie Schmidt, Athletic Director, John Reese, and many of the first string players left earlier by car as did Dr. Eugene S. Farley, Wilkes president, and Sam Davenport, director of alumni relations. A second bus carried students and townsmen. Lazarus, First National Bank of Wilkes-Barre, The Hub and Martz Bus Company, through their generosity and civic pride, made the trip to New York possible. Buses will return later this evening. The photograph above was taken outside the Wilkes gymnasium, scene of departure.

Wilkes College Grid Team Takes Lambert Banquet By Storm

By LEE RICHARDS
Sunday Independent Sports Editor

For 33 years the Lambert brothers have been sponsoring the presentation of the Lambert Trophy, symbolic of surpremacy in Eastern football, but Thursday's gathering will have to go down in history as one of the largest, simply because a contingent of over 100 strong from Wilkes College and Wyoming Valley attended the affair.

Many of the Lambert committee members were stunned and shocked to see such a large group representing "little Wilkes."

Irving Marsh of ECAC said, "It is simply marvelous to see a school the size of Wilkes with so many people here. It's one of the finest things to ever happen at our dinner."

Over half of the contingent was made up of members of the 1968 Wilkes Lambert Bowl team.

Most of the Wilkes fans traveled to New York on two chartered buses, while others went by car.

Upon our arrival on the second floor with Dr. Eugene Farley, who was enjoying one of his proudest moments during his tenure as president of Wilkes, we ran into Penn State coach Joe Paterno.

As we sat at a table, Joe talked about this year's undefeated and untied Penn State team, winner of the Lambert Trophy.

"We had a fine season, but we have a fine football team. Our kids worked real hard and they never let up," Joe said, smiling when we asked about how Steve Brenza was coming along. "Steve hasn't come into his own yet, but he has all the physical capabilities. We gave him a few shots during the late stages of some of our games at linebacker. As you know, he did a real fine job punting for us. He's a comer."

As the many grid fans assembled in the outer room prior to the meal, Coach Paterno was busy greeting the many well wishers.

When the Wilkes contingent arrived everyone in the room buzzed. They couldn't believe the Colonels were this popular and had this many enthusiastic followers.

Much to our surprise, Joe's brother, George Paterno, head coach at Kings Point, took a seat at our table. After the two brothers greeted each other, George asked if we were the same guy who wrote the column putting down the Kings Point grid team?

We said, "Yes."

"It was a fine story. I never really considered their 29 game win streak, until I read your column in the Sunday Independent. We receive your newspaper every week during football season. You made me think twice, when you asked how I'd feel if I had won 29 straight and didn't receive the Bowl. Wilkes really did deserve it," said George.

Joe chimed in, "You better believe it. Rollie has done a splendid job."

The dinner was about to start when George said he had someone he wanted us to meet. He was a big man, who had a powerful hand shake. "This is one of my assistant coaches, Clem Stralka. He's from your neck of the woods."

Clem hails from Newport Twp. and played football back in the early 30's for the Nutcrackers. He was a great one in his day, too. He was mighty proud of the fact he was selected on the Sunday Independent's 1932 All-Scholastic team as a tackle. He went on to Georgetown and later played for the Washington Redskins. He played in the championship game when the Skins got skinned by the big bad Bears, 73-0.

Clem says, "I've been connected with Kings Point football for a long time. We've really got a pretty good team, even though you pointed out some of the lesser clubs on our schedule. We really got a kick out of your column."

It was now time to move into the large ballroom for the dinner and presentations.

Wilkes was first to receive its Lambert Bowl. The presentation was made to Athletic Director John Reese.

Coach Rollie Schmidt was the second to make an acceptance speech.



Awarding the Lambert Bowl to Wilkes College in New York City from left to right are Victor Lambert, Henry Lambert Jr., Henry Lambert Sr., Coach Rollie Schmidt, and Athletic Director John Reese of Wilkes. ((UPI Telephoto)

"We're very pleased to be back here again and receive this tremendous award. Our players were pointing for this from the outset of the season. Currently, we have the longest winning streak of any college in the nation, both large and small. If I may, I would like to introdue to you our 18 seniors who have played a major role in compiling this winning streak," Coach Schmidt said.

In a poised and polished fashion, Rollie called on each senior to stand. The capacity audience applauded.

Dr. Farley was next to the rostrum. "We are exeremely proud of our football team. They have brought a lot of recognition to our college and community. Until Coach Schmidt arrived we were considering dropping the sport. Now we have a splendid program. Two years ago at this same luncheon, I called our team the 'Ulcer Kids.' This team was almost of the same caliber. They gave me many anxious moments, but in the end they always came through. I'm very, very proud of each one of them."

Wilkes was previously voted the first Lambert Bowl in 1966.

McCoy Makes Magnificent Speech

Penn State's athletic director Ernie McCoy stole the show after the University of Delaware received its cup.

McCoy, who was instrumental in keeping Joe at State, said, "I cannot justly accept the Lambert Trophy. I'm getting up in years, but during my time at State we have received the award a number of times. I beg your indulgence, but I think you should present it to the real man responsible for our team winning this award—our head football coach Joe Paterno."

Joe's opening remark was a classic:

"I would like to extend my congratulations to the fine Wilkes College football team, despite one loud mouth in my family."

This brought down the house.

Local Flavor

Further local flavor will be supplied through the fact that Ted Yeager, a Southern High grad of last spring and the "mini-back" in the fall on the undefeated Wilkes eleven which won the Lambert trophy, is a member of the Colonels' mat team.

105, Atlanta beat Chicago 114-96. San Francisco defeated Seattle 152-139 and Milwaukee edged Phoenix 115-112.

Southern Area

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home."

Sarra thanked the wives of coaching staff members for their "tolerance." The wives have an important part, and they "played their part well," the coach added.

"You can't be a winner if you don't pay the price," he said, adding that the boys prepare "mentally and physically" all week. "You must have the desire to win because all the natural ability without pride to be a winner will be of no benefit to the team."

Graduating seniors were introduced with their parents. Seniors include Lanny Fetterman, Ned Hoffner, Dan Grodzinski, Bob Herring, Paul Jankowski, Dave Kichman, Don Leffler and Jim Schrader.

Coach Bruce, kept the group in good spirits when he told them he received two letters at Washington-Jefferson College, one saying "don't come out for football," and the other to "bring back the socks."

The Penn State coach told the boys the first stop for a scout on a school visit is the guidance counselor's office, to see if a prospect is "working to capacity."

Speed was pointed out as the second most important qualification. Change of the game can be noted in the quick reaction drills used by most coaches, Coach Bruce said.

Third, was determination and fourth, attitude. A boy's attitude can be changed by a coach, the experienced tutor declared. He also pointed out that a prayer is said before and after each contest.

Ralph Wolfgang, band director, was complimented along with the band and cheerleaders for their enthusiasm at games and pep rallies.

Prior to a roast beef dinner, movies of previous games were shown and a skit entitled "Happiness is Two Weeks at Football Camp," written by Mrs. George Widger, was presented by the mothers of the football players.

Participating in the skit were Mrs. Fred Kichman, Mrs. Carl Fetterman, Mrs. Richard Snyder, Mrs. Charles Rhoades, Mrs. Glenn Herring, Mrs. John Schrader, Mrs. George Leffler, Mrs. Alvin Marquette, Mrs. John Adams and Mrs. Sally Melick.

Cheerleaders taking part included Sue Fetterman, Carla Raker, Darla Yocum, Mary Ann Walters, and Carol Sevison.

Mrs. Chester Yocum, Marion Breech, Mrs. Richard Hoffman, Mrs. Bill Hoffner, Mrs. Emerson Wagner and Mrs. Donald Abraczinskas, also participated.

Miniature football s decorated with the players' names were on the banquet tables. Mrs. Gloria Schrader was in charge of decorations for the cheerleaders' tables.



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On The Sports Front

DON KEATLEY, Sports Editor

Back in the heydays of vaudeville, Wilkes-Barre audiences were noted as the toughest in show biz. "If you wow them in Wilkes-Barre you are ready for Broadway," was the old saying.

Today the scene shifts from the stage to the athletic field. And now the saying goes something like this: "If you don't wow them in Wilkes-Barre you have a third-rate team."

Last Saturday afternoon thousands of television viewers watched the Wilkes-Lebanon Valley football game on Channel 16. For a majority of that TV audience it was the first time they had even seen Wilkes play football and their reaction to the game was somewhat shocking to us.

Several telephone callers indicated they were disappointed in the caliber of ball Wilkes displayed that afternoon while others voiced concern that the Colonels might receive a bowl bid and suffer humiliation at the hands of a "better" team.



DON KEATLEY

Among the letters received here was one from a local man who said he left at the end of the first half "satisfied with the fact that in sports a team finds and settles at its level of competition."

Apparently the letter writer expected to see two teams composed of major college talent . . . which in fact he did see at certain positions. Leaving at the half, however, does not speak well of his attitude toward football and local talent.

Any football fan worth his salt will inform you that the caliber of a football team can never be judged in one game . . . especially in ankle-deep mud.

On the other side of the ledger, a majority of fans attending the game spoke highly of both teams and rightly so. They singled out Bruce Decker, Lebanon's dynamic quarterback, for his spectacular performance; also Decker's prime receivers, Greg Teter and Dennis Tulli. All three combined for one of the finest and most exciting passing exhibitions ever seen in this area.

But those same fans also had praise for Joe Skvarla, Bill Layden, Dan and Pat Malloy, Joe Wiendl, Bill Staake, Jay Holliday and Rick Simonson. They spoke highly of such defensive standouts as Bruce Comstock, Mike Connolly, John Howe, P. J. Kane, Paul Merrill and Joe Koterba. Vince Yarmel and Ted Yeager, a world apart in size but identical in their love for contact, made decisive contributions to the Wilkes offense.

In the final analysis, Wilkes walked off the field a winner; this in spite of Lebanon's fine passing effort. And that's the name of the game.

Ever since the Colonels began their long march to 29 straight victories, a segment of local population has been hostile toward the success of Wilkes. The reason for this is not clear to us but such a feeling is evident. and has been detected by communities removed from Wyoming Valley.

Scranton news media has often admitted that if Wilkes-Barre didn't have any pride in the school, they (Scranton) did and would gladly embrace the Colonels for their very own. Such a feeling on their part is admirable.

But many in this area go on their merry way ignoring the merits earned by the Colonels and holding fast to the theme that Wilkes is something less than a fine academic institution with a fine athletic program and a tremendous football team.

It wouldn't hurt this city one bit to stand up and recognize the Colonels for their achievements and it might be a fine gesture for our city fathers to acknowledge the fact that a college within the confines of this city has reached national prominence.

PATTON'S

By BOB PATTON

Undefeated East Stroudsburg (8-0-1) was one of two teams cut from a list of contenders for the NCAA small college Atlantic Coast Regional "Boardwalk Bowl" in Atlantic City, Dec. 14, because of its 28-28 tie with California.

"The tie knocks East Stroudsburg out of contention," declared Ernie Casale, chairman of the Atlantic Coast Regional selection committee, referring to the deadlock that the Warriors waged with California in the Pennsylvania State Colleges Athletic Conference championship game last Saturday.

Casale pointed out that Indiana State University, of Pa., had beaten California, 41-0, and East Stroudsburg would have had to do the same to remain in contention.

Indiana (9-0) remains in the running for the bowl in Atlantic City's Convention Hall along with New Hampshire (7-2), Kings Point (8-1), Delaware (6-3), Wilkes (8-0) and Morgan State (7-1).

Casale said the two teams will be named next Tuesday.

Wilkes College Wins 29th Game

Many in the area saw Ted Yeager, former Southern Area speedster aid Wilkes College in their 23-16 victory over stubborn Lebanon Valley on Saturday afternoon. The game was televised locally over Channel 16.

It was the 29th in a row for Wilkes as they annexed their fourth consecutive share of the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern College Division title at Ralston Field.

Wilkes, 6-0 in the MAC, shares the crown with Albright, which defeated Upsala, 28-0, to finish its MAC season at 7-0.

Hold Banquet For Gridders At Southern

Parents of football players and Southern Area Boosters Association last night co-sponsored the banquet for Southern Columbia Area football team.

The program began at six o'clock in the high school auditorium where films of the Tiger contests, taken by Rev. Jerry Haupt, pastor of the Catawissa United Methodist Circuit and active booster, were shown.

At 6:45, mothers of the football players presented a short play depicting how a football camp would be operated if mothers were in charge. The humorous sketch included the coaches as well as the players.

Dinner

A roast beef dinner was served in the cafeteria at seven p.m., with Rev. Jerry Haupt offering grace and following the meal the group returned to the auditorium for the program of the evening.

Harold Dalious, school director and active booster, presided and conveyed congratulations to the coaching staff and team on their 6-4 season from Gerald C. Hartman, supervising principal, who was unable to attend the banquet.

Aerio M. Fetterman, high school principal, spoke to the group and welcomed the parents and boosters to the meeting. He, too, congratulated the team and the boosters for their work in making the football field possible.

George Leffler, booster president, introduced the officers of the association and mentioned those who were responsible for the work on the field.

Charles Nesbitt, athletic director at Southern and also assistant football coach, spoke briefly.

Coach Sarra

Head Coach Joseph Sarra introduced the senior football players and their parents, and the undergraduate members of the team the their parents. He praised the work of the squad during the season, saying it was a team that played with determination and one he was proud to have coached.

Yeager Speaks

Ted Yeager, former Southern Area speedster and now known as the Wilkes College's mini-wonder, who during the past season piled up 577 yards rushing for the Colonels, told the group about the transition from high school to college. He noted that because he played football he was able to be on campus two weeks before other students which did much for his orientation to college life. Ted is third leading ground gainer in the MAC league aiding Wilkes College to retain possession of the longest current winning streak in college football — 29 victories.

Wilkes has been named winner of the Lambert Bowl, an award presented annually to the top small college team in the East.

Penn State Coach

Earl Bruce, freshman football coach from Pennsylvania State University whose career covers 40 years with 17 in high school and 23 at Penn State, spoke to the group on the four points that make good football players — intelligence, speed, attitude and perseverance.

Dr. E. A. Rodriegus, Elysburg, and team physician who attended all the home contests was introduced and spoke briefly.

Honored guests at the banquet were Earl Bruce, members of the football squad, Aerio Fetterman, James Smith, Ted Yeager, Rev. Jerry Haupt, Ralph Wolfgang, Richard Roberts, Sr., Lee Yeager, and Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Rodrigues.



TIGER PARENT-BOOSTER BANQUET—Principal participants in the Southern Columbia Area banquet last evening honoring the Tiger football squad are, from left, George Leffler, president of the boosters; Joseph Sarra, head football coach; Ted Yeager, former Southern player; Earl Bruce, Penn State University coach; Harold Dalious, director and master of of ceremonies, and Charles Nesbitt, athletic director and assistant football coach.

(Morning Press Photo)

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Southern Area High Gridders Honored At Annual Dinner

Earl Bruce. freshman football coach at Penn State University, told members of Southern Columbia Are High School's football team last night that qualifications for becoming affiliated with the Nittany Lions' squad include intelligence, speed, determination and attitude.

Coach Bruce was the main speaker at Southern Columbia Area's annual football banquet in the school cafeteria and auditorium. Over 100 persons attended the event in honor of this year's successful Tiger squad.

The program was filled with humor. Guests spiced the program with comical gestures backed up by a skit prepared and acted by the athletes' mothers. One of the players was cited for wanting to use Doctor E. A. Rodriquez's new tape, the kind with "the hair already on it."

On the serious side of the program, Coach Joe Sarra expressed his personal feeling of proudness in representing Southern Columbia's team, school and community. "I would not be afraid to go anywhere with these boys," the coach added.

Ted Yeager, graduate of Southern's 1967 football team, now a student at Wilkes College, gave this year's Tiger squad some important hints on what to expect as a freshman in college.

Yeager, a freshmen at Wilkes, was the leading rusher in the Middle Atlantic Conference with an average of 4.5 yards per carry. The Southern graduate had to compete with 37 returning letterman at Wilkes, which holds a 29 game winning streak, longest in the country, to make the first squad.

Yeager wished the boys luck in making the right choice and pointed out homesickness as a "problem" in the "transition." The outstanding athlete told the gridders that as football players they have an advantage in making friends prior to the start of school, thus making the change easier.

Master of ceremonies, Harold Dalious, was introduced by Charlie Nesbitt as "the man to call when you need a job done."

Dalious introduced guests including Aerio M. Fetterman, high school principal; James Smith, elementary principal; George Leffler, booster president: Joseph Sarra, head coach: Ted Yeager, Wilkes College, and Earl Bruce, Penn State.

The Rev. Jerry Haupt offered the invocation and benediction. The Rev. Haupt was thanked for taking films of Tiger games throughout the season.

Other guests included Richard Roberts and Lee Yeager who assisted as linesmen with the yard markers during games. Coach Sarra jokingly cited the linesmen as a coup,e of guys who can win — or lose — a ballgame. Doctor Rodriguez, team physician, was introduced and thanked the boosters for their work on the playing field and "cutting down on the burns."

Charlie Nesbitt, athletic director, cited by Coach Sarra as a "most organized and efficient athletic director," defined this year's team members as "respectful and cooperative." Nesbitt thanked all present and those not present who had a part in the success of the football program.

Sarra gave credit to all phases of the football program. He praised his assistant coaches Dick Staber, Don Ickes and Nesbitt for their untiring efforts. He told parents, "the boys are treated as they would be at

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Wiendl, Skvarla Both Featured In Coverage Of Lambert Award

The New York Times today featured the Wilkes College Lambert Bowl award in a six-column layout written by Gordon S. White, Jr., which pointed to safetyman Joe Wiendl and offensive end Joe Skvarla as major reasons why the Colonels took the coveted trophy this year.

Here is the item as it appeared in this morning's edition of the metropolitan paper:

"Wilkes has the Lambert Bowl as the best Division III football team in the East this season plus the headaches that go with one of the three Lambert awards given each year. From now on coaches, players and fans at Wilkes must keep explaining just why their team deserves the Lambert Bowl. The fact that the Colonels from Wilkes-Barre, Pa., have the longest winning streak in college football is not reason enough for some people. This 29-game victory string, over four seasons, doesn't prove much, particularly if you are a Kings Point fan.

"But at Wilkes they feel they have the award they deserved a year ago, as well as this fall. Wagner won the Bowl in 1967 after an undefeated season.

"George Paterno, the head coach at Kings Point, said, "I have to stick up for my players this year. Any coach will do that. So I have to say we feel badly about the Lambert Bowl committee's selection."

"Then Paterno, who led his team from the depths of a 2-6 won-lost record in 1967 to a 7-1 mark this fall, listed a number of reasons why Kings Point should have the Lambert Bowl. One of his strong arguments was that Kings Point lost only one game. That was a 7-0 defeat to Lafayette, the team that leads the voting for the Lambert Cup.

"The Lambert Cup goes to the outstanding team in Division II of the East. Division II includes those big-small colleges that stand somewhere between Wilkes and Penn State or Syracuse.

"But Wilkes has some good arguments to back its case. Joe Wiendl is one of the reasons why Wilkes has finally nailed down the Lambert Bowl .The defensive safetyman has played four years of football for the Colonels, who are permitted to use freshmen on the varsity team.

"In that time, Wiendl has run back punts for a total of 1,303 yards and scored six touchdowns on kick returns. He also has scored four times with intercepted passes. Wiendl picked off 15 enemy passes during his Wilkes career.

"Now the senior will devote a winter to wrestling. He is the defending 160-pound National Collegiate small-college wrestling champion.

"Following his wrestling activities, Wiendl will finish his Wilkes athletic career with baseball in the spring. Last spring, Wiendl hit .357 and stole 12 bases to lead Wilkes to its first Middle Atlantic Conference Northern Division baseball title.

"Joe Skvarla is an end who also played a big part in Wilkes' football success. The 6-foot-3-inch athlete caught 47 passes for 848 yards in his career. Coach Roland Schmidt has plenty of other sound reasons for putting the Lambert Bowl in his trophy case at Wilkes.

"One thing is certain, however, no matter who wins either the Lambert Trophy (major college), Lambert Cup (middle size college) or Lambert Bowl (small college), someone will be unhappy and say so."



DON KEATLEY

The University of Delaware and Indiana University of Pennsylvania have been selected to compete in the Broadwalk Bowl in Atlantic City which means Wilkes gridders can hang up their cleats until next season. Some people close to the Colonels, however, are just as well pleased the team did not receive the bid.

Had the Colonels been selected, several top players probably would not have been able to play. Bill Layden suffered rib injuries in the Lebanon Valley game and was hospitalized for a short time. In fact, Layden played the second half of that game with a partially collapsed lung. No one was aware of his condition until after the game. A tremendous competitor, Layden kept his condition a secret.

Another top defensive player requires knee surgery and would not be available for action as well. A number of others would be questionable starters which would have depleted Colonel strength.

Not once, however, did Wilkes allow this to be known and players would have been willing to take on any bowl opponent if and when a bid was received.

Gridders to Be Feted at South'n Area

Parents and the Southern Area Boosters Association will co-sponsor a banquet for the High School football team on Sunday evening beginning at seven o'clock at the school cafeteria.

The featured speaker will be Earl Bruce, assistant football coac at Penn State University. Remarks will also be given by former Southern football standout Ted Yeager, who had a remarkable fresh season with the undefeated Wilkes College football team this fall.

Master of ceremonies for the affair will be Harold Dalious, a school director and active member of the Boosters Association. At six o'clock Rev. Jerry Haup will show a film of the Southern football games this season.

All parents, interested fans and boosters of the Southern Columbia foothall team are invited to attend the gala affair.

Rick Simonson Cited For ECAC Honors

New York, Nov. 21—(AP)—Rick Simonson, a major reason for Wilkes' 8-0 record, won the quarterback slot on the weekly All-East Division III team of the Eastern College Athletic Conference released today.

The versatile quarterback passed for two touchdowns and two extra points and ran for another score as Wilkes edged Lebanon Valley 23-16 last Saturday.

He was joined in the backfield by Dennis Zimmerman of Albright, Jack Hart of RPI and fullback Tom Moore of Gagner. Zimmerman ran for 168 yards and two touchdowns against Upsala, Hart caught 12 passes for 136 yards against Coast Guard and Moore ran for 129 yards and a score against Hofstra.

John Paczosa of Drexel and Rich Swan of Union won the end slots with Bill Weber of Swarthmore and Wayne Bogardus of Moravian at the tackles. Henry DePerro of Susquehanna and Cliff Berg of Junita were the guards and Joe McKenna of Jersey City State the center.

Linebacker Charles Reppun of Hamilton won defensive back of the week honors after getting in on 19 tackles, throwing the quarterback twice and intercepting a pass against Union. Bill Selim of Muhlenberg was sophomore of the week.

PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

Indiana State University, Indiana, Pa., and the University of Delaware will meet Dec. 14 in the Boardwalk Bowl football game in Convention Hall, Atlantic City.

Indiana was ranked fifth in the latest poll for small college teams in the country. The team was undefeated in nine games.

The University of Delaware posted a 7-3 record for the 1968 season.

Champions have been crowned in all three football divisions of the Middle Atlantic Conference.

Delaware clinched its fifth MAC University Division title with a 38-12 win over Bucknell. The Blue Hens, who have also been crowned Lambert Cup champions for the fourth time, previously won the conference crown in 1959, 1962, 1963 and 1966. They beat out Lafayette.

There are co-champions in both the Northern College Division and Southern College Division. Albright (7-0) and Wilkes (6-0) share the title in the North while Franklin and Marshall and Johns Hopkins both finished with 6-1 records in the South.

Wilkes, the Lambert Bowl champion, won a share of the MAC Northern College Division title for the fourth straight year. The Colonels won the championship outright in 1965 and 1966 and shared the title with Juniata and Wagner last year. It was the third title for Albright. The Lions won the 1959 and shared the 1960 crown with Wagner.

Johns Hopkins won a share of its fourth Southern crown by beating Western Maryland last week. The Blue Jays were conference champs in 1959, 1960 and last year. Franklin and Marshall was the 1964 Southern Division titlist.

Wilkes, hoping for a bowl bid after stretching its winning streak to 29 games, was disappointed at not obtaining a post-season game. The team was honored by the Parents Club at a dinner at Nanticoke American Legion Home Saturday night. Each player received a mug with the school emblem enscribed and the 18 seniors also received desk sets.

In a note to this column yesterday, Coach Rollie Schmidt said:

"On behalf of the Wilkes football team and coaching staff I want to express our appreciation to you for the coverage and support extended to us this year.

"Recognition is an important incentive for any group, but particularly so in athletics, where results of performance are immediately available. The resultant coverage then provides the stimulus for future competition.

"Thank you once again for your support."

Southern Area

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home."

Sarra thanked the wives of coaching staff members for their "tolerance." The wives have an important part, and they "played their part well," the coach added.

"You can't be a winner if you don't pay the price," he said, adding that the boys prepare "mentally and physically" all week. "You must have the desire to win because all the natural ability without pride to be a winner will be of no benefit to the team."

Graduating seniors were introduced with their parents. Seniors include Lanny Fetterman, Ned Hoffner, Dan Grodzinski, Bob Herring, Paul Jankowski, Dave Kichman, Don Leffler and Jim Schrader.

Coach Bruce, kept the group in good spirits when he told them he received two letters at Washington-Jefferson College, one saying "don't come out for football," and the other to "bring back the socks."

The Penn State coach told the boys the first stop for a scout on a school visit is the guidance counselor's office, to see if a prospect is "working to capacity."

Speed was pointed out as the second most important qualification. Change of the game can be noted in the quick reaction drills used by most coaches, Coach Bruce said.

Third, was determination and fourth, attitude. A boy's attitude can be changed by a coach, the experienced tutor declared. He also pointed out that a prayer is said before and after each contest.

Ralph Wolfgang, band director, was complimented along with the band and cheerleaders for their enthusiasm at games and pep rallies.

Prior to a roast beef dinner, movies of previous games were shown and a skit entitled "Happiness is Two Weeks at Football Camp," written by Mrs. George Widger, was presented by the mothers of the football players.

Participating in the skit were Mrs. Fred Kichman, Mrs. Carl

18 Wilkes Seniors in Last Game Tomorrow



(Photos by Ray Preby)

Here are the 18 Wilkes seniors who will play their last game for the blue and gold Saturday when the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt host Lebanon Valley College here. The game is slated for 1:45 p. m. at Ralston field, Kingston. Most of these young men have played together for the past four years and have run up 28 straight victories, the longest win streak in the nation. They have also won the Middle Atlantic Conference championship three times in a row and probably will make it four this year.

Shown top row, left to right: Dan Malloy, Jay Holliday and Joe Wiendl, defensive backs; Mike Connolly, Paul Kane and John Howe, linebackers.

Middle row: Vince Yarmel, fullback; Angelo Loverro, offensive end; Bruce Comstock, offensive tackle; Paul Merrill, Joe Koterba and Bill Layden, three of the defensive front four.

Bottom row: Joe Skvarla and Mike Babuschak, offensive ends; Rich Simonson and Joe Frappolli, quarterbacks; Dave Peterfreund, defensive back; Jerry Mularkey, defensive end.

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Chattanooga, 10-1, took over sole possession of third place with 162 points, while New Mexico State, 9-0, was fourth with 147. The two—both idle over the weekend—had been tied for third the previous week.

The next five positions remained unchanged with Indiana, Pa., 9-0 fifth; Texas A&I, 10-1, sixth; Eastern Michigan, 8-2, seventh; South Dakota, 9-1, eighth, and Eastern Kentucky, 8-2, ninth.

Southwest Louisiana, 8-2, advanced from a tie for 11th to 10th; Troy State 9-1, jumped from 14th to 11th; Morgan State, 8-1, slipped a notch to 12th; Williamette, 9-0, dropped from a tie for ninth to 13th; Tampa, 7-3, was 14th, up two spots, and Arkansas State, 7-2-1, advanced from a tie for 17th to 15th.

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1. North Dakota State 6	9-0	220
2. San Diego State 3	9-0-1	204
3. Chattanooga 1	10-1	162
4. New Mexico Highlands	9-0	147
5. Indiana, Pa. 1	9-0	142
6. Texas A&I 1	10-1	125
7. Eastern Michigan	8-2	97
8. South Dakota	9-1	77
9. Eastern Kentucky	8-2	72
10. Southwestern Louisiana	8-2	51
11. Troy State	9-1	44
12. Morgan State	8-1	36
13. Willamette	9-0	33
14. Tampa	7-3	31
15. Arkansas State	7-2-1	26
16. Humboldt State	9-1	20
17. Akron	7-2-1	17
18. Ferris State	7-0-1	15
19. Tie, Wilkes	8-0	11
Western Kentucky	8-2-1	11

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Adams State, Ashland College, Baldwin-Wallace, Central Missouri State, Doane College, East Stroudsburg, East Texas State, Emory & Henry, Grambling, Kings Point, McMurray, North Carolina A&T, Weber State.

Lambert Award Tickets Available At Wilkes

Tickets for the Lambert Awards luncheon scheduled for Thursday, December 12, at the Hotel Delmonico in New York City are available at the Wilkes College book store or from John Reese, director of athletics at Wilkes.

The luncheon will feature presentation of all three Lambert Awards including the Lambert Bowl to the Wilkes Colonels. The Bowl award is symbolic of supremacy in Division III football.

Wilkes Captures Annual Lambert Bowl Award For Second Time

Coveted Trophy Symbolic Of Small College Supremacy

The Wilkes College Colonels, for the second time in three years, has captured the Lambert Bowl Trophy, presented annually by the Lambert Brothers Jewelers of New York City in conjunction with the Touchdown Club of New York.

Official announcement will be made later in the week although notification of results from the final balloting in New York City have already been sent to schools involved in the race.

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Wilkes won the coveyed award in 1966, the first year it was presented, but last year lost out to Wagner College in a close contest.

This season, a nip and tuck battle raged between Wilkes and King's Point Merchant Marine Academy for Lambert honors and at mid-season Wilkes was actually ranked below the Mariners.

The Academy team, however, lost to Lafayette two weeks ago and Wilkes took a slim one-point lead in the balloting.

This past Saturday, Wilkes defeated Lebanon Valley, 23-16, while King's Point thumped Jersey City State, 43-7. Jersey City, however, is a Club Football team and apparently was not considered in the balloting by members of the Touchdown Club of New York and sportswriters on the Lambert selection committee.

With Lambert honors all wrapped up and boasting the nation's longest victory streak, 29 straight wins, the Wilkes Colonels are keeping their sights set on a possible bid to the Liberty Bowl game to be played in Convention Hall at Atlantic City.

Coached by Rollie Schmidt, the Colonels opened this past season by defeating the University of Vermont, 31-9. They turned back all teams throughout the campaign allowing only 54 points to opponents and rolling up a total of 224 points.

In accordance with past practice, the Colonels will probably send senior members of the team to New York City for the annual Lambert Awards presentations. Members of the coaching staff and selected school officials will accompany the team.

Announcement of the dinner will be made at a later date. Also to be presented at the dinner will be the Lambert Trophy and the Lambert Cup.

Weekend Report



By LOU RAUSCHER

Colonels Take Play Away From Packers

In at least one area of the football world, the Wilkes College Colonels—with their stupendous 29 straight wins—have transplanted the Green Bay Packers as the team most to be admired.

The reference is to a group of grade school youngsters whose after-school world pretty well revolves around their regular pickup grid games in an empty Rolling Mill Hill lot.

The one from here always gets a chuckle out of watching the youngsters and their complex formations. They like to use the names of their favorite team and players. Apparently they were Green Bay fans since one of the kids was Bart Starr, another Boyd Dowler, and still another Ray Nitschke,

Lately, though, it's no longer Starr, Dowler and Nitschke. Now it's Joe Zakowski, Joe Wiendl, Rich Simonson and Joe Skvarla.

Honest. The kids have abandoned the Packers in favor of the Colonels.

This all may seem a bit insignificant, but the fact remains that there was a time a local kid wouldn't have known a single player on the Wilkes College football team.

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"I remember all too well the lean years in which I followed the Wilkes teams and could practically count the fans in attendance, numbering in the dozens of friends and relatives of team members and a few assorted 'nuts' like me.

"I know you, too, can recall the times when Wilkes would go on the road only 60 or 70 miles away and we'd have a bigger crowd in the press box than in the stands.

"What a contrast today when even 'way up in Vermont we outnumbered the home fans.

"I only mention this to point out that essentially nothing has changed. The guys who play for Wilkes today are very much like those poor guys who toiled almost without notice a scant 8-10 years back.

"That these kids today have more athletic talent is an extremely happy matter of fact and this naturally not only attracts the huge crowds, but actually generates a steady crop of similarly talented fellows to the school and thence to the gridiron.

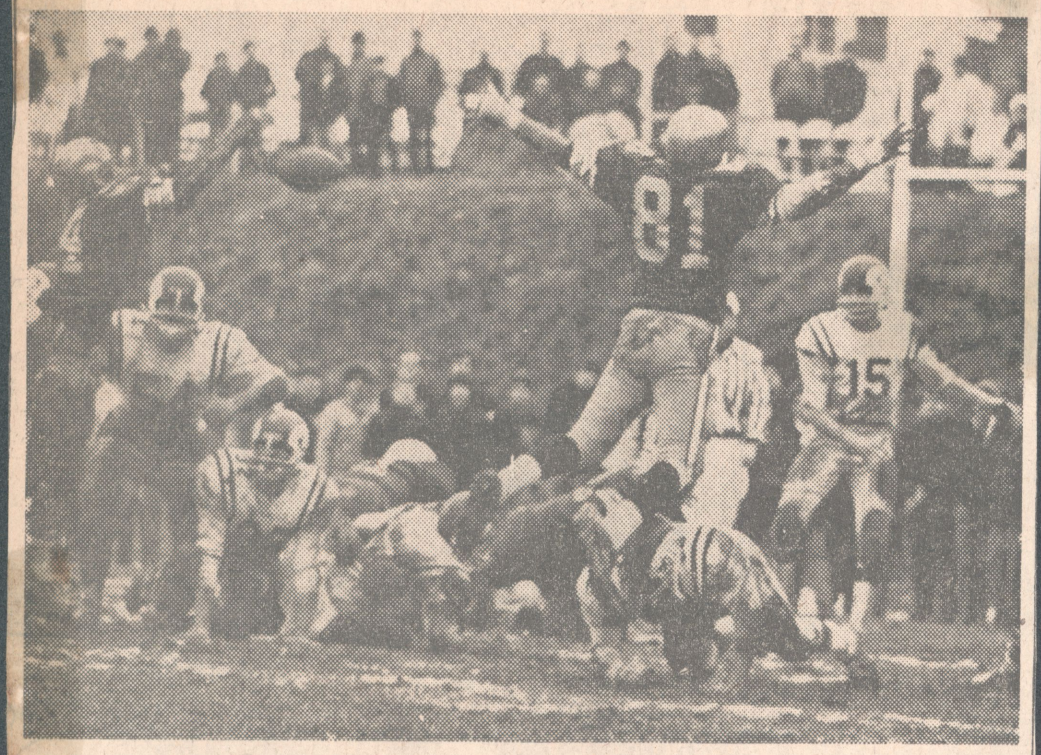
"The whole point of this dissertation is that today's crop of Colonels still carry on in the tradition of their less talented forebearers of another decade: clean-cut gentlemen on and off the field.

"Let those who enjoy the temporary glow of a winning streak take all the satisfaction from it they can.

"Should the bubble burst and our team become just another squad, I'll still have the satisfaction of knowing that the qualities rather than athletic success stories will still be the most notable mark of the Wilkes athlete.

"It's always been like that. I like to think it always will be. This, not umpteen wins in a row, is, has been, and will be the real story of a great little school."

Colonels Share MAC Title



—Strinkoski Photo

This type of pass defense which knocked down Lebanon Valley aerials when they really counted, late in the game, gave the Colonels a 23-16 victory over the Flying Dutchmen on Saturday at Ralston Field. The win gave the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt a share of the Northern Division title in the Middle Atlantic Conference for the fourth consecutive year.

Shown blocking Bruce Decker's aerial are Jim Loveland (54) and John Williamson (81) both in dark jerseys. Decker is number 15 in white.

The victory should give Wilkes a good chance to notch the Lambert Bowl, emblematic of the outstanding small college team in the East, as Lebanon Valley was one of the 10 teams in consideration for the award.

State College Conference Tied

Nation's Longest Win Streak Maintained By Wilkes College

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Meet the new champion of the Pennsylvania Colleges Athletic Conference: California—and East Stroudsburg.

California, the Western Division champion, and Eastern champ East Stroudsburg met in their showdown battle for the conference title Saturday, and the contest wound up in a 28-28 tie.

California twice rebounded from 14-point deficits and pulled out a tie in the last three minutes when quarterback Jeff Petrucci engineered a 73-yard scoring drive.

Petrucci toted the ball on four of 11 plays for 27 yards and passed for another 28. He then vaulted over from a yard out for the touchdown that earned California co-champion honors.

Bill Duckett, East Stroudsburg's cat-quick quarterback, shone brilliantly early in the game. He fired two touchdown passes in the first quarter, and finished up with 17 of 33 passes completed for 220 yards.

Petrucci, who scored two touchdowns in all, hit on 27 of 54 passes for a whopping 358 yards.

Penn State kept on the track to Bowlsville by bowling over Maryland, 57-13; Wilkes racked up its 29th victory in a row, a 23-16 squeaker over Lebanon Valley and Penn tripped Columbia, 13-7, in some of the state's other top games Saturday.

The third-ranked Nittany Lions, with observers from the Orange, Cotton and Sugar Bowls looking on, shattered Maryland behind the touchdown running of Charlie Pittman and Gary Deuel.

Wilkes maintained the nation's longest winning streak with its victory over Lebanon Valley—but it wasn't easy. The Colonels needed two touchdown passes from Joe Skvarla to overcome a wondrous performance by quarterback Bruce Decker of the Flying Dutchmen. He had 24 pass completions for 281 air yards.

Wilkes Extends Its Winning Streak to 29 With 23-16 Victory Over Lebanon Valley

A stubborn defense, which allowed only 36 yards on the ground and knocked down or intercepted key aerials, gave Wilkes College its 29th straight victory Saturday. The Colonels overcame an all-out passing attack by Lebanon Valley's "Flying Dutchmen" to notch a 23-16 triumph at Ralston Field.

The Dutchmen set Middle Atlantic Conference records when Bruce Decker hurled 51 aerials from the shotgun formation which Lebanon Valley relied on most of the afternoon. He completed 24 of them for 345 yards and two touchdowns. However, the Wilkes defense either blocked or intercepted them when the game hung in the balance in the final quarter.

For the 18 seniors, who wore the blue and gold for the last time in regular season play, it meant the full turn of the wheel Saturday. This crop of "superplayers" started their season in 1965, with a victory over Lebanon Valley and ended their careers Saturday with a victory over the same team, four years later.

In four years, these seniors have lost only one game, the third in 1965, to Upsala, 26-20. Since that time they have won 29 straight and would have 32, if it weren't for that lone loss. They defeated Upsala twice since then, including a 9-7 squeaker this year at Ralston Field.

A standingroom only crowd of 5,500 braved the wind and chill to watch the season finale on a muddy, miserable turf. The game was televised locally, the first time in Colonel history.

Wilkes scored first with 8:59 left in the first quarter. Rich Simonson, senior quarterback from Meyers High School, hit Joe Skvarla, senior end from Plymouth High School, with a 36-yard aerial to cap a 60-yard drive that took only three plays.

The drive started when Jay Holliday, senior defensive back, recovered a Lebanon Valley fumble at the Wilkes 40. Simonson hit Skvarla at the LV 44 and Vince Yarmel, senior fullback from Central Catholic of Kingston, blasted to the 36. Then Simonson connected with Skvarla and the rangy end, who holds all nine pass-receiving records at Wilkes, made one of his patented circus catches for the score. Dave Kaschak, junior halfback from Central Catholic, converted and the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt led 7-0.

Skvarla ended the season with five catches for 96 yards and two touchdowns and ran his string to 11 TDs for the year. He caught 47 for 838 yards for the season.

An interception by Pat Malloy, junior linebacker from Central Catholic, halted one Lebanon Valley drive at the Wilkes eight and Pat Malloy also blocked a field goal attempt from the 12 after another Lebanon Valley drive had stalled at the five. P. J. Kane, senior linebacker from Coughlin High School, fell on the blocked kick and Wilkes took over.

The Colonels went to the locker room at halftime with a slim 7-0 lead and Coach Schmidt told his charges it would be a brand new ballgame the second half. And it was, as Decker used the shotgun to great advantage and almost turned the trick. The two teams battled evenly in the second half with both racking up 16 points. The first period score proved the difference in the contest.

Wilkes scored right after the second half started and threatened to make it a rout. On the first play from scrimmage after the second half kickoff, Lebanon Valley fumbled and Jim Loveland fell on the errant ball at the LV 21.

After a couple of gains by Bob Gennaro, Ted Yeager and Yarmel, Simonson went in from the nine on a keeper. The kick failed and Wilkes led, 13-0. Moments later, LV was backed into a corner after the kickoff and ha to kick from its end zone. Wilkes took over on the LV 35 and Simonson and Yeager moved the ball to the seven where LV held.

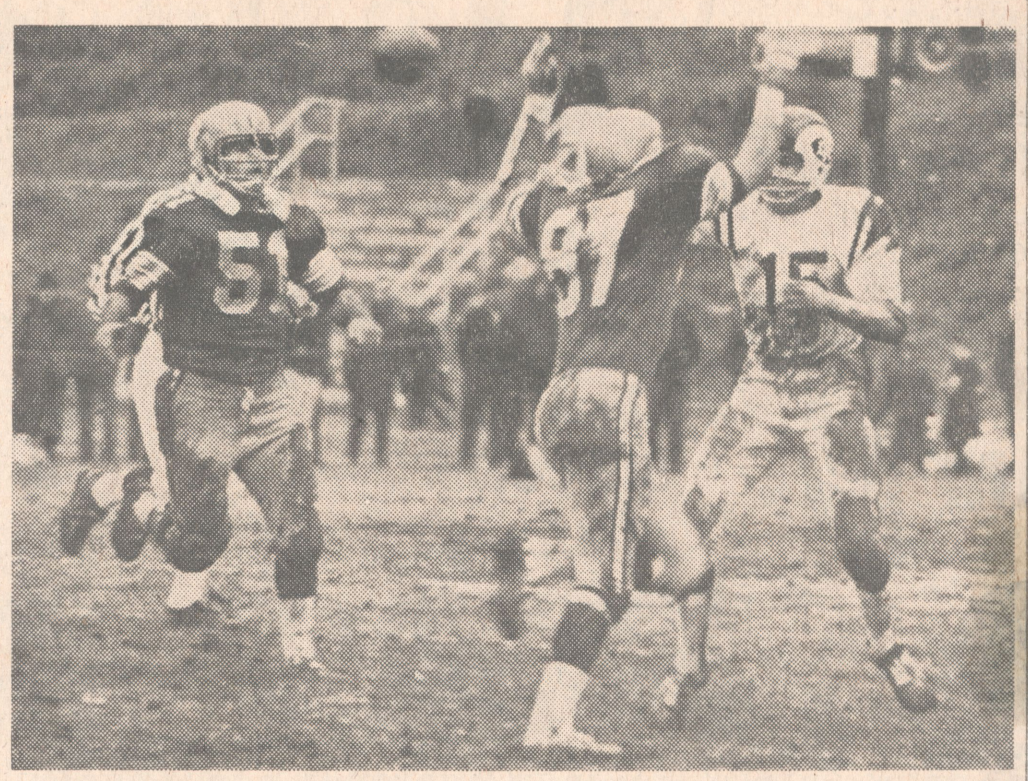
At this point, Kaschak booted a field goal from the 14 to put the Colonels out in front 16-0.

Bill Stake kicked off following the field goal and LV took over on its own 23. Tony DeMarco moved the ball to the 36 for a first down and then Decker hit Taki Bobotis, flankerback for the Dutchmen, who took the ball at full tilt and ran in for a 64-yard touchdown. It was the first TD scored by a pass against the Colonel defense this year. Decker hit DeMarco for the two-point conversion off a fake conversion try by John Holbrook, LV's soccer-style place kicker.

Wilkes got back on the board on the first play of the final period when Simonson hit Skvarla from the 22 at the goal line. Skvarla caught two passes in the 80-yard drive and Ted Yeager gained 16 plus a 15-yard penalty tacked on when LV piled on the 145-pound freshmen from Catawissa.

On the ensuing kickoff, LV's Tom Koons ran it back to the Wilkes 46. Decker hit Koons with a pass at the 32 and another at the 19. He hit Bobotis at the 18 for one-yard and then found Dennis Tulli open at the goal line for the score. Decker threw to Mike Morrison for the two-point conversion and LV was right back in the game, 23-16.

An onside kick by LV failed when Angelo Loverro, senior offensive guard from East Islip, N. Y., grabbed the ball at the Wilkes 38. Wilkes drove to the LV 28 but a field goal attempt from the 37 was off to the left. LV used its shotgun to fire past the strong Wilkes defensive line but the Colonels always managed to bat down the ball when it counted.



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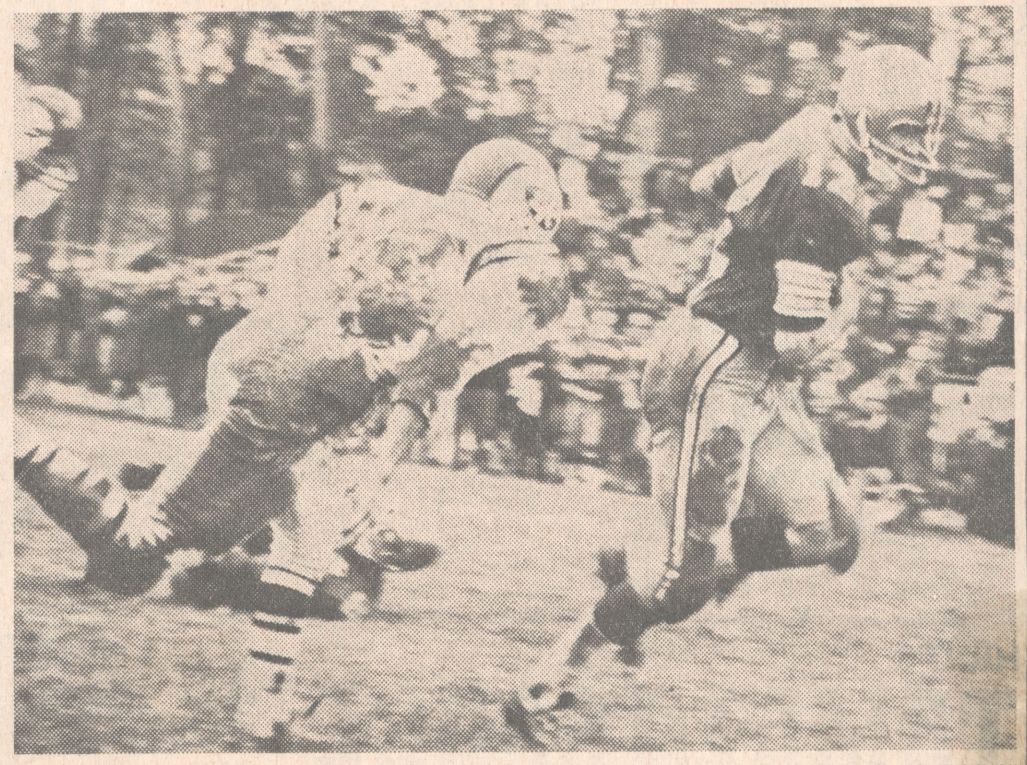
Two members of the Wilkes defense try to get at Bruce Decker (15) Lebanon Valley quarterback, as he passes from the shotgun. Decker threw 51 times on Saturday as Wilkes defeated the Flying Dutchmen, 23-16.

Wilkes players in dark jerseys are P. J. Kane (51) a linebacker, and Joe Koterba (87) one of the defensive front four. Decker completed 24 passes for 345 yards and two touchdowns but the Wilkes defense batted them away when the chips were really down in the last quarter.



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Rich Simonson, Wilkes quarterback (12) in dark jersey, takes off on a keeper for Wilkes second touchdown. Simonson ran nine yards on the keeper for the score after Wilkes recovered a LV fumble on the first play from scrimmage in the second half.

The muddy condition of the field is obvious from the mud-covered jersey which made identification of the LV player nearly impossible.

Longest Win Streak: Wilkes Eyes 29th

The president says the coach deserves all the credit and the coach says you have to hand it to the president for courage and determination, and both of them say it couldn't have been done without the kids. The kids? Well, they just go out each Saturday and hit hard for 60 minutes.

Sports Special

By Phil Pepe

That, simply, is how you build a winning streak—the nation's longest college football winning streak—and it belongs not to Southern California, not to Yale, not even Ohio U. It belongs to the Wilkes College Colonels, the "Big Gold Machine."

Wilkes is a liberal arts college of 2,400 students, of which less than 1,000 are men and 88 play varsity football. The school is located in Wilkes-Barre, in the hard coal region of Pennsylvania, that section of the country where football is more a cult than a sport.

THEY GROW THEM big and tough there and the Colonels have a clear field to the best of the crop—after Alabama, Ohio State, Penn State and even the Ivies have skimmed the cream off the top of the bottle.

"The kids we get," says coach Rollie Schmidt, "are too small for big time competition or a step too slow or didn't get any recognition in high school.

If those are the leftovers, nobody at Wilkes is complaining because tomorrow the Colonels meet Lebanon Valley in their last game of the year and a victory would run their consecutive victory string to 29.

IT WASN'T ALWAYS that easy. Less than a decade ago, Wilkes had permanent residence in the basement of the Middle Atlantic Conference. Then something happened. According to Wilkes' president, Dr. Eugene S. Farley, that something is "one darn good coach" named Rollie Schmidt.

"Until we got him, we were always on the bottom of the pile. Nothing has changed to account for our success except the coach. In fact, before he came we were considering dropping football because we felt our failure was demoralizing to the students."

Like most college presidents, Dr. Farley is quick to point out the academic side of Wilkes, placed among the nation's top 92 colleges in academic standing by a Columbia University survey. The cumulative average of the football squad is 2.41, above the school average, and a representative player is Brinley Varchol, who, in addition to a 3.87 average in math, was a tough middle linebacker on last year's squad.

COACH SCHMIDT throws his bouquet at Dr. Farley as a man of courage and action by pointing out that he lifted Wilkes from a school with one building and 60 students in 1946 to its present academic—and athletic—eminence.

The coach minimizes his contribution because he was a loser in 15 of his first 23 games. "I used to toss and turn at night wondering when we'd win a game," he recalls. "Now I toss and turn worrying how I will react when we lose a game. Will I congratulate the other coach or punch him in the nose?"

The Wilkes legend grows. An increasing number of pro scouts have found their way to the tiny campus, specifically to keep eyes on Bill Layden, 6-2, 230 defensive tackle; Joe Skvarla, 6-2, 190 split end; and Joe Wiendl, 5-10, 175 safety.

AND THE WILKES legend has found its way north to Vermont. When the Colonels played season, they were greeted by the U. of Vermont earlier this banners which queried, "Who the hell is Wilkes?"

They got their answer . . . a 31-9 pasting.

Phil Pepe, former columnist for the World-Telegram and World Journal Tribune, has joined THE NEWS sports staff. His colorful inside stories will appear on these pages regularly.

Wilkes College

Colonels' Corner



ROLLIE SCHMIDT

OPPONENTS NAME—Delaware Valley
LOCATION—Doylestown, Pa.
HOME FIELD—Alumni Field
GAME SITE—Alumni Field
GAME TIME—1:30 p.m.
CAPACITY—3,000
HEAD COACH—Bill Craver, Delaware '52
COACHING RECORD—17-17-0
CAPTAIN—Ted J. Cottrell
COLORS—Green and Gold
NICKNAME—Aggies
1967 RESULTS—Won 6, Lost 2
SERIES RECORD—Wilkes leads with 6 wins, 1 loss and one tie.
OFFENSE—Pro-Set
DEFENSE—Oklahoma (5-4-2)
LETTERMEN RETURNING—(25)

OUTLOOK—Coach Craver's club got off to a flying start last week with a victory over Moravian. Again they are an explosive team on offense and stingy on defense. They have plenty of experinced people just itching to knock Wilkes off.

OUTSTANDING BACK—John Nice, 6-2, 210-pound bruising halfback, who not only has good speed to the outside, but can run over people as well. Ron Timko is another clutch performer who handles the play calling from the QB post. He's strong and can really rifle the football.

OUTSTANDING LINEMAN—Ted Cottrell, linebacker and team captain. He's a rugged 6-2, 245 pounds of quickness and savvy. He can back up the line with the best of them.

COACH SCHMIDT'S OUTLOOK—"Again this will be the toughest game on our schedule. They are pointing for us. The Aggies have one of the strongest teams in the MAC physically and the experience to go with it. Last year's contest was the hardest hitting tilt on our schedule. I feel Saturday's will be repetition of last year's. We're going to have to be ready for 60 minutes of hardnosed football."

NOTE—The last two meetings between these two clubs have been thrilling football contests. Wilkes captured a 6-0 triumph in 1966. Last year they pulled out a narrow 14-13 victory.

Wilkes Out Front for Lambert Bowl by Point

Joe Skvarla On All-East

New York, Nov. 13 (AP)—Unbeaten Wilkes, after winning its 28th straight game last Saturday, took first place in the battle for the Lambert Bowl, emblematic of the East's outstanding Division III college football team.

Wilkes, which whomped PMC 34-0, got four first place votes and a total of 75 points, replacing Kings Point, which lost to Lafayette 7-0. The Mariners are second, only one point back with 74 and three top votes. Mariners led the last two weeks after Wilkes was ahead early in the season.

Albright is third with 55 and Franklin and Marshall fourth with 50.

The eight-man selection committee of athletic directors, sportswriters and sportscasters vote on the basis of 10 points for first, 9 for second, etc.

Little Mark Perkins, Hobart's record-shattering halfback, heads the weekly All-East Division III football team selected today by the Eastern College Athletic Conference.

Perkins, a 5-foot-8, 165-pound senior from Vestal, N. Y., ground out 197 yards in last Saturday's 21-7 victory over R. P. I., setting an all-time NCAA record of 61 carries in the process.

Glenn Dumont of American International, who led the Aces past Southern Connecticut 40-22 with 204 rushing yards and three touchdowns, is the other halfback. Quarterback Pete Shuman or Ursinus fired five TD passes against Dickinson and soph fullback Phil Anthony of Kutztown, whose 147 yards keyed a 13-7 victory over Mansfield, also earned ECAC scrolls.

The ends are Joe Skvarla of Wilkes and Art Jacobs of Union; the tackles Warren Ceres of Upsala and Tom Duncan of Trinity the guards, Don Adams of Kings Points and Ted Cottrell of Delaware Valley and the center, Bill Assenheimer of Alfred.

Skvarla snared three touchdown passes from quarterback Rich Simonson to help Wilkes post its 28th straight win.

Pete Straup of Juniata swipped three St. Lawrence passes and totaled 145 yards on interception, punt and kickoff returns to earn Defensive Back of the Week honors.

Wilkes

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Bonney, who played a first rate game, tossed two bombshells to Byron Truhn for long gains to the two, from where Howell plunged over. The try for a two-point fringe benefit failed.

Playing an outstanding game for the Bombers was Al Cihocki of Nanticoke. The 205-pound sophomore was a thorn in the side of Wilkes many times yesterday afternoon.

Wilkes Grid Campaign Ends Here Tomorrow

The Colonels of Wilkes College end the 1968 football season tomorrow afternoon at Ralston Field when the local grid power hosts Lebanon Valley College. Kickoff is slated for 1:45.

Holding down the nation's longest victory streak at 28, the Colonels will be out to conclude the campaign on a winning note in hope of landing a second Lambert Bowl Award and a possible bid to the Boardwalk Bowl game at Atlantic City.

The Colonels remain in contention for a post-season bowl bid according to the NCAA listings released this week. In last week's Lambert Award ballot, Wilkes regained the lead by a slim margin of one vote over King's Point.

Wilkes Halts

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sixth touchdown pass of the season. Dave Kaschak's point after was good and the Colonels held a 7-0 lead with 8:59 remaining in the first quarter.

This was the extent of all the scoring done in the first half as both squads played defensive minded football.

Waste Little Time

The Colonels wasted little time scoring after halftime as Jim Loveland retrieved his second fumble of the day. Deep in Lebanon Valley territory Simonson directed his team the remaining 21 yards in four plays.

The senior quarterback capped the drive by outfooting Dutchmen defenders around end for a 9-yard score.

Minutes later the famed Golden horde defense struck again. Keeping the visitors deep in their own territory after the kickoff, Wilkes received a short Valley punt on the 35 yard line.

Runs by Simonson and Yeager pushed to the seven but the Dutchmen defense held tight and the blue and gold had to settle for a 24-yard field goal by Kascnak.

With the score 16-0 the tide began to change. More Decker aerials began to fall in friendly hands and the Flying Dutchmen quickly came back with their initial counter of the contest.

The first and last play of the drive after the return kickoff was a beautiful Decker pass to flanker Bobotis.

The play covered 64 yards and caught the Colonel secondary off guard. Going for the two-point conversion, Decker faked the placement and found Tony Demarcho on the goal line for a two-point score.

Final Score

The final score for the champion Wilkesmen was set up by a pair of 17-yard Simonson to Skvarla passes with the ball on the 22-yard line Simonson scrambled all over the field. Finally he spotted Skvarla, who had aready finished running his pattern, among three defenders.

The big end made a diving catch and flopped over the endzone marker for his second score of the day.

Decker went to the airways again and found his receivers on repeated occasions. Seconds later the never die Flying Dutchmen narrowed the lead to 23-16 with a Tulli 18-yard scoring reception and another successful two-point conversion pass to halfback Mike Morrison.

The final minutes of the contest were shear suspense as the Dutchmen repeatedly moved the ball into scoring position before faltering to a stubborn Wilkes secondary.

During the closing uprising, Mike Connolly and Jay Holliday each brought joy into Colonel hearts with timely interceptions.

Holliday became the biggest pass thief in one season as he pilfered his seventh aerial of the year.

The Blue and Gold had a banner year chasing enemy passes, nabbing 22 to break the team record of 19 set in 1966.

SIDELINE NOTES—The game was telecast by Channel 16. . . . Radio station WBRE completed their second year of broadcasting Colonel contests. Handling the microphone for WBRE was Joe Griese **and** Bob Schumaucher. . . . Mini-wonder Ted Yeager finished the year with a total of 131 carries for a net gain of 577 yards, 4.4 average per carry. . . . Colonel offensive line of Mike Babuschak, Bruce Comstock, Les Loveland, George Conway, Angelo Loverro, and Ed Burke have to be applauded for opening up the holes for 1,529 yards rushing by Colonel ballcarriers this Fall. . . . P. J. Kane finished his career in fine style racking up eight tackles and six assists. The Colonel monster back recorded 61 first and 88 secondary hits in eight games. . . . Mini-defensive tackle John Howe second with 99 total hits. . . . Joe Wiendl ran 32 punts back for 492 yards, 15.3 yards per return. . . . After taking over for injured Joe Zakowski, Simonson completed 59 of 125 passes for 889 yards and eight touchdowns. Running the ball 58 times for 208 yards, the signal caller surpassed the coveted 1,000 yard mark in total offense.

Colonels On Top, 23-16

Wilkes College won a share of the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern College Division title for the fourth consecutive year yesterday with its 29th victory in a row, 23-16, over Lebanon Valley, at Ralston Field.

Wilkes, 6-0 in the MAC, shared the crown with Albright, which defeated Upsala, 28-0, yesterday to finish its MAC season at 7-0.

Quarterback Rich Simonson fired two touchdown passes and ran for a third to lead Wilkes to its eighth victory of the year and its third consecutive undefeated season.

Simonson hit Joe Skvarla with a 36-yard scoring pass in the first quarter, and his nine-yard touchdown run and a 24-yard field goal by Dave Kaschak in the third quarter staked Wilkes to a 16-0 lead.

Skvarla took a 22-yard pass from Simonson for Wilkes' final touchdown.

Quarterback Bruce Decker threw three touchdown passes of 64 yards to Taki Bobotis and 18 yards to Dennis Tulli and added two conversion passes for all the Lebanon Valley scoring. Lebanon Valley is 3-4.

Shotgun Surprise

The shotgun went boom and the Colonels nearly got blasted out of Ralston Field, until a determined Wilkes defense said no to a spirited Lebanon Valley uprising and hung on for the victory over the Flying Dutchmen.

WILKES	7	0	9	7—23
LEBANON	0	0	8	8—16

WILKES SCORING—Skvarla, 2, (36 and 22-yard passes from Rick Simonson); Simonson, (9-yard run); PATs, (Kaschak—2); field goal, (Kaschak—24-yards).

LEBANON VALLEY SCORING — Bobotis, (64-yard pass from Decker); Tulli, (18-yard pass from Decker); 2-point conversions, (Demarcho, Morrison—passes from Decker).

STATISTICS

WILKES		LEBANON
First Downs	19	17
Passes Attempted	22	51
Passes Completed	9	24
Passing Yardage	131	345
Had Intercepted	2	3
Rushes	55	29
Net Yards Rushing	224	36
Total Off. Plays	77	80
Total Offense	355	381
Punts	6-230	6-243
Punts—Average	38.3	40.5
Fumbles	1	2
Fumbles Lost	1	2
Penalties	4-50	2-30

Victory number 29 came via the frantic route as 6,000 Wilkes rooters sweated out 51 of Deckers' passes.

The Lebanon Valley quarterback utilized a seldom used shotgun offense to complete 24 passes for a total of 345 yards.

For the first time this season, the Wilkes passing defense was scored upon and the Dutchmen pulled the trick twice.

The Colonels, displaying their usual balance and cool, got stellar performances again from Simonson, Vince Yarmel, Ted Yeager and Skvarla to sew up their third consecutive 8-0 season.

Top Rushing Game

The rushing of Simonson, Yarmel, and Yeager totaled 192 of the 224 yards the Colonels made rushing.

Skvarla ended his collegiate career on a sweet note pulling down five Simonson aerials for 96 yards and the two important touchdowns.

The greatest pass receiver in Wilkes grid history ended the year with 47 receptions, good for 838 yards and 11 touchdowns.

As usual, the Wilkesmen scored first and early as Skvarla culminated a 58-yard drive with one of his patented arching catches.

The drive started on the Wilkes' 42 as Jim Loveland jumped on a ball knocked loose from Valley end Greg Teter.

Finding Skvarla with a 14-yarder and Yarmel with an eight-yard gainer up the middle the stage was now set for number 84.

Skvarla had to jump high and gyrate to pull down Simonson's

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On The Sports Front

DON KEATLEY, Sports Editor

What's In Store For Jersey 44?

Late Saturday afternoon as darkness shrouds Ralston Field, Joe Wiendl, the only Wilkes College football player ever to win All-America honors, will enter the field house locker room and remove Jersey number 44 for the last time on Colonel soil.

It is this writer's opinion that in light of his unceasing devotion to Wilkes; his many heroic achievements on the football field and his overwhelming contributions to the team, number 44 should never again be worn in a Wilkes football game.

It would be fitting and in good taste for Wilkes College to retire Joe Wiendl's jersey.

Never in the history of Wilkes College football has one player reached the heights Wiendl has attained over the years and never has one athlete provided so much excitement and explosiveness.

In his four years of varsity ball, Wiendl has gained the admiration and respect not only of his own teammates and partisan fans but of the loyal opposition as well. He has become the very symbol of success and victory.



DON KEATLEY

The senior safetyman from Westfield, N. J., won Second Team All-America honors last year as a junior and held five Wilkes football records coming into his senior year.

From his safety position and as the lone kickoff receiver for the Colonels, Wiendl has broken the back and spirit of numerous teams with dazzling runbacks.

Among his longest were a 96-yard punt return against Ursinus; 90-yard interception against PMC; 95-yard punt return against Ithaca to put that game out of reach, and two punt returns of 82 and 68 yards against Delaware Valley for crucial scores.

As deep safetyman for Wilkes, Wiendl has paced one of the strongest pass defenses in college football. Very little gets by him on the ground or through the air.

In the overall analysis, Wiendl has created an image of excitement and gutsy desire and he possesses all the heroic traits of a true All-American. There never had been a Wiendl at Wilkes and many years may pass before another from a similar mold makes an appearance on the campus . . . if ever.

Saturday afternoon will find other Wilkes "greats" playing their final game.

Bill Layden and Joe Skvarla rank as two of the finest performers in Wilkes history. Although injured much of this season, Layden has continued to be the Colonels' rally master. He is there with the big play on the field and from the bench motivates team morale unparalleled in MAC football.

Skvarla is Wilkes' biggest offensive weapon. Double and triple teamed at times, his very appearance on the field makes the Colonels lethal on the ground and in the air.

The list of seniors playing their final game this weekend seems endless but their names have become household terms and their loss will be a blow to Coach Rollie Schmidt.

Hopefuliy, Saturday will end with mixed emotions: The happiness of victory and the sadness that comes with finality.

All-East Laurels For Skvarla

Wilkes Regains Lead For Lambert Honors

Wilkes College football Colonels regains the lead in the balloting for the Lambert Bowl, which goes to the outstanding Eastern small college football team, as a result of a 34-0 victory over PMC Colleges last Saturday.

The Wilkes win, coupled with a loss by King's Point, 7-0, to Lafayette, gave Coach Rollie Schmidt's team the nod by one point.

Wilkes, winner of the initial Lambert Bowl award two years ago, received the first place votes of four of the eight-man committee. The Colonels also got three seconds and one third for a total of 75 points.

The King's Point Mariners, previously unbeaten, received three first place votes, four seconds and one third for a total of 74 points, based on 10 for first; nine for second; eight for third, etc.

Members of the Lambert Bowl 1968 Selection Committee are: Jack Case, Watertown (NY) Times; Ruel Colby, Concord (N.H.) Monitor; Tom Cunningham, Albany Times-Union; Bill Fisher, Lancaster New Era, Ed Golden, Trenton (N.J.) Trentonian; Ted Mulcahey, Pawtucket (R.I.) Times; W. Roy Phillips, Franklin and Marshall athletic director; Larry Strum, WGBH-TV, Boston.

At the same time, Wilkes received another honor this week when Joe Skvarla, senior end from Plymouth, was named to the Eastern College Athletic Conference All-East Division III team for Saturday's game. Skvarla caught six passes for three TDs.

Also nominated to the ECAC team were Rich Simonson, senior quarterback; Pat Malloy, junior linebacker, and Ted Yeager, freshman mini-back.

In the balance of the Lambert Bowl balloting, in third place is Albright, which made its record 7-1 with a 7-6 triumph over Lebanon Valley. F. and M., 6-1 after trouncing Haverford, 31-0, is fourth and Union, which received the other first-place ballot, is fifth. Union licked Alfred, 21-7, also for a 6-1 record.

The rest of the top ten includes Maryland State (4-2-1), Trinity (5-2), Delaware Valley (5-2), Juniata (6-2) and Lebanon Valley (3-3).

Both leaders have one game left. King's Point is host to Jersey City State and Wilkes, which has now won 28 in a row since 1965, is home to Lebanon Valley.

The top ten and their points:

College	Pts.
1. Wilkes (7-0)	75
2. Kings Point (7-1)	74
3. Albright (7-1)	55
4. Franklin & Marshall (6-1)	50
5. Union (6-1)	42
6. Maryland State (4-3-1)	34
7. Trinity (5-2)	33
8. Delaware Valley (5-2)	32
9. Juniata (6-2)	30
10. Lebanon Valley (3-3)	8

PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

Undefeated Wilkes College football team, which takes on Pennsylvania Military College, this afternoon at Ralston Field, figures high in all but one of the statistical categories of Middle Atlantic Conference Northern College Division.

Wilkes, going after its 28th straight, ranks first in rushing defense and overall defense and kicker Bill Staake is the leading punter in the circuit.

In four conference titles this season, the Colonels handled 147 rushing attempts and allowed only 315 yards for an average of 78.7 rushing yards a game. Wilkes is fourth in passing defense. The Colonels allowed 43 passes to be completed for 454 yards and intercepted eight passes. Average game yardage allowed on passing is 113.5. In total defense, Wilkes is tops by giving up 192.2 yards a game.

Wilkes is: Fourth in rushing offense, picking up 697 yards in 202 carries for a game average of 174.2 yards; second in passing offense garnering 585 yards by completing 37 of 82 passes, two of which went for touchdowns; second in total offense, 284 plays picking up 1,282 yards for a game average of 320.5 yards; second in scoring with 108 points in four games for an average of 27 a game.

In individual statistics, the Colonels are represented in every category but individual scoring.

Staske has punted 21 times for 809 yards or an average of 38.5 yards a punt. This is the top performance in the division. Floyd Ritter, Delaware Valley, is a far second with an average of 36.9.

Ted Yeager is third in total yards rushing and third in average yards rushing. The swift Wilkes back has toted the ball 59 times for a gain of 271 yards or an average of 4.6 yards a try.

Rick Simonson is fourth in the passing standings. He threw 68 aerials, completed 35, had only two intercepted for a percentage of .515. Simonson's throws gained 535 yards for the Colonels. He tossed two touchdown passes. Simonson is fifth in total offense having gained 607 yards in rushing and passing in 98 plays.

Joe Skvarla is third in pass receiving by snaring 25 passes good for 442 yards and two touchdowns.

Wilkes Seniors End Collegiate Football Careers Saturday



—Max Lyons Photo

Eighteen seniors will wear the blue and gold of the Wilkes College football team on Saturday for the last time when the Colonels close out their 1968 season. Wilkes will host Lebanon Valley at 1:45 p. m. at Ralston Field, Kingston. Wilkes is 7-0 on the season with 28 straight victories. Most of these seniors have been playing together for four years since Wilkes is allowed to start freshmen under NCAA rules.

Shown kneeling, left to right: Joe Koterba, Paul Merrill, Rich Simonson, Angelo Loverro, Joe Wiendl, Dan Malloy.

Standing: Bill Layden, Joe Skvarla, Mike Babuschak, Mike Connolly, John Howe, Vince Yarmel, Bruce Comstock, Joe Frappolli, Paul Kane, Jay Holliday.

Other seniors are Dave Peterfreund and Jerry Mularkey.

WILKES EXTENDS WINNING STREAK

The nation's longest winning streak was extended to 28 games Saturday as the Colonels of Wilkes College walloped the Cadets of PMC Colleges, 34-0, at Ralston Field, Kingston. A homecoming crowd of 6,500 jammed the field to watch Coach Rollie Schmidt's Colonels run their 1968 streak to 7-0.

Wilkes closes its season next week with Lebanon Valley at Ralston Field. Kickoff is set for 2 p. m. A win Saturday could mean the Lambert Bowl and a possible post-season bowl bid for the Colonels.

King's Point, which led Wilkes in last week's Lambert Bowl balloting was defeated by Lafayette, 7-0 Saturday.

The Colonels victory was led by Joe Cvarla, senior end from Plymouth, who caught three touchdown passes from Rich Simonson, senior quarterback from Meyers.

The receptions by Skvarla were for 63, nine and 23 yards, all for touchdowns.

Skvarla has now scored nine touchdowns on the year, eclipsing the old mark of seven set by Paul Gronka in 1953. Skvarla now holds all nine pass catching marks at the local college.

The first Colonel score came with 10:13 left in the first quarter. Backed into a corner after recovering a Wilkes fumble at the PMC seven, the Cadets were forced to kick. Tony DeBiasse, PMC halfback, went back to quick kick on third down and the ball was blocked by Joe Koterba, P. J. Kane and Bill Layden. DeBiasse fell on the errant ball but Layden covered him for the safety.

With 10:35 left in the second quarter, Wilkes got on the scoreboard again as Ted Yeager, Wilkes mini-back, worked the ball to the three after a sparkling punt return by Joe Wiendl, Wilkes Little All-American. Bob Gennaro, Colonels' fullback, drove in from the three for the score.



(Photo by Strinkoski)

Tony DeBiasse, PMC halfback, tries in vain to catch Joe Skvarla (84) Wilkes Senior end, as he takes off on a 63-yard scoring jaunt for the Colonels Saturday. Wilkes defeated PMC Colleges, 34-0, as the rangy Plymouth end caught three scoring aerials from Rich Simonson, former Meyers great.

Wilkes came alive in the second period when Pat Malloy, junior linebacker, intercepted at the Wilkes 33 and ran it to the 37. On the first play from scrimmage, following the interception, Simonson went for the long bomb. He hit Skvarla at full stride and the rangy end went 63 yards for the score. There were two minutes and 11 seconds left in the half when the score came.

Pat Malloy intercepted his second aerial at the PMC 43 and ran it back to the 21. Pat actually went into the endzone standing up, aided by a block from his brother, Dan, but the official ruled Pat stepped out of bounds at the 21. Simonson and Vince Yarmel worked the ball to the nine and Simonson hit Skvarla for the TD with 24 seconds left in the half. Wilkes went to the locker room leading 20-0.

The third quarter was a see-saw battle with neither team having a real advantage until the quarter was more than half over. Pat Malloy again intercepted the PMC quarterback at the PMC 21 and ran it in for the TD. Dave Kaschak kicked his first conversion of the afternoon and Wilkes led, 27-0.

Late in the game, Coach Schmidt put his varsity back in when the second and third stringers were taking a physical beating from the PMC starters. Wiendl, Wilkes safetyman, took a punt at the Wilkes 40 and ran it to the PMC 47. In four plays, Yeager worked the ball to the PMC 23 and from there Simonson hit Skvarla with his last scoring pass. Kaschak again converted and Wilkes had a 34-0 led with 1:50 left.

The Colonel defense notched its third shutout in seven games.

Malloy Intercepts In Wilkes Win



—Strinkoski Photo

Pat Malloy (83) Wilkes junior linebacker from Trucksville, tucks in the ball and is off and running in Wilkes 34-0 victory over PMC Colleges on Saturday at Ralston Field, Kingston. Malloy intercepted three passes, one of which he ran in for a score. It was the Colonels' 28th win in a row.

Attempting to hold Malloy is Larry Smith (77) PMC tackle. Moving in to help is Jim Huff (82) PMC end. Mike Connolly, (33) in the dark jersey, is also moving in to the action at left. Joe Wiendl, (44) Wilkes safetyman, is behind the play.

The Colonels close out their 1968 season here on Saturday with the "Flying Dutchmen" of Lebanon Valley College. A victory could mean the Lambert Bowl and a post-season bowl bid for the Colonels.

Homecoming Queen



—Photo by James Kozemchak

Miss Jean Marie Chapasko, queen of 21st annual Wilkes College Homecoming Weekend, is shown as she arrived at Ralston Field for crowning ceremonies during Saturday's football game between Wilkes and PMC. Miss Chapasko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Chapasko, Ashley, was crowned by Dr. Eugene Shedden Farley, president of Wilkes College, before a crowd estimated at 6,000.

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STATISTICS

WILKES		PMC
First Downs	15	8
Passes Attempted	20	24
Passes Completed	9	12
Yards Gained Passing	160	86
Rushes	44	35
Yards Gained Rushing	162	9
Total Offense	332	95
Punts	6-275 (45.7) avg.	8-260 (32.5 avg.)
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The final score of the day for the charges of Coach Roland Schmidt occurred in the closing

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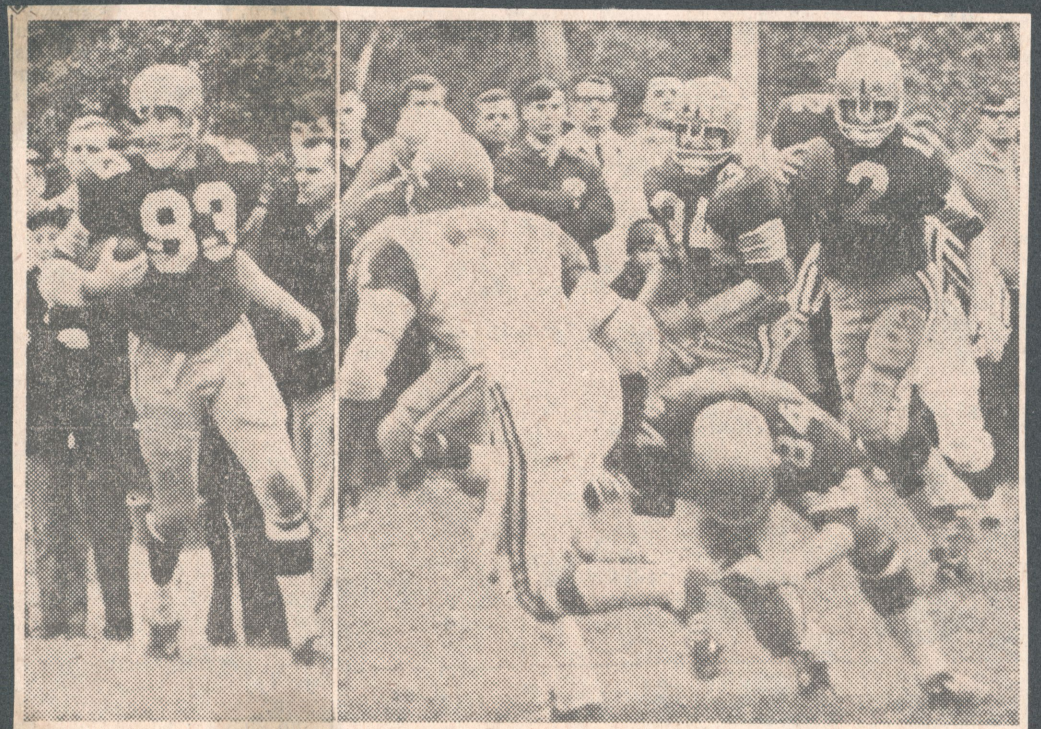

Wilkes College's Pat Malloy, left photo, returns interception for touchdown against PMC yesterday while Colonels' Rich Simonson, right photo, prepares to execute the option play (Strinkoski Photos).

Locals on Top, 148-115

Barons Beat Trenton In Pre-Season Game

The Wilkes-Barre Barons, preparing for the Eastern Basketball League season, defeated the Trenton Colonials, 148-115, last night at the King's Col-

Guide Wilkes Football Fortunes



(Photo by Ray Preby)

Here is the Wilkes College football coaching staff which has guided the team to a 6-0 record thus far in the 1968 season. The Colonels will be looking for number seven on the season and the 28th in a row when they take on PMC Colleges on Saturday. The game is set for 2 p. m. at Ralston Field, Kingston.

Shown kneeling, left to right: Charles Adonizio, assistant coach; Rollie Schmidt, head coach; Jonah Goobic, first assistant.

Standing: Jack Lukis, Gene Domzalski and Brinley Varchol, assistant coaches.

Adonizio and Goobic have been with Coach Schmidt for several years, while Domzalski ·d Varchol are new additions to the staff this year. Lukis joined the Wilkes staff last year. ·archol, a middle linebacker last year, was cocaptain of the 1967 squad.

Wilkes College

Colonels' Corner



ROLLIE SCHMIDT

OPPONENT'S NAME—PMC
LOCATION—Chester, Pa.
HOME FIELD—PMC Stadium.
GAME SITE—Ralston Field.
GAME TIME—2 p.m.
CAPACITY—5,500.
HEAD COACH—Ed Lawless, Penn, 1948.
COACHING RECORD—Won 4, Lost 9.
CAPTAINS—Joe Mossa and Joe Piselli.
COLORS—Red, White and Yellow.
NICKNAME—Cadets.
1967 RESULTS—Won 3, Lost 6.
SERIES RECORD—PMC 7 wins, 2 losses.
OFFENSE—Varied with wing and pro.
DEFENSE—Split 6, with monster back.
LETTERMEN RETURNING—(16).

OUTLOOK—Coach Lawless had a strong nucleus of interior linemen returning and some talented backs, but is lacking depth. This is Coach Lawless' second year at the helm and he has made some strides in building for the future. This year's club is small compared to some of the Cadets' teams of the past.

OUTSTANDING BACK—Quarterback Steve Pahls, Bill Deni and Joe Mossa are three excellent backs. Pahls has a very strong arm and can fire the football. Deni is quick, while Mossa is more a power runner. Deni caused the Colonels some problems last year.

OUTSTANDING LINEMAN—Joe Piselli and Jim Huff are the Cadets' two linebackers. Piselli handled the "Monster" chores last year. He's a fine hitter. Huff likes to mix it up, too.

COACH SCHMIDT'S OUTLOOK—"This team is always in top physical condition. They also have some capable personnel who can make it rough on any ball club. This is our next to last game. We have defeated PMC the last two years, but we knew we were in a ball game. They come at you the full 60 minutes. We're looking for our offense to get back on track for this one."

Longest Win Streak In College Football

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Wilkes Holds Nation's

RANKED 2ND IN LAMBERT POLL DESPITE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Wilkes College football team now holds the longest win streak in college football in the Nation with 27 straight victories without a loss or tie.

The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt vaulted into the envied spot on the basis of a 28-0 victory over Dickinson on Saturday coupled with a loss by Morgan State, the previous leader. Morgan State was beaten by North Carolina A. &T. 7-6.

The Associated Press confirmed today that the streak is the longest among all collegiate teams both University and College Division.

The Colonels have been overlooked for the past two years when it came to choosing teams for post-season bowl games despite the fact that they had 8-0 records both years. In the 1966 season, this 8-0 was coupled with five from the previous year making the record 13-0. The 1967 Wilkes team was 8-0 and added to the 13 this meant a record at the end of last season of 21-0.

In 1968, thus far, the Colonels are 6-0 and looking for number seven on Saturday when they host PMC Colleges at 2 p. m. at Ralston Field, Kingston. The final game of the season will be on November 19, when Wilkes hosts Lebanon Valley also at Ralston Field.

Should the Colonels get by both of these teams, and they are favored to do so, they will close out the third 8-0 season in a row and have a string of 29 straight victories, the longest in the nation, when the bowl pickers are casting about for candidates.

The Wilkes eleven is also the defending Middle Atlantic Champion and has held this honor for the past three years with a fourth almost in the bag.

Observers feel that any team than can log 27 straight against such teams as University of Vermont, Drexel Institute, Delaware Valley, Lebanon Valley, East Stroudsburg, Upsala and Juniata has to be a top power. Even winning in one's own conference 27 straight games requires some ability and even luck, most would concede.

In another vein, the balloters on the Lambert Bowl also seem reluctant to pick Wilkes as the best small college team in Division III in the East. The Colonels won the initial Lambert Bowl award in 1966 but lost it to Wagner by a narrow margin last year despite an equal 8-0 record.

In the most recent balloting for 1968, Wilkes dropped to a poor second to King's Point as the Mariners got 80 out of a possible 80 first place points despite a real close call with Hofstra, 13-9. Wilkes was a unanimous second place choice with 72 out of 72 possible second place points.

The Colonels didn't lose to drop into second place; they had a narrow victory over Upsala 9-7, and walloped Dickinson 22-0 .

Wilkes' defense has allowed only 32 points to six opponents thus far this season, or an average of just about one touchdown per game. Half of this total went to an inspired Ithaca team which rolled up 19 points over a Colonel team that gave a one-game lacklustre performance.

The Wilkes offense, in the meantime has been running up 157 points in six games or better than 26 points per game average. This total includes the one weak offensive effort, against Upsala, when the Colonels only registered nine points. Otherwise, the total would bring just about 30 points per game average.

The top 10 Lambert Bowl team are as follows:

College and Record	Pts.
1. Kings Point (7-0)	80
2. Wilkes (6-0)	72
3. Trinity (5-1)	59
4. Albright (6-1)	51
5. Franklin & Marshall (5-1)	43
6. Maryland State (4-2-1)	40
7. Union (5-1)	37
8. Delaware Valley (4-2)	25
9. Juniata (5-2)	22
10. Lebanon Valley (3-2)	4

Wilkes After 28th in Row Against PMC Saturday

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A loss or close call for King's Point coupled with a big win by Wilkes could give the Colonels the Lambert Bowl again. The initial Lambert Bowl award went to Wilkes in 1966. Last year the Colonels were edged by Wagner in the run for the bowl.

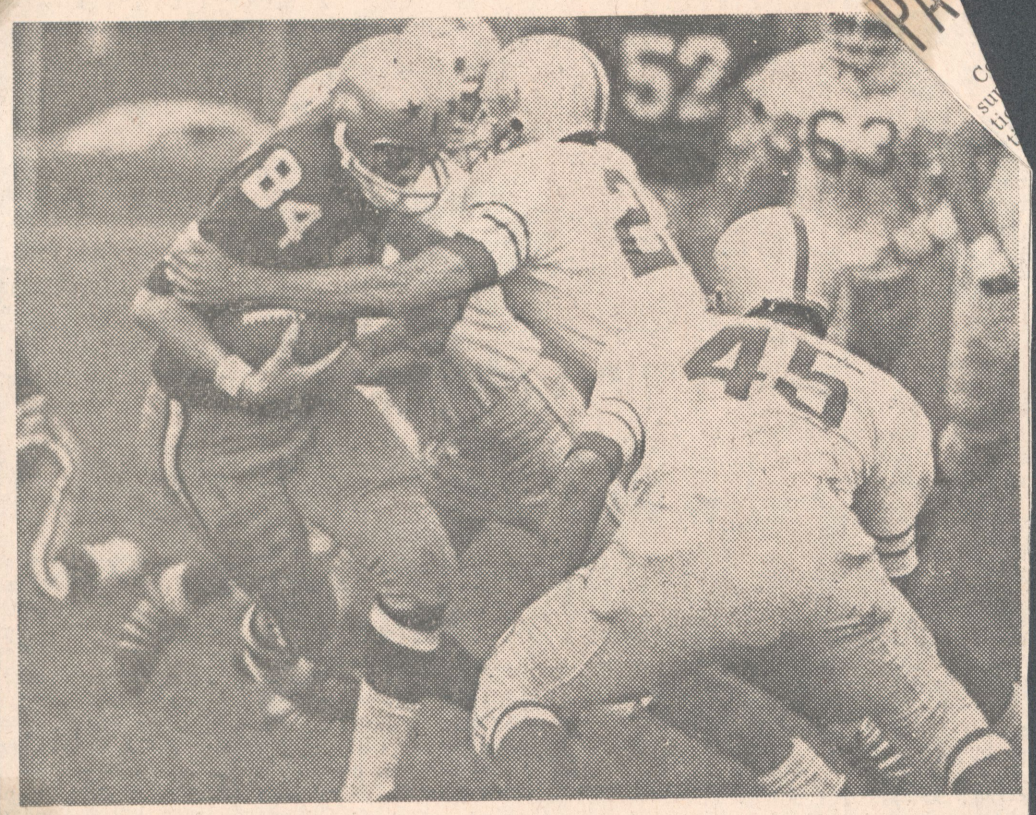
Wilkes should be in good shape for Saturday's game with most of the knee injuries suffered against Upsala mended. Only Joe Zakowski, junior signal-caller from Hanover Township, remains among the walking wounded. Zakowski has a right thigh and knee injury and may not see action until the Lebanon Valley game, if then.

In the meantime, Rich Simonson, former Meyers quarterback, has been directing the team. Last Saturday, Simonson appeared to have found the key to directing the Colonel offense as he had his best day of the year. After that game, in which he gained added confidence, along with his teammates, Simonson should be ready to break some of the passing records he set in the Dickinson tilt.

Rich hit on 16 of 32 for 240 yards at Dickinson, all three of which were new school records for most passes thrown, most completed and most yards gained passing, in a single game. If Vince Yarmel is in top shape, and it is expected he will be, the Colonels will have their one-two punch back with Yarmel and Ted Yeager at the running back slot. Barry Davenport at flanker rounds out the backfield.

Mike Babuschak, former Coughlin ace, scored his first touchdown of the season as tight end in the Dickinson game. Mike likes the feel of stardom and Coach Schmidt is looking forward to a banner day for Mike in his next to last game. Babuschak has been open most of the time as opponents double and triple cover Joe Skvarla, Wilkes fantastic pass catcher, who is rated by many as the best small college end in the nation.

A Threat On Land Or In Air



Wilkes end Joe Skvarla (84) knows how to catch a football but he also knows how to run after he catches it as this photo shows. Skvarla caught eight passes in the Colonels' 28-0 victory over Dickinson on Saturday at Carlisle. —Strinkoski Photo

Attempting to stop Skvarla are Gregory Abeln (27) and Dennis Davis (45). Glenn Boye (63) looks on for Dickinson.

Wilkes Turns Back Dickinson; Play Final 2 Games At Home

Wilkes notched its 27th victory of the season with a 28-0 victory over Dickinson College on Saturday at Carlisle to finish out the away schedule by another wide margin.

Next Saturday, the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt host PMC Colleges at Ralston Field in the next to last game of the season. The following Saturday, Lebanon Valley will be here for the season finale. The match with the Flying Dutchmen has grown into a grudge game and Ralston Field will be bulging at the seams for the final contest.

Wilkes has played its two closest and most exciting games at home on the way to a 6-0 season thus far. The Ithaca Bombers came in 28-point underdogs and twice in the game threatened to win or at least tie with two two-point conversion tries. That final was 28-19 but the last Wilkes score, in a then 21-19 ball game, came with only seconds left.

In the other home game, Upsala gave Wilkes fans heart failure as they threatened to win a 9-7 ball game with a field goal try with nine seconds left in the game. The ball fell short and Joe Wiendl, Wilkes senior safety-man and tri-captain, ran it back out of danger as the gun sounded to give Wilkes a 9-7 squeaker.

In the four away games, it has been almost all Wilkes. The Colonels topped University of Vermont, 31-9 at Burlington; Moravian, 40-0 at Bethlehem; Delaware Valley, 31-3 at Doylestown, and Dickinson 28-0 at Carlisle.

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Some miscues and a momentary injury to Simonson stopped several other Wilkes drives and the quarter ended scoreless. It was midway in the second quarter that Wilkes got on the scoreboard. A Dickinson drive was halted when Jay Holliday, defensive back for the Colonels, intercepted at the Wilkes 10 and ran it back to the 21. Bill Staake, leading punter in the Middle Atlantic Conference going into the game, booted to the Dickinson 49 and the Red Devils were on the move again.

Moments later, Wiendl intercepted at the Wilkes 47, was trapped and handed the ball to Jim Loveland, who was nailed almost immediately. Vince Yarmel of Central Catholic of Kingston, blasted to the Dickinson 44 but a penalty set the Colonels back 15 yards. Yarmel and Ted Yeager gained some yardage on sweeps around Mike Babuschak's end and off the tackle spots manned by Ed Burke and Captain Comstock.

Simonson hit Joe Skvarla with a 31-yard aerial for the TD and Wilkes was on the board with 9:36 left in the half. Kaschak kicked the first of four consecutive conversions.

After an almost scoreless third quarter, Wiendl ran back a Dickinson punt to the Red Devils' 47. Simonson hit Barry Davenport at the 32 and on the next play threated the needle to Skvarla at the 13. Bob Gennaro, playing for the re-injured Yarmel, ran to the eight from where Simonson carried it in himself. Kaschak again converted. There were seven seconds left in the quarter when Simonson scored again.

Within a matter of 50 seconds, Wilkes was back on the scoreboard, as Wiendl grabbed his second interception at the Wilkes 48 and ran 52 yards for the TD with 14:17 left in the final period. Kaschak kicked the PAT.

The final Colonel score came with 1:16 left in the game. Wiendl again intercepted and ran the ball to the Dickinson 32. A number of passes to Davenport and Skvarla moved the Colonels to the Dickinson 13. Simonson went to back to pass, noticed Davenport and Skvarla both doubled-covered by the Dickinson zone defense and realized this left tight-end Babuschak wide open. He flipped to the big former Coughlin star and "Mike" carried it into the endzone with two Red Devils hanging onto his back. Kaschak got his fourth and final conversion and Wilkes wrapped it up, 28-0.

In the second half, Wilkes had 14 first downs to two for Dickinson. The Colonels had 24 in the game to eight for the Red Devils. Simonson hit on 16 of 32 passes for 240 yards, all school records for most passes thrown, most completed and most yardage in a single game by passing. Skvarla tied his one-game mark by catching eight passes.

Dickinson gained 58 yards in the air and 49 on the ground in 37 rushing plays. They hit on only six of 30 passes. Total Red Devil offensive in 67 plays was 107 yards. The Colonels rolled up 159 yards in 50 plays to get a total offense of 399 yards in 83 plays.

WILKES REMAINS UNDEFEATED BY TAKING 28-0 WIN FROM DICKINSON



(Photos by Strinkoski)

Mike Babuschak (86) Wilkes tight end and a former Coughlin great, in top photo, runs for his only touchdown of the season as he caught a last minute pass from Rich Simonson, Wilkes signal-caller for the final Colonel score in Saturday's 28-0 win over Dickinson at Carlisle.

Blocking for Babuschak is Aldo Farneti (22). The Dickinson Red Devil about to get blocked out of the action is Dennis Davis (45). Babuschak was open as Dickinson chose to double and triple-cover Wilkes fantastic end, Joe Skvarla.

Wilkes quarterback Rich Simonson, (12), bottom photo, former Meyers great, moves the ball on a keeper for the Colonels. Wilkes defense has allowed 38 points in six games this season.

Leading the way for Simonson is Charlie Fick (36) and Bruce Comstock (77). The Red Devil is Richard Henry (34).

The Wilkes College football machine sputtered for nearly a half Saturday before grinding out a 28-20 victory over an inspired Dickinson team at Carlisle. It was the Colonels 27th straight win. The Red Devils had perhaps their finest day of the season for at least one half as they played Wilkes on almost even terms.

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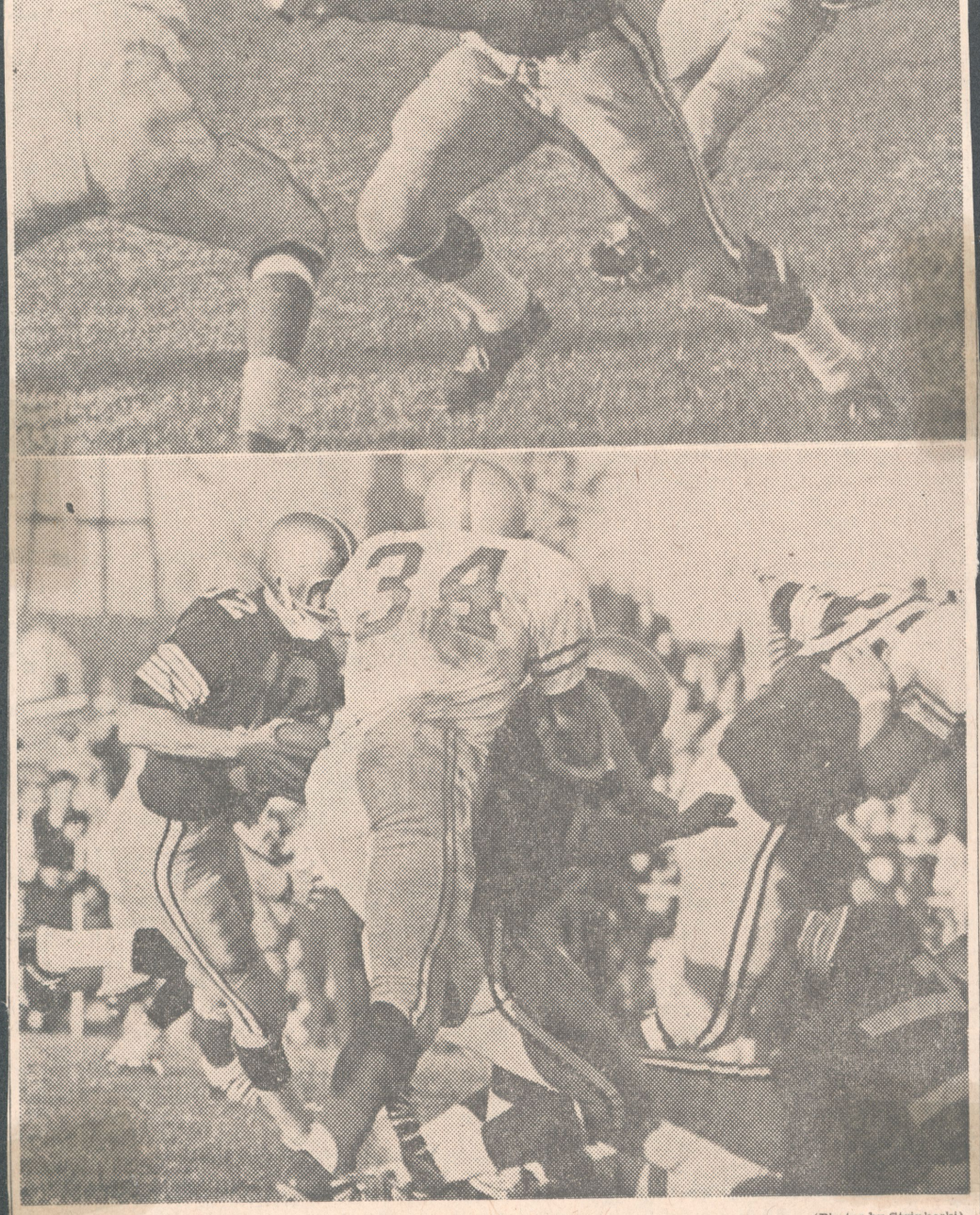

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Mike Babuschak (86) Wilkes tight end and a former Coughlin great, in top photo, runs for his only touchdown of the season as he caught a last minute pass from Rich Simonson, Wilkes signal-caller for the final Colonel score in Saturday's 28-0 win over Dickinson at Carlisle.

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Wilkes quarterback Rich Simonson, (12), bottom photo, former Meyers great, moves the ball on a keeper for the Colonels. Wilkes defense has allowed 38 points in six games this season.

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The Wilkes College football machine sputtered for nearly a half Saturday before grinding out a 28-20 victory over an inspired Dickinson team at Carlisle. It was the Colonels 27th straight win. The Red Devils had perhaps their finest day of the season for at least one half as they played Wilkes on almost even terms.

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PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

Coach Rollie Schmidt should ask for a recount.

Wilkes wins its 26th straight game, yet surrenders its lead for the Lambert Bowl to Kings Point.

Southern California was idle last week, yet increased its lead over Ohio State for the national championship.

Nothing seems to make sense anymore.

Leader of the poll for the national small college title is San Diego State with an enrollment of 20,000 to 25,000 students. For the last two seasons Wilkes has been receiving votes in this poll but not enough to be placed with the 20 leaders. Wilkes has 2,300 students.

While Wilkes is 5-0 now and 26-0 since 1965, a team called Texas-Arlington with a 4-3 record is 12th on the current list.

Just because Wilkes triumphed by only two points against Upsala, it suffered in the Lambert Bowl voting.

Perhaps if the Colonels can belt Dickinson by 40 points this Saturday they can vault back into first place again. It seems the more points a team scores the bigger the support in the polls.

That's not fair because some coaches believe in giving the reserves some playing time after the varsity scores enough points to insure the victory.

It doesn't seem possible that the season is about to end for the Colonels. After the Dickinson game, Wilkes has Homecoming against PMC Nov. 9 and finishes with Lebanon Valley at home Nov. 16. Dickinson is a new opponent on this year's schedule while PMC bowed to the local club, 27-0, last year and Lebanon Valley was a 37-7 victim.

Wilkes and Albright are the co-leaders of the MAC's Northern Division. If they stay that way, maybe a playoff game could be staged at the end of the season such as the circuit has in basketball. Wilkes was co-champion with Wagner last year.

Colonels Will Play Dickinson Saturday

A chance to regain the lead in the Lambert Bowl balloting and perhaps to gain recognition for a post-season bowl bid will be on the line on Saturday when Wilkes College travels to Carlisle to meet the Red Devils of Dickinson College. Game time is 2 p. m. at the Dickinson field.

The Colonels lost the lead in the balloting for the third annual Lambert Bowl award when five members of the selection committee switched their allegiance to King's Point after last Saturday's game.

Wilkes won its 26th in a row over Upsala College Vikings at Ralston Field last Saturday but by the narrow margin of 9-7. The Vikings wrecked Wilkes' offensive record of scoring nearly 30 points per game and had the ball within field goal range but missed on the game-winning boot as time ran out.

Colonel prestige also took another beating on Saturday as the team didn't place a man on the Eastern College Athletic Conference All-East team despite some outstanding performances by several Colonels.

Wilkes will be shooting the works on Saturday at Carlisle but Dickinson is apt to prove much stronger than its 1-4 record indicates. Coach Wib Gobrecht's Red Devils were tromped by Muhlenberg last Saturday, 48-0 but would consider it a good season if they could derail the Colonels on their way to number 27.

The last time the two schools met in 1961, Dickinson was the winner, 7-6.

Dickinson came through the Muhlenberg game without any key injuries and expects to be in top shape for Wilkes. The Colonels suffered three key injuries in the Upsala game when Bill Layden, Vince Yarmel and Mike Babuschak received knee bumps. However, the three are expected to see action against the Red Devils.

In this week's Lambert balloting, King's Point took first place on the basis of its 24-0 rout of Wagner. The Mariners got five first place votes and three seconds, while Wilkes got three first and five second place ballots. King's Point outpolled Wilkes, 77-75.

The top ten and their points are as follows:

College & Record	Pts.
1. King's Point (6-0)	77
2. Wilkes (5-0)	75
3. Trinity (4-1)	59
4. Albright (5-3)	53
5. Maryland State (4-2)	34
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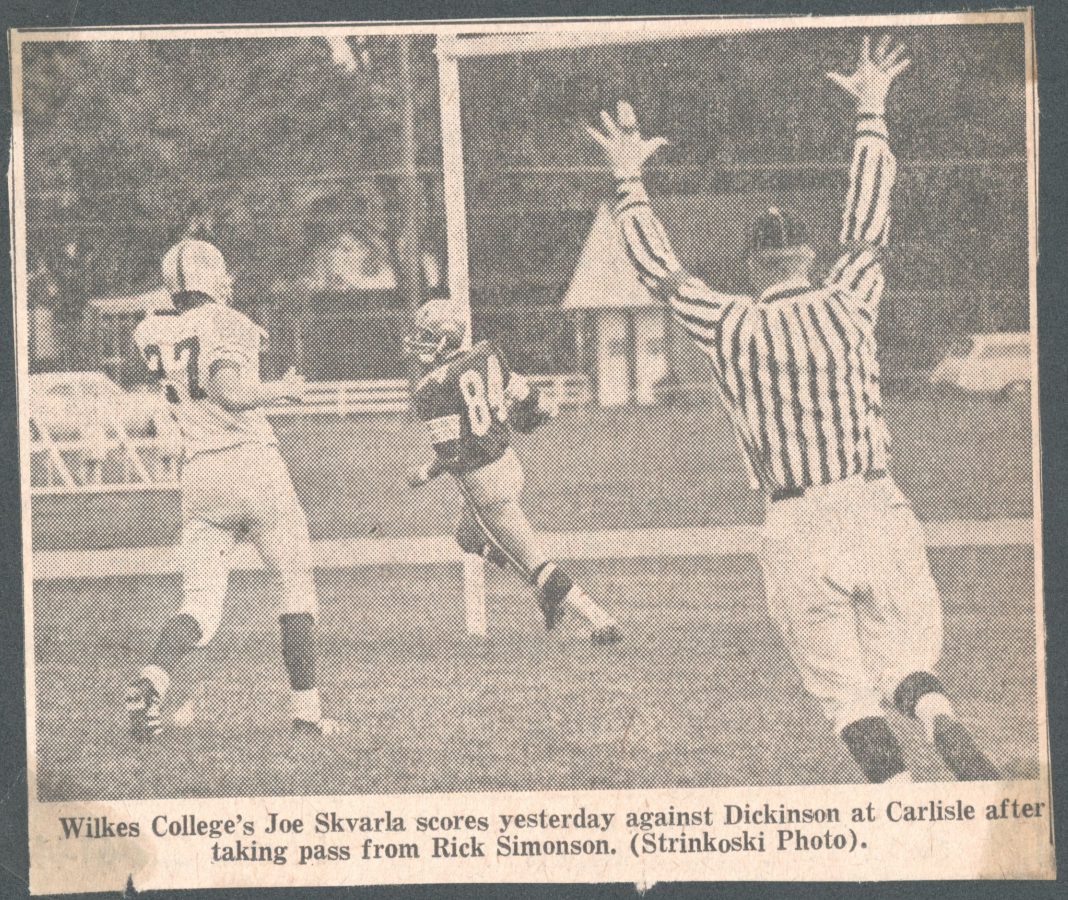

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Simonson passes to Barry Davenport for 15 yards and to Skvarla for 19 played key roles in the advance, as did an eight-yard scamper by Bob Gennaro.

Wiendl, who specializes in personally manhandling opponents from his defensive backfield position, did it again early in the final period when he intercepted a Dickinson aerial on his own 48 and ran it back to paydirt.

Wiendl set up the Colonels' final touchdown with another interception. The speedster returned his pilfered aerial 32 yards, giving Simonson the chance to connect with a 13-yard touchdown pass to Mike Babuschak. It was the latter's first score of the season.

Dickinson, which is now 1-5 on the season, failed to mount a sustained offense throughout the game thanks to the stout Wilkes line.

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"Old Man Upset" came within an eyelash of ending the Wilkes College football Colonels' win streak Saturday but Coach Rollie Schmidt's 11 held on for a 9-7 victory over the Upsala College Vikings. The game was played before a standing-room only crowd at Ralston Field, Kingston.

Next Saturday the Colonels will be seeking number 27 when they travel to Carlisle to meet Dickinson College in the last away game of the season. Following that, Wilkes will close out its season at home with PMC and then Lebanon Valley in the final game.

Wilkes won the toss Saturday and elected to receive but the Colonels couldn't move the ball and had to kick. Joe Koterba, one of the Wilkes front four on defense, recovered an Upsala fumble at the Vikings 29 and Wilkes was on the way to its first score.

Vince Yarmel hit for one yard between George Conway, offensive center and Les Loveland, offensive right guard with Bruce Comstock, right tackle, also opening the hole. Ted Yeager, Wilkes freshman minback, hit for four off Angelo Loverro and Ed Burke on the left side.

Rich Simonson, Colonels quarterback, then hit Joe Skvarla with a 17-yard aerial at the eight and then Yarmel took it after three straight cracks at the line. Wilkes led, 6-0, with 10:58 left in the first quarter. The kick for extra point failed but it didn't seem important at the time as the Colonels appeared to be rolling easily to their 26th straight victory.

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The Colonels had no less than five scoring opportunities in the contest but failed to capitalize on most of them. Wilkes was playing only its second game without Joe Zakowski, junior quarterback, at the helm, but Simonson kept the win streak going despite the October 19 close one with Ithaca and Saturday's real squeaker with Upsala.

The string almost ran out for the Colonels as John Boatti, Upsala quarterback, passed and ran his team to well within field goal range for Patterson. With nine seconds left on the unofficial scoreboard clock, Patterson tried a field goal from the 35 which would have been a 45-yard boot because the college goad posts are 10 yards behind the goal line.

The ball was short and Wiendl, Wilkes' Little All-America, fielded the pigskin and ran it to the 28 and the gun sounded ending the game.

Following the contest, Coach Schmidt expressed his concern at not being able to play more of his second stringers. The coach, noted for trying to give all of his players a chance to get in a game, said he wants to give his "young players" a chance to get in game action to build experience for next year when 16 starters will be leaving.

Bill Staake, Wilkes junior punter, was outstanding for the Colonels, constantly keeping the Vikings in the hole with his booming kicks. Staake had at least one of 62 yards from scrimmage and averaged 47.8 yards per kick in the game.

Wilkes, in first place in the Middle Atlantic Conference, also leads in rushing offense, with an average of 192 yards per game; total offense, with 310 yards per game; rushing defense, allowing only 60.5 yards per game and in scoring with an average of 33 per game, not including Saturday's game which hasn't been figured in the conference statistics yet.



(Photo by Strinkoski)

Here is an example of the fantastic catches made by Wilkes end, Joe Skvarla (84), who is one of the reasons the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt now boast a 26-game winning streak.

Skvarla, senior end from Plymouth, takes the ball right out of the hands of Ralph Bucci (28), Upsala defender in white. Skvarla ran it to the eight after snagging this pass at the 12. Vince Yarmel hit the line three times before blasting in for the score. It turned out to be Wilkes' lone touchdown of the afternoon. Dave Kaschak added in a field goal to notch the victory.

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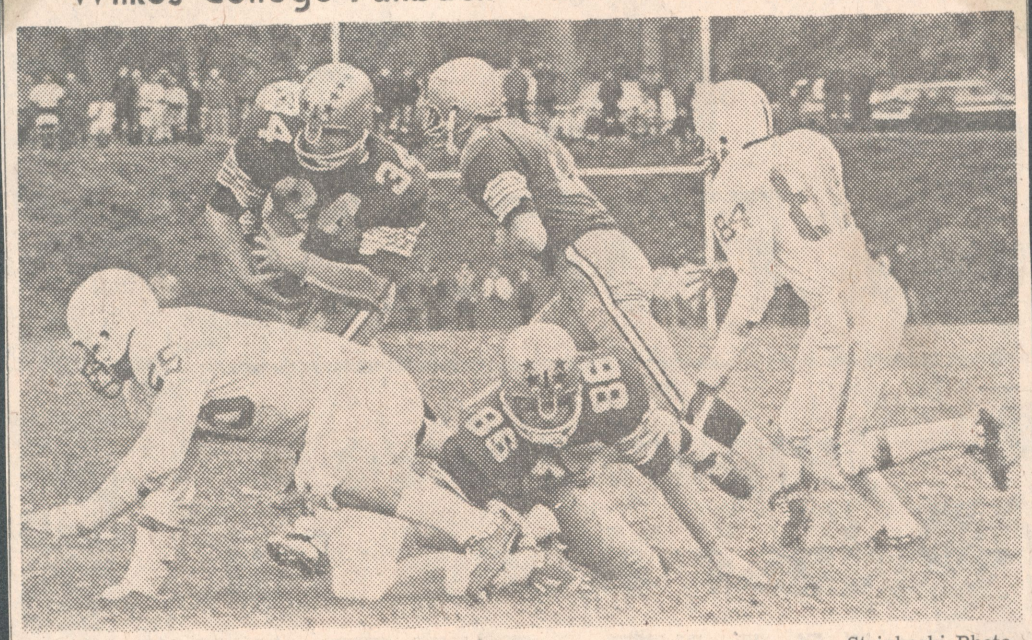

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Vince Yarmel, Wilkes fullback, runs for daylight in Wilkes' 9-7 victory over Upsala on Saturday at Ralston Field, Kingston. The win moved the Colonels' win streak to 26. They travel to Carlisle to meet Dickinson on Saturday.

Blocking for Yarmel is Mike Babuschak (86) right end. Rich Simonson (12) Colonels' signal caller has just handed off to Yarmel and is completing the fake to Ted Yeager (21), who is obscured by the big fullback.

Upsala Vikings in the photo are Herb Love (84) and Lew Trowbridge (55).

Colonels Edge Out Upsala College, 9-7

Wilkes College will be looking for its 27th victory in a row on Saturday when the Colonels travel to Dickinson College after edging Upsala College Vikings here last Saturday, 9-7.

The standing-room only crowd was on its feet when with only nine seconds to go, Dave Patterson, Vikings quarterback dropped back to try a field goal from the 35 which would have won the contest for Upsala, 10-9. The Vikings are the last team to beat Wilkes, turning the trick in mid-season 1965, 26-20.

A fear that history might be repeating itself passed into relief for the home fans when Patterson's kick fell short and was fielded by Joe Wiendl, the Colonels' Little All - America. Wiendl took off down the sidelines with the crowd cheering him on and barely missed breaking the last tackle which would have sent him winging on a 105-yard scoring romp. Wiendl was downed at the Wilkes 28 as the gun sounded ending the game.

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Joe Wiendl Draws Praise

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The sixth meeting of the teams in the past 22 years takes place here Saturday and closes out the home phase of the Dickinson schedule.

Coach Wib Gobrecht's Red Devils, who have turned back only Haverford this season in five starts, will try to rebound from last week's 48-0 reversal at Muhlenberg's hands.

Wilkes had a close one Saturday, barely getting by Upsala, 9-7. The victory was the fifth for the Colonels this season, their 26th straight since the impressive streak began in 1965.

The coming game will be the sixth between the teams since 1946 when relations were inaugurated. They last met in 1961 and Dickinson was the winner, 7-6.

"This Wilkes team appears to have no weak spots," said Coach Gobrecht. "Their supurb balance is their greatest strength. Both their offensive and defensive teams average 6-1 and 205 pounds. They are quick and gifted and in these qualities they are superior to Dickinson.

"But I think Wilkes can be stopped, even by a team of our stature. The mental attitude of our players will be most important in a game like this one, and we are working hard on attitude this week."

He said his team came through the Muhlenberg game without further injuries and should be in good shape for Wilkes.

Dickinson faces a major task in trying to set up a defense against the great speed and open-field ability of Joe Wiendl, 175-pound senior halfback from Westfield, N. J., who has many spectacular runs to his credit this season.

"He's fabulous," said Coach Gobrecht. "He plays safety and has averaged almost one runback a game of 50 yards or more. Against Delaware Valley, a really strong team, he ran back for 62 yards and 85 yards. Against Ithaca he went 95 yards for a score."

Gobrecht expects an improved job from Joe Wilson, his sophomore quarterback from Dallas, who knows many of the Wilkes players.

"Joe had a bad day against Muhlenberg but I am confident he is definitely improving," said the Dickinson coach. "He will be our starter again and I look for him to play an inspired game against Wilkes."

Wilkes Survives Upsala Scare to Win 26th Straight

Kaschak Boots Key FG

With seven seconds of gametime remaining, Ralston Field resembled a morgue yesterday afternoon as Upsala Viking kicker Dave Paterson squared away for a 35 yard field goal attempt.

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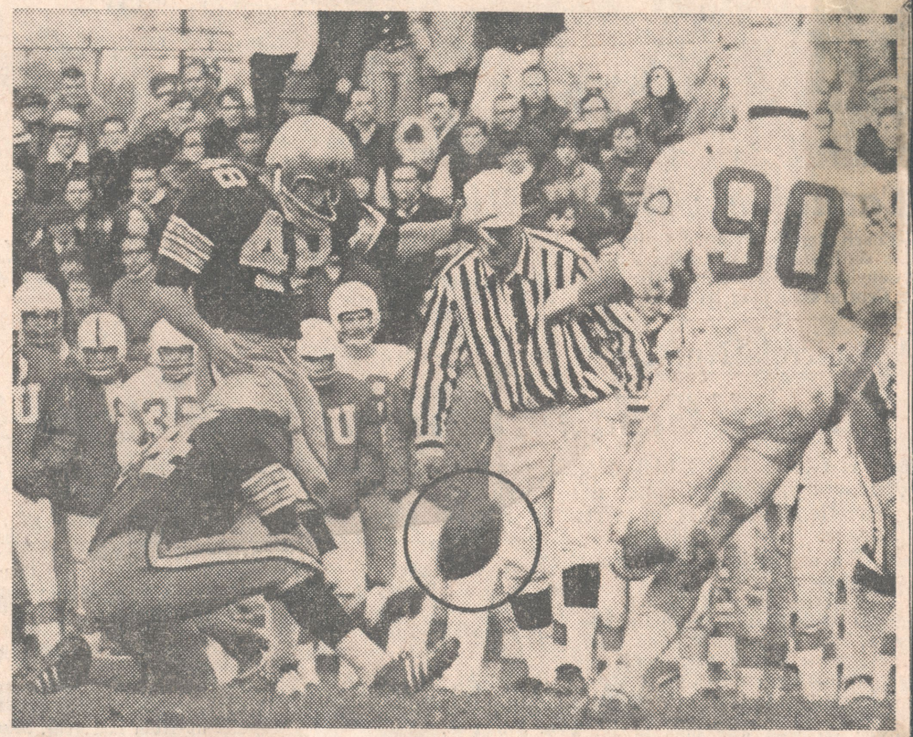

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The tackle was only a delay for two plays later, the versatile Patterson rammed in from the one. Patterson's kick was good.

Twice in the fourth quarter, the Colonels aided by defensive gems from P. J. Kane and Howe, cracked within the ten yard line but the visitors failed to yield a score.

With two minutes of gametime remaining the Colonels went into a Prevent defense, giving Upsala the short pass. Taking advantage of the situation, Boatti moved his team methodically with side lines passes from his own five to the Colonel 20 before time ran out.

SIDELINE SHORTS — Approximately 4,500 Colonel boosters turned out to see the contest. . . . Ted Yeager was the Colonels workhorse carrying the bal 21 times for 82 yards. The 145 pound mini-mite has now gained 400 yards on the season. . . . Joe Skvarla recorded 5 catches for 105 yards. The Colonel Flycatcher has now 28 receptions for the year.

WILKES	6	3	0	0—9
UPSALA	0	0	0	7—7

WILKES (9)
ENDS—Merrill, Koterba, Skvarla, Davenport, Lazor, Babuschak
TACKLES—Layden, Mazur, Comstock, Howe, Burke
GUARDS—Hoover, P. Malloy, Baranowski, Mitchell, L. Loveland, Graziano, Chaump, Loverro
CENTERS—Kane, Conway, Kenney, J. Loveland, Cardinale
BACKS—Simonson, Yarmel, Fick, Yeager, Zientek, Peterfreund, Wiendl, Holliday, Moser, Kaschak, Staake, Gennaro, Farnetti, Harkins, Hillard, D. Malloy

UPSALA (7)
ENDS—Madlinger, Grandstand, Merrill, Love, Dougherty, Patterson
TACKLES—Ceres, Segond, Podlaski, Silverman, Huber
GUARDS—Corsi, Vizzone, Ferrara, Reinert, Sudol
CENTERS—Morin, Trowbridge, Segond, Peppe
BACKS—Boatti, Patten, Petterson, Letarte, Williams, Godleski, Kersey, Scarpelli, Konzelman, Alexander, Fashek

WILKES SCORING — Yarmel, (1-yard plunge); Kaschak, (field goal—37 yards).
UPSALA SCORING — Patterson, (1-yard run); PAT, Patterson, (placement).

STATISTICS

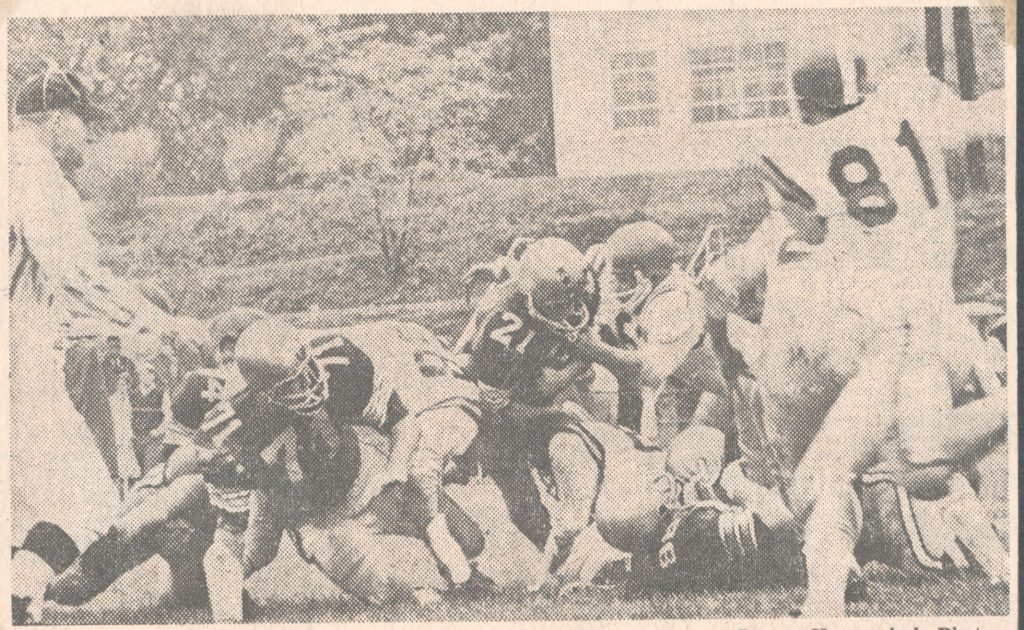
WILKES		UPSALA
First Downs	13	10
Passes Attempted	17	18
Passes Completed	7	8
Interceptions	1	1
Rushing Plays	53	38
Net Yards Gained	153	145
Total Plays	70	56
Total Offense	262	234
Punts	5-239	7-263
Fumbles	2	2
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Penalties	3-35	3-18

Crestwood Downed By Archbald, 34-7

Crestwood High gridders remained off the triumphant list last night, losing a 34-7 decision to Archbald at Blakely Stadium.

The only score fo rthe losers came in the final frame when Don Haverstock rammed in from the 1 to cap a 75-yard drive. Ron Deets kicked the extra point.

Ted Yeager Scampers For First Down For Wilkes



—James Kozemchak Photo

Ted Yeager (21), Wilkes frsehman mini-back, scampers for a first down in Saturday's 28-19 win by the Colonels over Ithaca College Bombers at Ralston Field, Kingston. It was the 25th straight for Coach Rollie Schmidt's team.

Other Colonels identifiable in the photo are Ed Burke (71) left tackle; Barry Davenport (88) wingback; Vince Yarmel (34) fullback. Ithaca players are Wesley Kissell (68); Albert Cihocki (62), a Nanticoke resident, Frederick Recchio (81).

Wilkes Tri-Captains



—Ray Preby Photo

The Wilkes tri-captains, who call the toss of the coin before each game, will be out to improve their .500 record on Saturday when the Colonels host Upsala College at Ralston Field, Kingston. Kickoff is 2 p. m.

The tri-captains, first row; Bill Layden and Bruce Comstock backed up by Joe Wiendl, won the toss at University of Vermont but lost it to Moravian. They lost again at Delaware Valley but won with Ithaca last week. Thus far, the winner of the toss has elected to receive since the wind hasn't been a factor in any of the four games to date.

After 26th Straight Win

Colonels Will Play Upsala On Saturday

Wilkes College football Colonels will be hoping lightning doesn't strike twice in the same place when they host Upsala College on Saturday at Ralston Field, Kingston. Kickoff time is 2 p. m.

Upsala's Vikings were the last group to beat Wilkes way back in 1965 and that win was by the narrow margin of 26-20. The two teams didn't play in 1966 but last year, the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt traveled to East Orange, N. J., to avenge the loss, 23-14.

The Colonels have won 25 straight since that 1965 loss to Upsala and will be looking for number 26 on Saturday.

It goes without saying that Upsala will be "up" for the Colonels. At this point, everybody that plays Wilkes is "up" and even an underdog figures it would "make" his season to break that win streak.

The Colonels, on the other hand, know they must continue to win and win big if they want to garner another Lambert Bowl and/or a post-season bowl bid.

Despite the fact that they had to battle the weather and a charged-up opponent last week to beat Ithaca College Bombers, 28-19, the Colonels actually lost ground in the balloting for the Lambert Bowl award.

Last week Wilkes was in first place with 78 votes and seven out of eight first place ballots. One lone voter put the Colonels third. This week Wilkes retains first place but its margin is only four points over King's Point which climber from third to second place. The Colonels received only five first place votes, dropping two somewhere; two seconds and one fourth, for a total of 75 points. King's point has 71.

The Colonels will be in good shape physically for the Upsala Vikings although Joe Zakowski, junior quarterback from Hanover Township, will probably not see action. Zakowski was hurt at Delaware Valley.

The starting quarterback nod will probably go to Rich Simonson, senior from Meyers High School. Simonson led the team last week and Coach Schmidt figures the game experience will bring out a superior performance by Simonson this week. Joe Frappolli, senior quarterback from Florence, N. J., will probably spell Simonson.

Otherwise, the Colonels came out of the Ithaca game without any serious problems.

The offensive team, which had a tough time getting under way against Ithaca will be out to rub that blotch off its record. Actually the defense scored two of the four touchdowns against the Bombers on a punt runback by Joe Wiendl and an interception runback by Jay Holliday. Defensive back Dan Malloy's three interceptions were keys to the other two scores with one actually setting up a score.

The defense is also not too happy with its record since it allowed the Bombers to score more points, 19, than all three of the previous opponents together. The defense, jealous of its overall record, has allowed only 31 points in four games or slightly more than a touchdown per game.

Scouting reports turned in by Assistant Coach Brinley Varchol indicate the Vikings are strong on offense with Richie Davis a standout at halfback. Whatever their past record, observers are betting they'll be at top steam to try to derail the Colonels.

Wilkes Coach Rollie Schmidt 'Glad to Get Out of That One Alive'

By LEE RICHARDS
Sunday Independent Sports Editor

Coach Rollie Schmidt made his way though the silent locker room yesterday afternoon, wiping the moisture from his glasses, he broke into a semi-smile.

"See I told you. I just had a feeling about this game. I'm just happy to get out of this one alive," he said in a dejected tone.

Coach Schmidt was referring to our conversation earlier in the day. He was quite concerned with the Ithaca Bombers. Not because they are that good of a football team, but because of the condition of the field, which was pelted with a steady downpour all night and right up until the final period. It was almost a sea of mud. The footing was treacherous.

The Wilkes taskmaster made his way to his office and sat behind his desk. He was fatigued.

"Well, I think we proved one thing today. We don't press the panic button. Right Jonah?" he said to assistant coach Jonah Goobic who was changing into a dry shirt.

"A lot of lesser teams would have coughed up or choked up out there today, These kids had a lot of poise. They realized they were in one of those kind of games and just made the best of it." Schmidt pointed out.

With the inclement conditions, Coach Schmidt had to completely abandon the game plan. Instead of going with his normal balanced attack of mixing passing and running, he geared most of his plays to the short side of the field, enabling his backs to get good traction.

The only time Coach Schmidt wanted to put the ball in the air was when the Colonels had good field position.

'This game was really unbelievable. We hold them without a first down in the first half, yet we're tied 7-7. Just when it looks as though we have it locked up, some of our people let up and they run a kickoff back.

"We made too many careless mistakes. But, we showed just how good of a football team we are by overcoming these and pulling out the victory," he related.

"That goal line stand before the half was just super. Our guys dug right in and made them earn it. It was a courageous effort on the part of the entire defensive unit."

Ithaca did manage to get in with the aid of an offside penalty. The thing which puzzled Coach Schmidt and sent him rushing to the officials was how they could run off four plays in 11 seconds. Think of it 11 seconds four plays?

While waiting for Coach Schmidt, offensive tackle Ed Burke, center George Conway and quarterback Rick Simonson stopped by and gave us their candid comments on the game.

Burke said "I had a lousy day. I think we took Ithaca a little too lightly, but we'll get back in the swing of things this Saturday."

Conway added, "Boy, our offense just didn't click the way we're capable of moving the football. We won, but not in the fashion we're accustomed to."

Simonson was a little depressed over his performance saying, "I wanted that last touchdown so bad I could taste it. I knew we could get in. Our execution was not up to par though. Blame it on the wet field, but I think we were a little too relaxed."

Meanwhile, while we were in the coach's office, we couldn't help chuckling as Jay Holliday told of his TD venture which gave the Colonels their third score. Holliday was describing his lightning TD to linebacker Jim Loveland, who ribbed Jay about taking his time in crossing the goal line.

"I made the first cut and I just couldn't get my feet moving as fast as I wanted them to. I sort of slowed up at the finish to make sure my parents knew it was their Jay who was going to score." Many of his listeners broke into a roar.

End Joe Koterba was one of the figures who threw a crushing block to spring Holliday into the clear.

Loveland and Pepper Merril contributed ferocious blocks which enabled Joe Wiendl to dance his way 95 yards on his punt return.

Coach Schmidt is starting to show the effects of the long winning streak, but we bet he wouldn't trade places with any other coach.

He's becoming very superstitious. He wears the same clothes and follows the same routine each Friday and Saturday.

"I know it sounds a little silly, but I can't help myself. On Friday I stay home and drink coffee until it's time for practice. After practice, I'll go and see a game at Valley West stadium. I have to sit in the same seat. It is getting so I'm even looking to see what my assistants are wearing," Schmidt says.

The Colonels' taskmaster has passed another torture test. Only four more lie ahead of him this season. You can stake your family fortune on it, he'll stick with his ritual right to the end. He's that kind of perfectionist, both on the field and off.

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Ted Yeager, all Susquehanna Valley Conference selectee at Southern Columbia Area High School last fall, has earned a starting halfback slot on Wilkes College's traveling team, Wilkes-Barre, and is making his presence in college football ranks known.

Yeager, of Catawissa, is only a freshman at the upstate school, but is regarded as one of the best football candidates at Wilkes in many years. In his first starting role two weeks ago, Yeager scored a touchdown the first time he had his hands on the ball. On the past weekend, he chalked up two more touchdowns on lengthy runs.

During his high school football career, Yeager was a prolific runner. He also excelled in wrestling, narrowly missing sectional and district titles in his three years of varsity competition.

Wilkes Wins 25th Defeating Ithaca

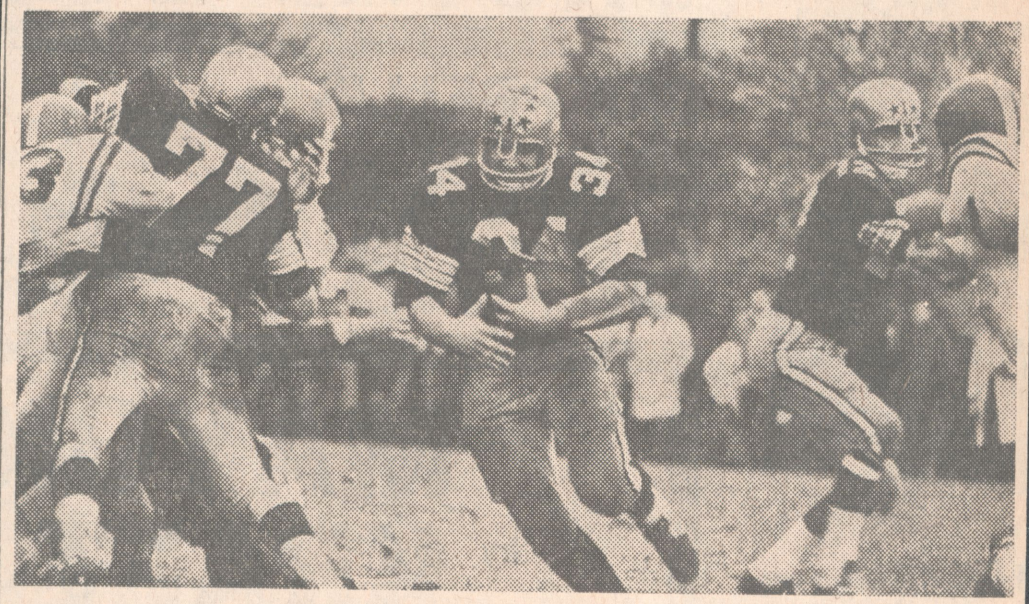
Wilkes College turned back Ithaca for its 25th in a row, with 4,500 rain-soaked fans on hand to witness the 28 to 19 victory.

The first Wilkes score came midway through the second quarter on a 67-yard march with Vince Yarmel, Ted Yeager, former Southern speedster, and Rick Simonson doing the leather lugging to the Ithaca 13-yard line. Then Quarterback Joe Zakowski pitched to Joe Skvarla for the score.



Ted Yeager (21) picks up a few yards for the Colonels in yesterday's Ithaca tilt. (Photo by Strinkoski)

WILKES RUNS WINNING STREAK TO 25 BY DEFEATING ITHACA, 28-19



(Photo by Strinkoski)

Vince Yarmel (34) Wilkes workhorse fullback, starts off on a long gainer in the Colonels' 28-19 victory over an inspired Ithaca College. It was the 25th straight win for Coach Rollie Schmidt's team.

Other Colonels in the photo are Bruce Comstock, (77), one of the tri-captains; and Rich Simonson, (12), Colonel quarterback.

A gutty Wilkes College football team which refused to be beaten by the weather and a charged-up opponent, turned in a 28-19 victory over Ithaca College Saturday at Ralston Field, Kingston. A standing-room only crowd of nearly 5,000 watched in an almost constant downpour at the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt battled for their 25th straight victory.

The Bombers of Coach James Butterfield, despite their 1-3 record, kept the contest so close that at times even the stoutest Colonel rooter must have had some doubts about the outcome.

Wilkes had at least two touchdowns called back for miscues. It was the Wilkes defense which covered itself with glory as Dan Malloy, defensive halfback, pilfered three Ithaca passes and Jay Holliday, another defensive halfback, intercepted one and ran it in from the 39 for the Colonels last score.

Half of the Wilkes scores were made by the defense with Joe Wiendl, safety man, turning in another of his patented runbacks as he scampered 95 yards with an Ithaca punt. Jim Loveland defensive linebacker and Paul "Pepper" Merrill, one of the defensive front-four, turned in key blocks on Wiendl's run. Joe Koterba, the other end of the defensive front four, gave Holliday a much-needed block on his way to his score. Koterba did similar duty for Wiendl in one of his two exciting runs last week at Delaware Valley.

Wilkes scored first with 2:36 left in the half when Quarterback Rich Simonson, who went nearly all the way for the Colonels, hit end Joe Skvarla from the 12 and "Sky" went in to score. Dave Kaschak hit his first of four consecutive placements and Wilkes led, 7-0.

Moments later an Ithaca defensive end came out of nowhere to block a Bill Stake punt and the ball was recovered by the Bombers at the one-yard line. With four cracks at the line, Ithaca failed to gain and it looked the the Colonels had held. However, an off-side penalty against Wilkes gave the Bombers another try from the 18-inch line and Rodney Howell barely got the nose of the ball in for the score. Dave Bonney booted the placement and Ithaca went to the locker room at halftime with a 7-7 tie despite the fact they hadn't made a first down and had a total offense for the half of 31 yards.

Midway in the third period, Wiendl gathered in an Ithaca punt at his five, retreated a little then started up the left side of the field. Nothing could stop the Wilkes Little All-America as he ran through most of the Ithaca team on his way to a score that picked up the spirits of the mud-soaked Colonels. Kaschak again converted and Wilkes led, 14-7, as the final period got under way.

Twenty-six points were scored in the wild last period, 14 by the home team. Wilkes drew first blood in the last period as Mike Podlucky was penalized for deliberately grounding the ball and the Bombers had to kick from deep in their end zone. Wilkes downed the punt at the Ithaca 33 and Joe Frappolli came in to spell Simonson.

Frappolli, on the first play, ran a quarterback sweep around right end with Mike Babuschak, Bruce Comstock and Les Loveland leading the way. The senior quarterback got to the seven from where Vince Yarmel, former Central Catholic great, took it in with three cracks at the Ithaca line. Kaschak converted.

Ithaca came right back as Charles Hill, sophomore halfback, nearly duplicated Wiendl's feat on the ensuing kickoff and ran it 92 yards for the score. A run for the two points failed. This left them eight points away, at 21-13.

Within a few minutes, Ithaca was back on the scoreboard again as Podlucky hit Brian Truhn, senior flankerback, with a perfect aerial at the two from his own 45. Howell took it in for the score. A pass for two points failed and Wilkes held on to the lead, 21-19.

The Colonels' last score came on the final play of the game after a previous drive had died at the five. That drive was sparked by Dan Malloy's interception at the 47 and runback to the Ithaca 28. However, Wilkes was not to be denied and Holliday picked off a Podlucky pass at the Ithaca 39 and ran for a TD. Kaschak converted and that was it, 28-19.

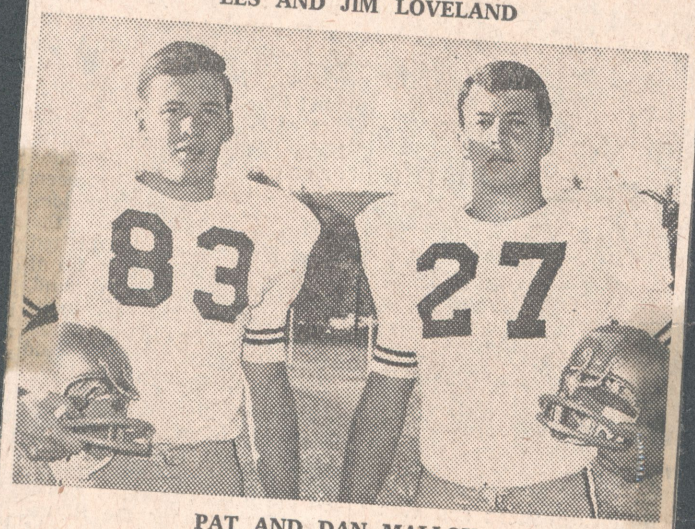
Ithaca scored more points than any other Colonel opponent this ye ar, and matched the entire point total of the previous three opponents in the final quarter when they racked up 12. Previously the Wilkes defense had allowed University of Vermont nine; Moravian, zero, and Delaware Valley, three. Actually, two of UVM's nine points were scored against the offensive team which gave up the lone safety thus far.

All Starters

Brother Combinations On Wilkes Grid Team



LES AND JIM LOVELAND



PAT AND DAN MALLOY

Teamwork is the secret of success for any team but the Wilkes College football Colonels carry this one step further with two sets of brothers who are varsity players for Coach Rollie Schmidt. Many teams can boast one set of brothers in the lineup but it is believed very few have two sets playing football at the same time.

Shown above at left are Les and Jim Loveland, while at right are Pat and Dan Malloy.

Les Loveland (65) is a junior offensive guard, who at age 20 stands 5'10" and weighs 190. He and his brother hail from Woodstown, N. J. Jim (54) a sophomore, is 19, stands 5'9" and weighs 205. He plays right linebacker for the Colonels and with Harry Hoover, another sophomore, joins the veterans Mike Connolly and Paul "P. J." Kane at the four linebacker spots in the Wilkes 4-4-3 defense.

Pat Malloy (83), an All-Scholastic at Central Catholic of Kingston, is a junior transfer from Rutgers University. He also plays linebacker, spelling one of the other four, usually on the left side right in front of his brother, Dan, left defensive back. Pat is 20, stands 6' even and weighs 200. He and Dan hail from Trucksville. Dan (27), is one of the outstanding trio of defensive backs at Wilkes which includes Jay Holliday (46) and Joe Wiendl (44). Dan also played defensive halfback at Central Catholic and holds the Wilkes record for the most interceptions in a game, five against Moravian last season.

In this year's game at Moravian on October 5, Dan tipped a Greg Seifert pass and brother Pat intercepted it and ran it back to near the Greyhounds' goal. Wilkes later went on to score on the basis of this interception. Dan told his brother that turn about is fair play but he is still waiting for Pat to tip one his way.

The Loveland boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Loveland, 59 Marlton Street, Woodstown, N. J. The Malloys are sons of John J. Malloy, 98 Davis Street, Trucksville, and the late Dorothy Dougherty Malloy, a librarian at Wilkes at the time of her death five years ago.

On The Sports Front

DON KEATLEY, Sports Editor

Hundreds of Wilkes College football fans will be departing for Burlington, Vt., either tonight or early tomorrow morning to attend the Wilkes-Vermont game tomorrow afternoon.

As a public service, the Sports Front in cooperation with the American Automobile Association, Kingston, offers this route for those traveling by auto:

Take Interstate Route 81 north to Scranton. Depart Interstate 81 at Exit 54 and pick up Route 611 south.

Continue on Rt. 611 South to Elmhurst where you pick up Route 590-East to Hawley.

At Hawley, pick up Route 6-East and continue to the New York Thruway which is Interstate 87 (The Harriman Interchange.) Continue north on the thruway (Inst. 87) to Lake George, N. Y. Get off at Lake George and pick up Route 9-N. Continue north on Rt. 9-N as far as Crown Point, N. Y., where you pick up Rt. 17. Follow Rt. 17 north to Route 22-A. Go north on 22-A to Route 7. Then take Route 7 north to Burlington.



DON KEATLEY

The Vermont Catamounts are not taking the Colonels lightly. Coach Bob Clifford, in a statement this week, said his charges will be forced to show more offense than they displayed in a 21-0 defeat to Connecticut last Saturday if they are going to surprise the Colonels.

In that contest, Vermont managed to drive only as close as the Husky 23-yard line in that Yankee Conference opener. Including last season play, Vermont will be looking for its first touchdown in nine periods of football.

While Vermont will be confronted with the huge Wilkes line, the Catamounts also must contend with All-America Joe Wiendl. Vermont players have been warned of Joe's ability to break away on punt and kickoff returns and will be keying on that phase of the game.

Wilkes Coach Rollie Schmidt did not release a starting lineup for the Colonels before he departed for Burlington which indicates he is still arranging and rearranging his linebackers and quarterbacks.

Unless there is a drastic change in format, Joe Zakowski will probably get the nod at quarterback but Rick Simonson is expected to see some action before the day is over.



Leading Wilkes College Grid Performers

COLONELS' STARS—Above are five more local products who are members of the Wilkes College football team. From left to right: Mike Connolly, Central Catholic; Vince Yarmel, Central Catholic; Joe Skvarla, Plymouth; Joe Zakowski, Hanover Twp.; Joe Koterba, GAR. Connolly is a linebacker, while Yarmel is the Colonels' bruising fullback. Zak is one of the signal callers. Skvarla is the split end who has set a host of pass catching marks. Koterba handles one of the defensive end posts. This picture was taken late last August when the players were rounding into shape.—(Photo by Publiservice).

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Wilkes Continues As Threat To Crack Top 20 College Listing

1ST PLACE IN NATIONAL POLL IS HELD BY SAN DIEGO STATE

By The Associated Press

Unbeaten San Diego State held on to first place today in The Associated Press' small college football poll, but North Dakota State made a dent in the Aztecs' once big lead.

San Diego State, 3-0, idle last weekend, nailed down nine of the 15 first-place votes in picking up 278 points in the balloting by a regional panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

North Dakota State, 4-0 after whipping South Dakota 35-13, had only one top vote, but used second ballot strength to amass 208 points. A week ago, the Aztecs held a 112-point advantage over the Bison.

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Morgan State 2-0, moved from 13th to ninth and Western Kentucky 3-0, advanced from 16th to 10th.

Rounding out the Top 20 in order are Arkansas State, Louisiana Tech, Tennessee A&I State, Trinity, Tex., and Indiana, Pa., in a 14th-place tie, Tampa, Chattanooga, Illinois State, Wittenburg and Fairmont, W. Va.

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7. Weber State	3-0	104
8. Lenior Rhyne 1	3-0	103
9. Morgan State	2-0	67
10. Western Kentucky 1	3-0	66
11. Arkansas State	3-1	50
12. Louisiana Tech	2-1	48
13. Tennessee A&I State	3-0	47
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Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Akron, Appalachian, Carson-Newman, Central Connecticut, Central Michigan,

Carrying Heavy Load For Colonels



—Ray Preby Photo

Wilkes College defensive backs are shown above along with Ted Yeager, offensive back who was named to the ECAC All-East team this week.

The three defensive backs have not allowed a touchdown to be scored against them through the air in the three seasons they have been together as a unit.

Left to right: Jay Holliday (46) Joe Wiendel (44), a tri-captain, and Dan Malloy (27). Yeager is at right wearing number 19.

The entire Wilkes defensive team only allowed 49 points to be scored by opponents in eight games last year and thus far in 1968 have only allowed one touchdown, that by University of Vermont.

The Colonels are at Delaware Valley in a must game for both teams on Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

Yeager Earns All-East Honors; Colonels Retain Lambert Lead

Wilkes College freshman halfback Ted Yeager, Catawissa, was selected to the Eastern College Athletic Conference Division III, All-East football team for the game with Moravian last Saturday at Bethlehem. The Colonels won that one, 40-0.

Wilkes also placed three players on the All-East honorable mention. They were Joe Skvarla, end; Jay Holliday, defensive back, and Aldo Farnetti, Sophomore.

The Colonels continued their lead in the balloting for the Lambert Bowl, enblematic of the outstanding Eastern small college football team. Wilkes, winner of the initial Lambert Bowl award two years ago, also led in the balloting last week.

Runners-up are Delaware Valley and Lebanon Valley, both future Wilkes opponents, with 59 points each. The Colonels garnered four of the eight first place votes.

Wilkes will put its 23-game winning streak on the line when the Colonels travel to Doylestown Saturday to take on the Delaware Valley Aggies in a showdown game for the lead in the Middle Atlantic Conference

bright. Wilkes has scored 71 points and allowed nine in its two games to date, defeating University of Vermont, 31-9 and Moravian, 40-0. Delaware Valley has scored 61, while allowing 10.

Yeager, a 5'-7" mini-back, weighing only 145 pounds, ran for 117 yards and two touchdowns in the Colonels rout of the Moravian Greyhounds. He also had a 100-plus yardage day against UVM and ran 65 yards for a touchdown in that game the first time he touched the ball in college football.

Aggies Have Timko

The Aggies of Delaware Valley will be counting on Ron Timko, their quarterback, who hails from Plains High School, to dump the rampaging Colonels.

Coach Bill Craver of DV also has a special reason for wanting to dump Wilkes. He is a graduate of Forty Fort High School and would like to show the hometown folks that he still knows a little something about football. In 1966, the Colonels topped the Aggies, 6-0 at Doylestown. Last year, here, the Wilkes eleven edged DV, 14-13.

Balloting for the Lambert Bowl went as follows.

College	Record	Pts.
1. Wilkes	2-0	71
2. Lebanon Valley	2-0	59
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4. Maryland State	3-0	58
5. Kings Point	3-0	54
6. Trinity	1-1	32
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Carrying Heavy Load For Colonels



—Ray Preby Photo

Wilkes College defensive backs are shown above along with Ted Yeager, offensive back who was named to the ECAC All-East team this week.

The three defensive backs have not allowed a touchdown to be scored against them through the air in the three seasons they have been together as a unit.

Left to right: Jay Holliday (46) Joe Wiendel (44), a tri-captain, and Dan Malloy (27). Yeager is at right wearing number 19.

The entire Wilkes defensive team only allowed 49 points to be scored by opponents in eight games last year and thus far in 1968 have only allowed one touchdown, that by University of Vermont.

The Colonels are at Delaware Valley in a must game for both teams on Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

Yeager Earns All-East Honors; Colonels Retain Lambert Lead

Wilkes College freshman halfback Ted Yeager, Catawissa, was selected to the Eastern College Athletic Conference Division III, All-East football team for the game with Moravian last Saturday at Bethlehem. The Colonels won that one, 40-0.

Wilkes also placed three players on the All-East honorable mention. They were Joe Skvarla, end; Jay Holliday, defensive back, and Aldo Farnetti, Sophomore.

The Colonels continued their lead in the balloting for the Lambert Bowl, enblematic of the outstanding Eastern small college football team. Wilkes, winner of the initial Lambert Bowl award two years ago, also led in the balloting last week.

Runners-up are Delaware Valley and Lebanon Valley, both future Wilkes opponents, with 59 points each. The Colonels garnered four of the eight first place votes.

Wilkes will put its 23-game winning streak on the line when the Colonels travel to Doylestown Saturday to take on the Delaware Valley Aggies in a showdown game for the lead in the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern Division and also for top place in the Lambert Bowl balloting.

Delaware Valley and Wilkes are two of the three unbeaten teams in the Northern Division of the MAC. The third is Albright. Wilkes has scored 71 points and allowed nine in its two games to date, defeating University of Vermont, 31-9 and Moravian, 40-0. Delaware Valley has scored 61, while allowing 10.

Yeager, a 5'-7" mini-back, weighing only 145 pounds, ran for 117 yards and two touchdowns in the Colonels rout of the Moravian Greyhounds. He also had a 100-plus yardage day against UVM and ran 65 yards for a touchdown in that game the first time he touched the ball in college football.

Aggies Have Timko

The Aggies of Delaware Valley will be counting on Ron Timko, their quarterback, who hails from Plains High School, to dump the rampaging Colonels.

Coach Bill Craver of DV also has a special reason for wanting to dump Wilkes. He is a graduate of Forty Fort High School and would like to show the hometown folks that he still knows a little something about football. In 1966, the Colonels topped the Aggies, 6-0 at Doylestown. Last year, here, the Wilkes eleven edged DV, 14-13.

Balloting for the Lambert Bowl went as follows.

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5. Kings Point	3-0	54
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7. Wagner	1-1	27
8. F. and M.	2-0	17
Bates	2-1	17
10. Albright	2-1	15

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On The Sports Front

DON KEATLEY, Sports Editor

The Wilkes-Vermont football story is nothing new. You might say it began back in 1913 when a mid-western farm team came east and whomped mighty Army. It was a matter of pride and personal accomplisment. Last Saturday the situation was almost identical.

In 1913 there was a quarterback named Gus Dorais and an end, Knute Rockne. They played for Notre Dame and in the fall of that year the Irish from Indiana had the gall to challenge the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.

With military brass and a complacent partisan crowd looking on, Notre Dame smashed Army, 35-13. Dorais completed 14 of 17 passes mostly to Rockne. You will hear this story told time and time again until football is abolished or dies a natural death.



DON KEATLEY

Last Saturday a team from "Who the hell is Wilkes" went north and challenged yankee Vermont. There was a quarterback named Joe Zakowski and an end, Joe Skvarla. Zakowski hit Skvarla three times for touchdowns and Wilkes smashed Vermont 31-9. It was a matter of pride and accomplishment.

We make no attempt of comparison between Notre Dame and Wilkes. The two schools are far apart, geographically and athletically. Both, however, possess identical philosophical attitudes: WIN.

Wilkes was faced with an ultimatum: Advance to greater heights or remain in a complacent Middle Atlantic Conference. Someone, with foresight, made the decision to go forward. A team of college football players did just that.

The road to Vermont was not an easy one. There was a scrimmage with Princeton and Bill Layden, All-MAC tackle, suffered crippling injuries as did Vince Yarmel. At Vermont, Layden saw token duty and Yarmel slightly more, although both displayed the courage expected from champions. Yarmel punched holes in a massive line with disregard to his own personal well-being. Layden was beside himself with anxiety and pain.

A young freshman, Ted Yeager, did nothing but run. He ran and he ran. Some say Yeager wrestles in the 130-pound class . . . some say less. At Vermont he was 10-feet tall and weighed 1,000 pounds. He won his colonel's eagle the first time he was handed a football . . . 65 yards of explosive speed and Wilkes College's first touchdown of the 1968 season.

The entire episode was a lesson in courage and determination. Vermont is a university. It commands the respect of New England. Whether the school enjoys a winning season or suffers a losing one, it remains an institution of national prestige . . . and a challenge to so-called lesser schools. Wilkes met that challenge and prevailed.

There was considerable incentive as far as the Colonels were concerned: a crack at something bigger, national recognition, maybe a bowl bid.

But nothing spirited them on more than that locker room sign that read: "Who the hell is Wilkes." Such greeted Wilkes as the team entered its quarters at Vermont.

Such also was the question asked editorially in the game program. Confronted with all the pressures of pre-game preparedness, this question more than all else fired the Colonels to victory.

Printed for all to read was the following editorial which filled the better part of one page in the program:

"Who the hell is Wilkes!?"

It's a tossup to which question has been asked more in Vermont this fall. The above remark or "Who is Spiro Agnew?"

We can answer who in the hell is Wilkes in one short paragraph. Wilkes is: 21 straight football victories; 37 lettermen returning; a defense which has allowed only 10 points in its last five games of 1967; the Lambert Bowl champions of 1966; the Middle Atlantic Conference co-champion of 1967 (college division); a potential 1968 champion in the MAC, ECAC Division III and a small college bowl bid.

On paper, the Colonels appear as strong as any potential Yankee Conference contender Vermont will face this year. On the field, it may be a different case.

The Colonels certainly haven't played the most taxing schedule in the past two years so this small scale intersectional battle is a good test for them. On the other hand, the Catamounts are representing Yankee Conference football and will be anxious to maintain a good reputation for its league with a strong showing.

Pride is certain to play even more of a factor in this contest for both schools than an intresectional contest might demand. So today's game boils down to Vermont—seeking to maintain Yankee Conference prestige—versus Wilkes—seeking to move up a step in class in order to impress some of those bowl selectors later on.

PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

Wilkes will put its 23-game winning streak on the line when the Colonels travel to Delaware Valley at Doylestown for an early football showdown in the Middle Atlantic Conference Northen College Division this Saturday.

Delaware Valley and Wilkes are two of the three teams still undefeated in the MAC Northern Division. The third unbeaten, Albright, will host University Division foe Gettysburg in a Saturday night game.

Coach Rollie Schmidt figures Delaware Valley wall be the toughest game on the Wilkes schedule after the Colonels edged Coach Bill Craver's club 14-13 last season. Craver, a Forty Fort native, has a lifetime 18-17 record at Delaware Valley.

Jimmy Smith, 6-1 quarterback from Collingswood, N. J., filled in for Ron Timko of Plains and led the undefeated Delaware Valley team to their seventh consecutive victory (second this season) in a 39 to 3 romp over Lycoming College at Williamsport last Saturday.

Smith, understudy for two years, burst into recognition by pin-pointing three touchdown aerials, two to senior right end Warren Hitz of Hershey, and the other to senior Harry Capozzoli of Somerdale, N. J. Hitz scored on 9 and 4-yard passes and Capozzoli on a 22-yarder.

Blended with the accuracy of Smith's passing was the running of John Nice, senior from Matfield, Pa., who scored on a 50-yard jaunt. John gained 125 yards in 18 carries.

Missing from action was junior Eugene Wallace of Plains, who is sidelined for three weeks with a broken toe received in practice last Thursday.

The battle with the Wilkes Colonels looms as the deciding factor for top honors in the Northern Division. Probably the Lambert Bowl ranking will go to the victor also. The game at Doylestown will start at 1:30 p. m.

In competition with the same foe this season, the Aggies trimmed Moravian 22 to 7 and Wilkes shellacked Moravian 40 to 0. The Aggies will be out to avenge a point loss last season. The series to date heavily favors the Colonels 6 to 1.



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Lemon and Garcia performed for Wilkes-Barre on their way up to the big leagues, Lemon being a third sacker at that time.

Wilkes Offensive Line for Game With Aggies



(Photo by Ray Preby)

Here is the Wilkes College offensive line which has spearheaded the team to 71 points over two opponents thus far this season. The Colonels travel to Doylestown tomorrow to meet the Delaware Valley Aggies at 1:30 p. m. in a must game for both teams. A victory tomorrow could well bring the Lambert Bowl and the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern Division title to the winner.

Shown left to right: Mike Babuschak (86) right end; Edward Burke (71) right tackle; Les Loveland (65) right guard; George Conway (52) center; Angelo Loverro (62) left guard; Bruce Comstock (77) left tackle and one of the tri-captains; Joe Skvarla (84) left end.

Loveland, a junior, is a newcomer to the front wall most of which has been together several years. Loveland replaces last year's cocaptain, Joe Roszko, who graduated. Burke and Conway are the only other juniors on the offensive line.

Ted Yeager, all Susquehanna Valley Conference selectee at Southern Columbia Area High School last fall, has earned a starting halfback slot on Wilkes College's traveling team, Wilkes-Barre, and is making his presence in college football ranks known.

Yeager, of Catawissa, is only a freshman at the upstate school, but is regarded as one of the best football candidates at Wilkes in many years. In his first starting role two weeks ago, Yeager scored a touchdown the first time he had his hands on the ball. On the past weekend, he chalked up two more touchdowns on lengthy runs.

During his high school football career, Yeager was a prolific runner. He also excelled in wrestling, narrowly missing sectional and district titles in his three years of varsity competition.

Yeager 'Pleasant Surprise', Wilkes Grid Coach Says

The Wilkes College football team welcomed the 1968 campaign Saturday, in fine style. The grid squad of Coach Roland Schmidt extended its winning streak to 22 by rolling over the University of Vermont 31-9 at Burlington, Vermont.

The Colonels winning streak dates back to 1965 when Upsala upended the gridders by a 26-20 score. Since then the men of Rollie Schmidt have accumulated 22 victories — the longest streak in Pennsylvania and one of the longest in the nation.

The game on Satuday was never in doubt. On the second play from scrimmage, freshman halfback Ted Yeager, took a hand-off from quarterback Joe Zakowki, burst through a gaping hole and sprinted 65 yards for the Colonels' initial score of the season. The 14 -pound "mini-back" continued to dazzle the Vermont defenses all afternoon as he personally accounted for 114 yards gained via rushing. Yeager hails from Catawissa, and intends to participate in wrestling and baseball also.

When asked to comment about Yeager's running, the Colonel head mentor replied, "I knew Ted was capable of being a fine running back for us, but I never thought he would show it so soon. He's a pleasant surprise — something every coach dreams of."

Wilkes Mentioned In National Small College Football Poll

DIEGO STATE RANKED 1ST IN NATION

Colonels Among Teams Receiving Votes For Top 20 Recognition

By The Associated Press

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Zakowski Cited By ECAC

Colonel Streak 2nd Longest; Team Heads Lambert Balloting

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Currently, the Colonels are riding high on a 22-game win streak, second longest in the nation. As a result of last week's victory by Morgan State over Grambling, Morgan ranks first with 17 straight.

The New York Times today featured Wilkes in its football roundup heaping praise on the Colonels and head coach Rollie Schmidt.

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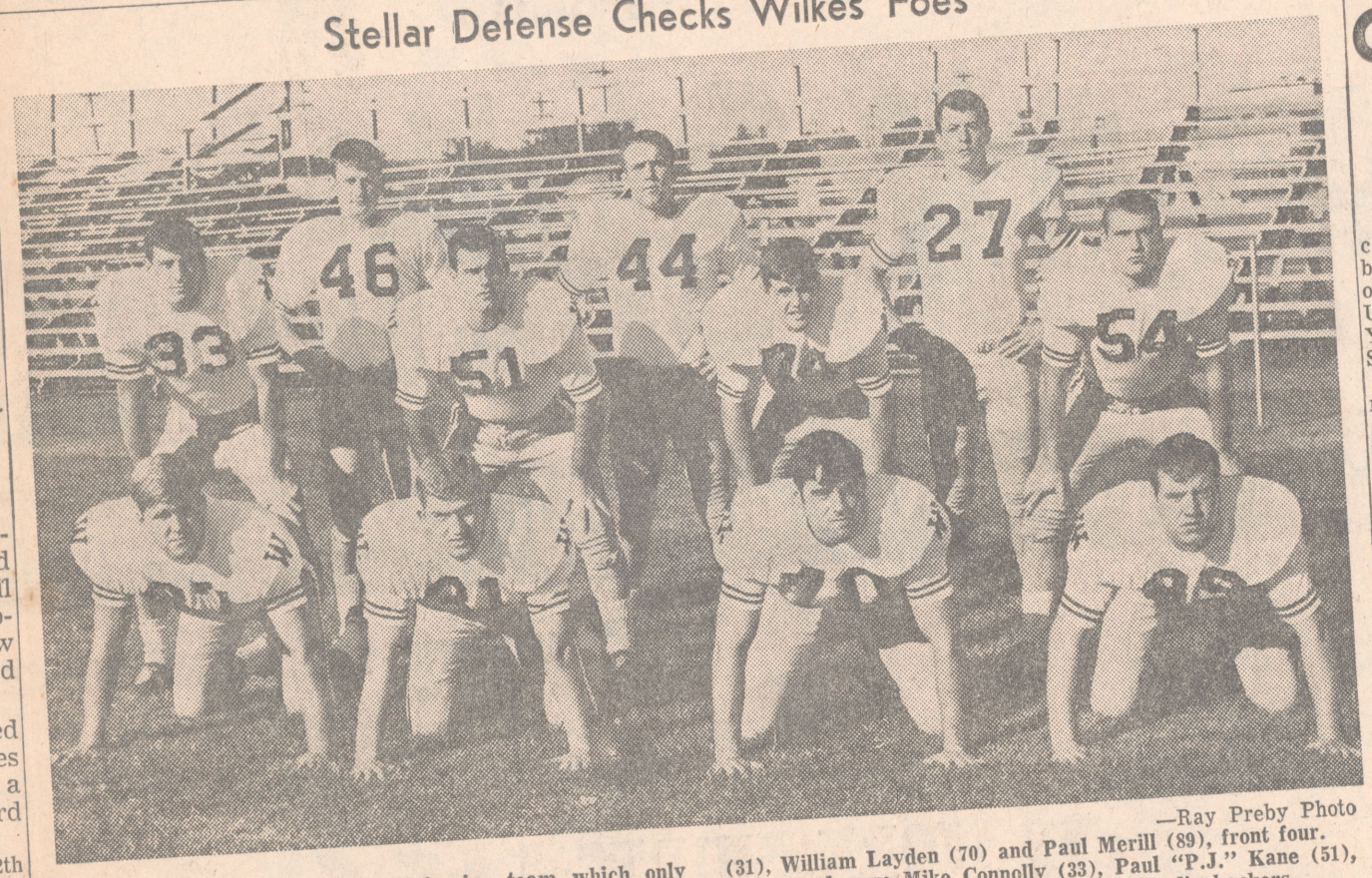
Montana; Montana State; Northeast Louisiana; Sacramento State; South Dakota; Southeastern Louisiana; Sul Ross; Troy, Ala. State; Waynesburg; West Texas State.

Wilkes; Willamette; William Jewell; Wittenberg; Youngstown State.

Stellar Defense Checks Wilkes Foes



Here is the Wilkes College defensive team which only allowed the University of Vermont to score seven points in the team's opener last week at Burlington, Vt. The defense only allowed 49 points in eight games last year.

First row, left to right: Joe Koterba (87), John Howe (31), William Layden (70) and Paul Merill (89), front four.

Second row: Mike Connolly (33), Paul "P.J." Kane (51), Harry Hoover (74) and Jim Loveland (54), linebackers.

Third row: Jay Holliday (46) Joe Wiendl (44) and Dan Malloy (27), defensive backs.

—Ray Preby Photo

Zakowski Cited By ECAC

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Team Heads Laml

Additional national recognition came to the Wilkes College football Colonels today as a result of their 31-9 victory over the University of Vermont, a Yankee Conference team, last Saturday at Vermont.

Currently, the Colonels are riding high on a 22-game win streak, second longest in the nation. As a result of last week's victory by Morgan State over Grambling, Morgan ranks first with 17 straight.

The New York Times today featured Wilkes in its football roundup heaping praise on the Colonels and head coach Rollie Schmidt.

Coach Schmidt's team took the lead in the first week's balloting for the annual Lambert Bowl Award, emblematic of outstanding performance among Division III teams. The Colonels received four first-place votes and a total of 75 points from the eight-man selection committee of athletic directors, sportswriters and sportscasters. Albright is runner-up with 56 votes.

Another honor garnered by the Wilkes team was the selection of its starting quarterback, Joe Zakowski of Hanover Township, as the leading backfield star in the Eastern College Athletic Conference for Saturday's game.

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WILKES HAS LITTLE TROUBLE IN CAPTURING 22ND VICTORY IN ROW

Wilkes College romped to its 22nd straight victory Saturday, defeating the University of Vermont, 31-9 at Burlington, Vt., before some 6,000 fans.

The Colonels won the toss and tri-captains Bill Layden, Bruce Comstock and Joe Wiendl elected to receive. On the second play from scrimmage, scatback Ted Yeager, a freshman from Catawissa, took the handoff from Quarterback Joe Zakowski and exploded through the Catamounts right guard and tackle. Once the fleet Yeager got past the line he was long gone. The 148-pound running back from Southern Columbia Joint High School was started by Coach Schmidt on a hunch since Dave Kaschak, former Central Catholic of Kingston great, had suffered an injured shoulder. Kaschak has nearly recovered but favors the shoulder.

Kaschak booted the first of four consecutive extra points and Wilkes led, 7-0, with only 53 seconds gone in the game. The Colonels never trailed in the contest. Kaschak added a 27-yard field goal in the final period.

The second Wilkes score came with 4:03 left in the second quarter. Senior linebacker Mike Connolly from Luzerne, intercepted a pass from UVM's Paul Simpson at the Wilkes 48 and ran it back to UVM's 26. Yeager hit for two yards, Zakowski passed to Davenport for 11; Yeager again hit for two, and Zakowski passed to Joe Skvarla of Plymouth, in the end zone for the second Wilkes TD. Kaschak converted and Wilkes led, 14-0. It was the first of three TD catches for Skvarla, a senior.

Zakowski broke all school passing records for a single-game as he hit on 13 of 22 passes for 147 yards and three TDs. The Hanover Township lefthander also ran for 85 yards in 13 tries and one of these set up the third Wilkes TD just before the half.

The only Vermont TD was set up by a pass from Simpson to UVM's flanker Dave Martin for 39 yards to the Wilkes 24. Several attempts at the line gained 15 yards and then UVM's top running back, Dick MacDonough, scooted around end for the TD. Ironically, MacDonough, a standout for Vermont, is from Marshall's Creek, near Stroudsburg. He was the only Pennsylvania boy on a squad loaded with New England youths and was far and away the best Vermont threat.

Wilkes' third TD came with 22 seconds left in the half. Zakowski set it up with several keepers, one for 28 yards to the Vermont 12. On the next play he hit Skvarla at the one and the rangy end stepped into the endzone for the score. Kaschak converted and Wilkes went to the locker room with a 21-7 lead.

After a half-time warning not to become complacent, the Colonels came out for the third quarter and lost no time in getting on the board again as Vermont fumbled the kickoff and Wilkes recovered. Three plays later, Zakowski hit Skvarla with a 30-yard aerial and after Kaschak converted, Wilkes led, 28-7.

In the final quarter UVM got a safety when Vermont drove to the goal line and fumbled. Connolly recovered for Wilkes at the one but the Colonels could not gain and Zakowski was tackled in the endzone by Gerry Elliott, a standout for UVM on defense.

Bill Staake boomed the following free kick from the 20 for 59 yards and Vermont was unable to move the ball.

Wilkes senior quarterback Joe Frappolli led the team in the drive which brought Kaschak's field goal and hit on two of four passes for 29 yards. Wiendl ran back a punt 69 yards for a TD with 6:59 left in the game but it was wiped out by a clipping penalty against the Colonels.

Yeager Begins Long Jaunt



Ted Yeager (21) of Catawissa, breaks for daylight to put the Wilkes Colonels in the lead in the opening minutes of Saturday's game with University of Vermont at Burlington. The Colonels won it, 31-9 in their first meeting with a Yankee Conference team.

Yeager, a Freshman, scored on a 65-yard scamper the first time he touched the ball in a college game. Other Colonels identifiable in the photo are Mario Zinicola (78), Bob Gennaro (30), Stan Zientek (20), John Baronowski 66), Joe Frappolli (11), Aldo Farnetti (22) and Bill Lazor (82).

Wilkes And Villanova Highlight Collegiate Football In State

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Wilkes stepped up in class and John Sodaski stepped out of character. The change did both a lot of good.

Wilkes, playing the University of Vermont for the first time, walloped the Yankee Conference team 31-9 and Sodaski, a defensive star-turned-quarterback, ignited Villanova's 16-0 victory over Delaware in Saturday's football games.

It was the 22nd victory in a row for Wilkes, a small college power in Pennsylvania but untested with teams out of the state. Vermont was touted as Wilkes' toughest opponent this season.

Southpaw quarterback Joe Zakowski rifled three touchdown passes to Joe Skvarla in leading the Wilkes' cakewalk. Zakowski completed 15 of 26 passes for 176 yards.

Yeager Starts Wilkes On Way to 22nd Win

Ted Yeager, former grid standout at Southern Columbia High School, broke loose on a 65-yard run the first time he got the b all Saturday to score the initial touchdown for the Wilkes College Colonels as they defeated the University of Vermont, 31-9, in the game played at Burlington, Vt. It was Wilkes' twenty-second straight victory.

Yeager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeager, Catawissa, is a 150-pound freshman back with the Colonels and it was his first college game.



Wilkes College's starting backfield, seen here with coach Roland Schmidt, is left to right Barry Davenport, Joe Zakowski, Vince Yarmel and Ted Yeager.



Little All America second team defensive back, Joe Weindel, (44) goes through practice drills with Wilkes College eleven Friday afternoon. Weindel is an outstanding baseball player and national runnerup in the 168 pound class in wrestling.

Fillin' In

with Don Fillion

Wilkes Stepping Up In Competition Today



Wilkes College of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. UVM's grid opponent in a 1:30 contest today at Centennial Field, will be taking a step up in competition when it meets the Catamounts.

This Wilkes coach Roland Schmidt confirmed in an interview Friday afternoon as the Colonels, riding the crest of a 21-game winning streak, worked out at UVM.

"In the brief look we have had a Yankee Conference football," the head coach said, "We find that overall Yankee Conference players are much larger than those we meet in the Middle Atlantic Coast Conference."

"We are not used to seeing as many big teams as often as your conference has," Schmidt said.

Coach Schmidt, a soft spoken coach, who is realistic about his club's caliber of play, noted that YanCon teams use more formations with more variations this the loop his Colonels play in.

"From what we saw at Connecticut last week and from what we have heard. . .Yankee Conference teams throw the ball more than we do in our conference. Anytime we play a state university it is definitely a step up," Schmidt concluded.

Coach Schmidt figures his Colonels will have to stop the passing of quarterback Paul Simpson and the pass catching of Bill Lawrence, named to the weekly ECAC team for his performance against the Huskies, to win.

He feels there are three teams in the Middle-Atlantic coast Conference which could perform admirably in the YC. Those teams are Delaware Valley, Wagner and Juniata.

It is noted here that last year Wilkes defeated Delaware Valley, 14-13.

Coach Schmidt said his club has some good size but not good overall size. . .Vermont is bigger on both offense and defense.

Schmidt and the coaches who scouted UVM were impressed with the way the Catamounts tackled and blocked and called UVM a sound fundamental football team.

Wilkes is a liberal arts college of 2,000 students with less than 1,000 boys. "We are definitely small college football," Schmidt declared.

This makes Wilkes equal in size to schools like Middlebury and Norwich University. Wilkes does not have a freshman football team. . .in that freshmen are allowed to play varsity ball.

"Your team is basically a running team," Schmidt was asked. "That's what I am told," he replied. However, Schmidt did say he spent more time with the running game and threw the ball only when necessary.

Wilkes is a team which is well drilled in fundamentals. It runs the I formation with the quarterback Joe Zakowski, 205 pounder. The fullback is Vince Yarmel, 6-0, 220 and the flankerback is 6-2, 200 pound Barry Devenport.

The running back is Ted Yeager.

Zakowski, a lefty, hit on 25 of 49 passes last season for 331 yards and scored six TD's.

According to Schmidt Wilkes does not possess "great speed" in the backfield.

In a preseason scrimmage against Ivy League power Princeton, Wilkes lost 7 TD's to one. However, in 1967 Wilkes defeated the Princeton forces, in fact they clobbered the Tiger.

"This year Princeton was just completing three weeks of camp and they were ready for us," sports information director Merle Edwards stated.

"They wanted some revenge for the loss last year and put on quite a show. However, Wilkes stayed right in there and never gave up," he concluded.

Pro scouts have shown a lot of interest in Wilkes co-captain Bill Layden. Layden is the standout defensive tackle who weighs 230 and is 6 2.

J.I. Albricht, Denver Bronco scout who signed UVM's Bob Mitchell and Jeff Kuhman, was on hand for Friday's workout and will be in the stands Saturday.

He is high on Layden.

The defensive standout for the Colonels is Joe Wiendel. This 5-10, 175 pound senior was named to the Little All-America second team as a junior. He is an outstanding baseball player, sought by some pro clubs, and is the NCAA runnerup in wrestling in the 168 pound class. He won the small college title in his class and made to the NCAA (large college) finals before losing.

Quick hands and good football sense, Wiendel is a threat anytime a ball is thrown in his area. He also returns punts and kickoffs and is the Wilkes record holder in that department.

Vermont will be missing the services of linebacker Tom McLaughlin, out with a sore knee, and for the second week will be missing defensive halfback Denny Robinson.

It is expected Simpson, Paul Shookus, and either Bucky Doria or Tom McDonough will be in UVM's starting backfield today with Peter Gianacopolis a possible starter also. Dave Martin will start at flankerback.

Defensive end Harry Canning, who played only on defense last week because of the heat, may see action in the backfield as fullback.

What today's contest boils down to is. . .a good small college football team meeting a school which basically is much larger and plays tougher competition.

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As with last year, Coach Schmidt has not made up his mind on his number one quarterback. Getting the nod at various times and in different situations have been Joe Zakowski, from Hanover Township; Rick Simonson, former Myers player, and Joe Frappolli, of New Jersey.

Turning to the Catamounts, Coach Clifford has 22 lettermen returning and will feature an impressive array of size on defense.

Last week, Vermont lost its opener to University of Connecticut, 21-0. It will be the opening game for Wilkes which must win and continue its streak if the Colonels hope to get into a bowl game.

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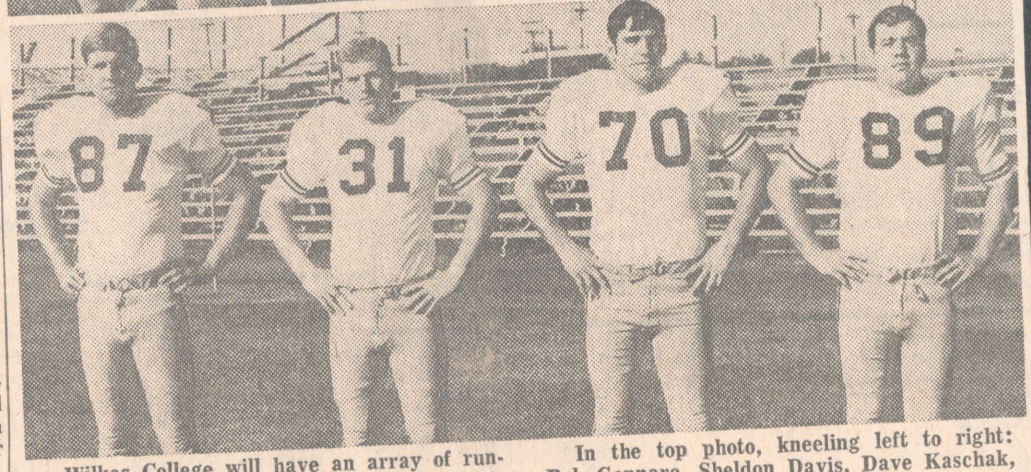

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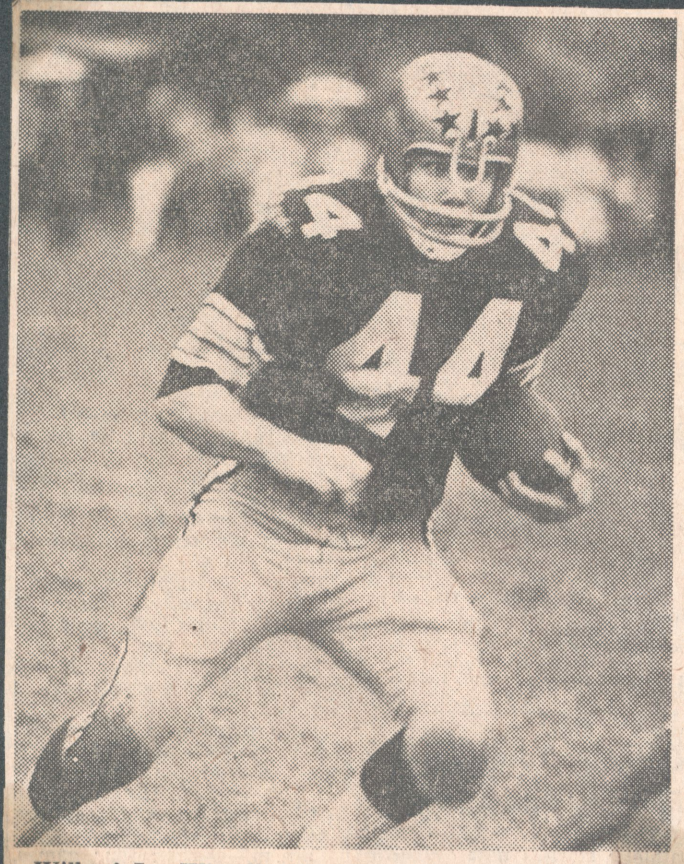

Wilkes' Joe Wiendl off and running on his 95-yard punt return. (Photo by Strinkoski).

Colonels Pressed As Rain Mars Tilt; Wiendl Goes 95

By TOM MORAN
Independent Sports Staff

Wilkes College ran its consecutive victory streak to a glorious "25" yesterday afternoon before an estimated 4,500 fans at rain-drenched Ralston Field as the Colonels slushed and slogged through mud, rain and a mistaken feeling that they couldn't be beaten.

Although they led throughout the entire contest, the gridders of Coach Rollie Schmidt were quite content to see the contest come to an end with a 28 to 19 victory over Ithaca College.

The silver jubilee victory was coming hard and almost without the anticipated luster until the closing seconds of the contest when, with the Colonels leading by a slim 21-19 margin, the "holiday spirit" was suddenly injected.

The occasion that provided the momentum for the festivities to celebrate victory No. 25 came when one Jay Holliday, a senior defensive halfback from Maryland, swiped an Ithaca desperation aerial on the enemy's 40 and picked his way to a touchdown.

Finishing Touch

It was the climatic touch needed to make the score fit the occasion for the Colonels and their followers responded to the spark, flocking onto the field immediately following Dave Kaschak's placement, to congratulate the heroes of the week.

Although no one was saying it, most of the Colonel rooters were secretly harboring a fear that the impossible could happen—that an easy-mark like Ithaca with a 1-3 record might pull an upset!

But this much can be said for the contest. Those who came expecting to see the heralded high-scoring Wilkes offensive team do its stuff were not satisfied. They scored with rare bursts of brilliance—like Joe Wiendl's 95-yard punt return for the second touchdown in the third period—and then reverted to moments of sheer desperation to match the threats and creeping scores of Ithaca.

If anything yesterday afternoon, the fans discovered that the Wilkes scoring machine is not amphibious, but happily they found the Colonels defensive team—led by such first raters as Dan Malloy, Bill Layden, P. J. Kane and Mike Connolly—is good on land, sea and air.

Pilfers Three Passes

It was Malloy who pilfered three Ithaca passes to stop offensive threats and the outstanding line play of Layden, Kane and Connolly which prevented the visiting Blue Bombers from pulling the upset of the year.

The play during the first period was confined to two Wilkes threats which were rubbed out on penalties after the Colonels had hit the end zone and it appeared only a matter of time until the local eleven got down to the serious business of mopping up the visitors.

WILKES COLLEGE (28)
ENDS—Skvarla, Babuschak, Merrill, Koterba
TACKLES—Burke, Comstock, Howe, Layden, Mazur, Hillard, Kaschak
GUARDS—Loverro, Chaump, L. Loveland, Hoover, Kane, Connolly, J. Loveland
CENTERS—Conway, Roman
BACKS—Simonson, Frappoli, Yeager, Davenport, Yarmel, Malloy, Wiendl, Holliday, Staake, Gennaro, Fick

ITHACA COLLEGE (19)
ENDS—Syron Burczak, Bonney, Nevil, Bell, Holskin, Mix
TACKLES—Garvey, Ludermann, Kissell, Tyksinski, Ludemann, Reynolds
GUARDS—Krenzer, Buckhout, Ricchio, Bauer, Cihocki
CENTERS—Worden, Abbott
BACKS—Podlucky, Backer, Truhn, Polimeni, Ryan, Triolo, Bell, Aloian, Penna

Score By Quarters:

WILKES	0	7	7	14—28
ITHACA	0	7	0	12—19

WILKES SCORING—Joe Skvarla, (13-yard pass from Simonson); Joe Wiendl (95-yard punt return); Vince Yarmel (1-yard run); Holliday (40-yard return of pass interception). PAT's—Dave Kaschak (4 placements).

ITHACA SCORING—Rodney Howell 2 (1 and 2-yard runs); Charles Hill (90-yard punt return). PATs—Bonney (placement).

STATISTICS

	WILKES	ITHACA
First Downs	15	7
Rushing Yardage	239	62
Passing Yardage	63	121
Passes Attempted	19	25
Passes Completed	6	6
Intercepted by	4	2
Fumbles	1	1
Fumbles Lost	0	1
Punts	6	9
Punt Yardage	176	335
Penalties	5	9
Yards Penalized	41	55

The first Wilkes score came midway through the second quarter on a 67-yard march with Vince Yarmel, Ted Yeager and Rick Simonson doing the grinding assignments to the Ithaca 13. From here Simonson, who played a fine game in the slot usually held by the injured Ouarterback Joe Zakowski, pitched to Joe Skvarla for the score. Kaschak booted the first of four extra points, although his accuracy was off on two attempted field goals.

Ithaca came right back minutes later when Larry Nevil blocked a Wilkes punt and Gary Mix fell on in on the Wilkes 5. Halfback Rodney Howell on three attempts was held by the Wilkes line as time ran out with the ball on the 1-yard line, but a penalty gave Ithaca one "free" attempt and Howell did it. Dave Bonney booted the extra point to tie the score.

Wiendl's 95-yard-run in the third period was a thing of beauty as he picked his way down the right sideline through a swarm of would-be tacklers.

It appeared that Wilkes was moving to what it had felt would be the rightful place on the scoreboard early in the fourth period. With a 14 to 7 lead, the Colonels took possession on Ithaca's 33 after a weak punt by the Blue Bombers from deep in their own territory.

Joe Frappolli, third-string quarterback for Wilkes, took off on a surprise burst which caught the Ithaca defense flat-footed and stopped at the six. From here, the bruiser chores were given to Yarmel, who handled them with ease on three plays.

Air Raid Begins

The Blue Bombers began their air raids with eagerness midway through the final period—they were behind 21 to 7—but not before their fleet-footed Charley Hill took the Colonel's kickoff and duplicated Wiendl's long run spectacle. He went 90 yards for the score.

Why the Bombers decided to forget their kicking ace—Bonney—will never be known, but they tried for the double or nothing and wound up with nothing.

Ithaca scored its last one on a 55-yard drive. Quarterback Dave

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On The Sports Front

DON KEATLEY, Sports Editor

After three years of anxiety and frustration over the lack of national exposure, the Wilkes College football team has finally won its spot in the sun.

At least this is the promise from the National Collegiate Athletic Association in Kansas City which determines which teams are carried on the ABC-TV network football scores program following the NCAA game of the week each Saturday.

Ever since Wilkes began its remarkable win streak, athletic department personnel have been contacting ABC with results of each Wilkes game but only once or twice has the score been mentioned.

This week, the NCAA contacted Wilkes and requested its press box phone number. When asked why, the NCAA official responded with:

"You people have a fine team up there. We would like to carry your results on our program each Saturday. We will be calling you on the stadium press phone."



DON KEATLEY

It was explained that Wilkes will be given its own spot on the "wall" along with Ivy League teams and University Division schools. It was further stated that the NCAA determines which teams appear on the "wall" and not the network which explains why the Colonels had been ignored in the past.

Wilkes takes on Ithaca at Ralston Field Saturday in the team's first home game of the season. Ithaca is highly regarded in New York State and is considered one of that state's finer small college teams.

And now the pieces of that puzzle are beginning to fall into shape. The Vermont game, considered at first by some to have been a waste of time and expense, is paying off. Ithaca will add luster to the already highly polished Wilkes image . . . as long as Wilkes wins.

It has been further learned that some of Wilkes College's strongest fan-support is now coming from Burlington, Vt. Heaping praise on the Colonels, Vermont officials have admitted that the Colonels could probably whip every team in the Yankee Conference with the possible exception of the University of Massachusettts, a perennial power in Yankee Conference football.

In addition, Wilkes payers have been cited for their clean-cut appearance and gentlemanly conduct while at Vermont. One member of the school faculty remarked that the Wilkes players were the finest he had ever seen.

"That Wilkes-Barre must be quite a place," he concluded.

Greater treasures may be in store for the Colonels if Wilkes can turn back Ithaca on Saturday. It has been rumored Sports Illustrated is contemplating a feature on Wilkes if and that school registers its 25th straight victory. We will just to wait and see.

Irem Golfers Have Bann



Irem Temple Country Club golfers completed another su
are shown at the final meeting of the year. Seated to right are
president; R. F. Bachman, president; Cromwell Thomas, secre
treasurer.

Executive board members are standing. Left to right are
George Common, Bob Rinehimer and John Sands.

Closing meeting of the season was held at Irem Temp
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Wilkes Batters Delaware Valley, 31-3, for 24th in Row

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Whenever they gather in years to come to talk about football seasons and football players at Wilkes College, the name of Joe Wiendl will be heard.

Again yesterday—as in past games this season and in past seasons—the lad in the blue and gold jersey made this so as he turned in a brilliant performance to lead the Colonels to their 24th consecutive victory.

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Third Period Score

In the third period Del Val punted and Wiendl caught the ball on the 12. He went up the middle, avoided six would-be tacklers broke to the sideline and raced in for an 88-yard return.

History repeated six minutes later after Bill Layden thwarted a Delaware Valley first down drive, catching Aggie halfback Jim Branch behind the line of scrimmage. Forced to punt, Del Val again kicked to Wiendl, who raced along a wall of Wilkes blockers for a 62-yard scoring gem.

Wiendl's 163-yard punt return output enabled him to increase his season's total to 275 yards, for a 19.6 average per return. The Wilkes senior also reached another milestone as he reached the 1,000-yard plateau, pushing his lifetime total to 1,085 yards.

The Colonels final marker occurred in the fourth quarter as Yarmel culminated a 50-yard drive with a one-yard plunge. Delaware Valley fought desperatly to get on the scoreboard in the final minutes with a barrage of passes by Ron Timko but the Wilkes secondary held for the 31-3 victory.

A note of misfortune was injected into the game when it was learned that the Colonels' quarterback Joe Zakowski, Lyndwood, who was injured during the contest, was admitted to Wilkes-Barre General Hospital for treatment of a damaged right thigh.

WILKES (31)
ENDS—Babuschak, Skvarla, Koterba, Merrill, Lazar, Williamson, Jones
TACKLES—Howe, Mazur, Layden, Burke, Zinicola, Comstock, Eustis, Mitchell
GUARDS—P. Malloy, Graziano, Chaump, L. Loveland, Baranowski, Loverro
CENTERS—Kane, Conway, Kenney, J. Loveland, Cardinale
BACKS—Zakowski, Yeager, Yarmel, Davenport, Gennaro, Simonson, Wiendl, Halliday, Connolly, D. Malloy, Fick, Harkins, Moser, Peterfreund, Staake, Kaschak Hillard, Farnetti, Zientek, Frappolli

DELAWARE VALLEY (3)
ENDS—Thorne, Cerchio, Stump, Hitz, Arcade
TACKLES—Vargo, Virostek, Duffy, Jannotti, Deppen, Eisenhardt
GUARDS—Poland, A. Smith, Lehman, Russell, Cottrell, Sitarski
CENTERS—Mekalik, Hannan, Scott, Harvey, Bracchi
BACKS—Timko, Capozzoli, Ritter, Thompson, Day, Branch, Smith, Shank, Chance, Doughty, Jones

WILKES	3	7	14	7	—31
DEL. VALLEY	3	0	0	0	— 3

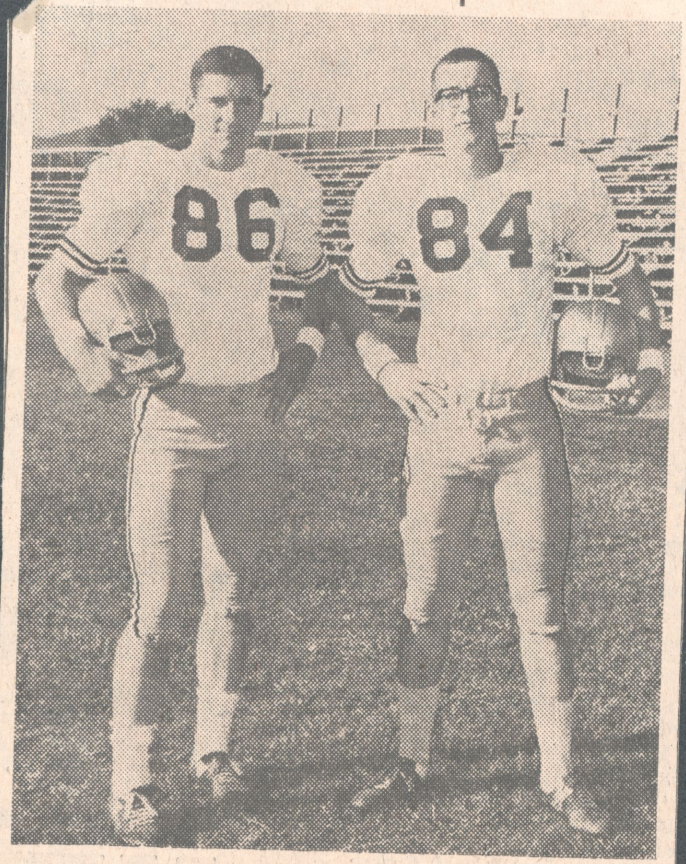
WILKES SCORING—Touchdowns: Skvarla, (25-yard pass from Zakowski); Wiendl, (2), (punt returns of 86 and 62 yards); Yarmel, (1-yard blast); field goal, Kaschak, (19-yard kick); PATs, (4—Kaschak).

DELAWARE VALLEY SCORING — Field goal: Ritter, (18-yard kick).

STATISTICS

WILKES		DEL. VALLEY
First Downs	9	13
Passes Attempted	11	35
Passes Completed	5	18
Passing Yardage	104	201
Rushes	35	35
Rushing Yardage	102	54
Total Offense	192	255
Punting	5-35.6	7-36.4
Fumbles	2	4
Fumbles Lost	2	2
Penalties	3-25	7-57

In Final Home Opener



—Ray Preby Photo

These two senior offensive ends will be starting their last home season on Saturday when the Wilkes College football Colonels take on the Ithaca College Bombers at 2 p. m. at Ralston Field, Kingston. Coach Rollie Schmidt's team has won its first three games this season, all away.

Shown left to right: Mike Babuschak (86) who is 21, stands 6'-2" and weighs 205. Mike a standout at Coughlin High School, hails from Wilkes-Barre, and is in training to be a Marine officer; Joe Skvarla (84), is 21, stands 6'-2"' and weighs 190. Joe is the top offensive end in Wilkes' history holding six pass catching records. A graduate of Plymouth High School, Skvarla is also a catcher on the Wilkes' baseball team.

Wilkes will be out to preserve its record of 24 straight victories. The Colonels have only allowed 12 points this se[illegible] in three games, nine by University of Vermont; [illegible] Moravian and three by Delaware Valley last Saturda[illegible]

Colonels on Win Streak

New York, Oct. 16 (AP)—Wilkes College has increased its lead in the race for the Lambert Bowl award by beating previously unbeaten Delaware Valley, 31-3.

In the latest voting by the eight-man selection committee on small Eastern college football teams, Wilkes got seven of the first place votes for its best showing in some time.

Following in order are Lebanon Valley, Kings Point, Franklin and Marshall, Trinity, Maryland State, Wagner, Albright, Delaware Valley, and Union.

The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt go after their 25th straight win Saturday in the game with Ithaca College at the Wilkes field. It will be the home opener for Wilkes after the team triumphed in three road games. Wilkes is setting all kinds of records in the win streak.

Halfbacks Joe Kovacs of Alfred and Mark Perkins of Hobart, a pair of one-man gangs, were selected to the ECAC division III All-East weekly football team.

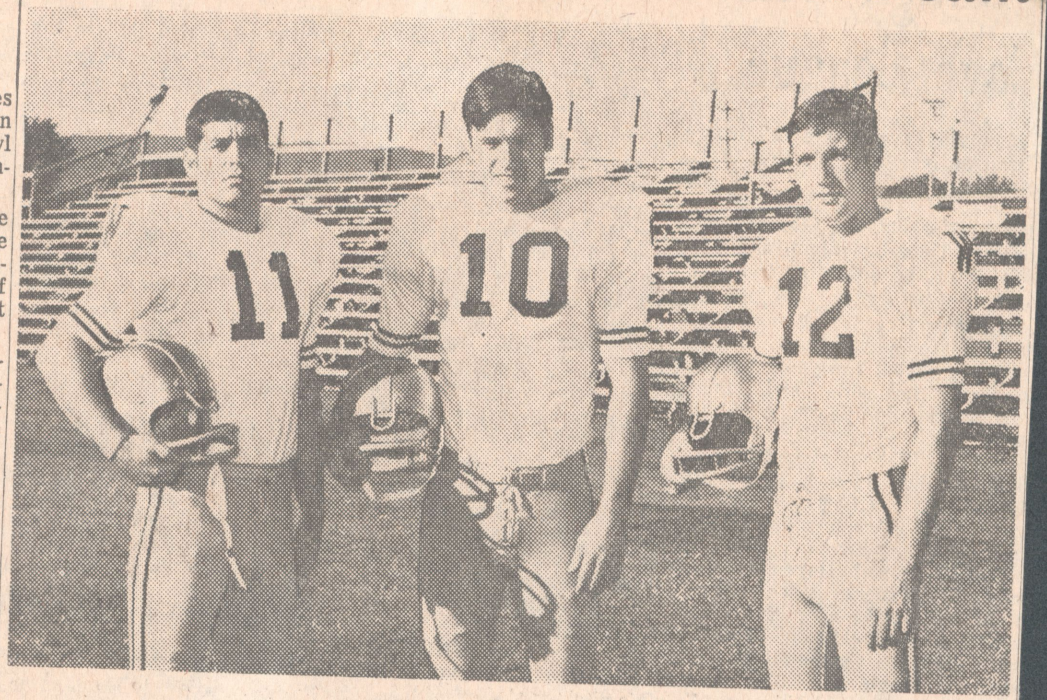
Kovacs chalked up 125 yards and two touchdowns to lead the Saxons to a 16-0 victory over St. Lawrence Saturday. Perkins scored both TDs and ran for 186 yards in the weekend victory over Hamilton.

Selected as quarterback was Jim Murphy of Bates, who led his team to victory over Worcester Poly by completing 22 passes for 284 yards.

Others selected to the team were, ends Jeff Barnes of Juniata and Dennis Lawrence of RPI; tackles Warren Ceres, Upsala and Ed Sleeper of Haverford; guards Tom Branca of Ursinus and Doug Mele of Union; and center Jim Simonelli of PMC Colleges.

Greg Teeter, a Lebanon Valley end, caught 12 passes for 124 yards and three touchdowns against Muhlenberg Saturday to take Sophomore of the Week honors.

3 Quarterbacks Guide Wilkes Team



(Photo by Ray Preby)

Here are three starting quarterbacks for the Wilkes College football Colonels who have guided the team to three straight victories in away games this season. The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt will be home on Saturday with Ithaca College. Game time is 2 at Ralston Field, Kingston.

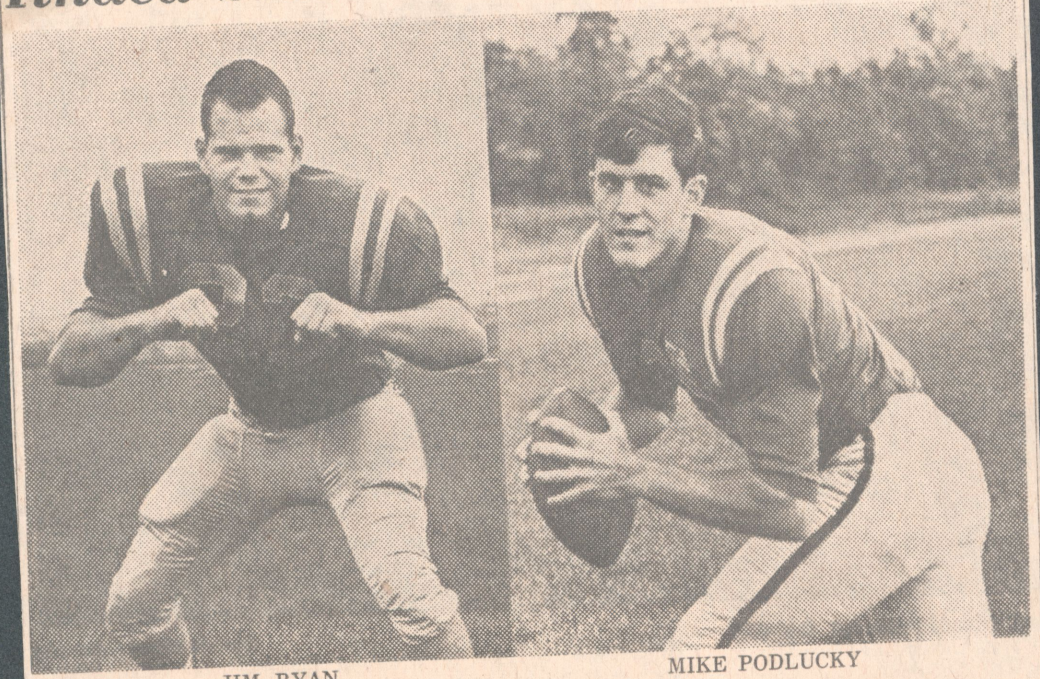
Shown left to right: Joe Frappolli, (11) senior from Florence, N. J., who stands, 5-10 and weighs 180; Joe Zakowski, (10) junior from Hanover Township, who stands 6-2 and weighs 205, and Rich Simonson (12) senior from Wilkes-Barre, who is 6-2 tall and weighs 195.

Zakowski suffered an injured thigh at Delaware Valley last Saturday and may not be ready to go on Saturday, in which case Simonson will probably get the nod with Frappolli as backup.

The Colonels will [illegible]ooking for their 25th win in a row when they take on the Bombers of Coach James [illegible]. Ithaca has 18 returning lettermen and quarterback Mike Podlucky is the outstan[illegible] on the team.

Wilkes-Ithaca: A must win for the Colonels. Returning to Ralston Field for the first time this season, Wilkes can register its 25th straight victory against a prominent New York State team. ABC-TV has given the Colonels a green light for weekly national coverage and big time recognition. The bigger the score, the greater the accolades. Wilkes by 20.

Ithaca Stars Face Wilkes Here



JIM RYAN

MIKE PODLUCKY

Ithaca College Captain Jim Ryan, a Little All-American candidate at linebacker, will lead the Ithaca College football team into town Saturday afternoon to challenge Wilkes College's 24-game winning streak. Ryan at 5-10 and 160 is rated by West Chester coach Bob Mitten as the best linebacker "we will face all season."

Quarterback Mike Podlucky directs the Ithaca offense. He is the team's total offense leader having accumulated 500 yards in the first four games. Podlucky, a sophomore, has already broken the school records in pass completions and attempts, and is rapidly approaching the mark in passing yardage, for one season.

Wilkes College

Colonels' Corner

OPPONENT'S NAME—Ithaca.
LOCATION—Ithaca, N.Y.
HOME FIELD—South Hill.
GAME SITE—Ralston Field.
CAPACITY—5,500.
GAME TIME—2 p.m.
HEAD COACH—P. James Butterfield, Maine '53.
COACHING RECORD—4 wins, 7 losses.
CAPTAIN—Linebacker James Ryan.
COLORS—Blue and Gold.
NICKNAME—Bombers, Ithacans.
1967 RESULTS—Won 4, Lost 4.
SERIES RECORD—Wilkes leads with 6 wins, against 4 losses, no ties.
OFFENSE—I formation.
DEFENSE—Wide Tackle Six, or 6-2-3.
LETTERMEN RETURNING—18.



ROLLIE SCHMIDT

OUTLOOK—Ithaca's biggest problem is a lack of depth and size in both the offensive and defensive lines. The Bombers interior linemen will flip flop to the strong side of the center. Most of these linemen will go both ways. Offensively, Ithaca has not jelled yet, but they have a potentially explosive offensive unit.

OUTSTANDING BACK—Quarterback Mike Podlucky has caused plenty of fireworks so far. He's passed 79 time, completing 31, for 331 yards. Rushing, he's gained 260 yards. All of these stats are based on three games.

OUTSTANDING LINEMAN—Linebacker Jim Ryan has been a demon on defense for the Bombers. Although small, 5-8, 185 pounds, he's an intelligent player and fine leader who can really hit people.

COACH SCMIDT'S OUTLOOK—"Ithaca has played some pretty fair teams so far. Considering the caliber of competition they have faced it's really tough to evaluate just what type of club they have. Cortland and West Chester are two small college powers. We feel they have an exceptionally quick team. Offensively they have moved the ball on the ground more consistently than through the air. After playing three rugged games, we can't afford to let down in this one."

All-East Honors

Joe Wiendl Selected Top Defensive Back

Joe Wiendl, who has garnered more honors for Wilkes College than probably any other athlete in its history, added new laurels today when he was named Defensive Back of the Week on the Eatsern College Athletic Conference Division III, All-East team.

Wiendl ran back two punts of 92 and 62 yards for touchdowns, back-to-back, and turned what had been a close game into a 31-3 rout of Delaware Valley. The Aggies were considered one of the top, if not the top team in the Middle Atlantic Conference before meeting Wilkes. The score was only 10-3 in favor of Wilkes when Wiendl gathered in the first of the two punts.



JOE WIENDL

As a result of that much-heralded victory, the Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt increased their lead in the race for the third annual Lambert Bowl, emblematic of the best small college team in the East. The Colonels won the first Lambert Bowl award but lost out last year, for the second one to Wagner College. Wagner is seventh in the balloting this year.

On the strength of the walloping handed DV, Wilkes received seven of the eight first place votes and one third for a total of 78 points out of a possible 80. Observers feel it is unusual that one balloter, who didn't feel that Wilkes was number one, like his seven colleagues, placed the local college third instead of second to his choice.

Delaware Valley, which was tied for second last week, 12 points behind Wilkes—fell to a poor ninth with 20 points. Lebanon Valley, tied for second last week with 59, rose to undisputed second place with a total of 65 points.

Wilkes has now won three in a row this season and 24 in a row since 1965. The Colonels will be seeking number 25 on Saturday when they take on Ithaca College at 2 p. m. at Ralston Field, Kingston. It will be Parents' Day at the local college.

Wiendl, a 5'-10", 175-pound safety man from Westfield, N. J., is a senior and one of the tri-captains of the 1968 Colonels. He is the lone Colonel on this week's ECAC All-East team.

Other ECAC nominations went to: Vince Yarmel, fullback; Paul "P. J." Kane, linebacker. and Dave Kaschak, halfback, as Sophomore of the Game.

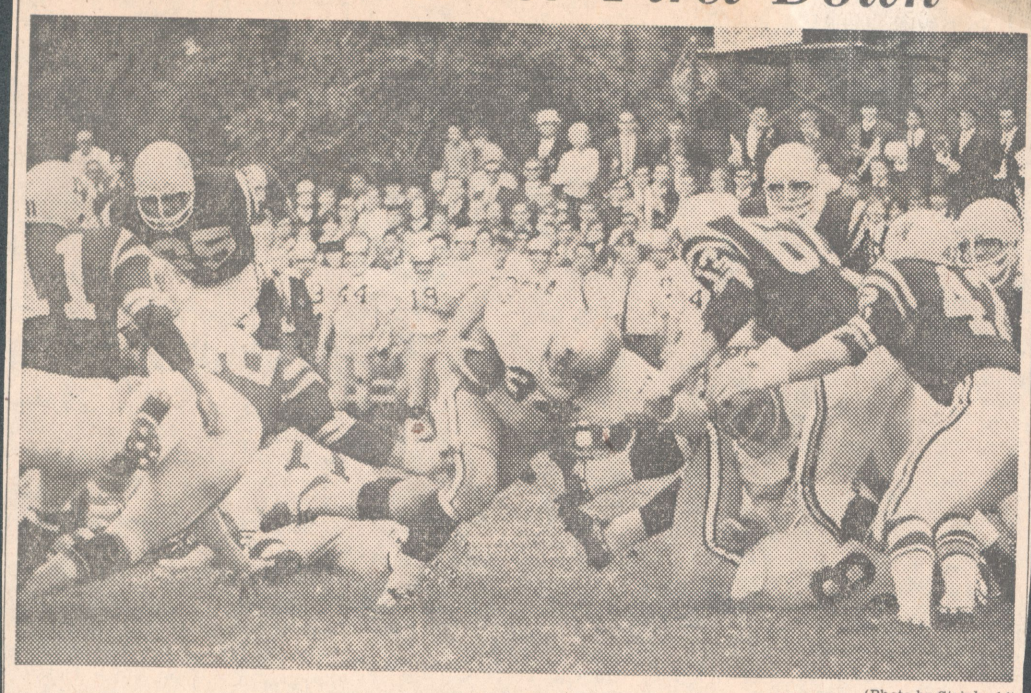
The balloting for the top ten in the Lambert Bowl race was as follows:

College and Record	Pts.
1. Wilkes (3-0)	78
2. Lebanon Valley (3-0)	65
3. King's Point (4-0)	59
4. Franklin and Marshall (3-0)	47
5. Trinity (2-1)	41
6. Maryland State (3-1)	36
7. Wagner (2-1)	31
Albright (3-1)	31
9. Delaware Valley (2-1)	20
10. Union (2-1)	10

Here is your fearless forecast for this weekend.

Wilkes-Delaware Valley: This could be more exciting than the Vermont victory. At least it will be a closer score. Delaware would like nothing better than to deck the Colonels but a healthy Wilkes team will stem the Aggie tide. Wilkes by 13.

Yarmel Drives for First Down



(Photo by Strinkoski)

Vince Yarmel (34) former Central Catholic of Kingston star, drives for a first down for the Wilkes College Colonels as they defeated Delaware Valley College, 31-3, Saturday at Doylestown. Yarmel went through a hole opened by the left side of the Wilkes line. Tackle Ed Burke (71) is on the round behind Yarmel, while Mike Babuschak (86) in on the ground in front of him.

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The final Colonel score came on a drive which saw Rich Simonson, in at quarterback because of an injury suffered by Zakowski, hit Skvarla with a 44-yard aerial at the DV 14. Yeager ran to the four when George Conway, center, Ed Burke, tackle, and Les Loveland at guard, combined to open a gaping hole in the DV line. Yarmel made a first down at the three over Angelo Loverro and Bruce Comstock, who combined in a wedge block to open the hole. Yarmel hit to the one between Loveland and Conway and then blasted in for the TD over Comstock and Loverro's position. Kaschak again converted.

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Wilkes' halfback Ted Yeager (21) attempts to escape a Delaware Valley defender yesterday. (Photo by Strinkoski)

Colonels Roll Over Delaware Valley



—Strinkoski photo

Joe Skvarla (84) Wilkes' premier pass catcher, comes across from his left end position to block for Rich Simonson (12) Wilkes' quarterback, who is trying for a first down on a quarterback keeper in Saturday's 31-3 rout of Delaware Valley.

The Colonels will be looking for their 25th consecutive win next Saturday at 1:30 p. m. when they take on Ithaca College at Ralston Field, Kingston, in the home opener for Coach Rollie Schmidt's team. Wilkes hasn't lost a game since the third contest in 1965.

Yeager on ECAC Team of Week

NEW YORK (AP) — Ends Dick Knight of Norwich and John Cook of St. Lawrence were named Wednesday to the weekly small-college Division III football team of the Eastern College Athletic Conference.

The other linemen chosen were Bob Morris of Lebanon Valley and Tom Oberst, Union, at the tackle positions, Jim Simonelli of Penn Military and Joe Asconi, Wagner at the guards, and Bill Assenheimer of Alfred at center.

The backfield is made up of quarterback Jay Bernadoni of Trinity, halfbacks Ted Yeager of Wilkes and Wayne Huntsinger of Drexel and fullback John Nice of Delaware Valley.

Steve LaMore, RPI quarterback, was named sophomore of the week.

Ted Yeager Scores 2 TD's for Wilkes

Displaying a hammering ground attack which netted 297 yards, the Colonels of Wilkes College won their 23rd straight football contest Saturday, pounding Moravian Greyhounds, 40-0, at Bethlehem.

Ted Yeager, former Southern Area star performer, had another 100-yard plus yardage game by lugging the pigskin 19 times for a total of 114 yards and two touchdowns. Yeager, called "the 1968 Colonel mini wonder," tallied the first Wilkes TD with 10:15 remaining on the clock the first quarter.

Yeager Begins Long Jaunt



Ted Yeager (21) of Catawissa, breaks for daylight to put the Wilkes Colonels in the lead in the opening minutes of Saturday's game with University of Vermont at Burlington. The Colonels won it, 31-9 in their first meeting with a Yankee Conference team.

Yeager, a Freshman, scored on a 65-yard scamper the first time he touched the ball in a college game. Other Colonels identifiable in the photo are Mario Zinicola (78), Bob Gennaro (30), Stan Zientek (20), John Baronowski 66), Joe Frappolli (11), Aldo Farnetti (22) and Bill Lazor (82).

Wilkes And Villanova Highlight Collegiate Football In State

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Wilkes stepped up in class and John Sodaski stepped out of character. The change did both a lot of good.

Wilkes, playing the University of Vermont for the first time, walloped the Yankee Conference team 31-9 and Sodaski, a defensive star-turned-quarterback, ignited Villanova's 16-0 victory over Delaware in Saturday's football games.

It was the 22nd victory in a row for Wilkes, a small college power in Pennsylvania but untested with teams out of the state. Vermont was touted as Wilkes' toughest opponent this season.

Southpaw quarterback Joe Zakowski rifled three touchdown passes to Joe Skvarla in leading the Wilkes' cakewalk. Zakowski completed 15 of 26 passes for 176 yards.

Villanova was a little easier with Delaware, but not much.

Sodaski, a star linebacker with Villanova for two seasons, showed the same amount of verse in his switch to the offensive side. He scored a touchdown, ran for another and lugged the ball for 98 yards on the ground.

Penn's Quakers opened their 92nd football season Saturday in another important state game blasting Bucknell 27-10 behind the quarterback with the anagram name, Bernie Zbrzeznj.

Zbrzesnj, cool and cat-quick in his opening day assignment, uncorked an 85-yard touchdown pass and Gerry Santini bolted for two more scores in leading the Penn offense.

Two key players were injured during Saturday's action —halfbacks Bob Campbell of Penn State and Mike Busch of Temple. Campbell suffered a shoulder injury when tackled after running 56 yards as Penn State clobbered Kansas State 25-9, and Busch suffered torn ligaments when hit by a Wayne State player in the Owls' 26-6 victory over the Detroit team.

In the other games Jeff Petrucci, last year's NAIA total offense leader, threw three TD passes as California clipped Lock Haven 27-26; Kim Carr scored two touchdowns, passed for a third and ran for the deciding two extra points in leading C. W. Post over Gettysburg, 22-21; Albright recovered from a one-point halftime deficit to beat Juniata 14-7.

Lafayette churned out 221 yards rushing to defeat Columbia 36-14; Bob Power scored two TDs to pace Westminster's 21-7 triumph over Heidelberg; Bruce Bozman chalked up 199 yards in the air, including a 15-yard touchdown pass, to pace West Marylond over Susquehanna, 33-6; and Lycoming shocked Wagner, last year's MAC, college division co-champions, 10-0.

E. J. Korns unfurled two touchdown bullets to pace Franklin & Marshall over Ursinus, 17-0; John Dember's running led Tufts to a 28-7 win over Drexel Tech; Lebanon Valley's steel-ribbed defense set up four touchdowns in a 49-6 rout of Dickinson; Wooster walloped Swarthmore 37-0 with Ed Thompson running for 122 yards; Delaware Valley went to the air to whip Moravian, 22-7; Indiana State white-washed Shippensburg, 24-0 behind the quarterbacking of Wally Blukas; and Johns Hopkins raced back from a 15-point half-time deficit to edge Muhlenberg, 30-28.

Also, John Carroll whipped Washington & Jefferson, 30-8; Slippery Rock defeated Edinboro, 16-0; Thiel whacked Carnegie - Mellon 42-28; Allegheny defeated Adelbert, 16-0; Millersville and Kutztown played to a 7-7 tie; Grove City beat Adrian 13-8; the Citadel smashed Lehigh 28-12; Waynesburg blanked Ohio Northern, 19-0; East Stroudsburg butted West Chester 21-14; West Virginia shot down Pitt, 38-15; Clarion swamped Geneva, 42-7; and Winston-Salem beat Cheyney, 58-7.

Wilkes to Sponsor Dance Tomorrow

The first football game of the Wilkes College season will be held at the University of Vermont this Saturday. In the past the band has always accompanied the football team, but because of the cost of the journey, the College is unable to send the band.

In an effort to help send the band to Vermont, the Student Government and the Interdormitory Council are sponsoring a dance tomorrow night, from 8 to 11 in the Wilkes College gymnasium.

Two bands will be featured; the El Caminos and Thee Brown Cow. The cost is $1 and the public is invited to show their support and help us send the College Band to Vermont.

Wilkes College

Colonels' Corner

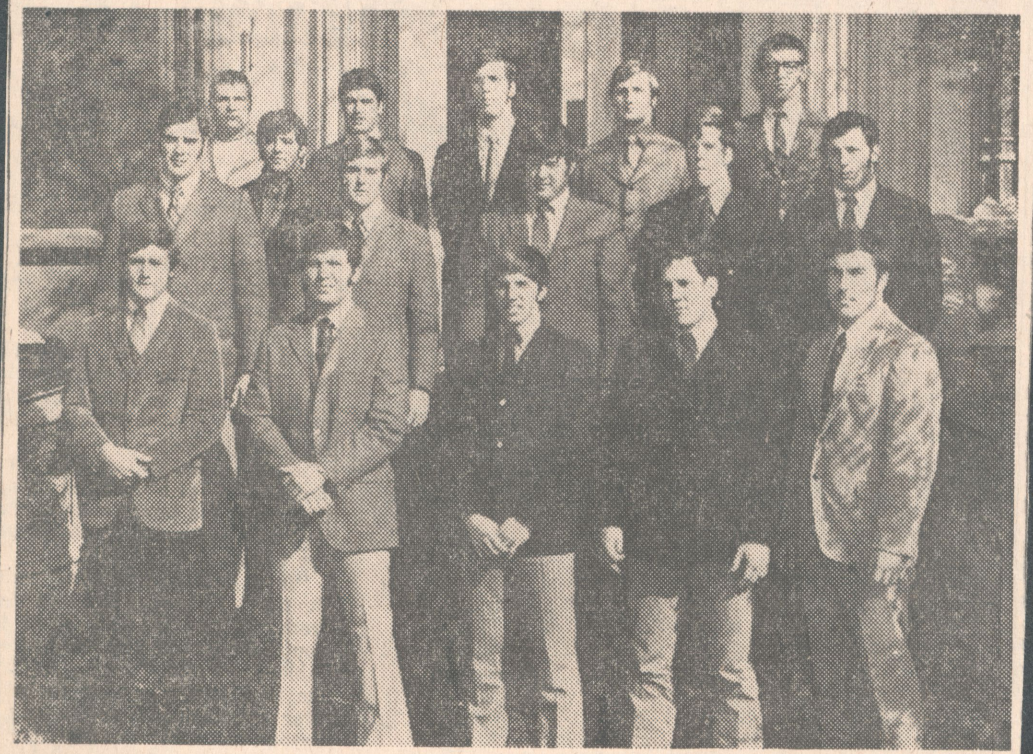
For the remainder of the current grid campaign, Wilkes Head Football Coach Rollie Schmidt will present a brief analysis on the coming opponent for the Colonels.

OPPONENT'S NAME—University of Vermont.
LOCATION—Burlington, Vt.
HOME FIELD—Centennial Field.
CAPACITY—8,500.
HEAD COACH—Robert E. Clifford, Western State, 1940.
COACHING RECORD—31-17-1.
CAPTAIN—Tackle Dave Lucaroni.
COLORS—Green and Gold.
NICKNAME—Catamounts.
1967 RESULTS—Won 3, Lost 5, Tied 1.
SERIES RECORD—First meeting.
OFFENSE—Wing T, with a number of variations.
DEFENSE—Split six. Sometimes they will use 4-4-3.



ROLLIE SCHMIDT

LETTERMEN RETURNING—22.
OUTLOOK—Coach Clifford is attempting to escalate his offense which ran out of gas early last season and never recovered. The club lacks depth, overall speed and experience. They must replace eight starters. They don't have an abundance of beef, but have a lot of rangy kids.
OUTSTANDING BACK—Quarterback Paul Simpson is being counted on to give the Catamounts the spark they need to move the football. Last year he completed 51.8% of his passes for 650 yards and three touchdowns.
OUTSTANDING LINEMAN—Guard Bill Crudo is an excellent blocker who can pull and lead the play. He's 5-10, 220 and will start his third season at offensive guard.
COACH ROLLIE SCHMIDT'S OUTLOOK—"Vermont is a step up for us. They are an established team that plays a pretty sound caliber of football. Year in and year out they play a rugged schedule with the likes of Connecticut, Maine and Massachusetts on it. It's a little difficult preparing for a team like this when we have never seen them before. We're doing a lot of guessing on what they'll do against us in some respects. We have a lot riding on this game and I think our kids realize this, too."
NOTE—Wilkes is currently riding a 21-game win streak over a three-year period.



—Photo By Paramount Studio

ENDING COLLEGIATE CAREERS—Sixteen members of the Wilkes College football team will be seeing the final action of their collegiate careers tomorrow afternoon when the Colonels take on the fighting Muskies of Muskingum College. "Anniversary Day" action at Ralston Field is scheduled for a 1:30 p. m. kickoff.

Senior members of the 1970 squad are shown above on the side steps of Weckesser Hall.

From left to right, first row, Garf Jones, Emil Ditullio, Jim Marascio, Dave Kaschak, and Alton Kenney.

Second row: Mario Zinicola, Gary Moore, Harry Hoover, John Mazur, Jim McDonald, Jack Clarke.

Third row, Jim Loveland, Bob Gennaro, Dave Mitchell, John Baranowski, and Bill Lazor.



Behind the Bench

By LEE RICHARDS
Sunday Independent Sports Editor

Coughlin Grid Team Gets Haircuts

JOE MORAN, Coughlin High's head football coach, issued an ultimatum last week that all of the members of the football team should come to practice on Monday with a short hair cut. He didn't want any dangling locks or fancy curls.

Well Monday rolled around and most of the team had their ears lifted. Some of the boys didn't. So Coach Moran and his staff opened up a makeshift shop in the dressing room and went about cutting hair.

Those who didn't get their hair cut were suspended from the team. Only two boys decided they wanted to keep their locks.

"We told the kids we were a little tired of them looking like a group of singers rather than football players. We told them if they were going to represent Coughlin High School, they were going to at least look the part of football players," Coach Moran said.

"Only two boys felt their hair was more important than football. We're glad we found out now and not in a game who was willing to pay the price and who was not.

"I feel the hair cuts brought the team closer together. It's quite obvious around the school now who are the football players and who are not. The hair cuts we gave the kids are like a "Red Badge of Courage" around here now."

The ironic part of the story is, Coach Moran, Assistant Coaches JOHN ROWLANDS and HAYDEN WHITE have been approached by the City's Barber School.

We salute the Coughlin coaching staff for taking the initiative to produce clean-cut athletes. It's too bad more coaches in the scholastic ranks don't take more pride in the appearance of their athletes.

The sign which appears in many local barber shops hits the nail right on the head:

"KEEP AMERICA CLEAN. GET A HAIR CUT."

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The Princeton Affair

When the Wilkes College football team arrived at the training sight of the Princeton Tigers last Wednesday at Blairstown, which has been their training site for many seasons, it was like walking into a den of wounded Bengals.

Not only did the Tigers completely overwhelm and claw the Colonels, but they gave them a physical beating as well.

"This has been the first time for many of our kids to be manhandled," said Coach ROLLIE SCHMIDT." They are really a GREAT football team and were just waiting to get even for the damage we did against them last year. We didn't know until after the scrimmage was over, but they were in their third week of camp and did nothing but study the films from last year. They had something to prove and they went out and did it."

While the Colonels did suffer a number of minor injuries none are expected to keep any one from missing the trip to Vermont this Saturday.

Coach Schmidt added, "this did us a world of good. We may have been getting a little too complacent, winning our last 21 games. If any of the players were a little cockey, they can't be in that state of mind now."

Coach Schmidt was awed by the size and quickness of the Princeton team. He said they have some exceptionally talented athletes.

DR. ANTHONY TURCHETTI, the team physician for the Colonels, gave us a brief run down on the injury situation early Friday morning.

Dr. Turchetti said, "I checked over all of the injured personnel late Thursday and we had some X-rays taken, but they all turned up negative. I'm quite sure with the proper treatment and intensive care over the weekend, everyone will be able to see action against Vermont on Saturday. Most of the people injured just had minor bumps and bruses. A number of the injured could also be described as little sprains."

Tackle BILL LAYDEN, who was erroneously reported as severly injured on Thursday, is only suffering from a minor ankle sprain and is rearing to go. Linebacker P. J. KANE had a litle bump on his hip, but is also expected to be ready for Saturday.

Fullback VINCE YARMEL received the most serious injury. He had a few of the ligaments sprained in his knee, but got a clean bill of health form Dr. Turchetti.

Undoubtedly the whirlpool will have its share of use the early part of the week.

After the licking the Colonels took, now maybe some of the big heads will be a litle deflated and they'll get back to being hungry and put out another notch more in practice an on the field this Saturday.

We're glad about one thing, that we won't be playing for Vermont this weekend, because we know a bunch of Colonels who are not making the trip for the ride. They have somethng to PROVE to themslves. Also they're carrying the prestige of Wyoming Valley Football with them.

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Carrying Heavy Load For Colonels



Wilkes College defensive backs are shown above along with Ted Yeager, offensive back who was named to the ECAC All-East team this week.

The three defensive backs have not allowed a touchdown to be scored against them through the air in the three seasons they have been together as a unit.

Left to right: Jay Holliday (46) Joe Wiendel (44), a tri-captain, and Dan Malloy (27).

—Ray Preby Photo

Yeager is at right wearing number 19.

The entire Wilkes defensive team only allowed 49 points to be scored by opponents in eight games last year and thus far in 1968 have only allowed one touchdown, that by University of Vermont.

The Colonels are at Delaware Valley in a must game for both teams on Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

Yeager Earns All-East Honors; Colonels Retain Lambert Lead

Wilkes College freshman halfback Ted Yeager, Catawissa, was selected to the Eastern College Athletic Conference Division III, All-East football team for the game with Moravian last Saturday at Bethlehem. The Colonels won that one, 40-0.

Wilkes also placed three players on the All-East honorable mention. They were Joe Skvarla, end; Jay Holliday, defensive back, and Aldo Farnetti, Sophomore.

The Colonels continued their lead in the balloting for the Lambert Bowl, enblematic of the outstanding Eastern small college football team. Wilkes, winner of the initial Lambert Bowl award two years ago, also led in the balloting last week.

Runners-up are Delaware Valley and Lebanon Valley, both future Wilkes opponents, with 59 points each. The Colonels garnered four of the eight first place votes.

Wilkes will put its 23-game winning streak on the line when the Colonels travel to Doylestown Saturday to take on the Delaware Valley Aggies in a showdown game for the lead in the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern Division and also for top place in the Lambert Bowl balloting.

Delaware Valley and Wilkes are two of the three unbeaten teams in the Northern Division of the MAC. The third is Albright. Wilkes has scored 71 points and allowed nine in its two games to date, defeating University of Vermont, 31-9 and Moravian, 40-0. Delaware Valley has scored 61, while allowing 10.

Yeager, a 5'-7" mini-back, weighing only 145 pounds, ran for 117 yards and two touchdowns in the Colonels rout of the Moravian Greyhounds. He also had a 100-plus yardage day against UVM and ran 65 yards for a touchdown in that game the first time he touched the ball in college football.

Aggies Have Timko

The Aggies of Delaware Valley will be counting on Ron Timko, their quarterback, who hails from Plains High School, to dump the rampaging Colonels.

Coach Bill Craver of DV also has a special reason for wanting to dump Wilkes. He is a graduate of Forty Fort High School and would like to show the hometown folks that he still knows a little something about football. In 1966, the Colonels topped the Aggies, 6-0 at Doylestown. Last year, here, the Wilkes eleven edged DV, 14-13.

Balloting for the Lambert Bowl went as follows.

College	Record	Pts.
1. Wilkes	2-0	71
2. Lebanon Valley	2-0	59
Delaware Valley	2-0	59
4. Maryland State	3-0	58
5. Kings Point	3-0	54
6. Trinity	1-1	32
7. Wagner	1-1	27
8. F. and M.	2-0	17
Bates	2-1	17
10. Albright	2-1	15

On Wilkes Team



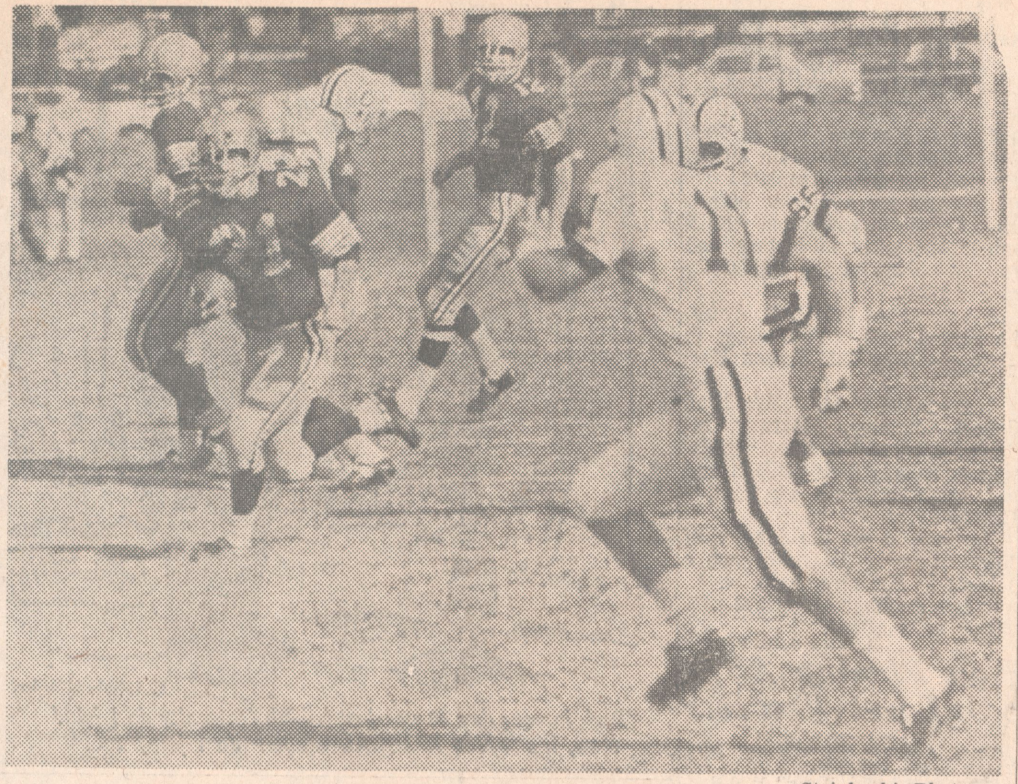
ED MANDA

The Upsala Vikings will be hard pressed to crack the rugged Wilkes College defense when the two soccer teams clash in the regular season opener for the Colonels on Saturday afternoon at 2 at Ralston Field, Kirby Park.

Ed Manda, the big right fullback who was injured in the first game last season, seems to be back in top shape and is looking forward to keeping the opponents out of his backfield.

Wilkes' first All-America, Manda teams up with award winning left fullback Jerry Yaremko to present a formidable defense in front of the goal. "Big Ed" was selected the outstanding back by his teammates following the traditional game with the alumni last week.

Yeager Off And Running



—Strinkoski Photo

Wilkes mini-back Ted Yeager (21) starts off on one of his long romps Saturday toward rolling up 114 yards rushing and two touchdowns in the Colonels' 40-0 walloping of Moravian College at Bethlehem.

Yeager, a freshman from Catawissa, earned an Eastern College Athletic Conference nomination for his second 100-plus yards gained afternoon. Other Colonels in the photo are Rich Simonson (12), who ran the team at quarterback, and Vince Yarmel (34) fullback.

Greyhounds in the scene are Greg Seifert (11) and Jeff Wilson (66).

Longest Streak In State

Wilkes Posts 23rd Consecutive Victory

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Wilkes, West Chester, Indiana State and Mansfield came to play football . . . Moravian, Millersville, Edinboro and Cheyney State wish they had stayed in bed.

By the time the sun skidded down the sky Saturday, Wilkes had smothered Moravian 40-0; Mansfield cluoted Cheyney State 56-33; West Chester crunched Millersville 63-7; and Indiana embarrassed Edinboro, 58-0.

Wilkes extended the state's longest winning streak to 23 with its "laughter" over Moravian. Scoring almost at whim, the Colonels gained 294 yards on the ground and 132 in the air and rolled up 19 first downs.

The running of Bill Reese and Bert Nye helped West Chester shake the roots of Millersville's stadium. Reese scored five touchdowns and gained 133 yards and Nye ripped over for three scores, chalking up 117 yards rushing.

Indiana, the nation's 19th ranked small college team, punched six touchdowns across in the first half and coasted over Edinboro. The Big Indiana piled up 505 yards on offense and held the losers to a shabby 11.

And Mansfield whacked Cheyney State behind the running and throwing of quarterback Steve Casterline. He unloaded three scoring strikes and rambled for another.

Another Pennsylvania team was involved in a lopsided game—but this time, Bucknell was on the short end. Harvard crowned the Bisons 59-0 behind the running of Vic Gatto and Ray Hornblower.

Temple, last year's University Division champions of the Middle Atlantic Conference, ran into a Boston University's roughhouse defense and lost, 7-0. Dan Lucca unfurled a 27-yard TD pass to Reggie Rucker with 53 seconds left in the game for the Terrior tri-

umph.

Penn State, the nation's No. 3-ranked team, traveled to West Virginia and smashed the Mountaineers 31-20 behind the explosive running of Charlie Pittman; Pitt stayed at home and thrashed William & Mary 14-3 as Denny Fereris hammered out 137 yards on the ground; Gerry Santini's thunderbolt running pointed Penn over Brown, 17-13, in their Ivy League battle; and Villanova weathered a fourth-quarter rally by Virginia Military institute to stop the winless Keydets. 19-13.

In other games, halfback Ted Alflen scored 24 points to lead Springfield over Albright 30-7; Al Greenaway, a substitute quarterback, passed for a touchdown and 96 yards in leading Westminster over Geneva, 27-7; Don Herrman snared a nine-yard TD toss with 1:34 on the clock to pace Waynesburg over Cealifornia State, 27-26; Drexel defeated Juniata, 23-20, despite an aerial bombardment by quarterback Don Weiss; Taylor Cope led Swarthmore's tough defense in a 21-11 victory over Dickinson, Western Maryland's ground game kicked PMC Colleges, 30-0; and Gary Smith's third pass interception pushed Allegheny to a 29-24 win over Bethany.

Also, Thiel 34, Washington & Jefferson 6; Carnegie-Mellon 28, Oberlin 28; Shippensburg 21, Slippery Rock 12, Delaware Valley 39, Lycoming 3; Lebanon Valley 28, Ursinus 6; Lafayette 7, Hofstra 0; Tufts 28, Gettysburg 22; East Stroudsburg 23, Kutztown 7; Wittenberg 37, Lehigh 14; Muhlenberg 32, Haverford 6; Franklin & Marshall 27, John Hopkins 6; and Grove City 14, Adelbert 11.



setting end, Joe Skvarla, moving for yardage after catching pass against Moravian. (King's Photo by McCloskey, GAR Photo by Publicservice, Wilkes Photo by Strinkoski).

Gennaro Off on Long Gainer



(Photo by Strinkoski)

Bob Gennaro (30) Wilkes fullback, takes off around end for a long gainer against the Moravian Greyhounds. Wilkes, Les Loveland (65) gets ready to block for the ball carrier, while Moravian's Don Brocious (81) takes off in pursuit of Gennaro.

Next Saturday, Wilkes travels to Doylestown to take on the Delaware Valley Aggies in what is being billed as the toughest game of the year for the Colonels.

Wilkes Pounds Moravian, 40-0, To Post 23rd Straight Victory

Moravian College Greyhounds won the toss at the start of the game and that's the last thing that went their way all afternoon as the Wilkes Colonels ran over, around and through them for a 40-0 victory Saturday at Bethlehem.

A standing room only crowd of more than 3,000 watched coach Rollie Schmidt's inspired eleven pound its way to a 23rd straight victory. The hometown fans were stunned by the Wilkes onslaught against a team which held Delaware Valley to 69 yards rushing and no first downs in the first half of their game at Doylestown that previous Saturday. DV won that game 22-7.

Wilkes will meet the Delaware Valley Aggies next Saturday at 1:30 at Doylestown in what is being billed as the toughest test of this season for the Colonels. Ron Timko of Plains is quarterback of the high-flying Aggies who have given Wilkes its hardest games the last two seasons. Wilkes won 6-0 at Doylestown in 1966 and 14-13 here last year.

Saturday's game was almost a repeat of the Colonels' 31-9 triumph at Vermont in the season's opener as Joe Skvarla, senior end from Plymouth, and Ted Yeager, freshman "mini-back" from Catawissa, again were outstanding in the early going.

The Colonels' junior quarterback Joe Zakowski from Hanover Township was shaken up early in the game and Schmidt turned to Rich Simonson, former Meyers player. Simonson had a "hot hand" going for him and Schmidt stayed with the South Wilkes-Barre flash even after Zakowski recovered.

Skvarla, certainly an all-time great at Wilkes and a modest young man who wants to teach school, set new records this week as he caught eight passes for a total of 119 yards. The eight passes in one game eclipsed his own record set twice last season and the yardage erased the 109 yards gained by Ted Travis-Bey in 1964.

Most of Skvarla's catches bordered on the spectacular as he was working with Simonson rather than Zakowski, with whom he is more familiar on pass patterns. One catch was a leaping one-hand grab which members of the pressbox crew found hard to believe had really happened. Another saw Skvarla run his pattern, escape the defender, come back for the short toss, elude his defender again and then take the aerial over the wrong shoulder.

Yeager, who seems too small for even most high school teams, again plowed through, danced and twisted to 114 yards, the second 100-plus game in a row for the freshman flash. Once again the Colonels' offensive and defensive teams were outstanding, running up 429 yards total offense, 297 of it on the ground, and holding the Greyhounds to only 173, only 67 of that by rushing.

Yeager scored the first TD for the Colonels with less than five minutes gone in the contest. He ran in from the five after he and Bob Gennaro had lugged it there. They were aided by a pass interference call when three Gryhounds knocked Skvarla down rather than let him make a sure grab. Skvarla was double and tripled teamed most of the day. Dave Kaschak, Kingston, missed the placement and Wilkes led 6-0.

Zakowski made the second score on a keeper, from the 19 with only 3:32 left in the first quarter. Jay Holliday intercepted a pass to start the drive. Kaschak again missed the PAT but Moravian was offside. Bill Staake tried the second Wilkes attempt and he too missed. It was the only one he missed all day and his booming punts kept the Greyhounds at bay all afternoon. Zakowski left the game with Wilkes leading 12-0 and Simonson came on strong in his first starring role this season.

Skvarla, Yeager and Vince Yarmel led the march for the third score, Yeager going over with 8:09 left in the half. Staake converted and Wilkes led 19-0 at intermission. The third quarter was scoreless but Simonson and Joe Frappolli, the Colonels third quarterback of the day, turned it on in the final stanza for 21 points.

Wilkes

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fenders on his back. Former Meyers teammate Simonson then put an end to the drive by slicing in from five yards out.

One play after the kickoff, Pat Malloy put the skids to a Moravian quest for paydirt by pilfering a Jim Dietz pass.

Runs by Fick and Aldo Farnetti carried to the three where Quarterback Joe Frappolli bowled over.

The final Colonel counter occurred midway in the stanza as Farnetti and Gennaro teamed up to move the ball 54 yards to the promised land. The final two yards was credited to Farnetti, who scored his first touchdown of the year.

PRESSBOX NOTES:

Simonson showed the Colonels had excellent quarterback depth

Wilkes College

Colonels' Corner



ROLLIE SCHMIDT

OPPONENT'S NAME—Moravian.
LOCATION—Bethlehem.
HOME FIELD—Moravian Field.
CAPACITY—2,400.
GAME SITE—Moravian Field.
HEAD COACH—Rocco Calvo, Cornell '52.
COACHING RECORD—50 wins, 49 losses, 4 ties.
CAPTAIN—Greg Seifert.
COLORS—Blue and Grey.
NICKNAME—Greyhounds.
1967 RESULTS—Won 3 Lost 6.
LAST YEAR'S SCORE—Wilkes 22, Moravian 12.
SERIES RECORD—Moravian leads with 12 wins, 4 losses.
OFFENSE—Slot T and I.
DEFENSE—Oklahoma 5-4-2.
LETTERMEN RETURNING—18.
OUTLOOK—Moravian will field a well-coached team with plenty of experience, although they are lacking depth in a number of key departments.
OUTSTANDING BACK—Jim Dietz and Greg Seifert alternate at the quarterback post. Dietz was the leading offensive player last year and can move the ball club. He's a dangerous passer and runner. Seifert could go both ways. Fair thrower.
OUTSTANDING LINEMAN—George Betz is a rugged two-way performer, too. He handles an offensive guard spot and alternates between defensive tackle and end. Coach Calvo calls Betz "A real hitter."
COACH SCHMIDT'S OUTLOOK—"Every time we tangle with these people it's always a hard-fought ball game. I don't look for anything different this week. Coach Calvo always fields a well conditioned and well coached team. They may be a little small, but they come to play. We're going to have to be up mentally and physically for this one. Moravian is always one of our toughest ball games."
NOTE—Wilkes has won the last three meetings between these two fine teams. All of these by close scores.

PATTON'S PATTER

By BOB PATTON

Now sporting 22 straight victories for the longest winning streak in the State, the Wilkes Colonels hit the road again this week end as they visit Bethlehem to battle Moravian. Coach Rollie Schmidt's eleven should keep rolling in this one and do it up brown to hold first place for the Lambert Bowl.

Last defeat for Wilkes was back in 1965 when Upsala scored a 26-20 win.

Joe Zakowski, the Hanover product who played such a sterling role in the victory at Vermont last week that he was named top quarterback in his class in the East, figures to have a banner season for the Colonels.

The game at Vermont was never in doubt. On the second play from scrimmage, freshman halfback Ted Yeager took a hand-off from Zakowski, burst through a gaping hole and sprinted 65 yards for the Colonels' initial score of the season. The 148-pound "mini-back" continued to dazzle the Vermont defenses all afternoon as he personally accounted for 114 yards via rushing. Yeager hails from Catawissa and intends to participate in wrestling and baseball.

Zakowski, a junior, also enjoyed a banner day as he completed 15 of 26 passes for 176 yards and three touchdowns. Zakowski broke three school records with his fine performance—most passes thrown, most passes completed, and most touchdowns scored by passing. Senior Joe Skvarla was on the receiving end of Zakowski's aerials. The 6-2, 190-pound senior brought down six passes good for 90 yards and the three scores. The scoring plays covered 11, 7 and 25 yards.

Sophomore Dave Kaschak demonstrated his kicking finesse by converting the four points after touchdowns and also a 17-yard field goal. Schmidt feels Dave's "golden toe" will prove most valuable throughout the season.

The impressive win marked the Colonels' first venture into Yankee Conference play — a Division II conference compared to the MAC, Division III. Vermont will journey to Wilkes-Barre in 1969 to inaugurate the season.

Coach Schmidt commented after the game: "This has to be the best away opener our teams ever experienced. The determination and desire was almost unbelievable. I thought we had a good chance to win this one, but I never thought we would score 31 points. Everybody played a wonderful game—the offense moved the ball well and Zakowski played a tremendous game—they all did.! There weren't any serious injuries and I think we'll be up for Moravian. They always give us a tough battle."

When asked to comment about Yeager's running, the Colonel head mentor replied, "I knew Ted was capable of being a fine running back, but I never thought he would show it so soon. He's a pleasant surprise—something every coach dreams of. Everybody played well. The defense played their usual game—the front four (consisting of Bill Layden, Joe Koterba, Paul Merrill, and John Howe) spent most of the afternoon in the Vermont backfield. I'm real pleased with the win—it's got to mean a lot to us."

Delaware Valley College team, stymied for the first half, finally plowed under a stubborn Moravian College with a scoring spree of 22 points in the second half. The game, the opener for both teams, was sprinkled with many rule violations, 80 yards for the Aggies and 106 for the Greyhounds.

Wilkes Defeats Moravian for 23rd Straight

Skvarla Breaks Records

Displaying a blistering ground attack which netted 297 yards, the Colonels of Wilkes College chalked up their 23rd straight victory yesterday, lacing the Moravian Greyhounds, 40-0, at Bethlehem.

Stellar end Joe Skvarla broke two individual Wilkes game records by snaring eight passes for a total of 119 yards.

Skvarla's performance erased Ted Travis-Beys' mark of 109 gained against Lebanon Valley in 1964. His eight pases eclipsed the old record of seven, which the Plymouth resident recorded on two occasions last season.

Ted Yeager, the 1968 Colonel mini wonder, had another 100 plus yardage game by lugging the pigskin 19 times for a total of 114 yards. The 5'7", 145 pound speedster also collected two touchdowns.

Scored Early

The Wilkesmen scored the first time they had the ball after holding the Greyhounds on the first series of downs.

Scampers by Bob Gennaro and Yeager brought the ball deep in Hound territory to the 14. Seconds later Yeager tallied with 10:15 remaining. Dave Kaschak's placement try was wide.

P. J. Kane got the next drive going by jarring the Grey-

WILKES (40)
ENDS—Skvarla, Babuschak, Koterba, Merrill, Williamson, P. Malloy, Lazor.
TACKLES—Burke, Comstock, Howe, Mazur, Eustis, Zinicola.
GUARDS — Hoover, Loverro, Chaump, L. Loveland, Baranowski, Hegel, Mitchell, Graziano.
CENTERS—Conway, Kenney, Kane, J. Loveland, Cardinale.
BACKS—Davenport, Yeager, Yarmel, Frappolli, Simonson, Staake, Peterfreund, Zientek, Farnetti, D. Malloy, Moser, Gennaro, Connolly, Fick, Hillard, Wiendl, Holliday, Harkins, Kaschak, Zakowski.

MORAVIAN (0)
ENDS—Brocious, Martinelli, Reinhardt, Silva, Brookfield.
TACKLES—Hutler, Bogardus, Arneson, Waradzyn, Sinclair.
GUARDS—Mancini, Brady, Yodis, Grigg.
CENTERS—Yerkes, Kemmerer, Wilson, McCauley, Vecchil.
BACKS—Burke, Geib, Dietz, Hoppes, Smith, Gratz, Jefferson, Seifert, Iannantuono, Dowling, Regan.

WILKES	12	7	0	21	—40
MORAVIAN	0	0	0	0	— 0

WILKES SCORING—Yeager, 2, (6 and 4-yard plunges); Zakowski, (20-yard scamper); Simonson, (5-yard run); Frappolli, (1-yard sneak); Farnetti, (2-yard dive); PATs, Staake (4).

STATISTICS	WILKES	MORAVIAN
First Downs	19	7
Passes Attempted	21	26
Passes Completed	9	11
Passing Yardage	132	106

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Skvarla's performance erased Ted Travis-Beys' mark of 109 gained against Lebanon Valley in 1964. His eight pases eclipsed the old record of seven, which the Plymouth resident recorded on two occasions last season.

Ted Yeager, the 1968 Colonel mini wonder, had another 100 plus yardage game by lugging the pigskin 19 times for a total of 114 yards. The 5'7", 145 pound speedster also collected two touchdowns.

Scored Early

The Wilkesmen scored the first time they had the ball after holding the Greyhounds on the first series of downs.

Scampers by Bob Gennaro and Yeager brought the ball deep in Hound territory to the 14. Seconds later Yeager tallied with 10:15 remaining. Dave Kaschak's placement try was wide.

P. J. Kane got the next drive going by jarring the Grey-

WILKES (40)
ENDS—Skvarla, Babuschak, Koterba, Merrill, Williamson, P. Malloy, Lazor.
TACKLES—Burke, Comstock, Howe, Mazur, Eustis, Zinicola.
GUARDS — Hoover, Loverro, Chaump, L. Loveland, Baranowski, Hegel, Mitchell, Graziano.
CENTERS—Conway, Kenney, Kane, J. Loveland, Cardinale.
BACKS—Davenport, Yeager, Yarmel, Frappolli, Simonson, Staake, Peterfreund, Zientek, Farnetti, D. Malloy, Moser, Gennaro, Connolly, Fick, Hillard, Wiendl, Holliday, Harkins, Kaschak, Zakowski.

MORAVIAN (0)
ENDS—Brocious, Martinelli, Reinhardt, Silva, Brookfield.
TACKLES—Hutler, Bogardus, Arneson, Waradzyn, Sinclair.
GUARDS—Mancini, Brady, Yodis, Grigg.
CENTERS—Yerkes, Kemmerer, Wilson, McCauley, Vecchil.
BACKS—Burke, Geib, Dietz, Hoppes, Smith, Gratz, Jefferson, Seifert, Iannantuono, Dowling, Regan.

WILKES	12	7	0	21	—40
MORAVIAN	0	0	0	0	— 0

WILKES SCORING—Yeager, 2, (6 and 4-yard plunges); Zakowski, (20-yard scamper); Simonson, (5-yard run); Frappolli, (1-yard sneak); Farnetti, (2-yard dive); PATs, Staake (4).

STATISTICS

WILKES		MORAVIAN
First Downs	19	7
Passes Attempted	21	26
Passes Completed	9	11
Passing Yardage	132	106
Rushes	64	37
Rushing Yardage	297	67
Total Offense	429	173
Fumbles	2	3
Fumbles Lost	1	2
Penalties	8-95	4-28
Punting	7-37.7	11-32.6

hounds' Bob Smith on the 22 with a bone crushing tackle, forcing the Moravian back to fumble.

Two plays later Joe Zakowski sped around end for a 20-yard scoring jaunt. Bill Staakes' extra point attempt was wide.

Midway through the second stanza the Colonels struck again. Coach Schmidt sent Rick Simonson into action.

Simonson wasted no time in ...ting with four passes to ...varla to bring the pigskin to ...t on the 17-yard stripe. ...ager culminated the 78 yard ...ve by firing in from the four. ... Staake converted for the ...t of four successful place-...nts.

...he Schmidtmen came to life ...he initial seconds of the final ...rter. Vince Yarmel got the ...yard scoring trek in motion ...he 18 yard line. On the next ..., former Meyers High foot- ... great, Charlie Fick, bashed ...ough the center of the Hound ...e for 13 yards.

... Fick brought the Wilkes ...ans to their feet by carrying ...s many as four Moravian de-

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Wilkes' Ted Yeager (21) breaks into daylight. Yeager scored on the first play from scrimmage, but Lycoming dug in and posted a 21-19 win to hand the Colonels their first loss at Ralston Field since its dedication.—(Paramount)

Wilkes Bows, 21-19

Colonels Opener Spoiled By Warriors of Lycoming

Scoring two tallies in the last fifty seconds of first half play, the Warriors of Lycoming College pulled off the shocker of the year, upsetting the Wilkes College Colonels, 21-19, before 5,000 fans, yesterday afternoon at Ralston field.

Although outgunning Lycoming in the total offensive category, 257-102, the Colonels were unable to come up with the big play in the second half, leading to only their fourth loss in the last 41 outings. The Wilkesmen opened the contest like a ball afire, scoring on their first play of the game from scrimmage as Ted Yeager took a Mike Barski handoff and sped 56 yards off tackle for the score. Dave Kaschak made the placement. Colonels' Tony Cardinale set up a fumble recovery by defensive end Pat Ratchford. Kaschak booted a 33-yard field goal, which made the score 10-0 with 7:24 left in the stanza.

Lycoming got on the board in the closing seconds, on a fumble.

Lycoming's Tom Washington and Bill Curley moved the ball to the 11-yard stripe. Nellen found Nick Tablonsky between two defenders in the end zone for the score, with 50 seconds remaining in the quarter.

The Colonels final touchdown came in the early minutes of the second canto as the Blue and Gold tallied on a three play, 44-yard drive. A 16-yard Giberson pass to halfback Neil Langdon, preceded a 28 scoring bomb to split end Jim Marascio, who had beaten his defender in the endzone. Kaschak's placement was wide but the Wilkesmen retained a 16-7 lead with 11:19 left in the half.

Starting on the Wilkes 35 yardline, after an end zone punt by Kaschak, Lycoming battered through the Wilkes defense, scoring eight plays later on a four-yard dive by Tom Hinkle. A successful Curley placement whittled the Colonel lead to 16-14 with less than a minute to play in the half.

Lycoming defensive halfback Vincent Joy delivered the fatal blow seconds later as he picked off a Giberson pass in the flat and ran 43 yards for the score with three seconds left.

Neither team managed a significant threat in the second half as both defenses tightened and played heads up football. The final Wilkes three points came at the 8:50 juncture in the third quarter ts Kaschak again aided a stalled drive with a thirty yard field goal shot.

WILKES	10	6	3	0—19
LYCOMING	7	14	0	0—21

WILKES SCORING—Yeager, (56-yd. run). PAT — Kaschak. Kaschak, (33-yd. field goal. Giberson to Narascio, (28-yd pass). PAT—failed. Kaschak, (30-yd. field goal).

LYCOMING SCORING—Nellen to Tabolinsky, (11 yd. pass). PAT—Curly. Hinkle, (4-yd. run). PAT—Curley. Joy, (43-yd. Pass interception). PAT—Curley.

STATISTICS

WILKES		LYCOMING
First Downs	8	9
Passes Attempted	31	9
Passes Completed	7	3
Yards Passing	126	17
Passes incomplete	3	3
Rushes	35	63
Yards Rushing	131	85
Total Plays	66	80
Total Offense	257	102
Punts	8-315-39.3	11-446-40.2
Fumbles Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties	6-55	5-45

Here is what to expect:

Lycoming at Wilkes—Many questions must remain unanswered until after a first game of the season but the Colonels appear loaded for bear this season and ready to begin a new victory streak. This could be one of Rollie Schmidt's finest offensive units and a flock of people are chomping at the bit. A pre-season glimpse has Wilkes looking great. Wilkes by 14.

Wilkes Surprises Alfred, 16 to 14

Wilkes-Barre — (AP) — Wilkes came back from a 14 point deficit to upset Alfred 16-14, yesterday.

Alfred, previously unde feated in five tries, led 14-0 o a one-yard TD plunge by Jim Moretti, and a four-yard scor ing run Jaces Rodgers, be fore the tide turned.

Dave Kaschak kicked a 2 yard field goal in the secon quarter, and in the last hal Ned Holmes and Jeff Giberson each scored on runs of on yard for Wilkes

Alfred	7	7	0	0—1
Wilkes	0	3	7	6—1

Alfred—Moretti 1 run (Guerriere kick).
Alfred—Rodgers 46 run (Guerrier kick).
Wilkes—Giberson 1 run (Kick failed).
Wilkes—Holmes 1 run (Kaschak kick)
Wilkes—FG Kaschak 22.
Attendance—2,500.

Yeager Gets TD in Loss

Wilkes' 31-Game MAC Win Streak Ended by Lycoming

By JOHN MAGINNIS
Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Perhaps it was the unseasonable heat, or maybe it would have happened on a crisp Fall day anyway, but everything seemed to go wrong for Wilkes College as it watched its 31-game Middle Atlantic Conference streak disappear Saturday with a 21-19 loss to a strong Lycoming College.

Things seemed to be going fine in the first 60 seconds of the game when Ted Weager romped 56 yards from the line of scrimmage for a Wilkes TD, but Tom Hinkle, Lycoming's leading Rusher of the day, drove in from the two shortly after that to even the score.

Moments later Lycoming defensive back Vincent Jay picked off a Jeff Giberson pass and returned it for a 43-yard TD.

After a field goal by Wilkes earlier in the game, Lycoming's Tad Olinski scored on an 11-yard pass from Ron Nellen to set the stage for the two quick scores.

Lycoming Snaps Wilkes' Streak

WILKES-BARRE, Pa. (AP)—Lycoming College exploded for two touchdowns in the last 50 seconds of the first half and went on to break a 31-game Wilkes College Middle Atlantic Conference winning streak Saturday, 21-19.

Down 16-7, Lycoming's leading rusher of the day Tom Hinkle drove in from the two and moments later defensive back Vincent Joy picked off a Jeff Giberson pass and returned it 43 yards for another Lycoming touchdown.

Wilkes had jumped off to an early lead in the first minute when Ted Yeager romped 56 yards from scrimmage. Yeager had 76 yards in 11 carries to lead Wilkes.

After a field goal by Wilkes, Lycoming's Tad Olinsky scored on an 11-yard pass from Ron Nellen to set the stage for the two quick scores.

Wilkes	**10**	**6**	**3**	**0**	**— 19**
Lycoming	**7**	**14**	**0**	**0**	**— 21**

MAC College

Lycoming's 2 Quick Scores Snap Wilkes' MAC Streak

WILKES-BARRE, Sept. 26. —Lycoming exploded for two touchdowns in the last 50 seconds of the first half and went on to break Wilkes' 31-game Middle Atlantic Conference winning streak, 21-19, Saturday.

With Wilkes leading by 16-7, Lycoming's Tom Hinkle drove in from the two. Moments later, defensive back Vincent Joy picked off a Jeff Giberson pass and returned it 43 yards for another Lycoming touchdown.

Wilkes had scored in the first minute when Ted Yeager romped 56 yards.

Wilkes	10	6	3	0—19
Lycoming	7	14	0	0—21

Wilk—Yeager 56 run (Kaschak kick)
Wilk—FG Kaschak 33
Lyc—Olinsky 11 pass from Nellen (Curley kick)
Wilk—Marascio 28 pass from Giberson (kick failed)
Lyc—Hinkle 4 run (Curley kick)
Lyc—Joy 43 pass interception (Curley kick)

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Chesney, Kopitsky Play Key Roles in Lycoming Grid Win

Two area football players played an important role in Lycoming College's 21-19 victory over Wilkes College on the weekend.

Dave Kopitsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kopitsky, 1602 West Lynn Street, Shamokin, and Robert Chesney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Chesney, 1147 Scott Street, Kulpmont, were credited by Lycoming coaches for playing stellar games.

Kopitsky, 1967 graduate of Shamokin Area High School, is an offensive tackle and played an important role in springing Tom Hinkle loose in the win which ended Wilkes' middle Atlantic Conference win skein at 31. Saturday was the "day of the upset" as Penn State's 31 game undefeated win streak was stopped, also.

Hinkle, the Warrior's top ground gainer in the game, scored Lycoming's first touchdown on a two-yard run after Wilkes had taken an early lead.

Ted Yeager, graduate of Southern Columbia Area High School, had put Wilkes on the scoreboard with a 56-yard gallop for a score in the first minute of the game.

Chesney was credited with a pass interception which ended a Wilkes' drive. Chesney, a 1967 graduate of Our Lady of Lourdes Regional High School, and Kopitsky are seniors at Lycoming.

Wilkes Gridders Open Saturday

The Wilkes College Colonels hope to open a new decade of winning tradition Saturday afternoon, when they are scheduled to take on the Warriors of Lycoming College in the season curtain raiser for the Blue and Gold. Gametime at Ralston Field is set for 1:30 p.m.

With 34 lettermen returning Lycoming figures to be in the thick of the mad scramble for the Northern Division MAC Championship since Wilkes will be unable to defend their crown. After winning Middle Atlantic Conference laurels for the past five years the Wilkesmen were unable to schedule enough league encounters to be eligible for this year's title.

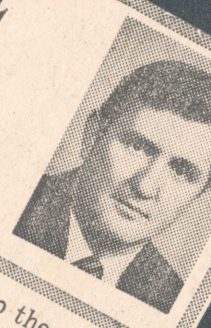
Always a strong rivalry, the Wilkes - Lycoming series was renewed last year after an eight year lapse. The Colonels got the annual tilt off to a good start, picking up a 34-13 win at Williamsport. Lycoming nevertheless holds a 6-5 edge over the Blue and Gold in series play, which began in 1947. The Warriors, noted for their passing attack in recent years, fell victim to Albright, 7-0, last week in their season opener.

The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt are well primed for their 1970 premier and are expected to unveil a balanced running and passing attack. The starting quarterback slot has yet to be filled and Coach Schmidt will probably go with all four of his hopefuls in early season games until a number one man is found.

Another matter of interest focusing around Saturday's contest will be the prolonging of a 19 game home winning streak, which has never seen Wilkes lose a fray at home since the Ralston complex was opened in the fall of 1965.

INSIDE SPORTS

By **John Zimich**



With some 30 lettermen returning to the grid wars at Wilkes College, the football barometer at the local school will probably not show any drastic changes from the past years under Coach Rollie Schmidt. Schmidt ranks 20th among college division coaches in the nation with a 44-18 slate and he isn't about to start going downhill.

However, the Colonels will be facing what is probably their toughest football schedule in the history of the institution. They will face the likes of Lycoming, Moravian, Delaware Valley, Ithaca, Alfred, East Stroudsburg, Southern Connecticut and Muskingum.

Lycoming, Moravian and Delaware Valley will be opponents of the Colonels on three successive Saturdays. They are all loaded with returning lettermen and are probably the three best teams in the M. A. C. Incidentally, the Colonels will be ineligible for the M. A. C. title this year because of a lack of conference games.

Many M. A. C. teams will not schedule the localites following their successful seasons under Coach Schmidt. That's the reason for the newcomers on the Wilkes schedule.

Coach Schmidt was highly pleased with the Colonels scrimmage last week with Princeton. The Tigers are a young team and were picked as a pre-season favorite to cop the Ivy League title along with Dartmouth.

"We accomplished things we wanted to accomplish," Coach Schmidt said in an interview yesterday afternoon at a Press Day held at Ralston Field. Sports Information Director George Pawlush organized the press affair and gave area scribes, television and radio broadcasters a "sneak preview" of the 1970 edition of the Wilkes Colonels.



COACH ROLLIE SCHMIDT

Coach Schmidt noted that the Wilkes team came out of the scrimmage in good physical condition. "Only injury was an ankle one," he said. "Our blocking was very good and our patterns were run the way they should be."

One of the keys to this season lies in the filling of ace quarterback Joe Zakowski's shoes. Coach Schmidt said he hasn't really selected his starter and if he had to pick one yesterday he would have to flip a coin. Zakowski graduated this past year.

The candidates battling for the signal-calling slot are Michael Barski from Northwest Area, a sophomore; Jeff Giberson, a sophomore from Mt. Holly, N. J.; Dennis Brew, senior quarterback from Lebanon, from Binghamton, and Scott Sherdon, sophomore from the bunch. However, he saw only limited action in 1969.

"We're pleased with the depth we have this year," Schmidt offered. "With the abundance of signal-callers we should be able to develop a real good one," he said.

Wilkes may use freshman this grid season since they are not eligible for the M. A. C. crown. This will help the depth problem in the event of the injuries.

On the subject of injuries, Coach Schmidt suffered a heavy blow in practice last week when James Loveland, senior linebacker from Woodstown, N. J., suffered a separated shoulder while going through a tackling drill. Loveland could be lost for the entire season. He was one of the Colonels co-captains for this season along with Harry Hoover.

Frank Galicki, hard-hitting sophomore linebacker who played his ball at Nanticoke, is battling for Loveland's linebacker spot along with Anthony Cardinale, Totowa, N. J., and Bruce Gover, junior from Forty Fort.

Speaking of his defense, Coach Schmidt stated he will have to come up with replacements for the departed Charles Fick and Pat Malloy. Fick and Malloy were standouts on defense for Wilkes in 1969 and both will be missed this year.

Filling one of the offensive slots left vacated by graduations will be either John Baranowski, senior from Hanover Township, David Mitchell, senior from Syracuse, N. Y., or Anthony Iorio, sophomore from Pittston Area. They are vying for one of offensive guard posts, while Alton Kenney, senior from Old Bridge, N. J., is currently holding down the center position left vacated by big George Conway.

Fick's defensive tackle position is being fought for by Mario Zinicola, senior from Nutley N. J.; James MacDonald, senior from Benton; Emil Ditullio, senior from Flourtown, N. J., and Jerry Grandinetti, a freshman from Lakewood, N. J.

Malloy's defensive back post also is being battled for by several candidates, including Richard Lack, freshman from Lakewood, N. J. Coach N. Y., and Craig Deacon, freshman from Saugerties. Schmidt said both Deacon and Lack are "real hitters."

One of the big pluses for the Colonels is the return of Robert Gennaro, fullback from Flanders, N. J., along with Neil Langdon, junior back from Pittston, and Ted Yeager, junior offensive back from Catawissa.

Yeager, a 5-6, 150-pound fireball, is capable of breaking a long gainer from anywhere on the field. He also is the college's greatest ground gainer, picking up a total of 1,331 yards in 1968-69. The Catawissa flash is set for another banner year.

Dave Kaschak, senior safetyman from Central Catholic, will do the punting and placekicking this season. He did a fine job last season as a placekicker. Filling the shoes of Bill Staake as a punter will be a hard role to fill. However, Kaschak's punting should not hurt the Wilkes eleven. Staake was probably the best punter the local college has ever seen.

"We will run out of the I-formation with more slots this year," Schmidt noted. He said that last year his backs were too small for blocking purposes and Wilkes resorted to a lot of pro sets. "This year," Schmidt noted, "we have the rugged Langdon and Gennaro to help with the blocking." Langdon wasn't a starter in 1969.

If the Colonels come up with a quarterback who can fill Zakowski's shoes they will be tough to beat. Besides the running of Yeager, Gennaro and Langdon, the Colonels have the services of record-setting pass-catcher Bill Lazor, 6-3 senior from Scranton.

Wilkes has garnered the Lambert Bowl in 1966 and 1968. The Colonels also had a 32-game winning streak starting from 1966 and continuing through last season. It would be nice to see them start a new string to begin the new decade. The road to victory, however, will be a tough one to hold because of the schedule.

Wilkes had a 6-2 slate in 1969, with the losses coming at the hands of Ithaca and Indiana, State of Pa. They also won the M.A.C. Northern crown with a 5-0 record.

Colonels and Yeager Set for Grid Opener

Wilkes College will unveil its 1970 edition of the "Catawissa Flash" on Saturday when the Colonels open the football season with Lycoming College.

Junior veteran Ted Yeager of Catawissa, at 5-6, 150 pounds, is one of the smallest competitors on the college scene today. But he is also the greatest rusher in the Colonel record books after only two seasons of play.

Yeager, an outside and breakaway threat, has already 1,331 yards gained and is also very close to the career mark of 347 carries set from 1957-1960 by all-time Colonel great Marvin Antinnse. Yeager needs only 58 more carries to achieve the ironman mark.

With Veteran Lycoming 11

Wilkes Opens Grid Season Saturday

Hoping to duplicate its winning efforts of the late 1960's, the Wilkes College Colonels enter upon a new decade of grid fortune Saturday afternoon when they entertain Lycoming College in the curtain raiser at Ralston Field.

Celebrating its 25th year of intercollegiate football in 1970, Wilkes' Coach Roland Schmidt would like nothing better than to see his Colonels reach the one hundred victory milestone. The century milestone seemed an impossible dream five years ago as Blue and Gold squads ended their 20th year with a 56-87-5 log, but a sudden 37-3 tear in subsequent seasons all but changed the name of the game and the Wilkesmen enter the new campaign with a 93-90-5 count, nary seven victories short of the magic hundred mark.

The toughest obstacle encountered thus far has been finding a heir to Joe Zakowski's QB slot. With less than a week remaining before the start of the season, four hopefuls still remain virtually deadlocked for the starting assignment.

Sophomores Mike Barski and Scott Sherdon seem to have the pre-season edge, but the duo have yet to shake off strong efforts excited from veteran senior Dennis Brew and sophomore Jeff Giberson.

Who ever takes command has one of the most talented offensive backfields in the history of Wilkes College behind him. Ted Yeager, Bob Gennaro, and Neil Langdon headline the Colonels ground attack.

Yeager, at 5-6, 150 pounds, may be one of the smaller competitors on the college scene today but nevertheless is the greatest ground gainer in Wilkes College history. Yeager is primed and ready to add more real estate to his freshman - sophomore 1,331 yard total.

The power and punch will be provided by Gennaro, who was the Colonels' second best ground gainer last year with 446 yards and seven touchdowns. The addition of junior Neil Langdon will expand the group to three which should spell trouble to opponents ahead.

Adding encores to the Colonels ground threat are sophomores Greg Supinski, Rick Masi, Jim Yanora, Ned Holmes and Frosh Bob Ozgar.

Talented seniors Bill Lazor and Jim Marascio give the Colonels a big plus in the pass catching department. Adequate depth is supplied by no less than five understudies each of whom may fill in on any occasion.

Line Strong

The offensive line has been blessed with a strong return of lettermen and will center around Jack Clarke and John Fairley at tight end; seniors Dave Mitchell and Nate Eustis at tackles; an abundance of guards led by senior John Baranowski and sophomore Tony Iorio or junior Bill Hanbury, Alton Kenney, a senior, is the favorite at center.

Defensively the Wilkesmen should par with the efforts of preceeding Colonel editions. The "front four" led by Ends Pat Ratchford, and Harry Hoover and tackles John Mazur and are big and strong. Ratchford, a sophomore, is the only non-senior of the group.

The four-man linebacking corps is five deep and over with senior Jim Loveland, junior Tony Cardinale, junior Charlie Graziano, junior Bob Ashton and sophomore Frank Galicki headlining the group.

Set behind in the defensive secondary are veterans Garf Jones, Dave Kaschak, John Kerr and Ron Hillard, plus a multitude of other underclassmen waiting in the winngs.

Kaschak's talents will again be exploited to the fullest means as the versatile athlete is slated also for the punting and placement chores. Depth and size will be the major asset of the Colonels as they enter the 1970's.

Saturday's performance will very well tell the story of things to come as Lycoming invades the local scene with a solid nucleus of 34 lettermen.

Opening A New Decade

Wilkes And King's Anticipate Bright Collegiate Grid Future

Both Wilkes-Barre city colleges, Wilkes and King's open respective football seasons tomorrow anticipating a bright new era in the collegiate sport.

Wilkes will endeavor to begin a new decade of the winning tradition when the Colonels face Lycoming tomorrow afternoon at Ralston Field. Kickoff is set for 1:30.

King's, on the other hand, fields one of the fine club football teams sanctioned by the NCAA and will host St. Bonaventure University of Olean, N. Y., tomorrow night at 7:45 in Hanover Memorial Stadium. It will mark the first meeting between King's and the Bonnies.

The Colonels of Coach Rollie Schmidt are well primed for their 1970 debut and will unveil some new surprises in his offensive thrust. The starting quarterback slot has yet to be filled and Coach Schmidt will probably go with all four of his hopefuls in early season play until a leader may be found.

One face missing from tomorrows opener will be that of senior interior linebacker, Jim Loveland, who is still recovering from a shoulder injury, sustained three weeks ago in a grass drill.

Another matter of interest focusing around tomorrows contest will be the prolongment of a 19 game Ralston Field winning streak, and a 31 game skein over Middle Atlantic Conference members which dates back to the Upsala loss in October 1965.

With 34 lettermen returning, Lycoming figures to be in the thick of the mad scramble for Northern Division MAC honors since Wilkes, crown holders from 1965 to 1969, will be unable to defend their title due to an insufficient number of league contests.

Always a strong rivalry, the Wilkes-Lycoming series was renewed last year after an eight year lapse in scheduling. The Colonels got the rivalry started again last year with a 34-13 win over the Warriors at Williamsport. Lycoming, nevertheless, holds a 6-5 edge over the Blue and Gold in series play, which began in 1947.

Budd Whitehill, the Lycoming mentor, is expected to employ a power "I" offensive attack in tomorrows fray. The Warriors have a well balance running and passing offense.

Wilkes Records Halted by Lycoming; King's, Scranton U. Post Victories

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Moments later Lycoming defensive back Vincent Jay picked off a Jeff Giberson pass and returned it for a 43-yard TD. After a field goal by Wilkes, Lycoming's Tad Olinski scored on an 11-yard pass from Ron Nellen to set the stage for two quick scores in the last 50 seconds of the first half that spelled the difference between agony and happiness as both squads fought to a sluggish defensive standoff in the second half.

Colonels out-fought the Warriors in total offense, 287-137 but were unable to come up with the big play, leading them to only their fourth loss in their last 41 outings.

Wilkes got seven on the scoreboard the first time they had possession of the football as Yeager took a Mike Barski handoff on the first play from scrimmage, racing 56 yards off tackle for the score. Dave Kaschak added the placement making it a 7-0 game with 13:33 still remaining in the quarter.

Fumble recovery preceded the Colonels next score as Tony Cardinale nailed a Lycoming ball carrier very hard, forcing him to fumble. Defensive End Pat Ratchford, making his first collegiate start, came up with the football on the Lycoming 27 yard line. A series of penalties and short runs moved the ball to the ten before the Lycoming defenders stemmed the tide. With a fourth and two situation, Coach Roland Schmidt elected to go with the field goal and Kaschak responded with a 33 yard effort for a 10-0 lead.

Lycoming narrowed the gap to 10-7, seconds before the end of the first quarter as signal caller Gunther Nellen capped a thirty yard drive with a 11 yard scoring strike to tightend Nick Tabolinsky. The Warrior drive was activated on a mislaid snap by Colonel quarterback Jeff Giberson.

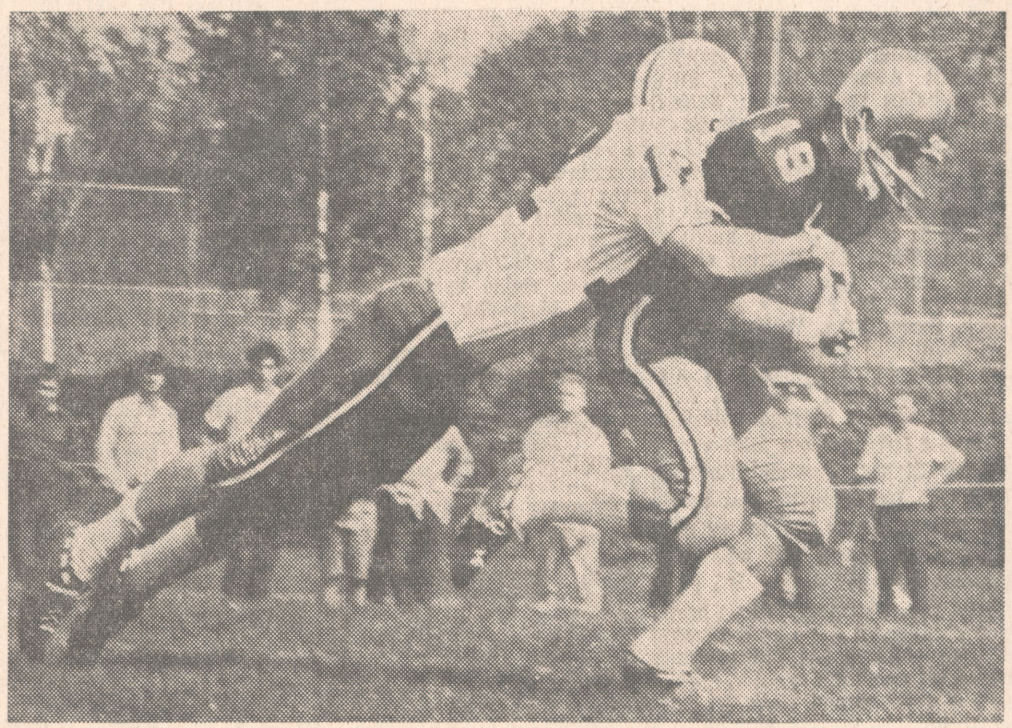
In the second quarter, Giberson, who followed Barski into the game, unloaded two passes which led to the Colonels final touchdown of the day. Starting on the Lycoming 44 yard line, the sophomore slinger found Neil Langdon with a 16 yard aerial, and completed the salvo on the next play when he found wide receiver Jim Marascio open in the endzone with a 28 yard shot, making the count, 16-7.

Everything remained even until a few punt exchanges later as Lycoming runners yielded 35 yards in eight plays to close the gap to 16-14. Tom Hinkle did the scoring honors with a four-yard dive with just 50 seconds left in the half.

Forty seven seconds later, a short Giberson pass in the flat fell into the arms of Lycoming's Vincent Joy and the sophomore back raced 43 yards to paydirt for the 21-16 lead with just three seconds left in first half play.

Neither team managed a significant threat in the second half as both squads bogged down in the 80-plus degree heat. Wilkes did add another score in the third quarter as Dave Kaschak booted another 30 yard field goal but were stymied in any other efforts.

Yeager led all rushers gaining 84 yards on 11 carries while teamate defensive tackle John Mazur, played the best game of his career, getting credit for 11 tackles and 11 assists in the losing battle.



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Marascio Carries Ball, Opponent

Wilkes Jim Marascio (19) about to score a second period touchdown after receiving a 28-yard pass is enveloped by enemy hands. Marascio made the tally to give Colonels a 16-7 lead was short-lived as Lycoming edged Wilkes, 21-19, Saturday before 5,000 fans at Ralston Field.

Ended was a 19-game home winning streak which had never seen a Colonel squad lose a game at Ralston Field since its opening in 1965 in addition to a 31-game skein over Middle Atlantic Conference foes which had its start the same year.



KASCHAK FIELD GOAL—Dave Kaschak of Wilkes College is shown kicking the first of two field goals Saturday against Lycoming at Ralston Field. Some 5,000 fans were on hand for the Colonels' opener.

Kaschak's kick came from 33 yards out and gave Wilkes an early 10-0 lead in the contest. Lycoming went on to win, 21-19.

Scott Sherdon (14) holds for Wilkes while Rudy Florvanti (70) attempts to block for Lycoming.

Wilkes' MAC Win Streak Halted; Pitt, Moravian Penn Victors

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Philadelphia (AP)—Albright College halfback Robin Bender is a man in a hurry. In the second game of his college career Saturday, the 6-foot, 190-pound freshman carried the ball 20 times for 171 yards, two scores and pushed his team to a close 20-18 defeat of Juniata College.

Juniata drew first blood in the second quarter on a 30-yard pass from Dennis Mastorocco to Kark Bergstresser, but Bender tied the score 6-6 on a three yard TD plunge with 2:50 remaining in the half, and Jim Kuhn's conversion gave Albright the lead it never gave up. A 69-yard romp by Bender later reinforced the lead.

Juniata had a chance to tie the score in the fourth quarter after Dan Rackovan caught a touchdown pass from Mastorocco to make it 20-18, but a pass attempt for the conversion failed.

Another young quarterback, West Chester's Tom Pierantozzi, conducted a one-man show against East Stroudsburg Saturday, passing for four touchdowns and running for another for a 42-0 shutout.

It was the first time East Stroudsburg had been shut out since 1966 and their worst drubbing since West Chester's 49-0 triumph in 1958.

Pierantozzi, a 6-foot-2, 200-pounder, threw scoring tosses of 9 yards to Barry Sout, 42 yards to Greg Herr, 18 yards to Dale Watkins and four yards to Bob Wolfrum.

Pierantozzi won ECAC mention and Maxwell Club recognition for his performance in the previous week's game.

Colonels Upset

Everything seemed to go wrong for Wilkes College in an unseasonably hot bout with Lycoming College as the Wilkes eleven watched a 31-game Middle Atlantic Conference winning streak snapped by a close 21-19 loss.

The game opened on an optimistic note when Ted Yeager romped 56 yards from the line of scrimmage for a Wilkes TD before the clock ground out 60 seconds, but Ton Hinkle, Lycoming's leading rusher of the day, drove in from the two shortly after that to close the gap.

Moments later Lycoming defensive back Vincent Joy picked off a Jeff Giberson pass and returned it for a 43-yard TD.

After a field goal by Wilkes earlier in the game, Lycoming's Tad Olinski scored on an 11-yard pass from Ron Nellen to set the stage for the two quick scores.

Indiana University of Pennsylvania beat Cortland, N. Y. State 28-14 in other gridiron action as Chuck Pinchotti showed the Indiana fans that Larry Monsilovich is not the only man in the backfield as he threw for two TD passes and ran for a third score.

Larry Monsilovich, who had been a one-man Indiana offense previous to Saturday, with six touchdowns to his credit, scored the first Indiana TD on a one-yard run in the first quarter. Cortland tied the score on an 81-yard pass shortly after.

The second quarter belonged to Indiana and Pinchotti, as the transfer from Penn State bulled over on a one-yard keep and threw a 33-yard pass to Monsilovich to make it 21-7 at the half.

Pinchotti engineered the final score on a four-yard pass to Tim Drezna, and gave Indiana a 3-0 tally for the season.

Panthers Win

In a big out-of-state victory, the University of Pittsburgh Panthers got their ground game going in the fourth quarter to push past the stubborn Baylor Bears 15-10 at Waco, Tex.

The Panthers racked up 207 rushing yards as coach Carl DePasqua abandoned the passing attack which was expected to carry the eastern favorites to victory.

Two three-yard touchdowns late in the game by Tony Esposito and Phil Sgrignoli won it for the Panthers.

Columbia proved to be an ungracious host to Lafayette as the New York Club launched its 100th year of football by downing their Pennsylvania opponent 23-9.

The Lions launched a two-prong attack as hteir defense picked off four Lafayette passes and their well-drilled offense, lead by quarterback Don Jackson, capitalized on Lafayette's bad luck.

Back in Philadelphia, the University of Pennsylvania crowded three touchdowns into the second quarter and soccer-style kicker Eliot Berry booted a field goal in the final period to tally 24 points over scoreless Lehigh.

The scoring drive was sparked by an 84-yard punt return by Steve Solow.

The Villanova Wildcats, who went all the way out to the West Coast to meet the Santa Clara Broncos, returned to the Main Line with a 37-16 victory under their belts for a 2-1 record so far this season.

The Wildcats, trailing by 10 points, exploded in the second quarter for 24 points despite the strong passing attack of Santa Clara quarterback Don Pastorini.

In other games, Lebanon Valley saw a 16-point lead vanish when Dickinson rallied in the last quarter. It ended in a 19-19 tie.

Clarion crushed winless Geneva 47-0 and Westminster outscored Susquehanna 38-0.

Moravian Wins

In other Pennsylvania conference games, California held on for a 38-28 defeat of Lock Haven after taking a 21-0 first-quarter lead, the Moravian College Greyhounds held the Delaware Valley Aggies scoreless in a 13-0 triumph and Millersville nipped Kutztown 14-13 with two second period TDs.

The win, the first under head coach Gene Carpenter, evens Millersville's record at 1-1 for the year.

Allegheny College came alive with three tallies in the fourth to down Case Western Reserve 20-3 in an opener for both, Carnegie-Mellon was upset 28-21 by Washington & Jefferson at Washington, D. C., and Baldwin Wallace held on for a 29-21 victory over Bucknell.

It was all mistakes for Bucknell. Baldwin Wallace set up two TDs in the second quarter on an interception and a Bucknell fumble, then turned a second fumble into a field goal at the gun.

A combination ground and air attack by Drexel set up a 34-18 victory over Upsala, Muhlenburg defeated Johns Hopkins 16-6 with the running and passing of two quarterbacks, Randy Uhrich and Ed Diyanni, and Bloomsburg picked up its second win, beating Mansfield, 16-3.

Franklin and Marshall College nudged out Ursinus 17-14, the fighting Scots of Edinboro spoiled Slippery Rock's homecoming by defeating the Rockets 24-0, and Waynesburg of Pennsylvania was blanked 30-0 by Eastern Michigan.

Shippensburg traveled to New York to gain a season-opening 30-26 victory over Brockport, Grove City of Pennsylvania fell to Mount Union, Ohio 21-18, and Gettysburg beat Kings Point 28-15.

Wilkes Winner In Final Minute

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Quarterback Jeff Giberson connected with back Jim Marascio on a 29-yard pass play with nine seconds left to play to give Wilkes College a 20-17 football victory Saturday over Southern Connecticut.

Defensive back Dave Kaschak set up the thrilling touchdown by picking off a Chris Palmer pass on his own 31 yard line with 44 seconds left. The Colonels covered the 69 yards in four plays.

Wilkes fullback Bob Gennaro opened the scoring in the second period with a one-yard plunge and then scored his second touchdown of the day with another dive late in the third period to narrow Southern's lead to 18-13.

Southern got onto the scoreboard with an 88-yard return of the kickoff that followed Gennaro's first touchdown. Southern looked like a sure winner after Larry Kimball's 26-yard field goal and another touchdown by fullback Gordon Taylor.

Wilkes	0	7	6	7—20
Southern	10	7	0	0—17

Wilkes Wins on TD Pass

King's College, listed third in the nation among small colleges, extended its season record to 6-1 Saturday with an 18-2 romp over Duquesne at Three Rivers Stadium, Pittsburgh.

Wilkes gridmen were trailing with a minute to play at Southern Connecticut Saturday when Colonel safetyman, Dave Kaschak intercepted a pass and three aerials later Jeff Giberson hit Jim Marascio for a game-winning touchdown as Wilkes emerged victorious 20-17.

Regaining their winning form, Wilkes can extend a tip of the headgear to the Owls who for some unknown reason elected to go to the air rather than preserve their edge on the ground in the closing seconds.

Colonels, two victories, four losses, and a tie for the season, entertain Muskinghum College Saturday at Ralston Field.

King's hosts Fordham Saturday at Hanover Stadium.

"We got a great defensive performance from Fran Kurilla, as he was like the fifth man in the Dukes backfield all afternoon," Brominski related last night after returning with the Kingsmen from western Pennsylvania.

"Mike Lowery had some great pops on tackles," the coach added and said that a touchdown run turned in by Jerry Mundy, Blakeslee, on an end-around play was a thing of beauty.

"Our defensive line was doing a good job of blocking and made it possible for us to score on four running plays, and the blocking in particular by Mike Mecadon and Ed Sickler helped pave the way for the backs," he analyzed.

"Dave Lampman did a good job on pass receptions and Ron Krakosky tossed well enough to have a big day on passing," he stated.

Two of the TDs were scored by Chuck Dunn, Kingston, former Central Catholic halfback, on runs of 70 and three yards. His 70-yarder was on a draw play up the middle which featured outstanding line blocking.

Terry Jones, Lehman, bucked over for a score and Mundy ran 29 yards for his tally. Two conversions were on Krakosky passes to Lampman and Emil Sholtis.

King's had the Dukes shut out for more than three quarters and they scored a safety when Don Rose was hit by a punt and downed the ball in the end zone.

"Officiating at Pittsburgh was the best we have had all season with the men in charge doing a completely objective job of calling the plays," the head coach explained. In the first downs, the Kingsmen led by 14-9. King's piled up 346 total yards to 116 for the home eleven, which was observing its Homecoming.

King's was 10 for 24 in passing for 116 and the Dukes tried 32 and made 13 for 127 and had four picked off. On the ground, the stubborn King's defense held the losers to -11 yards.

By rolling to the win, the Kingsmen presented Brominski with his 20th since taking over the helm of the King's team in 1967. It marked the third time this season for King's to knock off a team which was in the top ten at the time of the meeting.

In the waning moments of the Wilkes-Southern Connecticut battle, following Kaschak's surprise interception, Giberson completed passes to Jack Clarke and Bill Lazor to advance to the Owls 29. Then Marascio hauled in the touchdown pass and Kaschak contributed the PAT for 20-17 Wilkes triumph.

Ted Yeager had a big rushing day with 153 yards on 26 rushes. Bob Gennaro carried 13 times for 33 yards and two touchdowns. Giberson completed 7 of 16 aerials for 93 yards and one touchdown.

Colonel defense played its finest game of the season allowing only 185 total yards and coming up with the big plays when they were needed.

Alert Wilkes Beats Vermont

WILKES-BARRE, Pa. (AP)—Wilkes College recovered five fumbles and intercepted three passes Saturday to beat the University of Vermont 17-7 in college football.

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Wilkes is now 4-1, and Vermont is 3-3.

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Wilkes	0	3	7	7	—17

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Wilkes Home With Vermont; Lazor Leading Pass Catcher

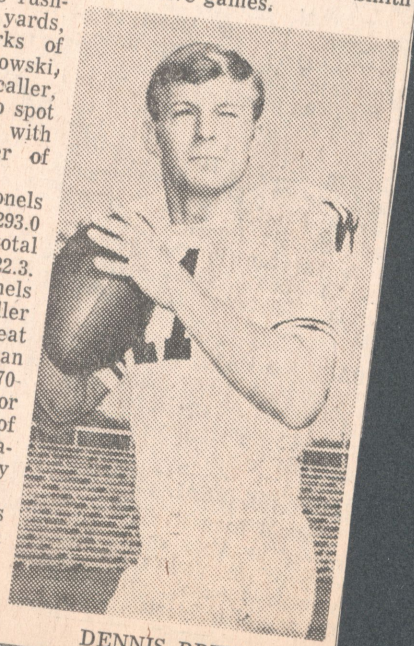
Statistics released yesterday by the Middle Atlantic Conference Service Bureau show Wilkes end Bill Lazor still leading in the pass reception department. In three games the 6-3, 190-pound junior has caught 19 passes for 320 yards. Runner-up Jim Smith of Lycoming is second with 13 catches in five games.

Ted Yeager, fifth in the rushing department with 242 yards, trails leader Dave Sparks of Juniata with 464. Joe Zakowski, Blue and Gold signal-caller, holds down the number two spot in the passing department with 31 completions. Joe Miller of Lycoming has 37.

In team statistics the Colonels rank third in total offense, 293.0 per game, and second in total defense, 230.0, and scoring, 22.3.

In recent years the Colonels have dug into their signal-caller reserve on occasion with great success. This season the man behind Zakowski is 5-10, 170-pound Dennis Brew. A junior transfer from the University of Kentucky, the Binghamton native is ready for action at any time.

His chance may come this afternoon when the Wilkesmen host the Catamounts of the University of Vermont in the big Centennial game clash at 1:30 at Ralston Field.



DENNIS BREW

es Faces Vermont in Centennial Tilt Here

Fumbling Rams Punished, 41-14, By Catamounts

STATISTICS

	URI	Vermont
First downs	16	21
Rushing yardage	94	280
Passing yardage	184	191
Return yardage	155	73
Passes	16-35-2	16-25-1
Punts	6-39	5-36
Fumbles lost	4	3
Yards penalized	30	22

By BILL PARRILLO
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

Burlington, Vt. — The dark clouds of defeat continue to hang over the University of Rhode Island's football team.

Yesterday, the victoryless Rams went down to their fourth successive defeat, sustaining a 41-14 wallopping at the hands of Vermont before a naturally delighted homecoming Day crowd of 7,500 at Centennial field.

In what has bean an all too frequent occurrence this season, the Rams, got themselves in a hole almost immediately and they seemingly never were able to recover. Again it was a bad case of the fumbles, among other things as URI lost the ball three times on bobbles. Each led to a Vermont touchdown.

With each successive loss now, the pressure on head coach Jack Zilly and his staff increases. Rumors have been circulating that Zilly, in his seventh year at the URI helm, is in danger of losing his job.

There was nothing he could do yesterday, however. You can't coach against fumbles.

The Rams' troubles started early — very early. Their Warren Houston fumbled the opening kickoff but managed to recover the ball at the URI 21-yard line.

But on the first play from scrimmage, Houston fumbled again and the Vermonters recovered. Operating from the Rams' 15, the Catamounts went for the TD in two plays, quarterback Fran Peterson covering the last seven yards on a sneak up the middle.

The score came only 41 seconds after the opening kickoff.

Vermont got the ball back shortly thereafter and marched 63 yards in 10 plays for a 14-0 lead.

With Pete Clifford, a senior halfback and son of the Vermont

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Wilkes On Rebound

Slippery Rock Stuns Indiana, Pa., Team

By RALPH BERNSTEIN
AP State Sports Editor

Slippery Rock threw the big block in this past weekend's Pennsylvania college football action.

The small Western Pennsylvania college stunned Indiana University Pa. 23-21 on a 30-yard field goal by Ken Wentzell with little more than two minutes to play.

Indiana was the nation's fourth ranked small college team before Saturday's upset. A big favorite, Indiana took a 13-0 lead in the first quarter. It's sixth straight win looked easy. But Slippery Rock came back strong to get within a point midway through the last quarter. Then came Wentzell's kick.

With Indiana's defeat, only Thiel and Penn State remained unbeaten in the Keystone State. Thiel defeated previously undefeated Bethany of Ohio 34-12 as quarterback Pat Combine threw four touchdown passes. Combine had just returned after missing three weeks because of injuries suffered in an auto accident.

Penn State gave up an early field goal and then came on strong for a 42-3 victory. Also bounced from the unbeaten rank was Lebanon Valley, a 17-0 loser to Moravian. Of the winless teams, Carnegie-Mellon won its first, 34-13 over Franklin and Marshall with the help of three touchdown passes by Richie Squires.

Cheyney, Haverford and Millersville still have to taste victory. Bloomsburg, helped along by Tom Schneider's three TD passes, beat Cheyney 28-7; East Stroudsburg thumped Millersville 42-14 after trailing 14-7 in the third period; Juniata thumped hapless Haverford 48-0.

In other weekend highlights Lafayette led Bucknell 20-0 at halftime and lost 21-20; West Chester walloped Kutztown 70-14, scoring the first four times it had the ball; Wilkes, its 32 game win streak ended last week, rebounded to take Vermont 17-7, recovering five fumbles and intercepting three passes.

Gettysburg rallied for 20 points in the last seven minutes to upset Lehigh 26-24; Temple was beaten by Delaware 33-0 in their battle for the top spot in the Lambert Cup voting and Clarion beat California 17-12 on Fred Rost's 75-yard TD run in the final period.

PLAYERS TO BE INTRODUCED AT RALSTON FIELD SATURDAY

One of the highlights of the Wilkes Centennial Anniversary celebration at Ralston Field on Saturday will be the presentation of the All-Time Wilkes Offensive and Defensive football squads. The team represents 24 years of Colonel grid history.

Last summer a 25 man panel of Wilkes College Faculty, Administration plus area media personalities were given names of approximately 70 names of Wilkes grid stars who graced the sports pages between 1946 and 1968, and charged with selecting All-Time squads. When the votes were tallied, 25 men stood out above the pack.

The defensive squad, which was announced today, is dotted with names from every era from the post war Ralston years—to the famine of the 1950's—and on to the golden years of Roland Schmidt. Six members of the select team played on the Colonels great defensive squad of 1965 and 1966, which set records.

The defensive team possesses speed and size and would probably fare as a unit against major college units of today. The offensive unit was released on an earlier date.

Running down the list of All-Stars:

Alex Molosh—known as the "Mad Russian" during his playing days. He never played organized football until he came to the college. Molosh, with that do-or-die Brooklyn spirit relied on strength and fierceness to humble opposing players. He was the Co-Captain of the 1951 team.

Bill Layden—a solid four year MAC All-Star tackle selection, he was also a second team All-State choice for three years. Layden possessed great lateral movement and was a terror on the pass rush. His best campaign was the 1967 season when he accounted for 46 tackles and 58 assists. He was a tri-captain of the 1968 squad.

John Howe—came back after a knee injury to lead the Wilkes front four during the 1968 season. Although small, in relation to other college defensive tackles, his presence was felt among opposing ball carriers. In 1968 he recorded 42 tackles and 52 assists.

Walt Hendershot — was a fast and agile powerhouse on the field. Teaming up with Gerard Washco, an all-time offensive selection, the duo provided Wilkes with a tough one-two combo during the Ralston era.

Al Yatko — was a hardnosed tackler who was on top of every play before it happened. He was the defensive signal-caller on the Colonels great defensive squads of 1965 and 1966. During his Junior and Senior years he was named to the first teams of the all MAC, all state, and all East, and was an Honorable Mention All-American.

Paul (PJ) Kane—another ardent student of the game, Kane smelled and destroyed enemy ball carriers for four years. In his final season, 1968, he was involved in a Colenel record of 154 hits for which he was named to the All MAC team.

Brinley Varchol — another explosive defensive player of the Schmidt era, Varchol was an excellent pass defender, intercepting 10 passes during his career. He was the defensive signal-caller and co-captain of the 1967 team. In his senior year, he was a first team All-State and All MAC selection.

Peter Winebrake—a tough competitor, he played freshman football at Wilkes, and then returned after a stint in the Marine Corps. He was a rugged performer on four squads with losing records.

Joe Wiendl—was the greatest All-Around Athlete in Wilkes College history. The records he set speak well for his football ability: interceptions, 15; punt returns 103-1303 (12.6 avg.); 96 yard punt return against Ursinus in 1967; 90 yard interception return versus PMC, 1967. His number 44 was the only ever retired in Wilkes anals. He was the Tri-Captain of the 1968 team.

Al Nicholas—gained fame as a running back. His college career, interlupted by the Korean War, extended from 1949 to 1954. Beside being a swift and elusive runner, Nicholas was an excellent pass defender.

Dan Malloy—unclaimed by fame, he was a solid four year performer. With Joe Wiendl and Jay Holliday, the trio formed the toughest defensive backfield in the MAC. His biggest moment came on September 30, 1967, when he intercepted five passes in one game against Moravian.

Members of the offensive team, announced earlier were: Ends, Joe Skvarla, Jack Feeney; guards, Joe Roszko and Jim Brunza; tackles. Bruce Comstock and Gerard Washco; center, George Conway; quarterback, Joe Zakowski; halfbacks, John Florkiewicz, Paul Purta, Marv Antinnes and Ron Rescigno.

All-Time Wilkes Defensive Team

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John Howe	1966-68	IL	6-0	200
Walt Hendershot	1946-49	IL	6-3	220
Al Yatko	1965-66	LB	6-2	195
Paul Kane	1965-66	LB	5-11	215
Brinley Varchol	1964-67	LB	6-0	205
Pete Winebrake	1957, 61-63	LB	6-0	190
Joe Wiendl	1965-68	B	5-10	175
Al Nicholas	1949-51, 54	B	5-9	170
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George Conway	1966-68	C	6-1	215
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The receivers are quick, rangy and are well gifted with finger tip control, while the running backs include pile drivers and speed merchants. The defensive alignment will be released on a later date.

Here's a brief rundown on each member of the offensive unit:



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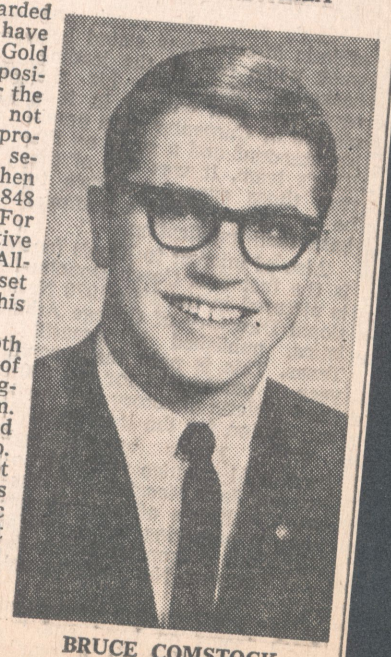
JIM BRUNZA—became Wilkes' first All-American in 1961. He accomplished the almost impossible dream by standing out on a team which produced a 1-6 record. A fierce competitor, he was named to the NAIA second team.

BRUCE COMSTOCK—besides Bill Layden, he holds the rare distinction of being named to the All-MAC team for his entire four-year career. Well versed at line play, he played havoc on enemy forces. During his senior year, the 1968 tri-captain was chosen on the All-State team.

GERARD WASHCO—was one of the fastest and smoothest big men to ever play on a Wilkes team. The Nanticoke native was a co-captain of the 1947 squad and was regarded by many as the best blocker of the Ralston years.

GEORGE CONWAY—is still currently engaged in combat on the football field, as the captain and starting center on this year's squad. A mobile and agile performer, he is a Coughlin High School product. Conway is regarded as a fine blocker and an excellent field leader.

JOE ZAKOWSKI—is also presently engaged on the gridiron in the attempt for the Colonels' fourth straight undefeated season. The Hanover Twp. southpaw is a double threat. To date he has completed 76 of 165 passes for 1,132 yards and 13 touchdowns. With the addition of 678 yards rushing, the injury prone signal-caller has already amassed 1,810 yards, the most in Wilkes history with five games left to play.



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JOHN FLORKIEWICZ—another Nanticoke High School grad, "Florky" provided the bull-work on the initial Wilkes grid teams. His 105-yard touchdown kickoff return, 12 touchdown performance in 1949, and career accumulations of 25 touchdowns and 151 points still remain on the Colonel record books. He was bone jarring runner who thrived on contact. Florky served with Washco as a co-captain of the 1947 team.

PAUL PURTA—provided Colonel fans with the big play during the mid-1960s. His 80-yard reception from Zakowski in 1966 still rates as the most dramatic second in Wilkes football history. During his four-year career he rushed for 1,253 yards on the ground, and picked up an additional 207 from passes. He was the most valuable player in the MAC in 1966, while also gaining a first team shot on the all-state squad. What he lacked in speed he made up in determination.

MARV ANTINNES—was the Colonels' handy-man during the years of famine. In his final three years he gained 1,187 yards on 347 carries. Much of the real estate which he gained came without openings in the line. He was the co-captain of the 1960 team.

RON RESCIGNO—fast, tough triple threat tailback who played both ways in the days of the single wing. His 810 yards rushing in 1957 gave him 21st place in the national records and an All-time Colonel mark. He accounted for 1,043 yards gained offensively, which amounted to

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Colonel Stars To Be Honored

For the first time in four years Wilkes Colonels will enter a football game without a winning streak in jepoardy when they entertain the University of Vermont Saturday at Ralston Field a 1:30. The encounter will highlight the Wilkes Centennial Day celebration. During halftime ceremonies, a 23-man all-star team, representing 24 years of Wilkes grid history, will be introduced.



NEIL LANGDON

The game will mark the second time the two teams have faced each other on the gridiron. Last season the Colonels recorded a 31-9 win when they invaded the hills of Vermont. This year's Catamount team is a vastly improved squad and should give the Wilkesmen a tough afternoon. Vermont, 3-2 on the year, currently holds down second place in the Yankee Conference with a 2-1 log.

Coach Rollie Schmidt will probably have to pull out all stops in an effort to beat the Catamounts. The Colonel passing game should be vastly improved if Bill Lazor and Jim Marascio can play in top condition. Lazor, injured two weeks ago against Delaware Valley, got in for only two plays against Ithaca, while Marascio was rushed into service before reaching top condition, but still managed to catch five passes for 48 yards.

Joe Zakowski, suffering through a 11-29 day from the firing line, should do better on home grounds. The Wilkes running game, stopped cold by the Ithaca defense, could take on a new look for this fray.

Wilkes sustained its first defeat after 32 straight victories last week, but still maintained its hold on first place in balloting for the annual Lambert award. Seven of the eight members of the selection committee of writers, sportscasters and athletic Directors gave them the No. 1 spot and the other ranked them second for a total of 79 points.

Second is Wagner, which licked Albright, 32-7, for its third victory in four games, earning the Seahawks a point total of 57. They rose from seventh a week ago to second. The other first place ballot went to Mansfield State, which ranks fifth.

The top 10 with their records and points:

1.	Wilkes (3-1)	79
2.	Wagner (3-1)	57
3.	Kings Point (3-2)	49
4.	Lebanon Valley (3-0)	48
5.	Mansfield State (5-1)	42
6.	St. Lawrence (4-1)	41
7.	Clarion State (5-1)	32
8.	Norwich (3-2)	31
9.	AIC (3-2)	22
10.	Delaware Valley (2-2)	10

One of the bright spots in last week's 13-7 loss to Ithaca College was the individual performance turned in by Neil Langdon. Filling in for the injured Bill Lazor, the 6-0, 195-pound split end caught four passes for 65 yards, including a 23-yard touchdown in the second quarter.

Yeager Breaks

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fumbled, this time on his team's own 25 line. This time Wilkesmen did not falter as Joe Zakowski showed signs of his old running threat, ripping off a couple sizable end sweeps, capping it off with a score from the four with 2:54 left, dashing out the Catamount hopes.

Sideline Notes

During the halftime intermission, the Wilkes All-Time All Star team was presented. Only members of the select 23 man squad missing were Al Yatko and Joe Roszko, both serving in the Armed Forces and Marv Antinnes, Wyoming Seminary Football mentor, who had to tend to coaching duties in a game played in New Jersey . . . Garf Jone's interception gives him four on the season . . . defensive tackles Charlie Fick and John Mazur accounted for 20 first hits between them . . . Homecoming next Saturday against Dickinson . . . The win was the 18th straight since Ralston Field was opened in 1965.

Wilkes Defeats Vermont, 17-7, to Start New Streak



Wilkes' Garf Jones recovers Vermont fumble in his end zone yesterday to prevent Catamount score. Teammate Jim Loveland helps. (Strinkowski Photo).

Yeager Breaks Record

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Yards gained passing	19	99
Had intercepted	0	3
Rushes	62	53
Yards gained rushing	182	258
Total plays	69	71
Total offense	201	357
Punts	7-38.0	3-35.7
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Fumbles lost	0	5
Penalties	7-56	7-64

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Visitors Score First

The Catamounts scored the first time they had the pigskin, marching 66 yards on ten plays. Big gains of the series were a pair of pass receptions by flankerback Gene Monahan, and 43 yards of classey running by halfback Bob Rodger.

Their week long buildup appeared to be running true to form as the duo came to Wilkes-Barre with season totals of 36 receptions and 607 yards rushing repectively. The nine yard touchdown by Roger was scored with 9:19 remaining in the quarter.

The only counter for the Blue and Gold came in the closing minutes of the second Stanza. Charlie Fick initiated the score by jarring Catamount halfback Pete Clifford on the Vermont 42, forcing the fumble.

Taking over the ball, Wilkes signal-caller Joe Zakowski alternated handoffs to Bob Gennaro and Yeager, bringing the ball to the 15 where the offense sizzled.

With a fourth and five situation, Coach Schmidt elected to go for the three pointer, and Dave Kaschak split the uprights from the 23 yardline, cutting the Catamount advantage to 7-3.

Ashton Intercepts

Bob Ashton, Blue and Gold linebacker, turned the contest around in the opening plays of the second half, as he picked off a Fran Peterson pass on the victors' 37-yard line.

A pass interference brought the ball to the nine yard line. Yeager got down to the one on two off tackle runs, setting up Gennaro's dive for the touchdown.

The talley was his sixth of the season and sixth from the one yard line. Kaschak's placement put the Wilkesman ahead for good 10-7.

Fumbilitis and pass interceptions kept the Catamounts from advancing in the quarter, as a fumble by Harry Canning and pass interceptions by Garf Jones, and another from Bob Ashton ended any advance.

The visitors opened the fourth quarter full of fire moving from their own 11 yard stripe to the Colonels 19. Faced with a second and five situation, Peterson handed off to Rogers and the Sophomore ace busted through the Wilkes defense but unfortunately lost the handle on the one yard line.

The ball rolled in the endzone and the Wilkesmen recovered for a touchback.

Vermont's final miscue of the day sealed their doom five minutes later as Rodgers again

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Colonels Repulse Vermont for 17-7 Win

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The Wilkes Colonels recorded one of their greatest victories in school history Saturday afternoon, repulsing the highly regarded University of Vermont Catamounts, 17-7, before 5,500 "Centennial Day" fans at Ralston Field. In defeating the invaders from the Yankee Conference, the Blue and Gold wasted little time getting back on the victory track after sustaining their first loss in five years a week ago.

Coming into the contest, the Catamounts were one of the hottest teams in New England, having scored over 120 points in their last three victories against Northeastern, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island, but for the second straight year in a row found the Colonels a formidable opponent. A brilliant second half showing was the difference as the hard-hitting Wilkesmen stopped several drives on key defensive plays. Miscues proved to be the sign of death for the Cats as they lost the ball eight times on costly turnovers, five on fumbles and three on interceptions.

Ted Yeager, the Colonels diminutive 5' 7", 150-pound tailback put on the best performances of his career, carrying the ball 31 times for 136 yards. The 31 rushes broke the old mark of 29 which was set in 1965 by Ray Lowery versus Juniata. The speedy sophomore now has 410 yards on the season, and needs only 13 more against Dickinson this Saturday to crack the charmed 1,000 career mark.

Vermont wasted little time getting on the score board as they tallied the first time they had the ball, crashing 66 yards in 10 plays. Bob Rodgers, Vermont sophomore running sensation, displayed some fancy footwork picking up 43 yards on the series. Prior to the contest, Rodger had gained 607 yards in five games. The reports on flankerback Gene Monahan also appeared true to form as the speedy little receiver added his 37th and 38th receptions of the year during the drive. Rodger scored with 9:19 left in the half, cracking in from the nine.

The Colonels only score in the first half was set up by a Cat fumble on their own 42-yard line as Charlie Fick jarred halfback Pete Clifford to force the miscue. Barking the commands, Wilkes field General Joe Zakowski moved his squad to the 15-yard line where the series was halted. Faced with a fourth and long yardage situation Coach Roland Schmidt elected to go for three points, and Dave Kaschak responded with a 33-yard field goal to close the Catamount lead to 7-3.



Bob Ashton (51) returns a Vermont interception which set up Wilkes' second touchdown.

The Blue and Gold returned to the field after halftime a fired up team, as Bob Ashton, Blue and Gold linebacker, promptly put the skids to the visitors in the opening seconds, picking off a Fran Peterson aerial on the Cats 37-yard line. A pass-interference call brought the ball to the nine. Bob Gennaro made it second and eight with a one-yard pickup, then Yeager barreled off tackle to the one. With a third and one situation, Gennaro took a flying leap over center, for his sixth touchdown of the year, and oddly enough his sixth from the one. Kaschak's placement was good, putting the Blue and Gold ahead, 10-7.

Fumbilitis and pass interceptions set in on Vermont and the Catamounts started making costly turnovers. A fumble by Harry Canning and two more Peterson pilfers by Garf Jones, his fourth of the year, and Ashton, his second of the game, stopped Vermonts penetration in the third quarter.

The Catamounts appeared off and running in the early stages of the fourth quarter as they moved well on the ground, marching out 70 yards methodically from the 11 to the Colonels 19. With a first and 10 and touchdownland over the hill, Peterson handed off to Rodger and the first year flash rolled to the one where he lost the handle on the pigskin. Garf Jones recovered in the endzone for the touchback.

Vermont's next mistake proved to be their last as Rodger again fumbled, this time on his squad's own 25. With the big Number One sign staring at them outside the endzone, Zakowski pushed his troops forward, scoring himself from four yards out with 2:54 left, clinching the victory. During the week the Student Government Association conducted a banner contest, the winning entry was a 10-foot number one, constructed by the men of Bruch Hall.

The Wilkesmen, now 4-1 on the season, face Dickinson this Saturday in the annual Homecoming celebration. Vermont, now 3-3, 2-1 in Yankee Conference play, resume action Saturday at Amherst, playing the University of Massachusetts.



Photo by Cardillo

Members of the recently-named all-time Wilkes College football team were guests at recent Wilkes-Vermont game at Ralston Field in Edwardsville. Front row, from left: Alex Molosh, Ron Rescigno, John Howe, Bill Layden, Walt Hendershot, P. J. Kane, Brinley Varchol, Pete Winbrake, Joe Wiendl and Al Nicholas. Second row from left: George Ralston, former coach; Dan Malloy, Joe Skvarla, Jack Feeney, Jim Brunza, Bruce Comstock, Jerry Washko, John Florkiewicz and Paul Purta.

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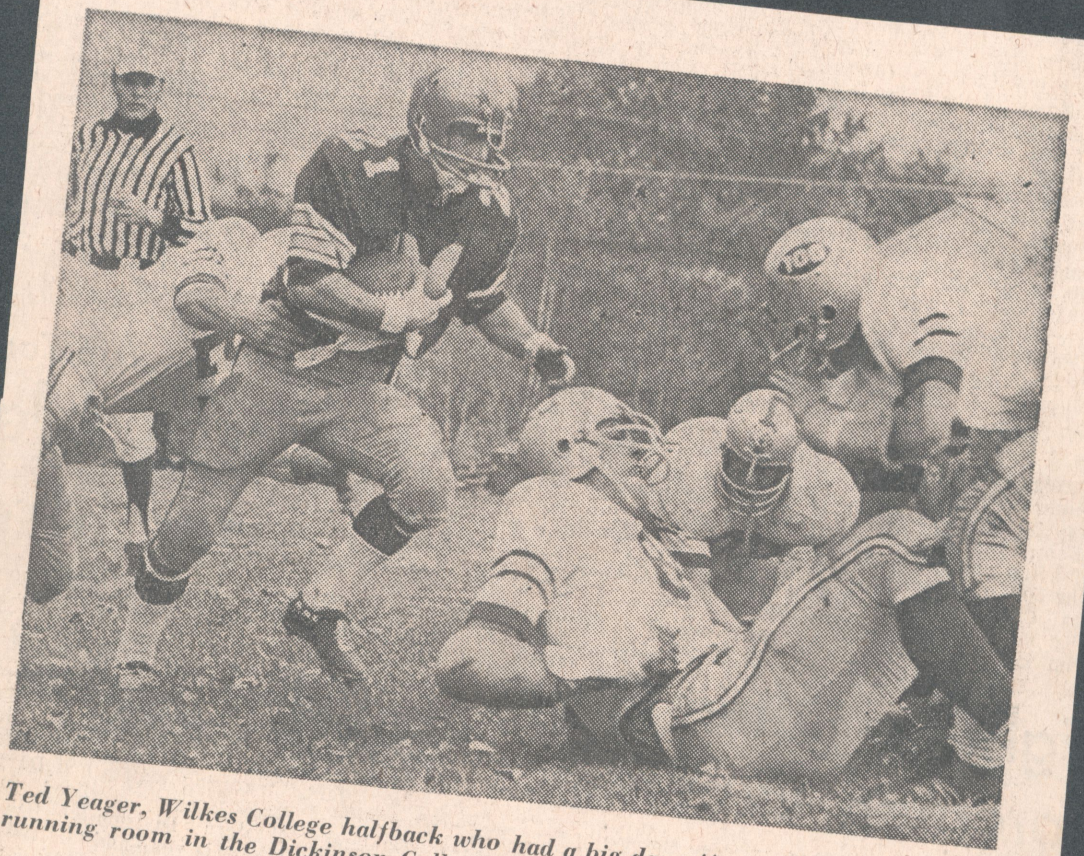
SECOND TIME AROUND—Gene Domzalski, left, Wilkes College Defensive Line Coach, is pictured above congratulating Charlie Fick on the latters selection to this weeks ECAC Division III team. This is the second selection for the 6:2, 240 pound senior. Earlier this year he was cited for outstanding play against Moravian College.

An Saturday, Fick devastated Vermont ball-carriers recording 11 first hits and three assists, in addition to a fumble recovery and a tackle which forced a fumble. Fick is currently leading the Wilkes defense on the year with a total of 46 tackles in 5 games.

The Colonels will entertain high-flying Dickinson College this Saturday at Ralston Field. The Red Devils are presently leading the Southern Division with a 4-1 record.



Ted Yeager, Wilkes College halfback who had a big day offensively Saturday, finds running room in the Dickinson College line. The Colonels romped to a 49-0 win at Ralston Field in Edwardsville.

Wilkes Easy 49-0 Winner

WILKES-BARRE, Pa. (AP)—Sophomore Ted Yeager rolled up 146 yards rushing to lead Wilkes College to a 49-0 win over Dickinson College Saturday.

Yeager, a 5-foot-6, 110-pound tailback, carried the ball 16 times to surpass the 1,000-yard mark for his college career. He went into the game with 987 yards gained.

Yeager scored the Colonels' first TD on a three yard carry which climaxed a 78-yard drive.

Dickinson, which was ranked No. 2 defensively for small colleges, gave up 512 yards to Wilkes' offense.

Wilkes intercepted five times. Wilkes is 5-1, Dickinson 4-2.

Dickinson	0	0	0	0	0
Wilkes	14	14	7	14	49

Wilk—Yeager 3 run (Kaschadk kick)
Wilk—Zakowski 15 run (Kaschak kick)
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Wilk—Kaschak 31 punt return (Kaschak kick)
Wilk—Marascio 12 pass from Zakowski (Kaschak kick)
Wilk—Moser 32 pass interception (Kaschak kick)
Wilk—Langdon 1 run (Kazchak kick)

Yeager Honored for Performance



Wilkes College tailback Ted Yeager, center, was sited by the Eastern College Athletic Conference for being this week's sophomore of the week. Yeager was chosen as the top sophomore among Division III Easteran teams for his outstanding performance against PMC Colleges Saturday. At left is head coach Rollie Schmidt and at right is backfield coach Jonah Goobic.

He literally tore apart the Cadets defense, gaining 143 yards on 26 carries in addition to touchdown runs of five and three yards. The Catawissa speed merchant also recorded a Colonel milestone with his third straight 100-plus yardage afternoon, breaking the Wilkes carrier rushing record. The 5-6, 150-pound back demolished the old mark of 1,268 yards, set by Paul Purta, by running his career total to 1,276 yards with Saturday's contest plus two years of grid eligibility left to play.

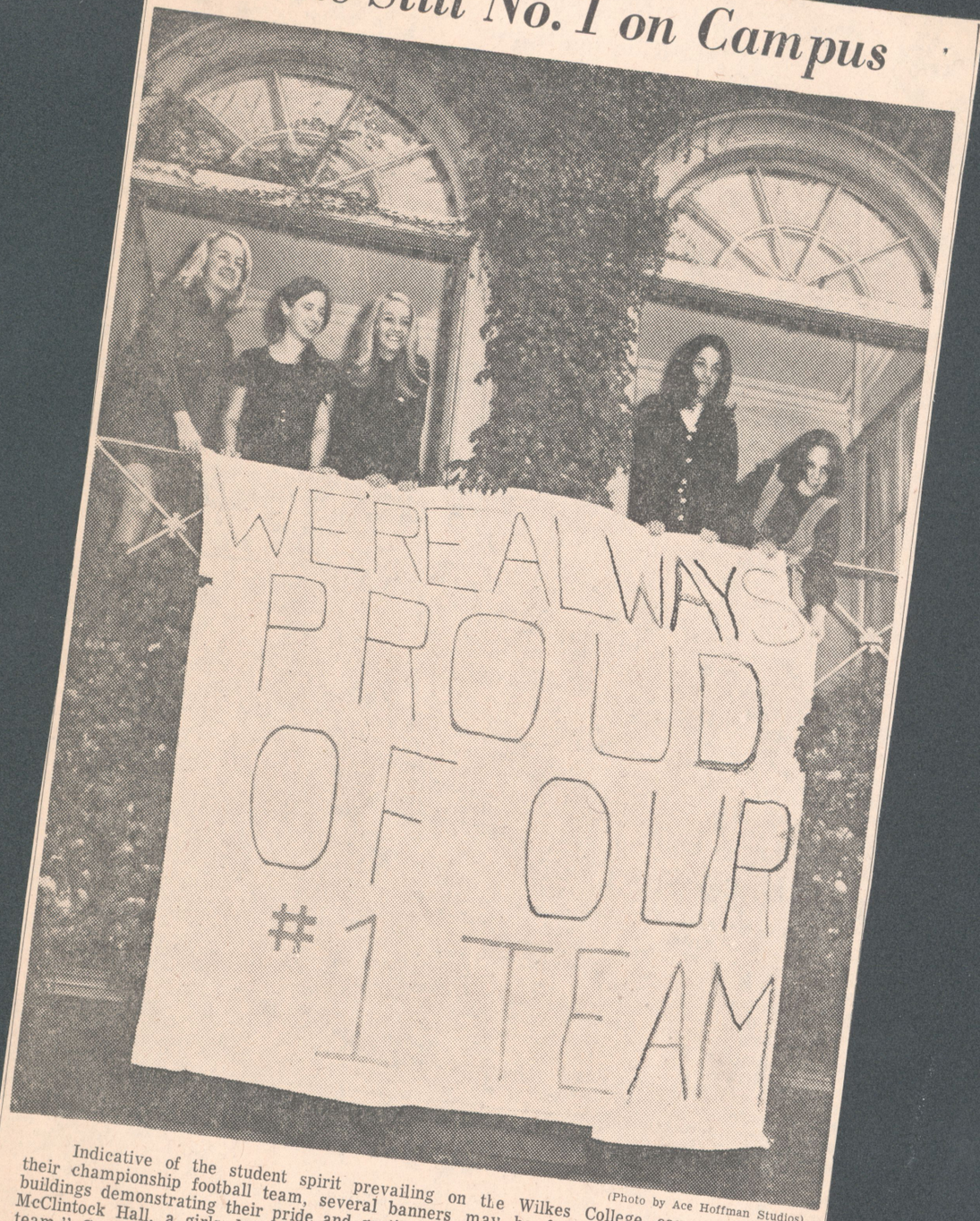
Earlier this season the talented sophomore set a game record for carries with 31 against Vermont. With 699 yards gained on the season Yeager is only 111 yards short of the Wilkes one-season record of 810 yards set in 1957 by Ron Rescigno.

The Wilkes Colonels will close out their season on Saturday when they meet the Indians of Indiana State (Pa.) at Miller Stadium, Indiana. Game time is 1:30.

Wilkes All-time Grid Greats

	year	pos.	ht.	wt.
Defense:				
Alex Molosh	1948-51	IL	6-2	185
Bill Layden	1965-68	IL	6-2	230
John Howe	1966-68	IL	6-0	200
Walt Hendershot	1946-49	IL	6-3	220
Al Yatko	1965-66	LB	6-2	195
Paul Kane	1965-66	LB	5-11	215
Brinley Varchol	1964-67	LB	6-0	205
Pete Winebrake	1957, 61-63	LB	6-0	190
Joe Wiendl	1965-68	B	5-10	175
Al Nicholas	1949-51, 54	B	5-9	170
Dan Malloy	1965-68	B	6-0	195
Offense:				
Joe Skvarla	1965-68	E	6-2	190
Jack Feeney	1947-49	E	6-2	210
Joe Roszko	1964-67	G	6-1	195
Jim Brunza	1958-61	G	5-11	195
Bruce Comstock	1965-68	T	5-11	205
Gerard Washco	1946-49	T	6-1	210
George Conway	1966-68	C	6-1	215
Joe Zakowski	1966-68	QB	6-2	205
John Florkiewicz	1946-49	HB	6-0	195
Paul Purta	1963-66	HB	6-0	190
Marv Antinnes	1957-60	HB	6-1	200
Ron Rescigno	1954-57	HB	5-8	175

Colonels Still No. 1 on Campus



(Photo by Ace Hoffman Studios)

Indicative of the student spirit prevailing on the Wilkes College campus towards their championship football team, several banners may be found hanging from campus buildings demonstrating their pride and gratitude. Shown above is a banner hanging from McClintock Hall, a girls dormitory, stating "We're always pround of our number one team." Coeds overlooking the banner from left are Linda Lee, New York City; Joanne Levine, Long Island; Marlene Moorman, Clifton, N. J.; Leslie Baltimore, Kingston; and Jill Herman, Verona, N. J.

On Friday evening the entire college and community will participate in a bonfire honoring the Colonels, in a show of spirit and support for their Centennial Day game with Vermont here on Saturday. The students and community are invited to meet in front of Chase Hall Friday night at 7 p. m. and march to Ralston Field where the bonfire will be conducted. The Colonels' 32-game winning streak, stretching back to October 9, 1965, was snapped on Saturday as Ithaca scored a 13-7 victory.

Wilkes-Moravian: Colonels will extend their win streak to 23 and are riding high after dumping Vermont. All-MAC Bill Layden is still hobbled and may not see action but Wilkes will prevail. Wilkes by 21.

Wilkes College Opens 1970 NCAA Football Season On Saturday

COLONELS HOST LYCOMING; TEAM GOES 'INDEPENDENT'

The Wilkes College Colonels open their 1970 NCAA collegiate football season this Saturday at Ralston Field taking dead aim on the national polls rather than the Middle Atlantic Conference championship.

The Colonels, under head coach Roland Schmidt, will be facing Lycoming, an MAC member team but, unlike previous years do not play the required number of conference foes to compete for MAC honors.

Instead, Wilkes will be meeting only three MAC schools and five independents including such colleges as Southern Connecticut, East Stroudsburg, Ithaca, Alfred and Muskingum.

A number of Wilkes' opponents last Saturday suffered through a dismal first week of competition dropping five of six games.

Lycoming, the Colonel's scheduled Saturday foe, bowed to Albright, 7-0, in a defensive squeaker; Delaware Valley (October 10) was out gunned by Juniata, 28-6; Ithaca (October 17) fell victim of a terrible 56-0 beating from powerful West Chester; East Stroudsburg (October 31) dropped a tough 16-6 decision to a strong Montclair State squad; Muskingum (November 14) under the tutelage of a new mentor opened with a 28-9 loss to West Liberty. Alfred (October 24) gained the only victory of the week downing Brockport State, 31-10, while Moravian (October 3) and Southern Connecticut (November 7) open their regular schedule this weekend.

The Wilkesmen have been blessed this season with a strong number of 30 returning lettermen in addition to a wealth of incoming freshmen and non-lettermen.

The Colonels, in this year of independent ball will be forced to seek out national recognition via the various grid polls including the Associated Press Small College Poll which this week ranks Arkansas State in first place followed by Montana, Akron, North Dakota State, Delaware, Texas A&I, Eastern Michigan, Louisiana Tech, Drake and Tennessee State.

During the past several years, the Colonels at one time or another ranked among the top 20 in the nation and at one time were 17th.

Next week Wilkes will meet Moravian at Bethlehem and the following week face Delaware Valley at Doylestown. All three are MAC foes.

The remainder of the schedule, however, will pit the Colonels against independent foes the first of which is Ithaca on October 17 in a game at Ralston Field.



MARIO ZINICOLA

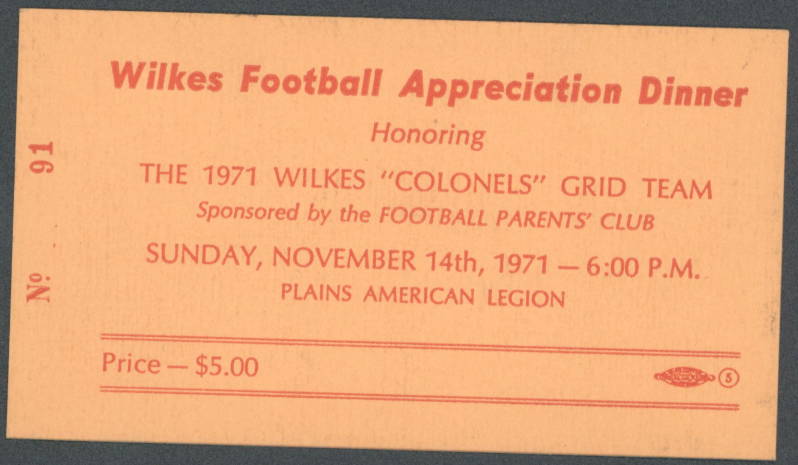


FRANK GALICKI

READY FOR DUTY—Two non-lettermen from last season who are expected to see starting duty when Wilkes College Colonels open at Ralston Field 1:30 Saturday afternoon are Mario Zinicola and Frank Galicki.

Zinicola, at 6-4, 255 pounds will be making his debut at defensive tackle. Last year the Nutley, N. J. native gained some playing time behind John Mazur and Charles Fick.

Saturday will also signal the home varsity debut of former Nanticoke Area All-Stater Frank Galicki. A two time Wyoming Valley All Scholastic and "Big 3" participant, the 5-10, 200 pound sophomore, will get the starting nod at inside linebacker.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Colonels Repulse LV For 29th

By CHIC FELDMAN

There are no more worlds, muddy or otherwise, for Wilkes' gallant Colonels to conquer unless the folks at Atlantic City reckon they need Wilkes' tops in the USA 29 game winning streak to fill the Auditorium and make the Boardwalk Bowl a mid-December success.

The Colonels took care of all the rest, including the Flying Dutchmen of Lebanon Valley, in their 1968 regular season finale, Saturday, when they repaid 5,500 of the faithful at Ralston Field, Kingston, for their loyalty, with a 23-16 thriller that packed suspense as well as mud to the final minutes.

Lebanon was no pushover with an extraordinary quarterback Bruce Decker who filled the rain-scented November air with 51 passes, 24 of which were completed for an astounding 345 yards and the Dutchmen's two touchdowns.

It was enough to make the average club jittery. The Colonels, with their equally as admirable quarterback Richie Simonson who matched Decker's two TD pegs, took Decker in stride, led from the six minute point, and although constantly threatened keep their cool, and won as champions should.

They're champs, without a doubt and the Lambert Cup selectors who limited the proteges of masterful Rollie Schmidt to a one point edge in last week's vote-counting, should show no hesitancy making them kings of the small flock at the next meeting of the lodge.

Not even a playoff for the grand prize could have been more electrifying. It was so from the moment both clubs decided they couldn't trave too quickly on the uncertain slick soil and went into the sky

Wilkes had done nothing of note before Simonson, the senior from W. B. Meyers hit his favorite target, Joe Skvarle of Plymouth for the first score and 10th of 11 TDs this year. It was a neat 36-yarder as the clock showed 6:01.

The value of this one was only matched by their second six-pointer, covering 22, on the first play of the fourth. It came when Decker and his fellow Dutchmen had reduced a 16-point lead to half, and were in a mood to menace some more. As confirmed by Decker's later 18-yard pitch for pay to Dennis Tulli.

This was the kind of a mat-inee, in hardly agreeable weather, that the 18 departing seniors and the Colonels in general gave Schmidt and the audience, including the tviewers on Channel 16, considerable to remember them by.

The Dutchmen were dangerous even in the 7-0 first half. Thrice they got close, twice within the five, before the Colonels' brave defense stopped them, once on an interception.

Simonson finished the second TD parade with a nine yarding haul—he loves to scramble in the Tarkenton manner — and Wilkes had a third bid in the making when the Dutchmen



Richie Simonson ran as well as he passed and directed Wilkes to third unbeaten season

held, requiring Dave Kaschak of Kingston who had cashed the first of two conversion attempts, to try for a field goal. He was more fortunate than a Lebanon's man, earlier.

Kaschak's 24 yarder became increasingly valuable as Simonson twice made his extra-tally attempts of double value by passing to mates. The first went to Tony DeMarco after the 64-yard Decker-Taki Bobatia toss and catch maneuver.

Mike Morrison was the two-point man following Tulli's TD grab.

It was just as well that Lebanon was helpless on the ground. For even with a mere 36 yards, on foot the Dutchmen led 381 to 355 in mileage. Wilkes came through 224 running and Simonson's 9-22 for 131 in the air.

Wilkes had a narrow 19-17 edge in first downs. No one gave it a thought as the Colonels celebrated and talked, hopefully, of going to Atlantic City. They'd prefer July or August but December isn't bad when you've just won a fourth straight Mid-Atlantic crown and haven't lost a game since the third 1965 contest, this at East Orange, to Upsala 26-20.

FOOTNOTES . . . Garf Jones, former Scranton Central end and a soph, sat out the finale due to a fractured wrist sustained in the Penn Military battle last week. . . . His parents George and Bertha Jones are bowlers . . . Sloppy field prevented the Colonels' eye-catching little fellow Ted Yeager from running at his best, although he managed a few major donations . . . The Colonels, as befits their reputation, had a 224-54 season-long scoring margin . . . Until today Ithaca with three TDs in a 28-19 melee, gave the home guards the most trouble . . . Upsala 9-7 was tough; Kaschak's toe won it.

The Malloy brothers, from Kingston Catholic, performed heroically with Dan accounting for an interception and Dan being generally useful . . . Little known fact is that Schmidt served as an Abington Heights assistant for three seasons and never received a call for the big job . . . He's been here seven seasons . . . Ivy-type atmosphere prevalent at Wilkes apparent in sportsmanship of onlookers . . . They applauded skill of Decker who did most of his tossing from some 10 yards back, in takeoff of bygone formula, in what is presently known as "Shotgunning."

Wilkes' President Dr. Eugene Farley a proud onlooker . . . Ralston Field is where motorists parked their gas buggies in the era of the baseball Barons . . . There's another big leaguer on the Wilkes' staff, publicist George G. Pawlush; he's as capable as he is accomodating . . . The field goal was Kaschak's fourth and TD Simonson's third of the year . . . More than a few Scrantonians present and Lackawanna Valley, such as Old Forge, liberally sprinkled in storm-defying crowd.

WILKES

Ends: Skvarla, Labuschek, Merrill, Koterba, Williamson.
Tackles: Burke, Comstock, Layden, Howe, Mazur.
Guards: Loverro, Les Loveland.
Center: Conway.
Linebackers: Hover, J. Loveland, Kane, Connolly, Put Malloy.
Backs: Simonson, Yeager, Davenport, Yarmel, Gennaro, Frappolli, Kaschak, Staake, D. Malloy, Wiendl, Holliday.

LEBANON VALLEY

Ends: Teeter, Tulli, Brandsburg, Thomas.
Tackles: Svirosko, Bell, Basta, Murphy.
Guards: Thompson, Falato, Iatesta.
Center: Howie.
Linebackers: Beardsley, Morris.
Backs: Decker, DeNaro, Koons, Bobotis, Torre, Rowe, Konmeyer, Shaffer.

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Scoring Summary:

Wil.—Skvarla 36 pass from Simonson (Kaschak kick)
Wil.—Simonson 9 run (kick failed)
Wil.—Kaschak 24 field goal
LV—Bobotis 64 pass from Decker (DeMarco pass)
Wil.—Skvarla 22 pass from Simonson (Kaschak kick)
L.V.—Tulli 18 pass from Decker (Morrison pass)

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Historical Sketch Of Wyoming

The following comprehensive outline of principal points in Wyoming Valley's unique history, not already detailed in other sections of this Bicentennial Edition, was written by the late Col. Ernest G. Smith, publisher and historian, in connection with a brochure produced and circulated about three decades ago by Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce.

The outline lends itself most appropriately to the observance of the 200th anniversary of the founding of the first permanent settlement here.

Wilkes-Barre, the oldest community of Northeastern Pennsylvania, together with its environs, is the original Wyoming. The name "Wyoming" is a corruption of a Delaware Indian word, meaning "broad or large plain," and was applied, as it still is, to a glacial valley drained by the Susquehanna, of which the city is the business and social center. Post office records indicate that one state, sixteen counties and some sixty-four lesser municipalities have been given that name in commemoration of the peculiar history of a community which has no parallel in the annals of America.

The Wyoming Valley had long been a chosen hunting ground of the Iroquois Confederacy, but its authentic history began in 1702, when a tribe of Shawanese settled near the present Plymouth.

Various other tribes were later permitted a temporary residence in the Valley, the most noted and numerous of which were the Wanamie Delawares, under King Teedyuscung, whose log "Castle" stood along Riverside Drive, near Terrace Street, in Wilkes-Barre.

As early as 1750, the rich soil and great beauty of Wyoming were heralded abroad, and in 1753 a considerable number of Connecticut residents organized the Susquehannah Company for purposes of settlement. The rights of Connecticut to Wyoming were based on a Charter from Charles II, in 1662, granting "all lands between the forty-first and forty-second parallels, from sea to sea." Pennsylvania's claim to the territory arose from a conflicting grant, by the same king, to the Penns, in 1681.

With the first attempted settlement, by Connecticut, in 1762, began a series of costly and bloody conflicts, between rival claimants to Wyoming, known to history as the Yankee-Pennamite Wars, which were to last for a period of nearly forty years.

Alarmed at the destruction of life and property, the Continental Congress, in 1782, appointed a Commission, to sit at Trenton, New Jersey, and determine the claims of the two states.

After forty-one days of deliberation, and by what is known to history as the "Decree of Trenton," the Commissioners, on December 30, 1782, held that the ment of the new County of Luzerne, erected by Pennsylvania, in 1787, out of the limits of what had been Westmoreland County of Connecticut, and to act as mediator between and councellor to, the inhabitants.

The administration of Col. Timothy Pickering, although marked by turbulence and his eventual abduction by those Connecticut settlers who, under the leadership of Col. John Franklin, refused to take the oath of allegiance to Pennsylvania, eventually restored order out of chaos and laid the foundations for the future prosperity and well being of the growing community. The quieting of titles to the lands of Wyoming—there being a Pennsylvania patent as well as one from Connecticut to almost every acre of land within its borders, was begun by a Commission, pursuant to the Compromise Act of 1799, and finished in 1805, the processes of which settlement from one of the most unique chapters in the jurisprudence of America.

Colonel Pickering had been Quartermaster General of Washington's army before being chosen by Pennsylvania as a Commissioner to Wyoming. He became a large landholder in the Valley and, in 1788, built the Pickering House at 130 South Main Street, Wilkes-Barre. For a time before it was razed, it was headquarters of Wyoming Valley Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution and was maintained by the Miner Estate.

(Colonel Pickering left Wyoming in 1791, to become Postmaster General of the United States. Subsequently he was Secretary of War and Secretary of State in Washington's Cabinet, his public duties so occupying attention that he never returned to Wilkes-Barre.)

The City Of Wilkes-Barre

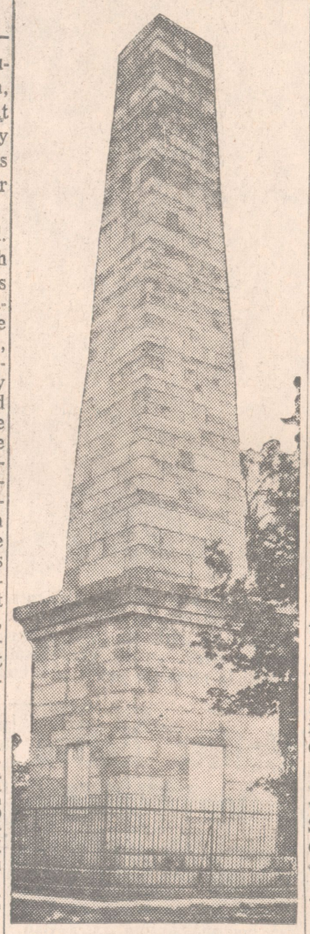
Named for the Hon. John Wilkes, who suffered much as a friend of Liberty, at the hands of King George III, and Colonel Isaac Barre, an officer under General Amherst, against the French in Canada, both of whom as members of the British Parliament, were outspoken in their denunciation of oppression in America.

The original town plot, including the Square and the eastern River Common was laid out in 1770, by Major John Durkee, the ownership of lots being determined in 1772, by lottery, among Connecticut settlers. Major Durkee was the originator of the unique name of the present city.

Battle of Wyoming

In 1778, it became known that ening the sympathies of France and encouraging friends of liberty, the world over, to outspoken resentment of British methods of warfare in America, than this broadly heralded event. At first it seemed as if the small band of patriots would pierce the British position. During the latter stages of the battle, the Senecas and their Indian allies, hidden in a swamp to the left of the American line, stealthily emerged. A confusion of orders,

Wyoming Monument



This monument stands on Wyoming Avenue, Wyoming, in memory of the settlers who perished in defense of the area during the Battle of Wyoming on July 3, 1778.

Exercises are held each year at the monument by area civic and veterans groups. Floral wreaths are placed at the base of the monument and speakers recall the historic Revolutionary War battle.

San Diego Salutes Us

Wyoming Valley communities are not the only ones in the nation that are observing the 200th anniversary of their founding. Also dedicating the year 1969 to its bicentennial is the City of San Diego, Calif.

Upon learning of the planned observance of Wyoming Valley, San Diego's Mayor Frank Curran saluted the local bicentennial in a letter written to the Wyoming Valley Bicentennial Observance Committee. The letter follows:

"As mayor of the City of San Diego, I salute your bicentennial and recognize the early American history as represented by Fort Durkee and the critical period of that time when this country was emerging from an undivided Colonial status into the United States of America, which today is the greatest nation on earth.

"I am taking the liberty of forwarding a copy of your letter and the historical material attached to our 200th Anniversary Committee so that our committee can recognize the Wyoming Valley bicentennial through the processing of our 200th programming organization.

"I would hope that a liaison can be set up so that your people will also know that the City of San Diego, Calif., was the site of the first European colony and consequently the city where California began in 1769."

Leaders Of Event

Honorary chairmen for the Wyoming Valley Bicentennial Observance are Mrs. William H. Conyngham, Mrs. Franck G. Darte and Frances Dorrance. General Chairman is Harrison H. Smith, and Vice Chairmen are Mrs. Donald E. Bennett and Atty. Harry B. Schooley, Jr.

Other members are: B. F. Burgunder, Richard J. Cronin, Ralph L. Hazeltine, Edgar J. Lashford, Paul Lauer, John P. Mattern, Roy E. Morgan, Robert S. Parker, David N. Schooley, Mrs. Harry B. Schooley, Jr.

Named as members of the general coordinating committee for the observance are: Rev. Dr. Jule Ayers, Msgr. Francis A. Costello, Msgr. William L. Donovan, Rev. Howard G. Hartzell, Rev. Lane Kilburn, CSC, Rabbi Earl S. Starr.

Governor Arthur H. James, Governor John S. Fine, Justice Benjamin R. Jones, Jr., Judges Bernard C. Brominski, Richard L. Bigelow, Robert J. Hourigan, Peter Paul Olszewski, Jacob Schiffman and Edward W. Lopatto.

Rep. Daniel J. Flood, Senators Martin L. Murray and T. Newell Wood, Reps. William T. Bachman, Stanley A. Meholchick, James Musto, Bernard O'Brien, Frank J. O'Connell, Jr., Fred J. Shupnik, Commissioners Frank Crossin, Ethel Price, and Edmund C. Wideman, Jr., Wesley E. Davies and Walter C. Wood.

Arts Council Was Founded in 1968

Wyoming Valley Arts Council was officially formed at a public meeting in December, 1968, thereby culminating a year-long effort begun by local citizens interested in the cultural welfare of the region and supported in their endeavors by the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts.

The three-fold purpose of the arts council is the advancement, improvement, and enrichment of the cultural life of Wyoming Valley and neighboring communities of Northeastern Pennsylvania through supporting the cooperation of organizations and individuals dedicated to that aim; the coordination and promotion of existing cultural activities; and the encouragement of new cultural activities.

Publication of a directory of local fine arts organizations and their officers will also be considered.

The arts council expects to present in a systematic and unified way recommendations of its members on public issues involving the arts and plans to foster public awareness of the part played by the arts in the spiritual, physical, and economic well-being of the community.

Founders of the arts council have provided a broad base of membership. In addition to persons and organizations active in

Arts Council Groups Join In Bicentennial

Several groups which claim membership in the Wyoming Valley Arts Council will join in the Bicentennial Celebration of Wyoming Valley during 1969.

These groups include the Wyoming Valley Oratorio Society, Dallas Kiwanis Club which sponsors the annual Festival of Music, Gold Medal Band, Local 140, American Federation of Musicians; Wilkes-Barre Chapter, American Guild of Organists, Luzerne County Community College Players, WVIA-TV, Channel 44; Wilkes-Barre Fine Arts Fiesta and Jewish Community Center.

Oratorio Society

Every year the Wyoming Valley Oratorio Society, now in its 21st season, presents two Sunday afternoon concerts of oratorio music for soloists, chorus, and orchestra. Clifford Balshaw, the director, with the support of Myron Leet, the assistant conductor, drills the 80 members of the chorus in such exacting works as Ernest Bloch's "Sacred Service," which was given in 1968 with the cooperation of Temple Israel and Temple B'nai B'rith. Every four years the Society produces Handel's "The Messiah." It has sung such important works of Bach as the "Passion according to St. Matthew", portions of the B-Minor Mass, and the Christmas and the Easter Oratorios. Among more modern works have been Debussy's "The Blessed Damozel," and Zoltan Kodaly's "Psalmus Hungaricus". Probably the most famous recent soloist has been Charles Bressler, a native son of Wyoming Valley, who sang the tenor solos in Haydn's "The Seasons" and Bach's "St. John Passion."

President Carl T. Hedden heads a board of directors of 38 members, which includes five representatives of the chorus. Some 225 regular supporters contribute more than the cost of admission, and usually enable the society to keep out of the red, although staying solvent is a constant battle. Concerts cost in excess of $3,000 each, especially for modern works — the older composers wrote for smaller orchestras.

Until Gies Hall was razed to make way for the Eugene S. Farley Library of Wilkes College, the chorus rehearsed there. The society then moved to St. Stephen's Church and later to

Music Festival

Dallas Kiwanis Club sponsors its Festival of Music each November at the Irem Temple. George McCutcheon is club president and Bernard C. Banks, Jr., is program chairman for the festival.

The festival was initiated in 1967. Judging is held of groups entered in the musical festival, with first auditions and semi-finals followed by the final show at the Temple.

Among the judges this November will be Dr. Russell Getz, coordinator of fine arts in the Division of Fine Arts, State Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg.

Wilkes-Barre AGO Chapter

Wilkes-Barre Chapter of the American Guild of Organists hold two Lenten recitals and an October recital. Guild members perform at the Lenten recitals with Donald Dumbler slated as guest artist at the Fall performance.

Walter W. Umla, 43 North Landon Avenue, Kingston, is dean of the chapter which has some 57 members. Other officers are Marjorie George, sub-dean; Sister Mary Carmel, RSM, secretary; Marguerite Borman, treasurer, and Marion Rickert, registrar.

The unit meets on the first Monday of the month, September through May.

Jewish Center

The Jewish Community Center, 60 South River Street, is an active member of the Arts Council. Its director is Louis Smith. The center's Drama group regularly presents plays, one of the activities presented throughout the year.

College Players

One of the newer members of the Wyoming Valley Arts Council is the Luzerne County Community College Players. Advisor to the group is John P. Pisaneschi.

The Players presented "The American Dream" on March 21 through 23. The unit has 20 members.

Officers of the Community College Players are Anthony Kopko, president; Sharon Fischi, vice president; Josie Boyle, secretary, and Marla Cloak, treasurer.

Channel 44

Channel 44 is the outlet for Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Association. The station makes daily contributions to the field of art through shows by the Pennsylvania Ballet, New York Philharmonic, Royal Shakespeare Company and the Boston Symphony.

Other shows are presented on current literature, music, photography, art and architecture and plays, ranging from the classics to the most avant-garde.

The station regularly presents "Focus 44", a cultural program produced locally. Channel 44 is affiliated with the Pennsylvania Public Television Network; NET, the national public television network; the Eastern Educational Network and the National Association of Educational Broadcasters.

George Strimmel, Scranton, is general manager. President of the 33-member board of directors is Dr. Henry F. Patterson, Jr. Other officers are George F. Perry, secretary, and J. Muir Crosby, treasurer.

Jerry Schumacher is program director; Jack Lewis, publicity director; Mrs. Jane Schautz, instructional services, and Bruce Davis, film director.

Fine Arts Fiesta Plans Final Event

The Fine Arts Fiesta is five days and five nights of 60 performances and 15 exhibits, all out of doors under the open skies and stately elms on Public Square. It is a gift of the local arts organizations to the public, and it has become famous nationally in its 14 years.

squad. It is a prime example of the selfless community endeavor for which this community is noted.

This year's Fiesta which will run from Thursday, May 22 through Monday, May 26 will be the Grand Finale of the Bicentennial Celebration. The Bicen-

jurisdiction and pre-emption of all the territory lying within the Charter limits of Pennsylvania, and then claimed by Connecticut, belonged of right to Pennsylvania.

The "Decree" settled nothing in its immediate effects. The Connecticut settlers had rebuilt their homes, after the Battle of Wyoming; had restocked their farms and become deeply attached to the land of their adoption. To have their titles thus annulled by a Commission whose decision was based rather on policy than on right, merely quickened the impulse to cling to these possessions, at any cost.

Finding that ordinary processes of law failed to evict the Connecticut settlers, Pennsylvania, in 1784, sent forward its militia, which occupied Fort Wyoming and drove off more than one hundred and fifty Connecticut families, at the point of the bayonet.

Then began the Second Yankee-Pennamite War, marked by the confinement of many of the first settlers in jails, at Easton and Sunbury, by reprisals on the part of the evicted inhabitants and their friends, by bloodshed, arson and cruelty unspeakable. In despair, the Pennsylvania Legislature, in November, 1784, ordered that the Connecticut claimants should be restored to their possessions. Fort Wyoming was evacuated by the militia on November 27th, and was immediately razed by the surviving settlers. Having failed in its policy of military control, Pennsylvania then adopted a more conciliatory attitude in sending to Wilkes-Barre, Col. Timothy Pickering, of Massachusetts, at the head of a Civil Commission to determine the rights of soil among conflicting claimants, to set up the government.

The British had decided to employ the Six Nations against the frontiers of the infant United States, in a desperate effort to end the Revolutionary War.

Wyoming, it was quickly recognized, lay directly in the path of invasion from the north. Congress was petitioned to return to Wyoming, as a measure of defense its two Independent Companies of volunteers, then with Washington's army. But Congress delayed action and the settlers were compelled to face invasion with a few veterans, then on leave, and with those of its male population unfitted for military service by reason of youth or age.

To "Butler's Rangers," a battalion of British Provincial troops then stationed at Fort Niagara, on the Canadian frontier, was added a force of some seven hundred Indians, under Sayenqueraghta, a Seneca chief, and in the late spring of 1778, this formidable force started southward. Appraised of their approach, the settlers gathered at Forty Fort, June 30th. Some four hundred men and boys comprised the strength of the defenders. A council of war, held within the fort, determined that this feeble band should meet the enemy in the open, rather than permit him to burn and rob at will.

On the morning of July 3, 1778, under command of Col Zebulon Butler, on leave from the Continental army, the defenders moved from the Fort several miles northward to Abraham's Plains, where the battle was fought. No historical event of the American frontier is better known in song and story than that of the battle and subsequent massacre which followed. Nor had any episode of the Revolution more influence in quickening

Wilkes College In State Of Growth Expansion

The demands for change facing educational institutions run at a pace equaled only by demands for change facing communities. Population expansion which jeopardize the future of man, technological societies which exploit our natural resources but pollute land, water and air, and communications which bring men together also serve in keeping men apart by keeping prejudices, differences in culture and unyielding institutions alive.

Education must grope for solutions for these and other problems facing the world today. The students and faculty of Wilkes College are increasingly aware of today's demands for change and are constantly seeking their answers. The fact that Wilkes is in a constant state of growth and expansion is proof enough of its concern for education in and development of Wyoming Valley, its communities and its citizens. Wilkes began to grow the very moment it came into being in 1933 and began functioning as Bucknell Junior College in third-floor classrooms in the Hampton Ballroom on West Northampton Street across from the YM-YWCA. Today Wilkes College, which was chartered as an independent four-year liberal arts college in 1947, campuses a fifty building complex. Plans for several other buildings are under consideration for further development of the 23-acre campus.

Physically, Wilkes' campus stretches from Parrish Hall, a five-story building near the corner of West Market and South River Streets, to an area extending nearly to Ross Street, two and one-half blocks south of the building. It also embraces a large portion of South Franklin Street between Northampton and Ross Streets and the entire block on South Street between South River and River Streets where the college's Center for the Performing Arts is located. The latest building to be added to the structural framework is the $2,000,000 Eugene Shedden Farley Library, dedicated in November of 1968. Soon to be completed is an addition to the Center for Performing Arts, which will, when finished, house the music department, its faculty and individual rehearsal halls and classrooms. Occupancy of the new addition is scheduled for the fall term of this year. Last but not least is the college's athletic stadium, Ralston Field, located across the Susquehanna River in Kirby Park, Kingston It was here in Ralston Field that the Wilkes College Colonels football team, under the direction of Coach Roland Schmidt, last November clinched the title of co-champion in the Northern division of the Middle Atlantic Conference. The team, which holds the longest winning streak in the nation with 29 straight games was awarded the coveted Lambert Bowl by the New York Touchdown Club and was named the outstanding small college team in the country by the Washington Touchdown Club when it presented to Wilkes their Timmy Award. Wilkes is also the top team in the division three of the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference.

Sporting Activities

During the last ten years, in addition to football, soccer, wrestling, baseball, golf, and tennis, Coach John Reese, who has been Director of Athletics for 16 years, has added swimming and lacross to the list of sporting activities. Wilkes, which is ranked nationally as fifth in wrestling (19th in football) in its division, plays host during a wrestling tournament in December of each year. Today, this "Rose Bowl of Wrestling" attracts amateur wrestlers from Maine to California and from Texas to Montana to the sporting competition held in the college's gymnasium, and close behind the athletes come the hundreds of fans who want to see their man win.

Turning from the brawn to the brain side of the story (it should be mentioned that the Wilkes athletes, in addition to their brawn, have an overall credit average of approximately 2.3) there were 4843 students enrolled at Wilkes at the beginning of the 1968 fall semester. This figure includes 2368 full time day students, 96 part-time day students, 586 evening students, 1053 summer students, 166 graduate students and 574 non-credit students. Projections for 1970 pass the 5,000 mark—a long way from the 193 students who began attending classes in 1933.

Wilkes College offers the degree of Bachelor of Arts in the humanities, the social sciences and the natural sciences, also the degree of Bachelor of Science in chemistry, physics, medical technology, commerce and finance, art, business, music, elementary, secondary and nursing education. The college also offers Master's degrees in chemistry, physics, business administration and education. Since its inception, the College has graduated some 6,000 students who are scattered across the United States and the world. The students at Wilkes, when ranked nationally on the four point grading system, used by most colleges, hold an average of 2.25, and each semester sees approximately 75 students named to the college dean's list, which requires an average of 3.5 for

has increased from 37 to over 700 as dormitory and dining facilities have been added; there are 24 buildings now being used for residence halls — 5 men's dormitories, which include the YMCA, the new men's dormitory and three once-privately owned homes; and 19 women's dormitories, all of which were privately owned homes.

UMW Building Acquired

In spite of this expansion, the application from out-of-town students continue to rise faster than building acquisitions thus setting a limit of approximately 25% of out-of-town applicants. But expansion continues — the newest acquisition being that of the United Mine Workers Building, located on South Franklin Street opposite Weckesser Hall, Purchased earlier this year, the UMW Building is being used for temporary classrooms after a fire in the morning of the Saturday after Christmas, rendered Conyngham Hall useless. Plans are now being discussed as to the future of this building, which was one of the first bequeathed to the college in the spring of its life —1937.

Not only have the number of buildings and students increased at Wilkes College, but faculty additions have nearly doubled since 1960, when there were eighty members of the faculty. Of faculty members now at Wilkes, fifty-two hold the Ph. D. degree. In 1960, these advanced degree holders numbered less than thirty.

Over the years, Wilkes has continued to grow in meeting the challenge of higher education. To do its part in helping ambitious students with the courage to learn, Wilkes has set up and participated in many financial aid programs. Wilkes itself, as of the semester has awarded 696 college scholarships totaling $266,700. This figure when added to those of the Education Opportunity Grants, National Defense Student Loans and state scholarships, brings the total to $1,261,750. Students who receive some form of aid number 1,318 this semester. Were it not for this aid, none could have attended college and each year the number increases. However, with the increasing number of students there is the increasing number of graduates who take their place as awake, alert, intelligent citizens in the community.

Assets of $18,904,962

Wilkes whose tangible assets total $18,904,962, also involves itself directly with the community in offering enrollment in its Institute of Regional Affairs which instruct those interested in handling civic, social, and local government questions.

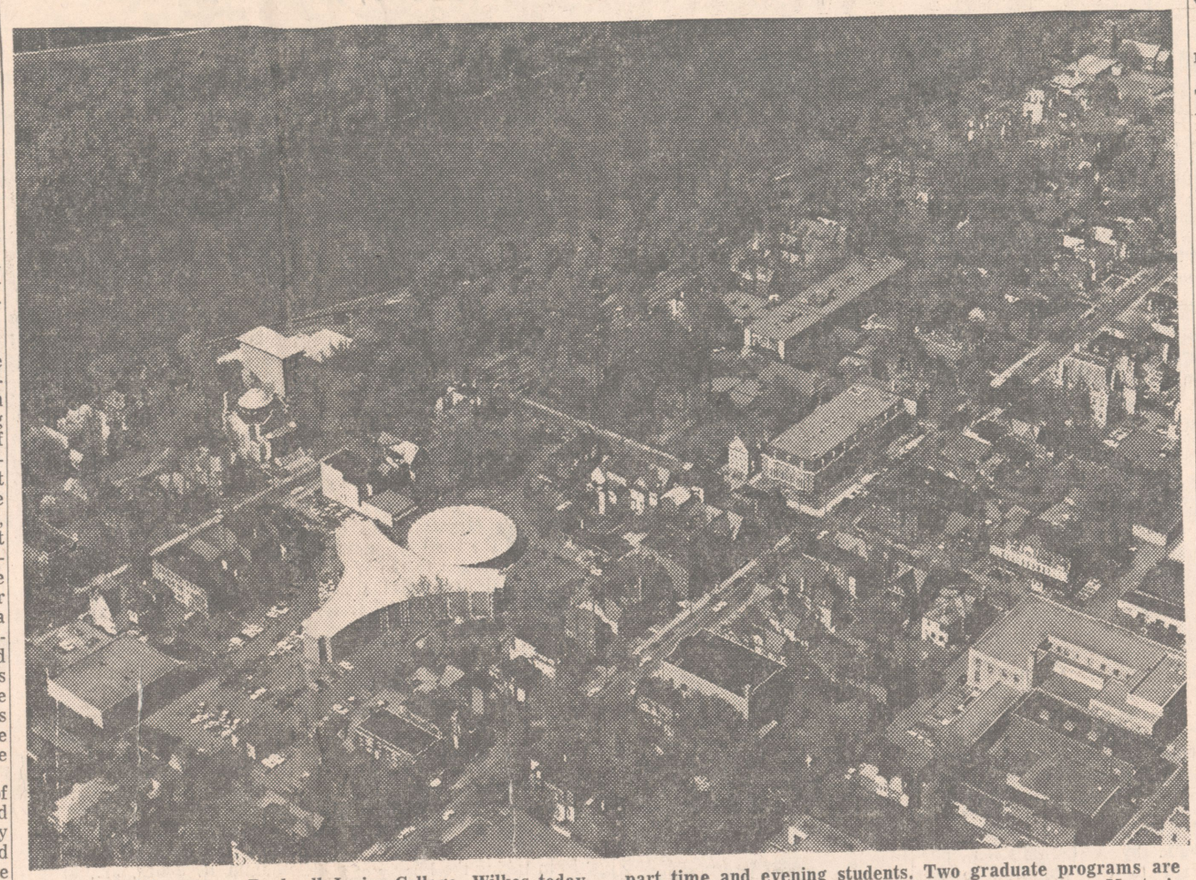
Special projects include a mathematics and science program, cultural improvement program, Upward Bound program, Basic and Applied Research Institutes, the Community Research Center, the Philharmonic Orchestra

1933, its primary purpose was to bring new opportunities for higher education to the largest center of population in Pennsylvania—and probably in the nation—having no college for men and women.

To those men and women who were given the responsibility for developing the college, it soon became apparent that the educational purposes of the college could not be resolved unless the economic, political and social climate of the area were changed. In consequence, the efforts to establish new opportunities for students became involved with efforts to use the college as an instrument for economic and social change.

Today, in the third century of Wyoming Valley's existence, this purpose remains unchanged.

View Of Wilkes College Campus



Founded in 1933 as Bucknell Junior College, Wilkes today embraces a 23 acre campus with a 50-building complex. Its tangible assets in 1968 reached a total of $18,904,962 as opposed to $9,267,658 in 1963. Today, there are 145 members in the faculty (52 of whom boast Ph.D.'s) who instruct 2,368 students. In addition, there are 166 graduate students and 682 part time and evening students. Two graduate programs are offered in cooperation with Lehigh University—a Master's degree in both Business Administration and in Education. Wilkes offers an M. S. in Biology. These courses have been added to meet the needs of a community in transition.

Dallas Borough Created In 1879

Dallas Borough was incorporated April 21, 1879.

It annexed 16 acres of Dallas Township in 1949. The land involved is the site of the Natona Mills.

To make the borough, the court cut a square out of Dallas Township and the secession came as a climax to a quarrel over operations of the Dallas Township school.

Most of the children attending the school lived in a settlement known as McClellandsville. Farmers in outying districts opposed improvements in the school system. Civic groups took up the fight over the school and before long a breach developed between the settled area of the township and the rural section. The dispute was climaxed with the incorporation of the borough.

A private group, known as Dallas High School Association, had erected a building during the controversy and hired a teacher. After the incorporation of the borough that building was given to the public school district.

First officers of the borough were: Burgess Dwight Wolcott; justice of the peace, Charles H. Cooke and James Garrahan; school directors, Leonard Machell, James B. Williamson, Chester White, Barney Stroud, James Garrahan; councilmen, Ira D. Shaver, Charles Henderson, William Snyder, Philip Roub, R. F. Ryman, Jacob Rice and Park Perrego.

Lake Ganoga

Lake Ganoga in the North Mountain is 2,320 feet above sea level. For many years it was a source of natural ice.

6 Luzerne Men Heads Of Legion

Six Luzerne County residents have been commander of the American Legion Department of Pennsylvania. They were: 1922, William B. Healey; 1926, Robert Vail; 1929, Judge Frank L. Pinola; 1940, Charles S. Cook; 1950, Joseph McCracken; 1952, Judge Paul Selecky; 1962, Louis Greco.

Pay Car Dynamiting

A Glen Alden pay car was dynamited between the Truesdale Colliery and Warrior Run at about 3:45 on the afternoon of January 13, 1930.

Four men were killed and one injured.

A payroll of $33,000 was saved when bandits fled after being scared by an injured guard.

Huntsville Dam

The Huntsville Dam of the Pennsylvania Gas and Water Company was built in 1890.

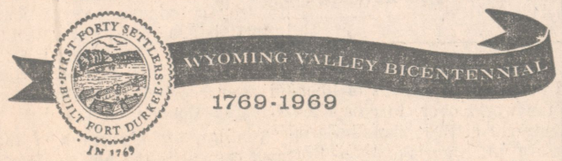
'Mollies' Active In Coal Fields

The Molly Maguires was a secret order which existed in 1854-77 in the anthracite mining fields. In 1865 the Molly Maguires first became active as a dangerous organization.

The final exposure, capture and punishment of the Molly Maguires were due largely to the determination of Franklin R. Gowen, president of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company through James McParlan, a detective who joined the Molly Maguires and became acquainted with the leaders and secrets of the organization.

Last Hearing In Old Courthouse

The last case tried in the Old Courthouse on Public Square



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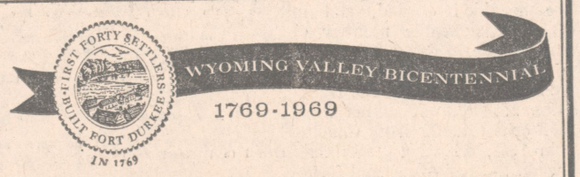

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Last Hearing In Old Courthouse

The last case tried in the Old Courthouse on Public Square was on May 22, 1909. It was the case of Mayo Mills against Hazle Knitting Mills Company. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for $1,997.

Attys. Dwight Lowrie, Philadelphia; J. M. Garman and G. K. Powell represented the plaintiff and John T. Lenahan the defendant.

After the verdict was rendered, a photograph of the jurors in the box and the court was taken by A. W. Rhenard.

The jurors were: James Keating, John T. Walters, Robert Hughes, John Tucker, James Morris, Harry Yost, David Joseph, Robert Donachie, James Hanlay, James McCarthy, Daniel McCoy and William Judge.

Judge Lynch, who presided, also was in the picture with Court Crier George Bristol, Court Officials Thomas Golightly, Thomas Kelly, William Hughes, Michael Kline, John Williams, John Mulherin, Griffith Pritchard and Warren Fenwick.

grading system, used by most colleges, hold an average of 2.25, and each semester sees approximately 75 students named to the college dean's list, which requires an average of 3.5 for the semester's work.

Although the college, when first established, confined its admission to local students, the number of boarding students has steadily increased since World War II. In the intervening years, the number of boarding students

thematics and science program, cultural improvement program, Upward Bound program, Basic and Applied Research Institutes, the Community Research Center, the Philharmonic Orchestra and Fine Arts Fiesta.

The purpose of Wilkes College has been determined by the problems that have confronted it and by the motives of those who have been responsible for its development. When first established by Bucknell University in

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Says Agnew Talks May Be Big Public Service

UNIVERSITY PARK — Despite the widespread flap over Vice President Spiro Agnew's recent attacks on the press and broadcast media, he may have unknowingly performed a greater service to the public than anyone realizes.

Such is the contention of Robert H. Farson, assistant professor of journalism at The Pennsylvania State University, and a veteran of 15 years in broadcasting news and public affairs including the National Broadcasting Company.

Focus on Proposed Laws

"His personal motives notwithstanding, if Vice President Agnew even unwittingly was able to focus public attention on the evils of two proposed new laws now before Congress, his contribution to society is quite significant," Farson said in an interview.

Farson was referring to the Newspaper Preservation Act — better known to most as the "failing Newspaper Act" — and the Pastore Bill on license renewal, both of which are now before the U.S. Senate.

"There are already too many monopolies in the newspaper field," Farson maintained. "Newspaper competition is dying anyway, and this legislation, if enacted, will only speed up the process."

According to Farson, the Failing Newspaper Act (Senate Bill 1520) would allow newspapers in financial distress to merge into joint operating ventures, giving them immunity from anti-trust prosecution for joint agency agreements to fix prices, control markets, and pool profits.

"Such a law would foreclose forever effective local daily competition," declared Farson. "Monopoly even now is accelerating. There is one newspaper management in 96 per cent of the cities where America's 1,600 daily papers are published. Only 38 cities in the United States now have competing dailies. Passage of the Failing Newspaper Act would result in 14 of those merging."

Claiming that the steady increase of mergers and chain ownerships is destroying competition, Farson said, "we need more competition, not less."

"Newspaper people are investing heavily in radio and television. The Federal Communications Commission used to almost automatically grant a radio license to a newspaper; and when the paper-owned radio station filed for a television license, it was granted too. In too many cities, major channels of ideas — papers, radio and television — are owned by one company.

Concentration of Power

"Vice President Agnew talked about the concentration of power in so few hands. Well, it's getting fewer and fewer in the media."

As for the Pastore Bill (Senate Bill 2004 sponsored by John O. Pastore, D-Rhode Island), Farson said it is designed to protect existing broadcast licensees from any competitive applications.

"Under present operation, anyone can file a competing application for a frequency or TV channel, then the FCC conducts an investigation," Farson explained. "Under the Pastore bill, a competing application for a license for a broadcast facility could only be filed with the FCC after the FCC itself has studied the performance of an existing licensee and ruled that the performance was not 'in the interest, convenience and necessity' of thepublic."

The Penn State journalist pointed out that American broadcasters have put the Pastore bill at the top of their legislative priorities even though in the long run "broadcasters will be the ones who suffer, losing any incentive to improve their service."

"Even under the present system," said Farson, "an infinitesimal number of licenses have ever been taken away. With the Pastore bill, that number would go to zero. I think we're losing sight of the U.S. Supreme Court ruling a few years back that it's the right of the viewers and listeners, not the broadcasters, which is paramount."

Returning to Agnew's attacks, Farson said the Vice President had a perfect chance to focus public attention on the press — all the press, radio, television and news magazines, not just a few — so that the public could examine them.

"Instead he chose to couch his complaint in politics, charging that Nixon's policies were being treated unfairly and trying to turn the protest into a political asset for the Nixon Administration now and in the future. He would have been better served had he talked only about the evils resulting from the various concentrations of power and not tried to protect his boss and the Administration."

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UMW Denies Charge Of Holding Ballots

WASHINGTON (AP) — United Mine Workers headquarters disputed Thursday a congressman's charge it is holding many more ballots than will be needed in the Dec. 9 election for the union's president and other principal officers.

Rep. Ken Hechler, D-W.Va., said on the House floor Wednesday there was danger union president W. A. (Tony) Boyle and his slate will try to steal the election. Hechler said the UMW has printed 50,000 extra ballots, or about one-fourth more than the total number of active and retired miners eligible to vote.

A statement by UMW headquarters said that of 50,740 spare ballots "under lock and key" at a Maryland printing plant, about 8,300 have been mailed by the printer to 90 local unions which reported insufficient supplies on hand for next week's poll.

Boyle is being opposed for the union presidency by a slate headed by Joseph Yablonski.

BEATTLE NOT TO PORTRAY CHRIST

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said the statement about Lennon possibly overshadowing Jesus was not meant to cause any offense. He explained that he was referring to offense to Lennon.

"It's not that the writers don't want Lennon involved but they feel an unknown would be more suitable," he said.

The spokesman added that Lennon had not been directly approached on taking the role and had nothing to do with the show but is to meet Rice and Lloyd-Webster next week to discuss the project.

Piggyback Satellite

Australis OSCAR-A, a 39-pound spacecraft designed and constructed by amateur radio operators, has been accepted for launch in January as a secondary payload aboard the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Tiros-M satellite.

Launch of Tiros-M with Australis OSCAR-A piggyback is tentatively scheduled for Jan. 9 from the Western Test Range in California.

The piggyback satellite was built by a group of amateur radio operators at Mulbourne University in Australia, giving rise to the "Australis" portion of its name. The Radio Amateur Satellite Corporation (AMSAT), a group of United States amateurs is preparing the satellite for launch, testing and qualifying it to comply with NASA requirements.

A group of American radio operators based on the Pacific Coast has already successfully launched and operated four amateur radio satellites since 1961 in a program known as Project OSCAR. The previous for OSCAR launches were in conjunction with Department of Defense spacecraft. Australis-OSCAR-A, the first radio amateur satellite to be accepted by NASA as a secondary payload, will be known as Australis OSCAR-5 when it is successfully in orbit. The satellite will be placed into a planned 910-statute-mile orbit from the second stage of the Thor Delta launch vehicle.

The orbit will be inclinded 102 degrees to the Earth's Equator and the planned orbital period is approximately 114 minutes.

Australis OSCAR-A will transmit low-power signals on two amateur bands, at frequencies of 29.45 megahertz in the ten-meter band and at 144.05 Mhz in the two-meter band. These transmissions will be used by radio amateurs throughout the world for training in the art of tracking satellites and for experiments in radio propagation.

A transmitting life of approximately two months is expected from the 20 pounds of batteries carried by the satellite. This lifetime is based on continuous operation of the two-meter transmitter and weekend operation of the somewhat higher power 10-meter transmitter.

Identify Skeleton From Flood in '65

STROUDSBURG, Pa. (AP)— Medical authorities identified Thursday a skeleton found Aug. 21 in Stroud Township as the remains of a 9-year-old New Jersey girl who was at Camp Davis when the flood of 1965 struck that area.

The girl was identified as Carol Lawyer of Orange, N.J.

Dr. Francis Gruszka, pathologist at Monroe County General Hospital, and Dr. W. M. Krogman, anthropologist at the University of Pennsylvania, worked with state police in making the identification.

Dental records were used primarily in the identification procedure.

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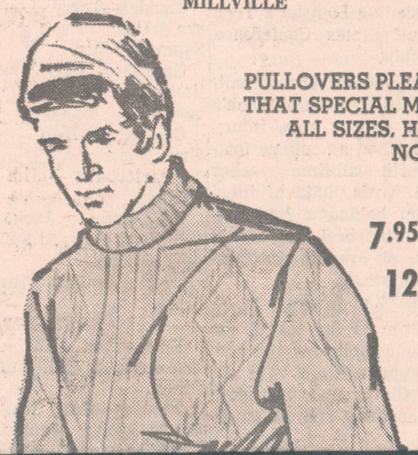

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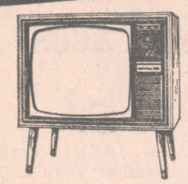

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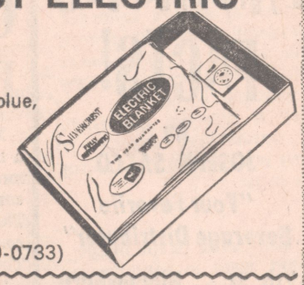

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THE exhibition contests in basketball and wrestling are underway and soon the league battles will begin.

In an effort to improve the climate in which the games and matches are staged the PIAA is out with recommendations to the host school on how to conduct these sport presentations.

This is something that has been done in the past and will be continued in the future for sports must either have a good climate in which the athletes compete — especially in the scholastic phase — or the entire program will collapse.

You might consider these recommendations and determine now to do your part as a spectator. That's especially true if you enjoy high school sports and want them to continue on the present "open to the public" basis:.

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Things to Do

Crowd temper and the control of a distempered crowd, is creating a problem for many PIAA member schools.

To protect the status of PIAA member schools and to preserve the learning and recreational experience of such a program, for the school boys participating in basketball and wrestling sponsored by the PIAA schools, the following recommendations are offered:

Prior to the first contest of the season there should be one or two assembly programs directed toward and emphasizing the role of the spectator, as it relates to sportsmanship. An exchange assembly should be arranged with the opposing schools who are your most heated rivals.

If your gymnasium is designed to seat 1,200 people, it is better to sell 1,000 tickets rather than to sell 1,500 tickets. Overcrowded gymnasiums many times are the cause for short tempers and ill feelings.

An adequate number of police should be assigned both inside and outside the gymnasium. Too many game managers are stepping on dollars to pick up pennies. It is far better to have several more police than to have too few police if an incident develops.

Game Managers should not restrict the activities of the police, but rather, they should make very clear the instruction, that any belligerent or bellicose individual or any person who is under the influence of alcohol should be ejected not only from the gymnasium but also off of the school grounds.

this is done there is little reason to question or challenge the officials after the game has started.

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Host Principal

Host principal — or a serious, concerned, delegated authority should meet prior to every game, with the two opposing coaches and the two game officials and in a serious manner instruct them that exemplary behavior is expected, and if there is cause the officials are to enforce immediately the prescribed penalties.

The host principal should be assured:

(a) That officials are paid, prior to, the start of the game. This precludes any visitation to their dressing room.

(b) That parking is available for the game officials. Preferably, as close to the officials's exit as possible.

(c) That a representative of the school meet the officials and direct them to their dressing room.

(d) That officials dress in separate quarters from either team. The girls' physical education office is used by many schools for this purpose.

Houk Names Line-up for Quad Meet

Russ Houk, wrestling coach at Bloomsburg State College, has named his grappling unit which will participate in the quadrangular meet to be held at Appalachian State University, Boone, North Carolina, Saturday. Milligan College and Old Dominion College will be the other two participants in the meet.

The Huskies lineup is as follows: 118 lbs. Mike Shull, a junior from Newport; 126 lbs. Ernie Yates, a freshman from New Kensington; 134 lbs. Frank Sarinelli, a sophomore from Dover, New Jersey; 142 lbs. John Weiss, a junior from Summerdale; 150 lbs. Russ Scheuren, a junior from Lavelle; 158 lbs. Arnie Thompson, a senior from Washington, New Jersey; 167 lbs Jim Wallace, a senior from Riverside; 177 lbs Floyd Hitchock, a freshman from Stevensville; 190 lbs Ron Sheehan, a freshman from Drexel Hill; and heavyweight Jim McCue, a junior from Bernardsville, New Jersey. Captain Arnie Thompson and

Host Northwest, Weatherly Advance to Invitational Tourney Final

Rangers Top Crestwood 5

Consolation Game And Championship Saturday Evening

The host Rangers and Weatherly won semi-final contests in the opening round of the Northwest Invitational Basketball Tournament last night at the Northwest Area High School.

With the victories, the two teams advanced to the championsiip game Saturday night while the two victims, Crestwood and West Side Tech, will tangle in a consolation game.

Northwest defeated Crestwood, 62-44, in the second game of the evening. Bob Matthews, the Susquehanna Valley League's top scorer last season, showed he had lost non of his prowess in the span of time since as he sank 13 field goals and added eight fouls for a big 34-point evening.

Teammate Bill Curwood was also in double figures for the Rangers with 12 points, all on field goals. Northwest had 26 field goals and was 10 for 18 from the foul line. Chestwood was led by Joe Byorick and Wayne Mullen who each had 11 points in the losing cause.

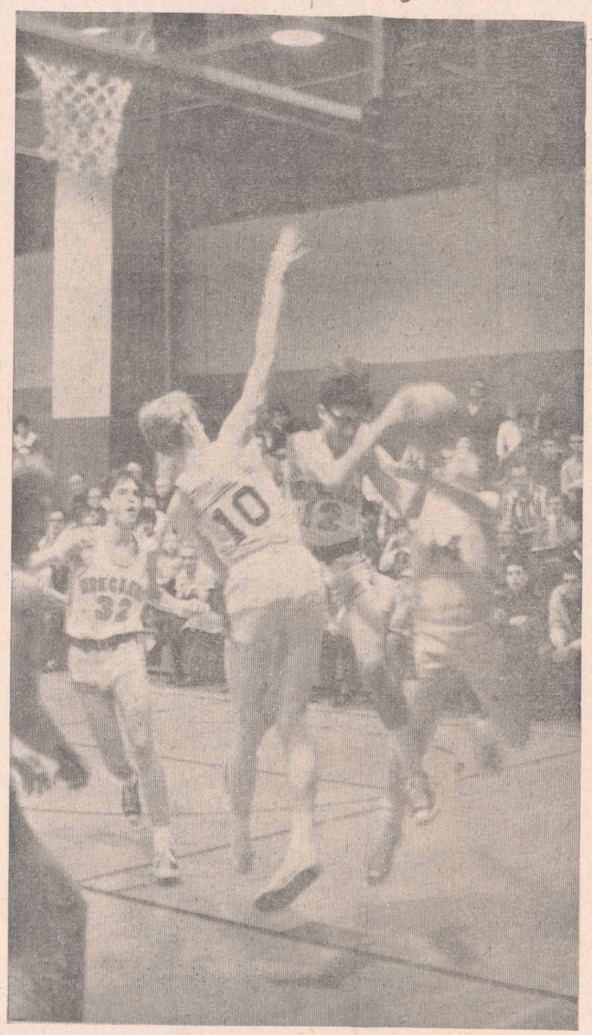
Weatherly, paced by the 24-point scoring of Barry Knepper, rolled to an easy 76-38 win over West Side Tech in the first game. Dennis Zink chipped in 12 points in aiding the victory. For the losers, John Bucikowski was high scorer with 18 points.

The Ranger gym was filled to seating capacity for the preleague season classic. West Side Tech and Crestwood will tangle at 6:45 Saturday evening in the consolation game with Northwest and Weatherly to battle it out for the tournament championship in the second game at 8:15.

NORTHWEST	fg	f	pts	CRESTWOOD	fg	f	pts
M'thews	13	8-13	34	Warner	3	1-2	7
C'wood	6	0-0	12	B'rick	4	3-5	11
Baltzer	1	1-2	3	Druby	2	1-3	5
Lutz	3	0-0	6	Raven	1	2-3	4
Johnson	2	0-0	4	Mullen	4	3-5	11
M'znky	1	1-3	3	Billings	3	0-2	6
Totals	26	10-18	62	Totals	17	10-20	44
Northwest					16	11	14 21—62
Crestwood					8	10	16 10—44

Officials — Gene Search, Bernie Panzak.

WS VO TECH	fg	f	pts	WEATHERLY	fg	f	pts
Brown	3	1-7	7	Kn'per	11	2-3	24
B'owski	7	4-8	18	V'Dyke	3	1-2	7
O'mley	1	1-3	3	Geharo	2	1-2	5
Phillips	0	0-1	0	Salko	2	1-3	5
Spanko	0	0-0	0	Zink	4	4-5	12
Dragon	4	0-0	8	Hess	3	3-6	9
Berry	0	0-1	0	Patter	1	2-3	4
Keefe	1	0-2	2	Balish	2	1-2	5
Burtige	0	0-4	0	Richie	1	0-0	2
				Sency	0	3-4	3
				Allison	0	0-2	0
Totals	16	6-26	38	Totals	29	18-32	76
W.S. Tech				8 7		6	17—38
Weatherly				16 16		26	18—76



TOURNAMENT ACTION—Barry Fortwnagler (12) of the Weatherly Wreckers pulls rebound from two West Side Tech Titans, Bob Brown (10) and Alan Hutchins (14) while Bill VanDyke (32) Weatherly, moves in to give his teammate an assist during initial game of Northwest Invitational Tournament last night at Northwest High School. (Morniing Press Photo)

Owens, Reid Headline AP's All-America 11

NEW YORK (AP) — Oklahoma's Steve Owens, winner of the Heisman Trophy as college football's outstanding player, and Mike Reid of Penn State, recipient of the Outland Trophy as the best interior lineman, have been named to the 1969 All-America team as selected by The Associated Press.

Despite a season-ending loss to Michigan, Ohio State placed three players among the top 22, with two each coming from Tennessee, Penn State and Michigan. Top-ranked Texas and runner-up Arkansas each had one representative on the

ters—and Don Parish of Stanford and backs Jack Tatum of Ohio State, Tom Curtis of Michigan and Buddy McGlinton of Auburn.

Kell, Stillwagon and Tatum are the only juniors while Owens, Gunn, Reid and Curtis all moved up from the 1968 second All-America team.

In addition defensive back Neal Smith from Penn State was selected for the third team.

Receiving honorable mention were the following players on the offense: guard Charlie Zapiec, Penn State; centers Warren Koegel of Penn State and

6 Basketball Games on Tap This Evening

The scholastic basketball season moves into high gear this evening with six regional games on taps for fans of the hoopball sport.

The Millville High School Quakers, having a busy week, go after their fourth straight victory without a defeat but will be hardpressed as their opponent will be the Danville Ironmen, a pre-season favorite in the Susquehanna Valley Conference. The Quakers will have a slight advantage in the home court, but the Ironmen may have too much depth and will be riding high after their victory over Williamsport. Millville will be at Warrior Run on Saturday.

Southern Columbia will be seeking to rebound from a 3-point setback to Freeland in its opener when it travels to Benton. This will be a match-up of Tigers from two ends of the county with Southern probably favored as the Benton team has dropped two contests to Montgomery while shading Hughesville by a point. The game will be at Benton.

Williamsport takes on its third straight Susquehanna Valley League team in the Berwick Bulldogs. The Billporters suffered their worst defeat in a long time to Danville in their opener and were hardpressed in putting down Shamokin earlier this week. But they should be able to handle the Bulldogs who were barely in the contest they dropped to West Hazleton last week. In addition the game will be played at Williamsport.

Another SVC team, Milton, will be going after its second victory when it travels across the river to meet Lewisburg in a rivalry contest. The Miltonians defeated Warrior Run by six points, but the Green Dragons are usually strong in the cage sport.

Shikellamy opens its season at home with the opposition furnished by West Hazleton. This contest could be a good indicator of where the Susquehanna Valley Conference strength lies after the veteran studded West Hazleton teams walk-a-way against Berwick.

Selinsgrove, which nicked Lewisburg by three points earlier in the week, gets a test from West Snyder. The Seals look much improved and could be a team to be reckoned this

Standout at Southern

Ted Yeager of Wilkes Given Little All-America Mention

NEW YORK (AP) — Terry Bradshaw, quarterback, Louisiana Tech. Richard McGeorge, tight end, Elon. Doug Wilkerson, offensive tackle, North Carolina Central. Joe "Turkey" Jones, defensive end. Tennessee State.

The pros know the names and they are among 22 outstanding football players named to the small college All-America team by The Associated Press.

The rest of the offensive unit consists of end Bruce Cerone, Emporia State; tackle John Kohler, South Dakota; guards Glenn Kidder, McNeese State, and Joe Stephens, Jackson State; center Dan Buckley, Arkansas State; halfbacks Paul Hatchett, North Dakota State, and Larry Schreiber, Tennessee Tech, and fullback Leon Burns, Long Beach State.

Others on defense are end Harvey Adams, Kings Point; tackles Dave Haverdick, Morehead State, and Clovis Swinney, Arkansas State; middle guard Teddy Taylor, Eastern Kentucky; linebackers Chip Bennett, Abilene Christian, Glenn Lafleur, Southwestern Louisiana, and Calvin Lee, Willamette; and backs Merl Code, North Carolina A&T, David Hadley, Alcorn A&M, and Bruce Taylor, Boston University.

Bradshaw, a 6-foot-3, 215-pounder with a cannon for an arm, could be the first quarterback taken in the pro draft. The blond bomber passed for 2,314 yards in leading Louisiana Tech to the Gulf States Conference championship.

Schreiber, a 200-pound tailback, missed Tennessee Tech's final game with a knee injury but still finished as college football's fourth all-time rusher with 4,421 yards, 1,522 of them this season behind a line that didn't have the best blockers in the world, or even in the Ohio Valley Conference.

Hatchett led mighty North Dakota State to the top of the small college polls for the second consecutive time with 808 yards on the ground, 312 more on 19 receptions and 18 touchdowns.

Burns smashed virtually every Long Beach rushing record with well over 1,000 yards, Cerone caught 77 passes for 1,315 yards and 13 touchdowns and McGeorge, a 233-pound tight end, snared 56 for 910 yards and 13 scores.

Second Team
OFFENSE

Ends — Ed Bell, Idaho State; Mike Carter, Sacramento State.

Tackles — Bill Crone, Los Angeles Loyola; Tuufuli Uperesa, Montana.

Guards—Dave Kinkela, Puget Sound; Tom Young, Wittenberg.

Center — Mark Maneval; Angelo State.

Quarterback — Tom DiMuzio, Delaware.

Halfbacks — Arthur James, East Texas State; Frank Lewis, Grambling.

Fullback—Les Kent, Montana.

DEFENSE

Ends —Lawrence Esters, Alcorn A&M; Billy Newsome, Grambling.

Tackles — Charles Blossom, Texas Southern; Carter Campbell Weber State.

Middle Guard — Margarito Guerrero, Texas A&I.

Linebackers — Sidney Allred, Wofford; Rayford Jenkins, Alcorn A&M; Doug Linebarger, East Tennessee State.

Backs—Steve Krumrei, North Dakota State; Alvin Mathews, Texas A&I; Steve Sweeters, Santa Clara.

Third Team
OFFENSE

Ends—Charlie Brown, Northern Arizona; Dave DelSignore, Youngstown State.

Tackles—Terry Lewis, Southern UM; Doug Sutherland, Superior State.

Guards — John Johnston, William Jewell; John Travis, Akron.

Center — Billy Manning, Grambling.

Quarterback — Jim DelGaizo, Tampa.

Halfbacks — Jack Maitland, Williams; Howard Stevens, Randolph-Macon.

Fullback—Jack Brown, Weber State.

DEFENSE

Ends—Tom Anderson, Northern Arizona; Bill Russell, Troy State.

Tackles—Greg Lens, Trinity; Larry Miller, Montana.

Middle Guard — Fred Carter, Alcorn A&M.

Linebackers — Rick Whurrh-

develops.

Game Managers should not restrict the activities of the police, but rather, they should make very clear the instruction, that any belligerent or bellicose individual or any person who is under the influence of alcohol should be ejected not only from the gymnasium but also off of the school grounds.

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Coach, Athletes, Officials

Coaches should be advised prior to the first contest what the administration expects in regard to their (the coaaches) conduct. It should be pointed out emphatically that in his role as a coach, he is still a member of the faculty, and that in essence, he is in a classroom and as such, childish and immature outbursts are not to be tolerated.

Officials should be selected for competence, not in recognition of, or as a reward for, friendship. The principal is responsible for the conduct of the interscholastic athletic program of his school. He should, therefore, select the officials. The PIAA office, if requested, will gladly supply a list of competent officials, in any area of the state. Schools should mutually agree on the game officials. If

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158 lbs. Arnie Thompson, a senior from Washington, New Jersey; 167 lbs Jim Wallace, a senior from Riverside; 177 lbs Floyd Hitchock, a freshman from Stevensville; 190 lbs Ron Sheehan, a freshman from Drexel Hill; and heavyweight Jim McCue, a junior from Bernardsville, New Jersey. Captain Arnie Thompson and Jim McCue are defending Pennsylvania Conference champions.

The Huskies are scheduled to go against Milligan College at 1 p.m. and will meet Old Dominion College in the second match at 3. The evening contest against Appalachian State is set for 8. Houk has indicated he will also take the following three wrestlers on the trip to be used as replacements in case of injury: 126 lbs Larry Sones, a junior from Muncy 150 lbs Randy Minnier, a freshman from Dushore; and 177 lbs Milton Andrews, a junior from Bloomsburg.

In opening their schedule which includes two quadrangular meets, eleven dual meets, and the Wilkes Tournament, the Huskies will be out to equal or better last year's record of 11 wins, 3 losses, and 1 tie. Houk's overall record at Bloomsburg stands at 118 wins, 21 losses, and 4 ties.

Gay Brewer Leads Golf

MIAMI (AP) — Gay Brewer, a nonwinner on the golf tour for more than two years, cut out a course record-matching 65 Thursday and took the first-round lead in the $125,000 Danny Thomas-Diplomat Golf Classic.

The pug-nosed Brewer was 7-under-par on the 6,963-yard Diplomat-Presidential golf course and held a two-stroke lead over Tommy Aaron, R. H. Sikes, and rookie Jim Jamieson, all tied at 67.

Nine more were just one stroke back at 68, including Arnold Palmer, winner of last week's Heritage Golf Classic at Hilton Head, S.C.

The others are Mason Rudolph, Jerry Pittman, Homero Blancas, Tommy Bolt, Hal Underwood, England's Peter Townsend, Bert Yancey and Hugh Royer.

Brewer, 37, who hasn't scored on official victory since the 1967 Masters, had seven birdies, an eagle and a double bogey in perfect golf weather—warm and sunny without a trace of wind.

Today's Sports Card

Scholastic Basketball

Danville at Millville
Southern at Benton
Berwick at Williamsport
Milton at Lewisburg
West Hazleton at Shikellamy
Selinsgrove at West Snyder

WS VO TECH

	fg	f	pts
Brown	3	1-7	7
B'owski	7	4-8	18
O'mley	1	1-3	3
Phillips	0	0-1	0
Spanko	0	0-0	0
Dragon	4	0-0	8
Berry	0	0-1	0
Keefe	1	0-2	2
Burtige	0	0-4	0
Totals	16	6-26	38

WEATHERLY

	fg	g	pts
Kn'per	11	2-3	24
V'Dyke	3	1-2	7
Geharo	2	1-2	5
Salko	2	1-3	5
Zink	4	4-5	12
Hess	3	3-6	9
Patter	1	2-3	4
Balish	2	1-2	5
Richie	1	0-0	2
Sency	0	3-4	3
Allison	0	0-2	0
Totals	29	18-32	76

W.S. Tech	8	7	6	17—38
Weatherly	16	16	26	18—76

Officials — Pat Denoy, Jim Bach.

Texas Faces Stern Test

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Texas has won 106 games since Darrell Royal took over as coach in 1957, but he probably would trade a few victories for a one-point margin over Arkansas Saturday in college football's game of the year.

"This will be one of the sternest tests this school has ever faced or ever will face," says Royal, whose coaching career is dotted with big games.

One of the most memorable was in 1963 when a television camera caught Royal bounding on to Texas A&M's Kyle Field at College Station, his face flushed with excitement and one hand making the familiar "Hook 'em 'Horns" sign, after the No. 1-ranked Longhorns had scored late to beat the Aggies, 15-13.

Royal's first big game was the Jan. 1, 1958 Sugar Bowl against Mississippi when Ole Miss stomped the outmanned Longhorns, 39-7. "The only thing we learned from that game," said Royal, "was how not to prepare for a bowl game...We worked them too hard...Just everything went wrong."

The Longhorns returned to national prominence under Royal, and they were riding high in the polls in 1959 when a tough TCU team broke Harry Moreland loose in the ice and snow at Austin for a 14-9 victory.

Most of the Longhorn's big games have been rated that way because Texas lost. Had it won it would have been just another victory in a long string.

Underdog Rice tied Texas, 14-14, in 1962 to ruin Longhorn hopes of a national championship.

Twice Arkansas has done the trick.

Both teams were undefeated in four games in 1964 when No. 1 Texas failed on a bid for a two-point conversion in the closing minutes and dropped a 14-13 squeaker to Arkansas, which shut out its next five foes to finish the regular season unbeaten.

Texas was No. 1 and Arkansas No. 2 when the two unbeaten teams met again at mid-season in Fayetteville, Ark., in 1965, with the Razorbacks winning, 27-24, in what Southwest Conference fans regard as the measuring stick for great football games.

The mixture appears even richer this time.

All-America team as selected by The Associated Press.

Despite a season-ending loss to Michigan, Ohio State placed three players among the top 22, with two each coming from Tennessee, Penn State and Michigan. Top-ranked Texas and runner-up Arkansas each had one representative on the first team.

Joining tailback Owens in the offensive backfield are Mike Phipps, Purdue's record-breaking quarterack; halfback Bob Anderson of Colorado and fullback Jim Otis of Ohio State.

The dream backfield would have little trouble moving the ball behind a line that includes tackles Bob McKay of Texas and John Ward of Oklahoma State, guards Bill Bridges of Houston and Chip Kell of Tennessee and center Rodney Brand of Arkansas. On the flanks are tight end Jim Mandich of Michigan and split end Walker Gillette of Richmond.

The defensive unit consists of ends Jimmy Gunn, Southern California, and Phil Olsen, Utah State; tackles Reid and Mike McCoy, Notre Dame; middle guard Jim Stillwagon, Ohio State; line backers Steve Kiner of Tennessee and Dennis Onkotz of Penn State—the only repeat moved up from the 1968 second All-America team.

In addition defensive back Neal Smith from Penn State was selected for the third team.

Receiving honorable mention were the following players on the offense: guard Charlie Zapiec, Penn State; centers Warren Koegel of Penn State and Dave Magyar, Pitt; quarterback Chuck Burkhart, Penn State; halfback Charlie Pittman, Penn State, and fullback Franco Harris, Penn State.

Receiving honorable mention in defensive positions were tackle Steve Smear, Penn State, and linebackers Ralph Cindrich, Pitt, Jack Ham, Penn State, and Jim Kates, Penn.

Wager on Game

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sens. Ralph Yarborough of Texas and William J. Fulbright of Arkansas have waged a Senate meal on the outcome of Saturday's football game between Texas and Arkansas.

If Texas wins, Fulbright will serve Arkansas pork spareribs to Yarborough and guests at a luncheon in the Senate dining room.

If the Longhorns lose, Yarborough will provide Texas beef steak for Fulbright and friends.



YOUNG HUNTER HAS SUCCESS — Robert Dorsack, fourteen, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Roger Q. Burtner, Millville, is shown with the four pointer he killed on Rock Oak Ridge, in Pine Township the first day of the season.

(Morning Press Photo)

Owens Seeks Big Pro Pact; Says O.J. 'Greatest'

NEW YORK (AP) — Steve Owens picked up his Heisman Trophy Thursday as 1969's No. 1 college football player in the country and, taking a leaf from O.J. Simpson's negotiating play book, opened a campaign for a pro contract in the $250,000 neighborhood.

"I don't consider myself an O.J. Simpson—he's the greatest back that ever lived," said the bruising running back from Oklahoma before the awards dinner at which he received the bronze Heisman statuette.

"But I certainly would love to get the same type contract. I love football and how much I really want I don't know. But I've been poor all my life and I want to get paid for playing. I'd like to get the same terms as O. J.—or at least somewhere in the neighborhood."

Simpson, last year's Heisman Trophy winner and like Owens a running back, reportedly is working on a contact with the Buffalo Bills that guarantees him more than $200,000 in salary over a four-year period plus a $100,000 loan and possible incentive bonuses of $40,000.

Owens ran more, gained more and scored more than Simpson in his college career.

The leading candidates to get Owens right at the moment in the pro draft, if he goes close to the top as Simpson did last year, would be Pittsburgh and Chicago, each with 1-10 records, and San Francisco, 2-7-2, and Miami, 2-9-1.

Owens, however, said he had no particular team preference and acknowledged that the Heisman Trophy doesn't necessarily qualify a player for pro success.

Pro Basketball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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NBA

Atlanta 119, Seattle 111

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GEORGE B. PARKER

Susquehanna Valley Conference strength lies after the veteran studded West Hazleton teams walk-a-way against Berwick.

Selinsgrove, which nicked Lewisburg by three points earlier in the week, gets a test from West Snyder. The Seals look much improved and could be a team to be reckoned this season.

Hatchett led mighty North Dakota State to the top of the small college polls for the second consecutive time with 808 yards on the ground, 312 more on 19 receptions and 18 touchdowns.

Burns smashed virtually ev-

Vikings Rate Even-Money

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Minnesota Vikings fell before Los Angeles by sizeable margins in two encounters in 1967 and 1968 but are an even-money choice to beat the Rams here Sunday.

Los Angeles' coach, George Allen, was asked to explain the resurgence of the Vikings, back-to-back winners in the Central Division of the National Football League.

"There are several reasons," said Allen, "including the fact that Bud Grant and Joe Kapp have now been together in the NFL for three years.

"You know I am a great believer in experience and that's what the Minnesota coach and his quarterback now have."

The Vikings, after losing the first league game of the season to the New York Giants, have won 10 straight. The Rams, runaway champions in the Coastal Division, are unbeaten in their 11 games.

State.

DEFENSE

Ends—Tom Anderson, Northern Arizona; Bill Russell, Troy State.

Tackles—Greg Lens, Trinity; Larry Miller, Montana.

Middle Guard — Fred Carter, Alcorn A&M.

Linebackers — Rick Whurrhward, Howard State; Len Pettigrew, Ashland. Robert Young, Texas A&I.

Backs—Billy Casey, East Tennessee State, Tim Chandler, Pacific Lutheran; Sonny Pallija, Akron.

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Pennsylvania players receiving honorable mention were:

OFFENSE

Ends—Mangan, Ursinus; McGown, Gettysburg; Millaer, Lafayette.

Tackles — Lemmon, Gettysburg.

Quarterbacks — Blucas, Indiana, Pa; Casterline, Mansfield State; Dukett, East Stroudsburg; Erdeljac, Clarion State; Ganeyn, Allegheny; Lukey, Otterbein; Pastorini, Santa Clara; Ruby, Gettysburg.

Halfbacks — Yeager, Wilkes; Zimmerman, Albright.

Fullbacks—Triolo, Lafayette.

DEFENSE

Tackles—House, Santa Clara; Koepff, Lehigh.

Middle Guards — Drabinan, Susquehanna.

Linebackers — Lieb, Lehigh; Zaninelli, Moravian.

Backs—Lee, Temple; Ruger, Bucknell.

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BERWICK

Carverton Road Relocation Aired

Proposed relocation of Carverton Road in Kingston Township was discussed at a public hearing last night in township building.

Present at the session were Robert W. Kilcullen, Joseph E. Quinn, Michael Pasonick and R. R. Radomski of State Highways Department; Thomas A. Donde, Thomas J. Kane and Robert J. Schneider of A. E. Peters Associates, planning consultants, and State Rep. Frank O'Connell.

The road will be relocated from Route 309 in Trucksville to West Eighth Street in West Wyoming, and it was pointed out at the meeting that several homes in the area would have to be demolished to make room for the roadway. The project will involve expenditures of approximately $2,250,000.

Rep. O'Connell described the relocation of the road as a "priority project," meaning that bids for the job will be advertised as soon as funds become available. Presently, the State has not allocated the necessary funds to the highway department, but it is expected revenue soon will be provided, O'Connell said.

The design for the road has been approved by the highways department, it was pointed out at the session.

Also included in the project is the installation of a sidewalk on both sides of the highway to Maple Street and from Maple Street to Hillside Avenue the pedestrian walk will be on the south side of the roadway.

Several persons present at the session inquired as to the procedures involved in the razing of their homes and the necessity of relocation.

Representatives of the State Highways Department explained that before homes and property are taken, those persons affected will be notified by letter, a relocation survey will be made, and agents and appraisers will contact homeowners, who will be reimbursed for the current market price available on their properties.

Rep. O'Connell, commenting on the session, stated: "I thought this was an excellent meeting. People cooperated in spite of problems presented where property would be taken. I wanted the information to be given first hand to put a halt to the rumor factor. The persons involved are entitled to know the facts."

Number Saves Base $275,000

Duryean to Be Honored for Idea

Richard Queeney, 122 Parkcrest Drive, Duryea, will be honored next week at the U. S. Army Material Command's second annual cost reduction awards ceremony in Huntsville, Ala.

A Tobyhanna Army Depot employe, Queeney is credited with saving $275,000 during fiscal 1969.

The award, an inscribed plaque, will be presented Thursday at a dinner in Huntsville's Sheraton Motor Inn by Gen. Ferdinand Chesarek, AMC commanding general.

Others from Tobyhanna to be honored are Anthony Gwiazdowski, Stroudsburg; John Gavenonis, Plymouth, the depot's cost reduction action officer and Commanding Officer Col. Paul R. Poulin, who will receive the Organization Achievement Award, a streamer to be attached to the Cost Reduction Flag won by the depot last year.

Queeney and Gwiazdowski teamed up to submit the depot's largest money-saving idea, which rescued 140,000 feet of power cable from going to surplus for eventual disposal.

They found a Federal stock number for the cable, stored in one of the depot's seven large warehouses.

Queeney explains, "We suggested that the cable be reclassified, and notified the Electronic Command's purchasing office in Bhiladelphia not to initiate a procurement for the item." The cable is used in a large number of communications sets assembled at the depot.

An electronic equipment repairer helper, Queeney has been employed at Tobyhanna almost three years. Previously he worked for a finance company in Pittston.

He is a graduate of Pittston High School, Class of 1956, and served three years in the Marine Corps.

Queeney is married to the former Beverly Martone. The couple has a son, Richard Shawn, 2 years old.

Dupont

McCoola Named 'Man of Year'

Former University of Scranton grid coach Vincent J. Mc-

Tunkhannock

Gelatin With Holiday

Practical Nurse Trainees Hold Clinic



(Photo by Ace Hoffman Studios)

Wilkes-Barre City School District's Practical Nursing Class participated in a groomng clinic conducted by Mrs. Marilyn Gauntlett at the Practical Nursing facility in the Guthrie School Building.

Mrs. Nancy Reese, coordinator of the nursing school, arranged the program in which the nursing trainees took an active part. The program included theory and practical tips on grooming and hair styling for the professional woman; wardrobe "know-how," and ways to attain graceful posture and walking.

Marianne Best, a student, is shown seated during the demonstration on the application of makeup. Other student models standing are: Gerrie Pecone, Patricia Bango and Margo Maffei.

Members of the class observing the procedures are: Susan Austin, Joyce Bartell, Jeanne Bonomo, Bonnie Bowman, Barbara Cannarello, Maryellen Delaney, Sybil Dirner, Eileen Gearhart, Maryanne Glomb, Judith Golias, Mary Gorewich, Maureen Harcarik, Molly Horn, Barbara Johns, Bannette Kane, Bonnie Klem, Eileen Klimek, Alice Ksiaskiewicz, Annette Lacey, Roseanne Lalko, Irene Lonser, Carol Morkavage, Mary Moscatelli, Loura Mugford, Debbie Pelliccia, Mary Piccillo, Roseann Popowich, Michaeleen Potoeski, Dianne Singer, Genevieve Sitar, Barbara Tolensky, Carol Wiercinski, Caollen Zavada, Barbara Zigmont.

The grooming clinic was one phase of the pre-clinical training of the students. Sixteen weeks are devoted to this training at the Guthrie School training center. Thirty-two weeks of training in clinical work follow at General Hospital. This is the 16th class trained by Wilkes-Barre City School District program, which opened on February 16, 1959. Kenneth J. Muchler, director of vocational education for city schools, directs the program.

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Committee Asked To Make Reports

Committee in charge of the toyland party to be sponsored Sunday at 2 in the auditorium of St. Leo Church by members of the School and Home Association will be on duty in the church auditorium during the school luncheon period today to accept reports on the affair.

Association will meet in the church auditorium Tuesday at 7:30 with Mrs. Leo J. Gildea presiding. Following a short business meeting the group will hold a Christmas party and will exchange dollar gifts. Mothers of 10th grade students with Mrs. Joseph Galardi chairman will act as hostesses.

7 Children Die in South Carolina Fire

Clinton, S. C., Dec. 4 (AP) — Seven children died tonight in a fire that swept their two-story frame home while they slept, authorities said.

The father was hospitalized with severe burns and the mother for shock. Six of the children were theirs and the seventh was a nephew.

The father of six of the children, identified as Edward William Walker, 31, was found in a ditch severely burned. He was taken to a Greenville hospital in undetermined condition.

Firemen said they believed the blaze started when a kerosene heater exploded.

The children were identified as Ronnie Ladner, 12, the cousin; and Jackie Lee, 9; Andrew, 8; Ezrie, 7; Edward Jr., 4; Charlene, 3; and Sharon Diane, 1.

The Walkers had moved into

Food Stamp Program Extended by Nixon

Washington, Dec. 4 (AP) — Dr. Jean Mayer, President Nixon's food expert, told a news conference today the President had ordered the food stamp program extended to 350 counties whicr do not presently operate such a program.

The news conference was called in connection with the White House Conference on Food, Nutrition and Health, of which Mayer is director.

He said the food stamp extension order had gone to Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

Mayer used a figure of 350 counties, but the Agriculture Department said that as of Dec. 2 there were 306 counties and independent cities which had not accepted food programs. Of these, 234 are located in Kansas, Missouri, Texas and Virginia.

Hanover

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Sportsmen Arrange Date for Election

Forty Sportsmen's Club of Hanover Township will meet December 12 with John Mendegral presiding.

Election of officers will be held. Nominees are: President, Felix Czajkowski; vice president, Joseph Sukaloski, Jr.; secretary, John Mendegral; treasurer, Joseph Sukaloski, Sr.; sergeant at arms, George Salance, and directors, Jacob Kemmerer, Leonard Yackabowski, John Fostock, George Samance and Walter Mapes.

HOLIDAY RECESS TO START DEC. 19

Popular Music Concert Given

Juanita King Group Performs at Wilkes

(CONTRIBUTED)

Continuing its policy of offering a variety of concerts and lectures to the community, Wilkes College, under directorship of Dean George Ralston, presented last night at the Center for the Performing Arts a program of popular music by the Juanita King Singers of New York.

Concert and lecture series has in the past offered opera, excerpts from Shakespearean plays, Chautauqua lectures, poets, comedy, musical plays, talented singers, and in general, the scope and range of the offerings in the series have been off the beaten track.

Juanita King singers, too, followed the same format, in that it wasn't the usual kind of singing group, nor the usual songs, nor even the usual sort of presentation.

Programatically, the songs included such familiar standards as "Falling in Love With Love," "They Called the Wind Maria," "And This Is My Beloved," "The Way You Look Tonight," but the method of delivery made them worthy of hearing again. There were other songs more notable, such as "Romany Life," "Blowin' in the Wind," "Sea Moods," Puccini's "Flower Duet," "Couldn't Hear Nobody Pray," "Ain't Got Time to Die." Outstanding soloists were Betty Jordan, who has a high penetrating, very rich soprano, and Richard Kaufman, who displayed an attractive baritone in a comic "aria" entitled "Old Mother Hubbard." Juanita King presented two solos, "Life and Death," based on a poem by Samuel Coleridge Taylor, and "Gonna March Down to Jordan." Piano accompanist was Benjamin Gray.

Miss King is a voice instructor with a large group of talented students. The four men and four women with her last night were selected students whom she sends out on tour to colleges in order to give them stage experience.

Individually and as a group they were attractive and personable, friendly and easy to talk to. The sang well together, and seemed at ease. Their voices were varied and attractive. However, they do need polishing as an ensembly group. Their exits and entrances were labored, and the staging often contrived. However, they do not work constantly as a group, but individually take other engagements, so that perhaps their time together is too limited to enable them to develop a professional looking show. It is

Discussions To Continue

Dialogs Slated For Seminary

Early in 1970 dialogs which were begun at Wyoming Seminary in November on education, values and personal involvement will be continued as a special service to the community, it was disclosed yesterday by Mrs. Charles Nelson, chairman of a new Dialogs Committee at the school.

"We have been moved by the quality of attendant response to those sessions," she said, "and it seems evident that a lot of concerned people in this valley can benefit from such open discussion on relevant subjects."

Mrs. Nelson reported that February 5, March 14 and May 15-16 have been set as continuance dates for dialog sessions giving particiants opportunity to express their personal views in depth.

"We are hopeful that this highly personal form of information exchange will prove attractive to lots of Valley citizens who weren't able to attend the earlier sessions."

Students and teachers from other Valley schools will be invited to the scheduled February 5 session at 8 p. m. on the Kingston campus. It will deal with the topic of education as it prepares, or may fail to prepare, today's youngsters for the changing 1970s.

She said members of the Dialogs Committee were ironing out continuance plans to be reported soon. Other members are Mrs. Karl Arbogast, Mrs. Louis Berger, Mrs. Charles Flack, Stanley Davies, Vincent Gutendorf, Agnes Gregson, Robert Parker, Wesley Lewis, Patti Podesta, Mrs. F. Lewis Reese, and students Sherry Kopko, Marion Barnard and Rick Hale.

Sniper Is Captured By Pittsburgh Police

Pittsburgh, Dec. 4 (AP) — Police firing volleys of tear gas, flushed a sniper from an apartment building tonight after they said he shot one man to death and injured another with a rifle.

As the police brought the stocky, bearded middle-aged man from the three-story building, it erupted into flames. It was not immediately clear how the fire began.

The man was taken into custody after police fired tear gas into the building for more than an hour. Moving under a volley of bullets coming from the sniper's high-powered rifle police managed to work their way to

Coola, now of Camp Hill, has been named "Man of the Year" by the Catholic War Veterans Post 707, Harrisburg, and will be honored at a dinner Monday night in Steelton.

McCoola, a native of Dupont, is adviser to higher education in the Bureau of State Colleges and Universities, State Department of Public Instruction.

McCoola is being cited "for his efforts to strengthen new programs in state education and his varied functions in Catholic War Veterans Activities."

He was assistant football coach at the U of S and taught in his native Dupont. He has spoken regionally at various functions, including graduation exercises.

He is married to the former Mary Wasilenko of Dupont, a school teacher. They have two sons.

AMVETS TO FETE CHILDREN DEC. 19

Annual holiday party for children of Greater Pittston Amvets Post 189 will be December 14 at Polish-American Citizens' Club, Elm Street, at 2. Movies will be shown and gifts will be presented to the children by Santa Claus. Membership dues will be accepted at this time.

POLISH CLUB TO NOMINATE

Nomination of officers will be held by Polish-American Citizens' Club Saturday at 8 in the clubrooms. Ted Bryk will preside.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dupont Hose Company will hold a fund-raising party Sunday at 7:30 in the hose house. Sam Darbenzio is in charge of arrangements.

Dupont 13 Club will hold its holiday party Sunday night at Dupont VFW Post Home.

Exeter

MOTHERS TO HOLD PARTY

Christian Mothers Altar and Rosary Society of St. Anthony's Church will hold its holiday party Tuesday at Fox Hill Country Club. Party will begin at 6:30 and gifts will be exchanged.

Mrs. Tina Zekoski is chairman; Mrs. Shirley McDonnell and Mrs. Nancy Recupero are cochairmen. Rev. Francis Pio is pastor.

Announcements

Annual reception ceremony for new members of sodalities of St. Anthony's Church and a rededication for members will be held Sunday at the 9 a. m. Mass. Rev. Lawrence Pio is pastor.

Exeter High School Class of 1960 will meet Tuesday at 7:30 at 1050 Wyoming Avenue to make plans for the 10th anniversary reunion.

Pensioned Miners will meet today at 1:30 in Town Hall, according to Leo Chiavacci, secretary-treasurer of Pensioned Miners Protest Committee.

Plan on School Menu

Cafeteria menu for the week at Tunkhannock Area School District:

Monday, southern fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, buttered green beans, fruit muffin and butter, chilled peaches, milk; Tuesday, meat loaf and gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, rolls and butter, chilled applesauce, milk; Wednesday, oven fried chicken, rice and gravy, buttered corn, rolls and butter, fruit cup and milk; Thursday, hamburger on roll, harvard beets, pineapple upside-down cake, milk; Friday, pizza, macaroni salad, pineapple and cottage cheese salad, red and green gelatin and milk.

Sweet Valley

Personals

Mrs. Martha Evans, who had been a patient in Nanticoke State General Hospital, is spending some time with her daughter, Eleanor Decowski, Nashville, Mich.

Mrs. William Edwards, Marysville, is home from Polyclinic Hospital, Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fish recently left for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Rev. and Mrs. Worden J. Updyke have returned home after spending the Thanksgiving holiday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Brown, Angola, N. Y.

Paul Pardew, Towson, Md., visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hess and sons of Johnstown have been here visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bronson and Mr. and Mrs. James Culp took a cruise recently to San Juan, Amalie, St. Thomas and Virgin Islands. They covered some 3,000 miles during the seven-day trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl White left recently to spend some time in Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. Roland C. Updyke spent Thanksgiving with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Wilson, Johnson City, N. Y.

Mrs. Michael Petroski is home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Birth Kittle of RD 1 Sweet Valley announce the birth of a son November 30 in General Hospital.

Warrior Run

RETURNS FROM VISIT

Mrs. Anna Petrovich, 341 Boyle Street, has returned from a visit to Detroit, where she visited her daughters, Mrs. Emma Sam and Mrs. Dolores Haener.

The largest city in Oregon is Portland, with a population of about 386,000.

PARTY TONIGHT

Adult Fellowship Group of the Centenary United Methodist Church will hold their Christmas dinner party at Irem Country Club tonight at 6:30. Mrs. George Howorth is president.

PIZZA TODAY FOR PUPILS

School and Home Association of St. Leo School will serve pizza to students at the school today during luncheon.

BOARD MEETING TODAY

Reorganizational meeting of Ashley-Sugar Notch Joint School Board will be held at 5 today at the high school, Ashley Street. Austin Flynn will preside.

Announcements

Msgr. Joseph T. Hammond, pastor of St. Leo Church, announced confessions will be heard Saturday from 4 until 5 and Saturday night from 7 until 8.

Confessions will be heard at Holy Rosary Church Saturday from 4 until 7.

St. Leo High School basketball team of the Catholic League will play at Pocono Catholic High School tonight. Junior varsity game will start at 6:15.

St. Leo Church Choir will meet today at 2:45. Mass will be celebrated today at 5:15.

Ashley Belles and Brothers of the Brush, organizations of the Ashley centennial group, will present a fashion show at the Town Hall Monday night at 7:30.

Parsons

Legion Auxiliary Sets Monday Party

Parsons American Legion Auxiliary Unit 199 will hold its Christmas party Monday at 6:30 at Parsons Theatre Hall, George Avenue.

Mrs. Sara McCabe is chairman, assisted by: Decorations, Mrs. Josephine Brown and Mrs. Sue Barna, favors, Mrs. Claire Maloney and Mrs. Mary Evans. Publicity, Mrs. Thelma Barteld; reservations, Mrs. Rita Havard, Mrs. Viola Watkins.

Each member is to bring a $1 exchange gift.

Mrs. Claire Maloney is unit president.

3 State GIs Killed

Washington, Dec. 4 (AP)—Three more Pennsylvania servicemen have died in Vietnam, the Defense Department reported today.

Listed as killed in action were Army S. Sgt. Stacy Kresho, son of Mrs. Mary Kresho, of Pittsburgh, and Army Pfc. Dennis A. Greeley, son of Mildred A. Bozurick, of Pittsburgh.

Army Spec. 4 Dennis A. Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen R. Watson, of Turbotville, was listed as dead not as a result of hostile action.

the house earlier in the day. They had come to Clinton from Florida two months ago.

Cotner Not Informed About New Deputy

New deputy marshal has been assigned to Lewisburg by U. S. Department of Justice, it was reported yesterday.

He is Robert Johnson, presently stationed in Washington, D. C. He will fill the Lewisburg vacancy created when Dick Holtzman took reassignment as chief deputy at Savannah, Ga.

Marshal Frank W. Cotner, Middle District of Pennsylvania, a Democrat, yesterday confirmed reports he had not been consulted by Washington in the Johnson assignment.

Cotner said he first learned of the new deputy when Johnson visited his office earlier this week.

State Driver Figures In Fatal Accident

Knowlton Township, N. J. Dec. 4 (AP) — Lemuel L. Shipps, 24, Blairstown, was killed tonight when his station wagon collided head on with a tractor-trailer on Route 46 in this Warren County community.

Driver of the tractor-trailer, Richard A. Keiser, 36, Danville, Pa., escaped injury.

State Police said Shipps was traveling east in the westbound lane when the accident happened directly across from the Spring Brook Tavern.

Miners Mills

SOCIETY MEETING TO PLAN DINNER

Altar and Rosary Society of Blessed Sacrament Church, will meet tonight at 8 in the church hall.

Plans will be completed for the fourth annual Christmas dinner to be held Sunday at 5 at the American Legion Home, Miners Mills. Margaret Barrett is chairman and Mrs. Margaret Mattson, cochairman.

Mrs. Nancy Litchman, president, announced hostesses will be Carol DePolo, Mildred Sudnick, Helen Rogan, Marion Sillup. Rev. John J. Kelley is moderator.

Bucs Lure Valdiserri

Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 4 (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates announced two administrative changes today.

Roger Valdiserri, sports information director at Notre Dame, was appointed special assistant to the general manager and public relations director of the Pirates.

He succeeds Jack Berger, who has been appointed director of group sales and promotions.

Patrolman Gilbert Returns to Duty

Wilkes-Barre City Patrolman Anthony Gilbert, who had been off duty since October 15 as a result of being struck by an automobile while directing traffic, returned to work last night on the 11 p. m. shift.

He suffered contusions of the left hip, thigh, and right ankle as the result of the accident that occurred while doing duty traffic at South River and West Market Streets.

A Nanticoke woman, who drove the car, claimed she was blinded by the sun and did not see Officer Gilbert.

Mocanaqua

Neighborhood Unit To See Film on Drugs

Mocanaqua Neighborhood Organization will meet Monday at 8 at Polish Falcons Club. A film on drug addiction will be presented by Pennsylvania State Police. Latest developments on oxygen treatment for local residents will be discussed. Refreshments will be served. Paul Szczepanski is president and Frank Cerreta is recording secretary.

Duryea

BRICK CHURCH LISTS SCHEDULE

This schedule of services and events at Brick Methodist Church for next week was announced by Rev. Norman P. Kase, pastor:

Sunday, 10 a. m., worship; 11:15, Sunday School classes; 6, choir rehearsal; 6:30, cantata rehearsal.

Monday, Brownies meeting, 4 and Junior Girl Scouts, 6:30.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., charge conference, and 8:30, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 8 p. m., Women's Society meeting.

CANVASS TO CONTINUE

Christmas lighting fund drive will continue until all homes have been canvassed. Project is being sponsored by Duryea Lions Club and Stanley Kunigiel, Jr. is chairman. Michael Girman and John Backely are cochairmen.

Luzerne

CHARLES STREET TRAFFIC 1-WAY

Police Chief William Tregan reminded residents that Monday through Friday from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m. Charles Street will accommodate only one-way traffic traveling east from Chapel to Academy Streets. No parking is allowed on the south side of the street at any time, the chief stated.

Herbert Pearson, superintendent of Hanover Township Schools, announced the public schools will close December 19 at 2:30 for Christmas and New Year holiday. Classes will resume January 5. Appropriate programs will be held in all schools before recess.

Announcements

St. Michael's Auxiliary will hold a Christmas dinner party Sunday at 5 at St. Michael's Hall, Breslau. A cocktail hour will be held from 5 until 6, followed by dinner and a program. Dollar gifts will be exchanged. Rev. and Mrs. Myron Sterniuk will be guests of honor at the affair.

In Amvets Bowling League Raiders will bowl the Clowns tonight at 7:30.

Hanover Hawkeys basketball team coached by John Budjnoski will play at home tonight, meeting Ashley-Sugar Notch High School Rockets at Memorial High School. Junior varsity game will start at 7.

COMMUNION SERVICE

Rev. Milo D. Singer, pastor of Baptist Tabernacle, announced that a Communion service will be held at the church Sunday morning at 10. Music will be presented by the choir. Sunday School will meet following services.

Wilkes-Barre Township

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Citizens Urged To Attend Hearing

Interested citizens were urged to attend the hearing Tuesday at 2 in Luzerne County Courthouse concerning the sanitary planning and zoning commissions, planning and zoning lommissions, board of adjustment and zoning officer, Michael Malast, will attend.

STONE IN HOSPITAL

John Stone, Anderson Street, is a patient in Wyoming Valley Hospital where he underwent two major operations.

PARTIES SCHEDULED

Democratic Women will hold their Christmas party Saturday at Plains American Legion Home.

St. Joseph's Altar and Rosary Society will hold its party Sunday evening at Treadway Inn.

Montrose

Miller on Panel

James J. Miller of Montrose has been named to the regional advisory group of central New York medical program for a three-year term. Appointment was made by Council of State Univesity of New York Upstate Medical Center, Syracuse.

fact, however, that there was enought talent in the group last night to take them a long way, and for those who were willing to overlook small deficiencies, it was a pleasant way to pass a night.

Swoyersville

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PTA Party Dec. 15

Swoyersville PTA will have a dutch treat Christmas party December 15 at 7 at Towne House, Rutter Avenue, Kingston. For reservations call Jo Moore. Dollar gifts will be exchanged. Fruit cakes can still be ordered from Mary Ann Volack. There will be no meeting in December.

POST TO PAY TRIBUTE

Legionnaires of Post 644 will meet tonight at 7:30 at the post home, Shoemaker Street, to go to the funeral home in Wyoming to pay respects to the late comrade, Francis Smith.

Saturday morning at 8:30 the burial detail will convene at the post to conduct a military funeral for Smith. Cmdr. Anthony Munley asked all men in the detail to be present.

FIREMEN TO PAY TRIBUTE

Maltby Volunteer Fire Company will meet tonight at 8 at fire house, Owens Street, from where they will proceed to funeral home, 168 Wyoming Avenue, Wyoming, to pay respects to Francis Smith. Funeral detail will meet Saturday morning at 8 at hose house, Owens Street, to attend the funeral.

PARTY AIDES CALLED

Committee for the Christmas party of Confraternity of Christian Mothers of Holy Trinity Church will meet in the school auditorium Sunday at 7.

WAFER SUPPER SLATED

Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church will hold its wafer supper January 11 at 6 in the church hall. Angelo Licata is chairman.

Seymour Joins Rams

Los Angeles, Dec. 4 (AP)—Pass receiver Jim Seymour, a first round draft choice from Notre Dame, and linebacker Dean Halverson, a two-year player from the University of Washington, were back in Los Angeles Ram uniforms today.

The two completed six-month tours in the Army and rejoined the Rams after discharge. Neither has been activated but are back in training.

All-Stars Play July 14

Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 4 (AP) —Charles "Chub" Feeney, newly elected president of the National League, announced today the 1970 All-Star game will be played at Cincinnati July 14.

the second floor of the building one floor below the man.

Police had surrounded the building about 10 p. m. after rifle shots were reported in the neighborhood, a residential section in the Hill district.

Police sent in dogs after the first rounds of tear gas failed to rout the man. They said the sniper shot two dogs.

The injured man was listed in satisfactory condition in Presbyterian University Hospital. Mercy Hospital said the other man was dead on arrival.

Telephone Lines, Poles Pulled by Rig

A tractor-trailer, hauling debris from a redevelopment project in the first block of South Pennsylvania Avenue yesterday afternoon, caused damages to two utility poles and lines.

Police reported a tree trunk, on top of the debris, hooked onto power and telephone lines, pulled over the telephone pole and then snapped off a Pennsylvania Power & Light Company pole.

Loose wires scratched the parked car of Wayne Rader, RD 1 Weatherly.

Operator of the tractor-trailer was Donald Urick, 35, Murryville, Pa. Vehicle is owned by American Demolition Company, Pittsburgh.

Niemann Released

Boston, Dec. 4 (AP) — The Boston Celtics today cut third string center Rich Niemann, reducing the squad to its 12-man limit.

The cut made room for rookie Jo Jo White, who has been carried on the team for several weeks as a 13th man following his release from military service.

Niemann, a 7-footer from St. Louis, was obtained on waivers from Milwaukee in October. He appeared in only six games with Boston, scoring six points.

Plymouth

MOTHERS LIST SUNDAY BAKE SALE

Confraternity of Christian Mothers of St. Stephen's Church will sponsor a bake sale Sunday after all Masses.

Members are asked to bring baked goods to the church before all Masses. Mrs. George Andreko and Mrs. Francis Chervy are cochairman.

Annual holiday party will be held December 21 at 6 at Tony's Restaurant, West Shawnee Avenue.

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Wilkes Rallies for 72-70 Victory Over Ithaca

Davis Makes Payoff Goal

Wilkes College won its second basketball game in as many outings last night, squeeking by Ithaca College, 72-70, at Ithaca.

Wilkes' Rich Davis scored a field goal with 32 seconds left on the clock for the winning margin.

Trailing 65-56 with eight minutes to play, the Colonels of Coach Bob Rainey rallied to win and spoil the opener for the York Staters and make amends for the football team's showing at Ithaca last season.

Ithaca had stopped the 32-game winning streak for the football Colonels to earn national recognition in October, but the basketball team was unable to duplicate the showing of the gridders and bowed on the work of Frank Jannuzzi, Herb Kemp, Davis and Bill Umbach.

Wilkes led at halftime, 37-33, but Ithaca's Bombers developed a hot hand on the work of Gail Wrighter, the 6-5 forward who tallied 15 points, Bob Cahill and Ed Williams to pull ahead.

Just when it appeared the Colonels would collapse completely, Jannuzzi sparked an uprising that turned the tide. He had 10 of his 17 points—high for the team—in the final eight minutes.

Frank's three-pointer cut the Wilkes deficit to 70-68 with two minutes remaining. Then Kemp tied the score with a basket and Davis decided the outcome with a two-pointer in the closing seconds.

Davis was strong off the boards as he led both teams with 13 rebounds. Kemp made nine. Davis finished with 13 tallies and Kemp 14 while Umbach came through with 16. Jannuzzi now has 40 points in two starts.

Jay Reimel was the Wilkes leader in assists as he baffled the Bombers with his ball handling, especially late in the fray.

Wilkes	G	F	Pts.	Ithaca	G	F	Pts.
Reimel	2	4	8	Cahill	4	2	10
Umbach	7	2	16	Shields	2	0	4
Jannuzzi	5	1	17	Veronesi	5	0	10
Davis	6	1	13	Williams	4	5	13
Ockenfull	1	0	2	Wrighter	7	1	15
Kemp	6	4	11	Derillis	1	0	2
				Tatterson	2	3	7
Totals	27	18	72	Rowley	4	1	9
				Totals	29	12	70

Halftime score—37 to 33, Wilkes leading. Fouls tried—Wilkes 28, Ithaca 20.

St. Nicholas Captures 4th

The star-studded St. Nicholas cagers bowled over Hanover, 104-45, in a home exhibition game last night to give them a 4-0 record.

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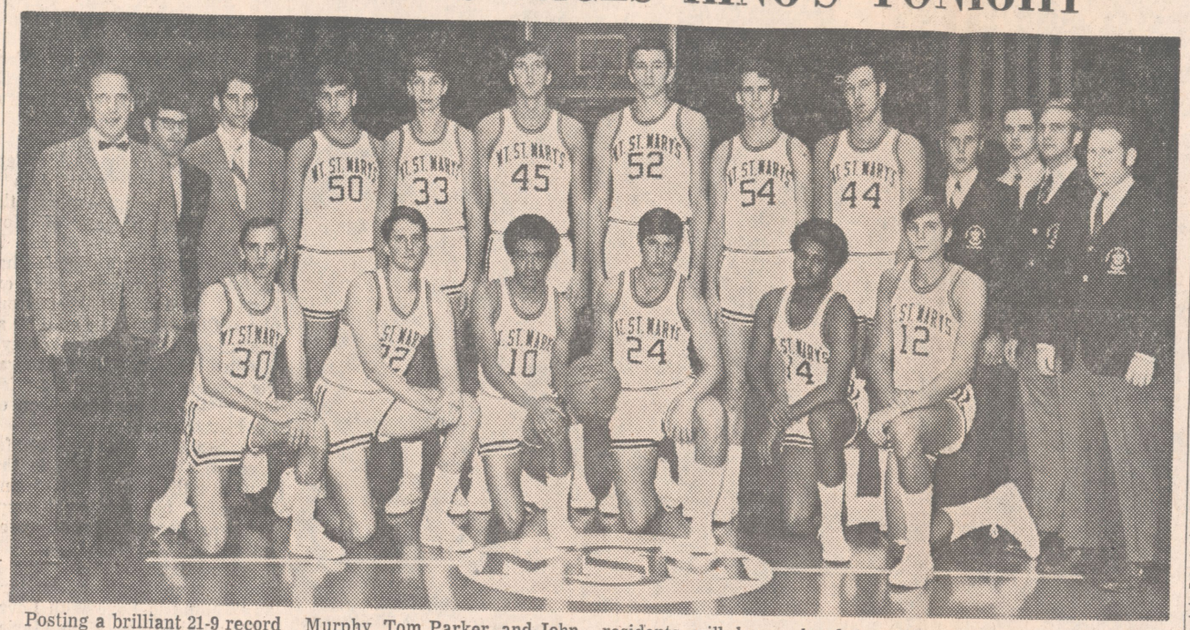
MOUNT ST. MARY'S FACES KING'S TONIGHT



Posting a brilliant 21-9 record record last year, this is the Mount St. Mary's College basketball team which opposes King's College tonight at 8:30 in the King's gym as the Monarchs open the season. King's frosh face Pine Brook Junior College at 6:30 in the opener.

Pictured are members of the visiting team in first row, left to right are Austin Leonard, Mike Kelly, Lou Grillo, Steve Murphy, Tom Parker, and John Novey.

Standing: Coach Jim Phelan, Bob Strine, Chuck Kingsley, Jeff Banasz, Tony Mattessich, Bob Sutor, Bob Riley, Mike Carney, Pete Goodwin, Bob Oriano, Don Fitzgerald, Charlie Waldron and Assistant Coach Tom Ryan.

Coach Ed Donohue of King's pronounced his team ready and hopes a fine turnout of area residents will be on hand tonight as a community-type gesture to cheer the Monarchs to a win over the Mount.

Spirit has been running high at Mount St. Mary's and they have high hopes of winning the crown in the Mason-Dixon Conference this year.

Some indication about the spirit of the Mount is the fact that some 300 students are expected to make the trip from Maryland to accompany their fine team and help root it to a win over the Monarchs in the season opener for both colleges.

Although the Mount has two 6-9 performers, their 5-11 guard, Lou Grillo, is tabbed as one of the men to watch. For the past two years, he made the Mason-Dixon Conference All Star team and averaged 15 per game from his guard slot.

Owens and Reid Head All-America Team

New York, Dec. 4 (AP) — Oklahoma's Steve Owens, winner of the Heisman Trophy as college football's outstanding player, and Mike Reid of Penn State, recipient of the Outland Trophy as the best interior lineman, have been named to the 1969 All-America team as selected by The Associated Press.

Despite a season-ending loss to Michigan, Ohio State placed three players among the top 22, with two each coming from Tennessee, Penn State and Michigan. Top-ranked Texas and runner-up Arkansas each had one representative on the first team.

Joining tailback Owens in the offensive backfield are Mike Phipps, Purdue's record-breaking quarterback; halfback Bob Anderson of Colorado and fullback Jim Otis of Ohio State.

Receiving honorable mention were tackle Al Zerfoss, veteran 230-pounder on the Wyoming team, and halfback Charley Pittman, the leading scorer in Penn State history.

The dream backfield would have little trouble moving the ball behind a line that includes tackles Bob McKay of Texas and John Ward of Oklahoma State, for 261 yards, giving him a career total of 3,867 yards, most in the history of major college football. For the season, he led the nation in rushing and scoring with 358 carries for 1,523 yards and 23 touchdowns.

"He's amazing," said one opponent. "In the fourth quarter he's still coming at you for the 30th or 40th time and you can't believe anybody can still be running that hard."

Phipps, rated the best quarterback in the country by such opponents as Alex Agase of Northwestern and Lou McCullough, Ohio State's defensive coach, completed 169 of 321 passes for 2,527 yards and 23 touchdowns and set all sorts of Big Ten offense records.

Anderson, another slashing runner like Owens, made a difficult switch from quarterback to halfback after two games and finished with 954 yards and 18 touchdowns.

Otis, who "picks up short yardage better than anyone I've had," according to Coach Woody Hayes, ripped off 1,027 and 15 touchdowns in only nine games.

Mandich, second leading passcatcher in Michigan history, also is an excellent blocker and was named the team's most valuable player.

Gunn, leader of Southern Cal's "Wild Bunch" defensive line, is quick and able to turn most plays inside. Utah State had a losing record but Phil Olsen is considered by some a better athlete than brother Merlin, a pro star with the Los Angeles Rams. "He'll be a great tight end in pro ball," says Coach Church Mills, "but we couldn't afford to play him there. He meant too much to our defense."

The tackles were runaway choices. McCoy is a 274-pounder with good mobility while Coach Joe Paterno of Penn State says that "no lineman in the country is as good in his position as Reid. I compare him with Tommy Nobis and Bob Lilly."

ALL-AMERICA TEAM

New York, Dec. 4 (AP)—Here is te 1969 All-America football team as selected by The Associated Press:

OFFENSE

Tight End—Jim Mandich, Michigan, 6-3, 222, Senior, Solon, Ohio.

Wide Receiver—Walker Gillette, Richmond, 6-5, 200, Senior, Capron, Va.

Tackles—Bob McKay, Texas, 6-5, 250, Senior, Crane, Tex.; John Ward, Oklahoma State, 6-4½, 248, Senior, Tulsa, Okla.

Guards—Bill Bridges, Houston, 6-2, 230, Senior, Carrollton, Tex.; Chip Kell, Tennessee, 6-0, 245, Junior, Decatur, Ga.

Center—Rodney Brand, Arkansas, 6-2½, 225, Senior, Newport, Ark.

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Fullback—Jim Otis, Ohio State, 6-0, 214, Senior, Celina, Ohio.

DEFENSE

Yeager of Wilkes Gains Honorable Mention on Little All-America

New York, Dec. 4 (AP)—Terry Bradshaw, quarterback, Louisiana Tech. Richard McGeorge, tight end, Elon. Doug Wilkerson, offensive tackle, North Carolina Central. Joe "Turkey" Jones, defensive end. Tennessee State.

The pros know the names and they are among 22 outstanding football players named to the small college All-America team by The Associated Press.

The rest of the offensive unit consists of end Bruce Cerone, Emporia State; tackle John Kohler, South Dakota; guards Glenn Kidder, McNeese State, and Joe Stephens, Jackson State; center Dan Buckley, Arkansas State; halfbacks Paul Hatchett, North Dakota State, and Larry Schreiber, Tennessee Tech, and fullback Leon Burns, Long Beach State.

Others on defense are end Harvey Adams, Kings Point; tackles Dave Haverdick, Morehead State, and Clovis Swinney, Arkansas State; middle guard Teddy Taylor, Eastern Kentucky; linebackers Chip Bennett, Abilene Christian, Gleen Lafleur, Southwestern Louisiana, and Calvin Lee, Willamette; and backs Merl Code, North Carolina A&T, David Hadley, Alcorn A&M, and Bruce Taylor, Boston University.



TED YEAGER

Ted Yeager, the superb halfback who set all kinds of records for Wilkes this season although he's only a sophomore, received honorable mention.

Bradshaw, a 6-foot-3, 215-pounder with a cannon for an arm, could be the first quarterback taken in the pro draft. The blond bomber passed for 2,314 yards in leading Louisiana Tech to the Gulf States Conference championship.

Schreiber, a 200-pound tailback, missed Tennessee Tech's final game with a knee injury but still finished as college football's fourth all-time rusher with 4,421 yards, 1,522 of them this season behind a line that didn't have the best blockers in the world, or even in the Ohio Valley Conference.

Hatchett led mighty North Dakota State to the top of the small college polls for the second consecutive time with 808 yards on the ground, 312 more on 19 receptions and 18 touchdowns.

Burns smashed virtually every Long Beach rushing record with well over 1,000 yards, Cerone caught 77 passes for 1,315 yards and 13 touchdowns and McGeorge, a 233-pound tight end, snared 56 for 910 yards and 13 scores.

Penn Picks Fuddy

Philadelphia, Dec. 4 (AP) — Jim Fuddy of Hazleton, a linebacker, has been elected captain of the 1970 Penn football team, it was announced today. Fuddy was a starting defensive tackle as a sophomore and moved to the line backing position last season.

William Walsh Gets 7th Deer in 9 Years

William Walsh of Bradford Street continued his fine hunting record when he bagged a four-point buck weighing 145 pounds in the Thornhurst area Wednesday.

It was his seventh kill in nine years of hunting and his biggest in this period.

Others in the party were Pete Nelson, Richard Wright and William Wright.

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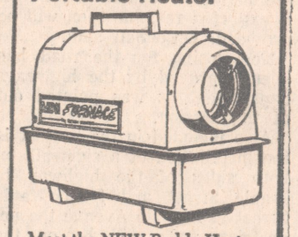

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Exhibition games tonight include St. John's at Wyoming Area, Freeland MMI at St. Mary's, Coughlin at West Side Tech and Wyoming Seminary at St. Vincent's, where Coach Red Jones of the Vinnies will try for his 100th win.

Hanover	G	F	Pts.
Sheloski	4	2	10
Dunn	5	3	13
Krzyzewski	0	0	0
Wilker	1	0	2
Stanley	0	1	1
Hollock	0	0	0
Kaminski	6	5	17
Lenski	0	2	2
Totals	16	13	45

St. Nicholas	G	F	Pts.
Desciak	6	5	17
Dgherty	10	2	22
Schappert	3	0	6
Miscavage	13	0	26
Szalk'ski	1	1	3
Perry	0	0	0
Reilly	4	0	8
Schrode	3	1	7
Petroski	5	4	14
Lisman	0	1	1
Rogers	0	0	0
Dohman	0	0	0
Totals	45	14	104

Hanover	9	10	6	20—45
St. Nicholas	28	30	25	21—104

Fouls tried—Hanover 25, St. Nicholas 24. Officials—Field and Latinski.

Receiving honorable mention were tackle Al Zerfoss, veteran 230-pounder on the Wyoming team, and halfback Charley Pittman, the leading scorer in Penn State history.

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The defensive unit consists of ends Jimmy Gunn, Southern California, and Phil Olsen, Utah State; tackles Reid and Mike McCoy, Notre Dame; middle guard Jim Stillwagon, Ohio State; line backers Steve Kiner of Tennessee and Dennis Onkotz of Penn State—the only repeaters—and Don Parish of Stanford and backs Jack Tatum of Ohio State, Tom Curtis of Michigan and Buddy McGlinton of Auburn.

Kell, Stillwagon and Tatum are the only juniors while Owens, Gunn, Reid and Curtis all moved up from the 1968 second All-America team.

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Otis, who "picks up short yardage better than anyone I've had," according to Coach Woody Hayes, ripped off 1,027 and 15 touchdowns in only nine games.

Mandich, second leading passcatcher in Michigan history, also is an excellent blocker and was named the team's most valuable player. Gillette latched onto 57 passes for 1,090 yards and 11 touchdowns despite a shoulder injury which lasted two games and made it impossible for him to lift his right arm.

McKay, a 250-pounder, was the prime hold-opener for Texas' great running backs while Ward, at 248, probably can step right into the pros as a pulling guard. Ward also doubled on defense much of the time.

Tackles—Bob McKay, Texas, 6-5, 250, Senior, Crane, Tex.; John Ward, Oklahoma State, 6-4½, 248, Senior, Tulsa, Okla.

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DEFENSE

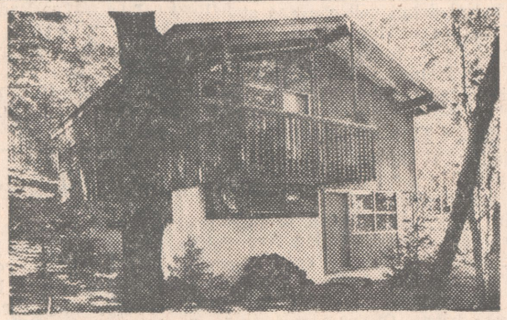
Ends—Jimmy Gunn, Southern California, 6-1, 210, Senior, San Diego, Calif.; Phil Olsen, Utah State, 6-5, 255, Senior, Logan, Utah.

Tackles—Mike Reid, Penn State, 6-3, 240, Senior, Altoona, Pa.; Mike McCoy, Notre Dame, 6-5, 274, Senior, Erie, Pa.

Middle Guard—Jim Stillwagon, Ohio State, 6-0, 216, Junior, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Linebackers—Steve Kiner, Tennessee, 6-1, 220, Senior, Tampa, Fla.; Dennis Onkotz, Penn State, 6-2, 212, Senior, Northampton, Pa.; Don Parish, Stanford, 6-2, 210, Senior, Paso Robles, Calif.

Backs—Jack Tatum, Ohio State, 6-0, 204, Junior, Passaic, N. J.; Tom Curtis, Michigan, 6-1, 190, Senior, Aurora, Ohio; Buddy McClinton, Auburn, 5-11, 190, Senior, Montgomery, Ala.



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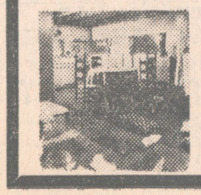
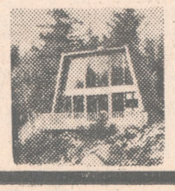




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Baltimore Comes From Behind To Down Los Angeles, 24 To 17

COLTS RECOVERY OF FUMBLE IN FOURTH PERIOD BIG PLAY

By GORDON BEARD
Associated Press Sports Writer

Baltimore (AP)—Mike Curtis will have two metal pins removed from a mending broken thumb today, and he hopes the operation will give him more football mobility.

But the bulky cast worn by Baltimore's Middle linebacker may have restricted his play just enough Monday night to produce a 24-17 victory for the Colts over the Los Angeles Rams.

With his right thumb in a rigid position and unable to grasp properly. Curtis used his arm as sort of a club to jar the ball loose from Larry Smith of the Rams in the fourth quarter.

Fellow linebacker Ted Hendricks snared the ball in full stride and romped 31 yards into the end zone for a touchdown which snapped a 10-10 tie with 9:03 to play.

Scores by Baltimore's Tom Matte and Matt Maslowski of the Rams were added in the closing two minutes, but it was the fumble popped free by Curtis which turned the tide in the nationally televised game.

"Without the cast, I probably would have tried to grab him," Curtis said. "But with the cast, all I tried to do was closeline him around the chest. I happened to get in front of him and knock the ball out of his left hand."

Hendricks first saw the ball about seven feet in the air, and grabbed it about a foot off the ground. He wasn't sure whether it hit the turf or not.

"It was a freak thing, and I just happened to be there," Hendricks said. "My only thought was to make sure I recovered the ball and didn't fumble."

Just 82 seconds before Hendricks score, a 32-yard field goal by Baltimore's Jim O'Brien had tied it 10-10, overcoming a Los Angeles lead that had existed since just before halftime.

Matte, Baltimore's 32-year-old workhorse who gained 97 yards, had given the Colts a 7-3 lead with the first of his two touchdowns with 5:26 to go in the second quarter.

But the Rams, who opened the scoring with David Ray's 20-yard field goal, struck back quickly. They drove 60 yards in seven plays to go in front 10-7 on a 12-yard TD pass from Roman Gabriel to Les Josephson.

"I was happy to see Matte have a great game," Baltimore Coach Don McCafferty said. "Everybody knocks him for being too old and being a 'garbage can runner.'

"He may be the oldest running back in the league, but he's a money ball player."

The Baltimore game plan didn't call for Matte to carry the ball as much as he did, but he was given added responsibility after Norm Bulaich—already running a fever—reinjured his ailing left foot.

"We couldn't spring anything with Bulaich," quarterback Earl Morrall said, "so we stuck with the plays Matte was working well."

The victory pulled Baltimore to within a half-game of first place Miami in the American Conference East, while the Rams fell 1½ games off the pace from front-running San Francisco in the National Conference West.

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GOT HIM FROM BEHIND—Larry Smith, 38, Los Angeles running back, is caught from behind by Baltimore linebacker Mike Curtis, 32, following a short gain in last night's National Football League clash here. Smith carried 11 times for 46 yards, as the Rams lost to the Colts, 24-17. (AP Wirephoto)

INSIDE SPORTS

By *John Zimich*



Ted Yeager, the "Catawissa Flash," winds up a brilliant grid career for Wilkes College Saturday afternoon at New Concord, Ohio, against Muskigum.

When all the cheering is over, Ted will have left seven records behind. Going into last Saturday's contest with East Stroudsburg State College, the mini-sized star was the sole author of five grid marks for the Colonels and co-holder on another.

After the smoke cleared Saturday, Ted became the holder of two more marks. He broke Ron Rescigno's season rushing mark of 810 yards, which was established in 1957, and Marv Antinnes' season record of 180 carries, which was set in 1960. Yeager now has garnered 834 yards on 191 carries and is sure to add on to that total Saturday afternoon.



TED YEAGER

Yeager enters the finale with 2,751 yards gained on 597 rushing attempts. He has accounted for 134 points along the way.

His other records include career rushing, 2,751; career rushes, 597; career offensive yards, 2,751; single game rushing, 172, and single game carries, 42. The single game rushing mark is shared with Paul Purta, former Wilkes fullback.

Not bad for a guy who was a little uncertain of his chances of playing collegiate football. "I really loved the sport and thought I would give it a shot," he offered. "I told myself I would quit if I wasn't doing too well after two years."

Yeager came principally to Wilkes with the intention of performing on the mats. He was guided to the local college by his high school wrestling coach, Nelson Wilcox. Wrestling was the little man's best sport at Southern Columbia High School, and

COWENS STARS AS CELTICS BEAT ROYALS

Omaha, Neb. (AP)—Boston protected its lead in the Atlantic Division of the National Basketball Association on the above-average-shooting of Dave Cowens and a late point flurry defeating Cincinnati 120-109 in the only league game Monday night.

A crowd of 6,035 watched a Cincinnati rally fall short in the fourth period in the only pro basketball game to be played in Omaha this season.

Cowens hit for 30 points, 11 above his average, as the Celts rolled to a 97-83 third-period advantage, then needed some quick baskets to turn back a rally by the Royals.

Boston, making its record 9-2, used connections on jumpers and drives by Jo Jo White—who scored 24—to build the third quarter lead.

Nate Williams came off the bench to lead a comeback try for the Royals, who trailed throughout. Cincinnati cut the margin to 106-100 before Don Nelson and Cowens put it out of reach for Boston with two goals each.

Williams, who finished with 26 points to lead the Royals, scored three baskets late in the game.

GUENTHER IS TOP BOWLER

Rochester, N. Y. (AP)—Johnny Gunther, who had given serious thought to quitting the tour because of recent poor performances, same all the way back Monday night to take first place in the $40,000 Mercury Open bowling tournament.

The 35-year-old righthander from Seattle, Wash., took the lead after 18 games of the qualifier in this fourth annual event and faltered only once as he breezed to his sixth Professional Bowlers Association championship.

Midway in Monday afternoon's second of three eight-game blocks of match play that comprised the finals, Guenther dropped from the lead, trailing Curt Schmidt, Fort Wayne, Ind., by as much as 51 pins.

The eventual winner, however, soon found the range once again. He finshed the day's first set with a 6-2 mark, then came back with a 7-1 record in the final session to win the first place prize of a new automobile by a comfortable 278-pin margin.

Second place went to Dick Weber, the St. Louis, veteran who has captured 22 BPA titles. Weber made a run at the cham-

Jerry LeVias Enjoys Working With Youth

By ED SCHUYLER JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

New York (AP)—Jerry LeVias starred for two seasons with pro football's Houston Oilers but hasn't even played much with San Diego this season.

The kids don't care.

"Kids are not as impressed with professional athletes as much as they used to be," says LeVias, who speaks to groups of teen-agers about the challenges and problems they face.

The kids don't care that LeVias, an exciting receiver with Houston, is used mostly as a punt returner with San Diego and he gets just as much mail from them as before, he says.

"I still get about a half sack of mail a week. When I was in school I was gettting about a sack a week and it wasn't all nice," says LeVias.

He knows about problems.

He went to Southern Methodist University, the first black ever to get a football scholarship in the Southwest Conference.

The racial harassment, he says, was bad during his first two years of college and he thought seriously of quitting. But he stuck it out to become an All-American and Rookie of the Year in the old American Foot-

about his opportunity to work with youth.

"It makes me appreciate myself more because I work with a lot of handicapped kids. It makes me count my blessings."

REILLY IS ON FIGHT CARD

Scranton, which has just staged a world's light heavyweight championship bout, is coming through with another banner attraction, which should serve as good news to the boxing fans in this area.

The A.B.A. Boxing Club, of which Al Binik is the promoter, is putting the stellar show on at the Scranton Catholic Youth Center, 500 Jefferson Ave., on

JABBAR PACES NBA SCORERS

New York (AP)—Kareem Jabbar of the Milwaukee Bucks holds the National Basketball Association lead in scoring average and field goal percentage, league statistics showed today.

The 7-foot-2 Jabbar, who won both titles last season under the name of Lew Alcindor, is averaging 31.5 points a game and has a .607 field goal percentage.

Wilt Chamberlain, Los Angeles' towering center, strengthened his lead in rebound average, raising his mark from 18.8 to 19.6 the past week.

Player-Coach Lenny Wilkens of Seattle also remained No. 1 in assists with a 9.3 average. Meanwhile, guard Stu Lantz of Houston moved into the foul shooting lead, hitting 60 of 67 free throws for a .896 percentage.

The scoring leaders:

	G	FG	FT	Pts.	Avg.
Jabbar, Mil.	11	145	57	347	31.5
Love, Chi.	11	119	62	300	27.3
Van Arsdale, Cin.	9	96	53	245	27.2
Hudson, Atl.	11	109	73	291	26.5
Lanier, Det.	12	118	68	304	25.3
Goodrich, L. A.	12	120	59	299	24.9
Marin, Balt.	12	119	61	299	24.9
Walker, Det.	12	116	66	298	24.8
Haywood, Sea.	12	111	71	293	24.4
Russell, G. S.	13	127	62	316	24.3

Dick Selma of the Philadelphia Phillies struck out 153 National League batters in 134 innings in 1970.

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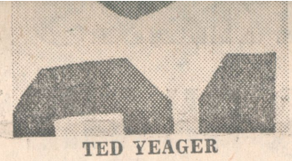

TED YEAGER

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The "Catawissa Flash" went out for wrestling in his freshman year but decided to forego the sport after that time.

While at Southern Columbia at Catawissa, Yeager led his team to the Class "B" football championship. His playing weight was 135. He earned 10 letters there, including four in wrestling, three in baseball, two in football and one in track. He now stands 5-6 and weighs 160.

In just two years, he became the greatest rusher in the school's history. His picture hangs in the school foyer at Southern Columbia (In Wilkes uniform).

"I was sitting on top of the hill prior to a scrimmage at Princeton University and was the most surprised person in the world when Coach Rollie Schmidt called me to play on the second team," Yeager recalled. "This occurred during my freshman year, and, prior to our first game, I was delighted to see my name on the Vermont travel list.

"I got my chance to start when Dave Kaschak, former Central Catholic product, incurred an injury in practice."

Wilkes received the opening kickoff in the Vermont tilt and a star was "born." Following the first play, which was a run by lefty Joe Zakowski, Yeager took his first collegiate carry off right tackle, broke to the middle and romped 67 yards to paydirt. "One of my biggest thrills," he said.

In the Vermont clash, Ted racked up 116 yards in a game which saw the Colonels grid stock soar with a 31-9 convincing victory over the Catamounts. In his second collegiate game, Yeager garnered 113 yards against Moravian and was named to the weekly All-East squad.

"The thing that impressed me most about my freshman year was the friendliness of the seniors and the coaching staff," the Wilkes tailback said. That's the year Wilkes won its second Lambert Bowl with an 8-0 log.

A history major, Ted has earned seven Wilkes letters in football and baseball. He served as co-captain of the baseball and grid teams. He received All-American honorable mention honors in his sophomore year and All-MAC last Spring with the baseball team.

He hit .339 last season and, in his sophomore year, led the MAC in stolen bases. Ted was fourth in the country in that department as a sophomore.

A modest guy, he has a brother, Mike, who is a senior end for East Stroudsburg, and two other sisters. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeager.

Yeager was named to the Division III All-East team this week, marking the second time he has accomplished the feat this season. Only reason he missed out in being selected to the MAC team in his junior and senior years was due to the fact Wilkes was ineligible for the Northern Division crown.

Wouldn't it be great for Yeager to make the Division III All-East team for 1971 along with Little All-American honors?

Not bad for a young man from Catawissa who intended wrestling to be his main sport in college.

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The victory pulled Baltimore to within a half-game of first place Miami in the American Conference East, while the Rams fell 1½ games off the pace from front-running San Francisco in the National Conference West.

"The loss just means we're going to have to work harder to catch San Francisco," said Coach Tommy Prothro of the Rams. "We only have one more game with them, and that's a point in their favor."

Baltimore has two games remaining in the final six weeks against Miami, the first on the road on Nov. 21.

Prothro noted the Rams had difficulty maneuvering in the second half because of poor field position, and contended they were hurt in the first half by "those two penalties."

Baltimore's lone scoring drive in the opening half was twice kept alive when rookie safety Dave Elmendorf of the Rams ran into Baltimore's punter Davil Lee, giving the Clots a first down each time.

"He gave me a good shot the first time," Lee said, "and on the second one, he just ran into me."

Elmendorf, animated and disgusted, claimed otherwise.

The rookie from Texas A&M claimed he tipped the ball on the first punt, and said he "may have brushed him a little bit" on the second kick.

"I think the second one was more of an acting job by Lee," Elmendorf said. "After that, all I knew was that I didn't want to rush any more."

Biddy Cagers

Heights biddy basketball group will hold registrations tonight and tomorrow night for boys interested in playing biddy basketball.

Registrations will be held at the Model cities Office 294 E. Market St., from 6 to 8 P. M. both nights.

Any boy 9 to 12 years of age wishing to register must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and must bring his birth certificate.

soon found the range once again. He finshed the day's first set with a 6-2 mark, then came back with a 7-1 record in the final session to win the first place prize of a new automobile by a comfortable 278-pin margin.

Second place went to Dick Weber, the St. Louis, veteran who has captured 22 BPA titles. Weber made a run at the champion in the final block, spilling 1881 pins—average of 235—while taking six games.

Guenther, however, started out with 9,209 games, then followed with 245, 255, 227, 230, 256 and 233 for a 1970 effort. His average over that span was 246 and for the 42-game event he went at a 228 clip and took a total of 19 match games. Each match game victory earned a bonus of 30 pins.

Schmidt, who holds one crown, held on for third place, losing out to Weber by only 15 pins.

Anthracite Bowl Aides Will Meet

The Wyoming Valley Anthracite Football Bowl Committee will hold a meeting Thursday night at 8 at the Plymouth American Legion Home. This will be first football bowl game which will be played at the Huber Stadium in Plymouth, on November 20 at 2 p. m.

The contestants selected to play in this game are "The Golden Knights" of King's College and the "Royals" of Scranton University. The teams will vie for a large trophy carved from solid anthracite coal. The winner of the game will possess this football trophy for one year after which it will have to be turned over to the winner of next year's game.

Proceeds of this game is being played for charity will be divided equally with the Heart, Cancer, Crippled & Retarded Children Societies and American Legion charities.

Tickets can be purchased at the Kirby Health Center, American Legion post homes, at the colleges and from committee members.

University, the first black ever to get a football scholarship in the Southwest Conference.

The racial harassment, he says, was bad during his first two years of college and he thought seriously of quitting. But he stuck it out to become an All-American and Rookie of the Year in the old American Football League in 1960 although he is only 5-foot-10 and 178 pounds.

"The kids want to know what did I think about the spitting and name calling," LeVias says. "I tell them I wasn't going to let narrow-minded people stop me. I was there for a purpose."

And primarily, it is life's purpose, opportunities and problems, that the teen-agers want to talk and write to LeVias about.

The oil company, which sponsor's LeVias' talks to kids and other groups, once got a letter from a girl who said:

"Frankly, I wasn't very excited about listening to some football player I had never heard of before make what I thought would be a boring speech. When he began, though, my opinion changed entirely. Instead of a speech, he gave us some blunt words about the world we're going into. He gave us some feeling of what it is like to be proud. That was worth listening to."

"The kids today are more aware of what's going on," says LeVias, who offers the kids such opinions as:

—"I don't think all kids should go to college."

—"I'd hardly suggest to a young man to make a future out of football, because of the lack of longevity of a player's career."

However, he says that he is not sorry about choosing a football career for himself, because it's been quite an experience—and so have his "rap sessions" with the kids.

LeVias, who says he is not bitter about being traded to San Diego or being relegated to a reserve role, expresses pleasure

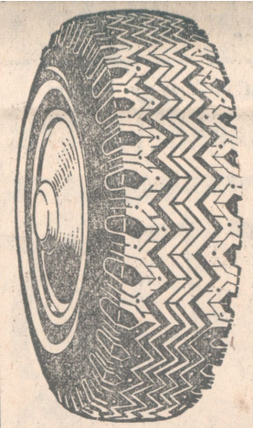
championship bout, is coming through with another banner attraction, which should serve as good news to the boxing fans in this area.

The A.B.A. Boxing Club, of which Al Binik is the promoter, is putting the stellar show on at the Scranton Catholic Youth Center, 500 Jefferson Ave., on Wednesday night, Nov. 17, with the first bout going on at 8:30.

Thus far three standout matches have been arranged, including two 10 rounders, and an eight rounder, which will compare favorably with the pair of main events.

Billy Dolphin, the fighting Irishman from Dunmore, who has always pleased in his many performances, takes on Luigi Colavito, Montreal, while Sammy Goss, the sensational featherweight from Philadelphia, meets JoJo Jackson, also of Montreal. These two bouts are booked over the 10 round route.

The eight rounder presents Irish Jimmy Reilly, of Wilkes-Barre, who clashes with Serge Proulx, Quebec. Two other preliminary bouts will be announced shortly.



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Coughlin Club To Meet Wednesday

Coughlin High School Football Boosters Club will meet Wednesday night at the North End Athletic Association Club, North Main Street, city.

Plans for coming affairs will be continued. The Pigskin Prom scheduled for Friday, Nov. 26, at the Coughlin gym. Coaches Joe Moran and Tim Rushton are heading committees at the school for this affair. The booster club is to have a booth at the school fair to be held on Saturday, Nov. 20. Bob McBride was named chairman of this project.

A special pre-Thanksgiving eve affair is in the planning for Nov. 24. All former football players are invited to attend with a special invitation to the athletes of the deade, ie, 1931, 41, 51, 61 This meeting will be held at the Plains American Legion.

At tomorrow's meeting, Moran will show the film of the Lake-Lehman-Coughlin game played last Saturday. President John Zych will preside.



OFF TO GAME—Hanover Township Notre Dame Club attended the Notre Dame-Pittsburgh game Saturday at Pittsburgh.

Members shown include: Frank Sabat, chairman; Joseph F. Schintz, Dan Stadulis, Walter Boyson, Sr., Walter Boyson, Jr., Jack Joseph, John Monahan, Edmund Wasley, Michael Hrichison, Joseph Martinez Frank Halat, Robert Kreidler, Edward Gomulka, Albert Cvilik, John Polak, Thomas Beshada, Daniel Bilak, Joseph Collins, Marty Cunningham, James Curham, John Dragon.

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YEAGER HONORED — Ted Yeager, former Southern Columbia Area High School standout, and record-breaking halfback at Wilkes College, was honored at a testimonial dinner Sunday in the Hotel Magee, Bloomsburg. All former coaches of Yeager were in attendance. Seated, from left, Yeager, and Roland Schmidt, head coach at Wilkes. Standing, Jon Vastine, former coach at Southern; Pat Mondock, former Southern coach who is now at Washington and Jefferson; Richard Roberts, Catawissa Redskins coach, and Joseph Sarra, also a former coach at Southern, who now coaches at Lafayette College.

Catawissa's Ted Yeager Honored; Jersey Retired

BLOOMSBURG — Number 21, the jersey worn by Ted Yeager during a brilliant four-year career at Wilkes College, was retired Saturday night during a testimonial dinner for the diminutive scatback in the Hotel Magee.

Roland Schmidt, head coach at Wilkes, made the announcement and then presented Yeager with his white jersey. Schmidt said the blue jersey with the same number will be placed in the trophy case at the college, never to be worn again by a Wilkes football player.

Schmidt said Yeager's number was retired "because of his accomplishments during his career. He had a lot of heart and guts, and pound-for-pound he was the best football player I've ever seen."

The college mentor said one thing which stood out about Ted during his tenure at the college was his politeness. When Ted first arrived at the school, Sch-Nesbitt revealed how Yeager would return home on weekends and take baskets of apples back to his dormitory to sell to classmates.

All of the football coaches in Yeager's career were present at the dinner, including Richard Roberts, Catawissa Redskins; Patrick Mondock, Jon Vastine and Joseph Sarra, former head coaches at Southern Columbia, and Schmidt.

Mondock is now coaching at Washington and Jefferson, while Sarrah, who delayed a trip to the National Collegiate Athletic Association conference in Miami, is coaching at Lafayette College.

Eugene Farley, chancellor at Wilkes, was unable to attend the testimonial, but sent a letter of commendation to the athlete.

Also in attendance were John Reese, athletic director at Wilkes; Arthur Hoover, assistant dean of men and secretary of alumni affairs; George Pawlush, Wilkes, and Jonah Goobic, backfield coach at Wilkes.

Gene Donzaleski, baseball coach at the college; Ralph Galicki, president of the Wilkes College Football Parents Association, and George Leffler, president of Southern Columbia Athletic Booster Association.

Japan Opens Olympic Camp

SAPPORO, Japan (AP) — The 1972 Winter Olympics Village in Sapporo, Northern Japan, will be officially opened Wednesday —but the Village's post office beat the gun by beginning business today.

More than 100 cooks recruited to help feed the 1,779 athletes also plan to begin working Tuesday when they will cook up what officials describe as "a feast" for 250 persons who have been selected to taste the

Shamokin Mat Squad Victorious, Mt. Carmel Ties, Lourdes Loses

SHAMOKIN — A 7-1 decision by Shamokin Area High School's Bob O'Gara in the final match gave the Indian wrestlers a 24-21 win over Wyoming Valley West Saturday night in the annex gymnasium.

The meet was tied, 21-all, going into the final match. The Indians trailed, 12-6, early in the meet, but came back with five straight decisions in the middleweights to take a 21-12 lead. The losers tied the score with a fall and a decision.

Shamokin boosted its overall record to three wins and two losses. The Indians are 2-1 in the Susquehanna Valley Conference.

Ned Moser, Shamokin Area's 95-pounder, was the only one to win by a fall for the Indians. Winning decisions for the Purple and White were Keith Jeremiah (127), Bob Engle (133), Bill Rawding (138), Dave Filarski (145), and Nick Varano (154).

Moser pinned his opponent in 5:48, but the score became tied at 6-6 when teammate Ray Roth was pinned in 2:57 by Ben Ermak in the 103-pound battle.

Shamokin's Tom Fredericks (112) and Roy Thompson (120) lost decisions. Fredericks was beaten 10-1, while Thompson dropped a 7-3 decision. Shamokin trailed 12-6, at this point.

The Indians then came back with five straight decisions by Jeremiah, Engle, Rawding, Filarski and Varano.

John Schrader, Shamokin's 165-pounder, lost a 7-4 decision to Fred Lohman. Teammate Pete Norvick, 180-pounder, was pinned in 31 seconds by Bernie Bigga, before O'Gara ended the meet.

In the junior varsity meet, Shamokin lost a 42-15 decision.

Four boys were victorious for the Purple and White. Steve Hojnacki, 127-pounder, pinned John Roper in 2:15 for the lone fall recorded by the Indians.

Winning decisions for Shamokin were Fred Eisenbaugh (95), Dennis Varano (145) and Jeff Snyder (180).

Next meet for the Indians will be Thursday at home against Selinsgrove in a Susquehanna Valley Conference.

Results of the meet are:

VARSITY

95 — Ned Moser, S, pinned Gary Streepy, 5:48. (6-0).

103 — Len Drmak, WVW, pinned Ray Roth, 2:57. (6-6).



RAWDING IN CONTROL — Bill Rawding, top, Shamokin Area's 138-pounder, is in control of Joe Manta, Wyoming Valley West, as he wrestles to an 8-2 decision. The Indians won the meet, 24-21, on a 7-1 decision by Bob O'Gara in the heavyweight division. (News-Item Photo)

Red Raiders Lose Fourth in 5 Starts

MIDDLEBURG — Falling behind, 12-0, in the early matches, Our Lady of Lourdes Regional High School wrestlers could not rebound and dropped a 29-17 verdict Saturday night to Middleburg Area.

It was the fourth loss in five starts for the Red Raiders as they suffer their worst start in the school's history. Middleburg is now 3-2.

Five boys won decisions for the Red Raiders. They were Rich May (120), Steve Matzura (133), Bill Reuter (145), Edward Ososkie (154) and Steve Kalinoski (Hwt). Mickey Rovito (138) drew.

To date, Steve Matzura has the best dual meet record for Lourdes with a 4-0-1 mark.

The Raiders fell behind, 12-0, after three matches. Pat Mack, Lourdes' 95-pounder, lost a 9-4 decision to Dave Stock, Jim Lanciano (103) was pinned by Middleburg's Jerry Stock in 3:38, seconds of the match to score the decision.

Dave Gidaro, Lourdes was pinned in 3:29 in the 127-pound match. Matzura followed with a 13-5 decision over Dave Shirk. Rovito drew, 1-1, in the 138-pound class.

Reuter and Ososkie followed with decisions to cut the Middleburg lead to six points, 20-14, but a forfeit in the 165-pound division widened the spread.

John Mrowka, Lourdes, lost a 2-0 decision before Kalinoski won 4-0 in the final bout.

Lourdes' junior varsity lost a 32-27 decision, but the young Raiders looked good with three pins and as many decisions.

Winning falls for the Raiders were Gary Long (145), Bob Oberosler (154) and Jim Leavens (Hwt). Decisions were recorded by Joe Pitingolo (95), Henry Miller (112) and Tom Glosek (127).

Next meet for the Raiders will be Thursday at Tri-Valley

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138—Nick Rovito, L, drew with Rick Mull, 1-1 (20-8).

145—Bill Reuter, L, decisioned Brad Twigg, 6-1 (20-11).

154—Ed Ososkie, L, decisioned Dave Maneval, 7-4 (20-14).

165—Don Laudermilch, M, won by forfeit (26-14).

180—Dave Mitchell, M, decisioned John Mrowka, 2-0 (29-14).

Hwt.—Steve Kalinoski, L, decisioned Luke Butcosk, 4-0 (29-17).

Junior Varsity

95—Joe Pitingolo (L) decisioned Ed Nornhold, 4-2. (3-0)

103—Charles Ballentine (M) pinned Dino Rovito in 3:53. (3-6)

112—Henry Miller (L) decisioned Tim Scholl, 6-0. (6-6)

120—Joe Laubernilch (M) won by forfeit. (6-12)

127—Tom Glosek (L) decisioned Jeff Kohrman, 3-0. (9-12)

133—Anthony Long (M)

BLOOMSBURG — Mount Carmel Area wrestlers won decisions in their final two matches, but it was only enough to gain a 24-24 tie Saturday night against Bloomsburg.

Bloomsburg took an early lead, lost it and regained it again but the Tornadoes Joe Mattucci at 180 and Dave Kijewski at heavyweight, came through with clutch decisions to wipe out the Panther hopes for a victory.

At 95, Bo Anceravage clamped Mount Carmel's Jeff Stello in 1:42 of the opening period and after Mount Carmel's John Owens decisioned Ernie Creasy at 103, Bloomsburg's Robin Hammaker won by default over Ron Lentini at 112.

Mount Carmel came back and captured the next four events, three by decisions and one on a pin by John Tomedi over Brian Spezialetti at 138, to take the lead.

But Bloomsburg came back as Dick Nesbitt blanked Mount Carmel's Fran Strike, 5-0, at 145 and Tom Snyder followed with a fall over Mike Girardi of Mount Carmel at 154.

Dale Kreamer, Bloomsburg's outstanding 165-pounder, shot his team to a six point advantage with an easy 8-2 decision over Rich Greco, but the Panthers couldn't hold the lead as Mattucci and Kijewski won the last two bouts for the tie.

In the preliminaries, Mount Carmel defeated Bloomsburg, 35-14.

No results of the junior varsity meet were submitted.

Results of the varsity meet:

95 — Bo Anceravage, B, pinned Jeff Stello, 1:42 of 1st.

103 — John Owens, MC, dec., Ernie Creasy, 9-0.

112 — Robin Hammaker, B, won by default over Ron Lentini.

120 — Dave Howell, MC, dec., Peter Coy, 3-0.

127 — Joe Ficca, MC, dec. Rick Dillon, 9-0.

133 — Tom Rossi, MC, dec. John Downs, 5-0.

138 — John Tomedi, MC, pinned Brian Spezialetti, 1:00 of 1st.

145 — Dick Nesbitt, B, dec. Frank Strike, 5-0.

154 — Tom Snyder, B, pinned Mike Girardi, 1:08 of 3rd.

165 — Dale Kreamer, B, dec. Rich Greco, 8-2.

180 — Joe Mattucci, MC, dec. Rod Harter, 6-2.

chance to make the team.

His first talk with the head coach resulted in Ted saying simply "yes sir" and "no sir" to all questions.

Schmidt said four years later, when Yeager's career came to an end, he still, used the same answers to all questions.

"It's time to cheer for a real winner like Ted, instead of publicizing the antics of the draft card burners and other rebels of this world," Schmidt added.

Charles Nesbitt, athletic director at Southern Columbia High School, the school Yeager, who is a native of Catawissa, served as master of ceremonies and presented a "This is Your Life" format for the proceedings.

Nesbitt started the program with a picture of Yeager when he was 18 months of age and proceeded, through pictures and dialogue, to the point where Yeager was the last man to leave the field at New Concord, Ohio, after his final collegiate contest, against Muskingum University.

Nesbitt noted how Yeager began and ended his collegiate career on notes of glory.

A s a freshman, against the University of Vermont, Yeager scampered 67 yards for a touchdown the first time he carried the ball.

To ring down the curtain on his college career, Yeager smashed for one yard and a TD against Muskingum.

Nesbitt noted how fate must have played a part in the final TD for Yeager. The clock had run out with Wilkes on the one-yard line. However, a penalty was noted against Muskingum, and Wilkes had another chance to run the ball. That was when Yeager blasted over for his final TD.

Also brought out at the dinner were the many records set or tied by Yeager.

Included among season marks were most carries in a game, 43 against Lycoming College in 1971; most points in a season, 80 in 1971; most touchdowns in a season, 13 in 1971; most yards rushing in a season, 952 in 1971, and most carries in a season, 217, also in 1971.

Career marks established by Yeager included most points, 158; most touchdowns, 26; yards rushing, 2,869, and most carries, 623.

Records tied by Yeager included most points per game, 24; most touchdowns in a game, four, and yards rushing in a game, 172.

Yeager averaged 119.6 yards per game and ranked fifteenth in the nation in the category. He was twelfth in the nation in points per game average with 10.

On the light side of the ledger,

College Football Season Ends; North Wins in Bowl

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Nine days into 1972, the 1971 college football season finally ended.

After what may have seemed like a million regular season contests, a thousand bowls and a hundred all-star games ... it's over.

The last straw was the Lions American Bowl, won Sunday by the North All-Stars 27-8 before 20,137 fans at Tampa Stadium and a national television audience. It wasn't exactly a classic finish, but it was a finish.

North quarterback Van Brownson, Jerry Tagge's backup man for national champion Nebraska, fired an 88-yard scoring pass to Bob Christiansen of UCLA and another West Coast hero, Jackie Brown of Stanford, sprinted 22 yards to score and spark the favored Yankees.

The South kept throwing, but even 55 attempts through the air by Brian Sipe of San Diego State and Steve Judy of Texas Christian couldn't make up for a bagful of first half boo-boos.

Stahle Vincent of Rice fumbled for the South at the North 12 to set the stage for Brownson's cross-country bomb to Christiansen that made it 7-0 late in the first period.

Iowa tackle Larry Horton put on a one-man show of muscle to hike the count to 14-0 when he smothered a punt by Florida A&M's John Champion and pounced on the ball in the end zone.

John Lanahan of Florida State coughed up the next kickoff for the South and the error led to the first of two field goals by Tennessee's George Hunt, who somehow was named placekicker for the North.

The 17-0 South deficit soon became 24-0 when Bo James of New Mexico State bobbled the ensuing kickoff to start a touchdown drive that was topped with Brown's 22-yard scamper.

Sipe connected six times in the South's only TD thrust and wound up sneaking the final yard. He was named the game's outstanding player and Brown was acclaimed the best for the North.

Brown rushed 15 times for 50 yards and Randy Jackson of Wichita State gained 20 in six attempts. Vincent led the South rushers with 28 yards in eight tries and James made 22 in six.

There were two all-star games Saturday, the Senior Bowl at Mobile, Ala., won 26-21 by the South and the Hula Bowl at Honolulu, won 24-7 by the North.

Danville Matmen Lose, 27 to 24

MONTGOMERY — Losing by falls in the 165-pound and heavyweight bouts were crucial for Danville Area wrestlers as they lost a 27-24 decision Saturday night to Montgomery.

Harris, of Danville, was leading, 9-2, in the 165-pound battle, when his opponent suddenly reversed the tide and recorded a fall with 1:32 gone in the third period.

The match was decided, however, in the final bout when Snyder, of Montgomery, pinned Metzgar in 3:29.

Montgomery had jumped out to an early sizeable lead with a pin at 95 pounds and a victory via forfeit at 103. But Ron Kanaskie's Ironmen charges came back with Zimmerman picking up three on a decision at 112.

After Montgomery had recorded another decision, Danville put together four straight wins from 127 through 145 on decisions by Heath, Baney, Seitz and Brady.

The home team then picked up the 154 weight and then recorded the fall at 165. Bieler came on to win the 180 for Danville on a pin, but Montgomery countered with a fall in the heavyweight match.

Results

95 — A. Bartlerr, M, pinned Williams, 1:58.

103— M. Bartlett, M. won by forfeit.

112 — Zimmerman, D, dec. Waters, 10-8.

120 — Bower, M, dec. Richardson, 8-4.

127 — Heath, D, dec. K. Bartlett, 5-3.

133 — Baney, D. dec. Litchard, 8-0.

138 — Seitz, D, dec. Sherman, 8-4.

145 — Brady, D, dec. Stout, 8-4.

154 — Hilkert, M, dec. Sampsell, 8-3.

165 — James, M, pinned Harris, 5:32.

180 — Bieler, D, pinned Simon, 1:03.

Hwt — Snyder, M, pinned Metzger, 3:29.

120 — Paul Tarren, WVW, decisioned Roy Thompson, 7-3. (6-12).

127 — Keith Jeremiah, S, decisioned Bruce Bonnice, 12-4. (9-12).

133 — Bob Engle, S, decisioned Mark Grove, 6-1 . (12-12).

138 — Bill Rawding, S, decisioned Joe Manta, 8-2. (15-12)

145 — Dave Filarski, S, decisioned Paul Roberts, 6-0. (18-12).

154 — Nick Varano, S, decisioned John Vassello, 6-5. (21-12).

165 — Fred Lohman, WVW, decisioned John Schrader, 7-4. (21-15).

180 — Bernie Bigga, WVW, pinned Pete Norvick, 0:31. (21-21).

Heavyweight — Bob O'Gara, S, decisioned Frank Wakus, 7-1. (24-21).

JUNIOR VARSITY

95 — Fred Eisenbaugh (S) decisioned Tom Davis, 5-2. (3-0).

103 — Bob Watlock (W) decisioned Bob Adams, 9-1. (3-3).

112 — Wyoming Valley West won forfeit. (9-30.

120 — Ed Kopek (W) pinned Greg McBride in 5:54. (15-3).

127 — Steve Hojnacki (S) pinned John Roper in 2:15. (15-9).

133 — George Firpak pinned Larry Alchesky in 3:52. (21-9).

138 — Joel Siegel (W) pinned Kris Peters in 2:58. (27-9).

145 — Dennis Varano decisioned Ed D'Amico, 5-0. (27-12).

154 — John Yarosz (W) pinned Steve Madden in 23 seconds. (33-12).

165 — Wyoming Valley West won forfeit. (39-12).

180 — Jeff Snyder (S) decisioned Al Zielinski, 9-0. (39-15).

HWT — Jack Juko (W) decisioned Jerry Bogetti, 2-0. (42-15).

SVC RESULTS

WRESTLING

Saturday's Results

Berwick 36, Selinsgrove 19

Central 26, Milton 24

Non-Conference

Bloomsburg 24, Mount Carmel 24

Shamokin 24, Wy. Val. W. 21

E. Juniata 68, Vo-Tech 0

Montgomery 27, Danville 24

Team Standings

	W	L	T	Pct
Shikellamy	3	0	0	1.000
Berwick	2	0	0	1.000
Shamokin	2	1	0	.667
Central	2	2	0	.500
Selinsgrove	1	1	1	.500
Bloomsburg	1	2	0	.333
Milton	0	1	1	.333
Danville	1	3	0	.250
Southern	0	2	0	.000

Rich May, Lourdes' 120-pounder, put the Raiders on the scoreboard with a 3-2 decision over Gary Jordan. May had a reversal in the final eight

Hill, Archer, Aaron Meet in Golf Playoff

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Oh, I'll go out and chase it around and try not to hit too many people," was Dave Hill's laconic assessment of his game plan for today's 18-hole playoff for the title and the $25,000 first prize in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open golf tournament.

The slim, dark Hill, a somtimes bad boy who has had countless run-ins with golfdom's authorities, canned a dramatic 30-foot birdie putt on the final hole to tie George Archer and Tommy Aaron at the end of 72 holes Sunday and force the extra round.

All had 72-hole totals of 270, 14 under par on the 6,823-yard Rancho Park Golf Course. Hill, the last man to finish, and the 6-foot-6 Archer each had a five-under-par 66 on the sunny final day and Aaron, who sported a three-stroke lead going into the round, had a 69.

It was the fourth time in as many years that this tournament —the traditional opening event on the long, rich pro tour—had ended in a playoff. But it was the first time it will go to 18 holes on Monday. The others had been sudden death.

It was set up in that fashion because of television commitments, and neither Aaron nor Archer knew about it beforehand.

The playoff was scheduled to start at 2:10 p.m. (EST) with national television (CBS-TV) scheduled from 5-6 p.m. All three playoff participants said they would have preferred a sudden death affair.

The winner will get $25,000 and the other two $11,575 each regardless of their score. Each will get another $5,000 from television. Archer has a 2-2 career playoff record, Aaron 1-2 and Hill 3-1.

It was a three-man race all the way with Chris Blocker finishing alone in fourth at 275, five strokes back. Bob Rosburg and Hale Irwin tied at 276.

Varsity

95—Dave Stock, M, decisioned Pat Mack, 9-4 (3-0).

103—Gerry Stock, M, pinned Jim Lanziano, 3:38 (9-0).

112—Doug Bowersox, M, decisioned Mike Madden, 2-0 (12-0).

120—Rich May, L, decisioned Gary Gordon, 3-2 (12-3).

127—Doug Winey, M, pinned Dave Gidaro, 3:29 (18-3).

133—Steve Matzura, L, decisioned Dave Shirk, 13-5 (18-

138—John Sellenberger (M) decisioned Jim Betzko, 24-9. (9-20)

145—Gary Long (L) pinned Wayne Miller in 3:52. (15-20)

154—Bob Oberosler (L) pinned Nathenul Twigg in 1:33. (21-20)

165—Warren Moyer (M) pinned John Maloney in 2:29. (21-26)

180—Keith Graybill (M) pinned Steve Laukaitis in 1:30. (21-32)

Hwt—Jim Leavens (L) pinned Brent Mateer in 33 seconds. (27-32)

Referee—Charles Clawson.

SPORTS

In 10 years on the golf tour, Jack Nicklaus has never been on a winning pro-amateur team.

The 1973 junior amateur golf championship will be played at Singing Hills Country Club, El Cajon, Calif.

Dave Klock to Represent Line Mountain in Big 33

HERNDON—Dave Klock, Line Mountain High School's outstanding all-around athlete, has been named to the East squad for the annual Big 33 all-star football game slated for Hershey this summer.

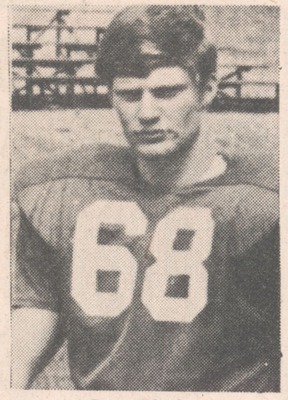
Klock, who was the mainstay on the Eagles' Twin Valley Conference championship team, was one of several regional players named to the team.

With his selection, Klock is the fourth area scholastic player to be named to play in the classic in the last three years.

Previous selections were Gary Diminick, 1970 and Phil Klaus and Henry Hynoski, 1971. All are from Mount Carmel Area.

Teammates of Klock on the East squad will include Dave Schmit, Blue Mountain; Dave Snyder, Pottsville Area; Gary McCutcheon, Berwick, and Pete Radocha, Panther Valley.

Klock was the only end among the five area players selected. Schmit was selected as a tackle; Sydnor, linebacker; McCutcheon, quarterback, and Radocha, defensive back.



Dave Klock

HARRISBURG (AP) — High school standouts such as halfbacks Brian Baschnagle, Art Owens and Elwood Petchel, were named Saturday to the Big 33 squads for the annual scholastic East-West football game in Hershey this summer.

Al Clark, president of the Big 33, sponsored by the Harrisburg Patriot-News, announced the makeup of the all-star teams. Clark said no date has been selected for the game, and that coaching staffs would be announced later.

Baschnagle, a 6-foot-1 star for North Allegheny, was selected to the West team. H averaged five yards a carry through a three year schoolboy career. He also is a standout on defense.

Owens and Petchel, both named to the East squad, hold half a dozen state records between them. Owens of Stroudsburg High set a new one-season touchdown record of 41 and a scoring mark of 248 points. Petchel holds the career points mark with 542 and career TD record of 88.

West Squad

Ends—Casmir Barscz, Oil City; Rick Helsel, Penn Hills; Jay Robbins, Montour; Joe Fasulo, Mt. Lebanon; Drik Johnson, Butler; Bill Skorupan, Beaver.

Interior linemen-Linebackers — Theo Lawrence, Clarion; Jack Buehner, Laurel Highlands; Cal Balliet, North Allegheny; Mark Thomas, Elizabeth-Forward; Jeff McCartney, Altoona; Frank Makarevich, New Castle; Ron Argenta, Greensburg; Rick Knechtel, Hempfield; Walt Blackwell, McKeesport; Mike Milito, Kiski Area; Mark Griffith, Upper St. Clair.

Centers — Bob Podebesek, Yough; Pat Harringan, Johnstown McCort.

Quarterbacks — Jim Wagoner, Beaver Falls; Jim Cramer, Thomas Jefferson; Dennis Miscik, Mt. Pleasant.

Offensive-defensive backs — Frank Harsh, Blairsvillep; Tyrone Wilson, Wilkinsburg; Jerry Moss, New Castle; Brian Baschnagel, North Allegheny; Larry Suhey, State College; Jim Perkins, Canon-McMillan; Tom Giotto, Kiski Area; Joe Carr, East Erie.

East Squad

Ends — Sydney Sheppard, Philadelphia Mastbaum; Jeff Stempel, Central Bucks West; Willie Smith, Scranton Tech; Dave Klock, Line Mountain; Scott Thomas, Cedar Cliff; Dale Forchetti, Neshaminy.

Interior linemen-Linebackers — Jim Fehling, Wilson West Lawn; Dick Gibney, Bishop Egan; Dave Schmit, Blue Mountain; Steve Schindler, Conestoga; Charles Scalamonti, Valley View; John Nash, Pottstown; Charles Palmer, Harrisburg; Dave Sydnor, Pottsville; Tom Ford, Pennsbury; Jim Smith, Delone Catholic; Bob Yost, Lebanon Catholic.

Centers — Al Browning, Valley View; Chuck Lodge, Neshaminy.

Quarterbacks — Bob Corbett, Abington Heights; Gary McCutcheon, Berwick; Don Shupp, Middletown.

Offensive-defensive backs — Tom Duff, Central Bucks West; Rick Ooehler, Lancaster; Mark Ulsh, Cedar Cliff; Art Owens, Stroudsburg; Elwood Petchel, Pen Argyl; Mark Falzone, Plymouth-Whitemarsh; Pete Radocha, Panther Valley; Frank Mathis, Harrisburg.

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NCAA Rules Freshmen Eligible for Varsity

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

"Revolutionary ... wonderful ... one of the finest things that has ever happened to college athletics ...."

These remarks were from college coaches in response to the NCAA's new ruling that makes freshmen eligible for varsity competition in football and basketball.

But not all the reaction was favorable, according to an Associated Press survey.

Al McGuire of Marquette's second-ranked basketball team, for instance, thought "it is better for the young fellows to have a year out ... it's throwing them into the rat race too soon."

But much of the reaction was favorable in a nationwide sampling of response to the rule change made Saturday. The NCAA made the historic decision at its annual convention in Hollywood, Fla.

"It's a revolutionary thing and I think it's wonderful," said basketball Coach Johnny Orr of Michigan. "I don't see why freshmen should sit down. I think a lot of freshmen will play."

Adolph Rupp of Kentucky, the dean of basketball mentors, also liked the ruling.

"I see no reason why a freshman can't play varsity basketball," said Rupp. "They play the same number of games that we do. It means one thing—you never get caught with a bad team. You can rebuild anytime and that's a wonderful thing."

Bill Musselman of Minnesota through the rule would have a great impact.

"There will be more pressure in recruiting the top 20 kids in the country, fighting for them like we never had before."

Dick Campbell, the Xavier basketball coach, said the freshman ruling came "as quite a surprise."

"Right now," said Campbell, "we'll have to start recruiting with people in mind who could play next year. I think the ruling will be more beneficial to football than to basketball."

The ruling made no difference to Missouri's Norm Stewart.

"I'm not sure there would be too many opportunities to use freshmen," he commented. "If it came down to using freshmen or having a freshmen program, I would rather have the program."

Meanwhile, a spot check among some of the nation's major college football conferences at the meeting in Florida brought some negative reaction.

"If we could get enough major conferences to agree, we wouldn't play freshmen," said Charles M. Neinas, commissioner of the Big Eight.

The Big Ten and Pacific-8 Conferences were also opposed to the use of freshmen while the Southwest, Missouri Valley, Atlantic Coast and Western Athletic conferences were for it.

Springfield, Providence Swap Wins

Something funny happened en route to weekend action in the American Hockey League. The Providence Reds and the Springfield Kings apparently got their surroundings mixed.

The Reds invaded Springfield Saturday night and left with a 3-1 victory. Providence reciprecated as the perfect host Sunday night, losing to the Kings at home 4-1.

Boston's East Division leading Braves wound up a hapless trip by settling for a 1-1 tie with Tidewater, Richmond humbled powerful Hershey 8-3, surging Baltimore defeated Cincinnati 6-2, and Nova Scotia dumped Rochester 8-1 in other games Sunday night.

Springfield struck for two goals in the first period and another pair in the final in snapping Providence's five-game unbeaten streak. Billy Smith, the league's leading goalie, held the Reds in check except for a second period goal by rookie Mo Stefanow.

Pro Basketball Standings

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	29	16	.644	—
New York	25	17	.595	2½
Philadelphia	19	25	.432	9½
Buffalo	12	29	.293	15
Central Division				
Baltimore	19	22	.463	—
Cleveland	15	27	.357	4½
Atlanta	15	28	.349	5
Cincinnati	10	31	.244	9
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Milwaukee	36	8	.818	—
Chicago	30	12	.714	5
Phoenix	25	19	.568	11
Detroit	17	27	.386	19
Pacific Division				
Los Angeles	39	4	.907	—
Seattle	26	19	.578	14
Golden St	24	19	.558	15
Houston	15	29	.341	24½
Portland	10	35	.222	30

Sunday's Results

Milwaukee 120, Los Angeles 104

Detroit 101, Buffalo 96

Baltimore 109, Phoenix 103

Golden State 113, Houston 112

Chicago 108, Cincinnati 104, overtime

Seattle 125, Boston 119

Only games scheduled

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

ABA

East Division	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	34	9	.791	—
Virginia	27	17	.614	7½
Floridians	19	24	.442	15
New York	18	25	.419	16
Pittsburgh	18	28	.391	17½
Carolina	15	30	.333	20

Eaglettes Lose Second Straight

ELIZABETHVILLE — Line Mountain High School girls' basketball team was handed its second straight setback Friday by Upper Dauphin, 38-34.

The Eaglettes tied the score at 34-all with a minute left, but Upper Dauphin scored two foul shots with 30 seconds on the clock us the last two games.

Gloria Dutton led the Eaglettes with nine points. Ellen Kerstetter had seven, Gail Hassinger and Brenda Strohecker, six each, and Gayle Troxell and Elaine Kleni, three apiece.

Jenny Bellan had 16 for the winners, including eight for eight from the foul line.

SUPER BOWL 'APPETIZER' - - by Alan Maver



Ratelle Passes Esposito In NHL Scoring Chase

NEW YORK (AP) — Jean Ratelle knew what he had to do when he arrived for the hockey game. He just didn't know whether he'd be able to do it.

"Five points ... whew, that's not easy," said the lanky New York center after the Rangers blitzed Los Angeles 8-0 Sunday night. "I knew what I needed, but I didn't think I could get it. That's beyond what you can expect to do."

Ratelle came into Sunday night's National Hockey League game needing five points to overtake Boston's Phil Esposito for the first half scoring leadership. There's more than prestige involved. The league awards a $500 bonus to the first half scoring leader and $250 to the runnerup.

"To get five points, you have to be pretty lucky," said Ratelle, who had done just that in the Rangers' last game Wednesday against St. Louis. Either be lucky, or have Vic Hadfield and Rod Gilbert on your wings.

Ratelle's first chance came with the game only 76 seconds old and he didn't miss it. His 26th goal of the season gave him a running start on catching Esposito. After that, Hadfield

Detroit stretched its home ice winning streak to six games—longest in three years—by knocking off Pittsburgh.

Rookie Marcel Dionne scored

couver surprised Minnesota 5-1 and Montreal shelled Los Angeles 10-2.

In Sunday's action, Chicago stunned Montreal 5-2 in a nationally televised game, Toronto nipped Buffalo 2-1, Philadelphia walloped California 10-3 and Detroit tripped Pittsburgh 4-2.

The Black Hawks jumped on ex-teammate Denis DeJordy for four goals in the first 12 minutes and then coasted to an easy victory over Montreal. DeJordy was nearly kayoed in the opening minutes when a Bobby Hull slap shot crashed into his mask. The shot dazed him and Pit Martin poked the puck into the net for Chicago's first goal.

Then rapid-fire goals by Bryan Campbell, Jim Pappin and Stan Mikita put the Hawks in control.

Philadelphia exploded for six power play goals and Bill Lesuk's three goals led the Flyers to a record victory over California. The 10 goals were the most ever in a single game for the Flyers.

The News-Item, Shamokin and Mount Carmel, Pa.—

Bucks Stop Lakers' Win Streak; Jabbar Hits 39

By THE ASSOCIATED PRES

"It's fantastic," said a happy Milwaukee Coach Larry Costello after his fired-up Bucks had ended the longest winning streak in professional sports history, thrashing the Los Angeles Lakers 120-104.

"I'm just glad we were in a position to do it," added Costello after the Bucks had handed the Lakers their first National Baksetball Association setback since Oct. 31 and stopped their 33-game victory skein Sunday.

Lakers' Coach Bill Sharman also used the word "fastastic," but in a different fashion.

"We played fanstastic for two and a half months," he said, "and it had to end. But I hope we're smart enough to learn by our mistakes so we can play better against them the next time."

"It was a great performance, and that's what it took to beat a team like Los Angeles," said Costello.

"I think we were flat and didn't play well," said Sharman, "but I give Milwaukee credit. They were very aggressive."

Both coaches agreed that defense was the deciding factor.

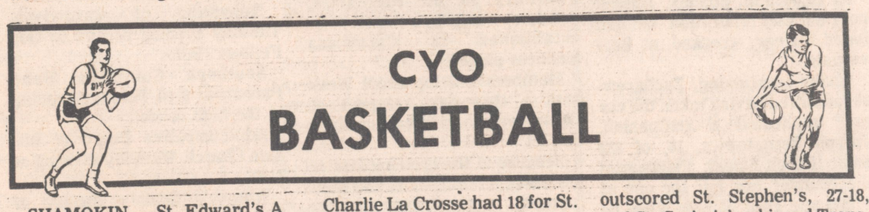
Another key point occurred early in the third period, when the Lakers' massive center, Wilt Chamberlain, picked up his fourth personal foul. After that, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Bucks' big center, scored 23 of his game-high 39 points. Jabbar also finished with 20 rebounds, while Chamberlain, who never has fouled out of a high school college or pro game, had only 15 points and 12 rebounds.

"I'm ashamed we didn't play better," said an embarrassed Chamberlain.

Meanwhile, in the NBA, Baltimore beat Phoenix 109-103, Golden State edged Houston 113-112, Chicago defeated Cincinnati 108-104 in overtime, Detroit downed Buffalo 101-96, and Seattle topped Boston 125-119.

Jack Marin's 28 pionts paced Baltimore's streaking Bullets to their sixth straight victory.

Cazzie Russell, who hit a key three-point play with 51 seconds remaining, fired in 31 points and Nate Thurmond and Jeff Mullins each scored 25 points.



SHAMOKIN — St. Edward's A and St. Joseph's A remained tied for first place in the Shamokin Area C.Y.O. Basketball League with wins Sunday.

St. Edward's downed Holy Spirit, 55-42, and St. Joseph's defeated St. Stephen's 43-39.

In other games, St. Casimir's whipped Transfiguration, 64-29, and St. Stanislaus tripped St. Mary's, 52-36.

St. Edward's 55, Holy Spirit 42

The Speedboys regained their winning ways with its victory over the Spiritans to match the Trojans' 7-1 record.

Bob Wurster paced the winners with 20 points. Tony Barrett chipped in 18. Jim Bamford had 10 and Jim Carnuccio, seven.

Joe Girolami led the losers with 11 tallies. Jeff Karpinski added 10 and Bob Bolick, eight.

St. Joseph's 43, St. Stephen's 39

The Trojans had a tough time with the Crusaders, but hung on for a hard earned win.

Mark Haile was the big gun for the winners with 25 pointers. Brian Kelley had 10 and John Buggy five.

St. Casimir's 64, Transfiguration 29

Mike Dennis tallied 27 points in leading St. Casimir's into a third place tie with Holy Spirit.

Bob Greco chipped in 18, and Bob Buchinski and Frank Chesney added 12 and seven, respectively.

Mike Bonshock was high man

Charlie La Crosse had 18 for St. Mary's. Balonis chipped in 10 and John Shedleski, four.

In the B-1 league, St. Edward's knocked Holy Spirit from the unbeaten ranks and took over sole possession of first place. In other games, St. Stanislaus downed St. Mary's, 38-11; St. Casimir's defeated Transfiguration, 41-30, and St. Stephen's bombed St. Joseph's, 48-14.

St. Edward's 40, Holy Spirit 31

Rich Brennan and Dave Zelinski rimmed 15 and 13 points, respectively, for the winners. Tim Barrett and Rich Cossari had six each for the winners.

Jim Klaus tallied nine for Holy Spirit. Ron Basso and John Shields had eight and five, respectively.

St. Stanislaus 38, St. Mary's 11

Joe Schicatano had 15 for the winners. George Zarick added 12.

Dave Ortona scored five in a losing effort. Greg Beaver and Aldo Mirarchi had two points each.

St. Casimir's 41, Transfiguration 30

Mark Bednarchick scored 15 tallies to lead the winners. Dave Hodrick had 10 and Jim Ambrose, seven.

Tim Rutkoski had 11 for the Rams. Mark Gilger and Dean Eichen had nine and seven, respectively.

St. Stephen's 48, St. Joseph's 14

Dave Komara was top gun with

outscored St. Stephen's, 27-18, and St. Casimir's whipped Transfiguration, 30-1.

High scorers for each of the teams include:

St. Stanislaus: Chet Sowal, 21; Brian Snyder, 11; St. Mary's: Rich Bano, six; Tony Procopio, two.

Holy Spirit: Jed Karpinski, 25; Charlie Cole, 18; St. Edward's: Mark Januskie, six; Dino Anskis, two.

St. Joseph's: Neil Clifford, 19; Timmy Timco, five; Tony Nestico, four; St. Stephen's: Dan Zablosky, nine; Ed Koveleski and Zig Zarko, four apiece.

St. Casimir's: Gary Chesney, 14; Phil Klokis, six; Transfiguration: Keith Wisnewski, one.

Standings:

A

	W	L	Pct.
St. Edward's	7	1	.875
St. Joseph's	7	1	.875
Holy Spirit	5	3	.625
St. Casimir's	5	3	.625
St. Stephen's	4	4	.500
Transfiguration	2	6	.250
St. Stanislaus	2	6	.250
St. Mary's	0	8	.000

B-1

	W	L	Pct.
St. Edward's	5	0	1.000
St. Stanislaus	4	1	.800
Holy Spirit	4	1	.800
St. Casimir's	4	2	.667
St. Stephen's	3	3	.500
St. Joseph's	2	4	.333
St. Mary's	0	5	.000
Transfiguration	0	6	.000

No games scheduled

ABA
East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	34	9	.791	—
Virginia	27	17	.614	7½
Floridians	19	24	.442	15
New York	18	25	.419	16
Pittsburgh	18	28	.391	17½
Carolina	15	30	.333	20
West Division				
Utah	31	13	.705	—
Indiana	24	19	.548	6½
Denver	17	23	.425	12
Memphis	18	25	.419	12½
Dallas	19	27	.413	13

Sunday's Results

Indiana 100, Utah 97
New York 105, Dallas 97
Memphis 118, Floridians 108
Only games scheduled

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Pro Hockey Standings
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
NHL
East Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New York	27	6	6	60	178	86
Boston	27	7	5	59	157	87
Montreal	23	9	7	53	150	102
Toronto	19	13	9	47	120	110
Detroit	16	18	7	39	126	132
Buffalo	8	24	10	26	113	163
Vancvr.	10	24	4	24	92	136
West Division						
Chicago	28	8	4	60	134	71
Minn.	22	12	5	49	104	80
Calif.	12	22	9	33	128	174
Phila.	12	20	7	31	96	123
St. Louis	12	22	7	31	113	142
Pitts.	11	23	7	29	101	129
L. Angeles	11	30	1	23	92	169

Sunday's Results

Chicago 5, Montreal 2
New York 8, Los Angeles 0
Toronto 2, Buffalo 1
Detroit 4, Pittsburgh 2
Philadelphia 10, California 3
Only games scheduled

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Weekend College Football
By The Associated Press
Senior Bowl, Mobile, Ala.
South 26, North 21
Hula Bowl, Honolulu, Hawaii
North 24, South 7
American Bowl, Tampa, Fla.
North 27, South 8

Flyers Humble Seals, 10-3

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Philadelphia Flyer coach Fred Shero can't pinpoint what went right but he admits something special happened to put the Flyers over the California Golden Seals 10-3 Sunday night.

"We did something tonight that we should have been doing all season long," Shero said.

One factor that did contribute to the victory, which broke a club record of most goals in a game, Shero said, was the play of winger Bill Lesuk—and he wasn't even supposed to play.

Eaglettes Lose Second Straight

ELIZABETHVILLE — Line Mountain High School girls' basketball team was handed its second straight setback Friday by Upper Dauphin, 38-34.

The Eaglettes tied the score at 34-all with a minute left, but Upper Dauphin scored two foul shots with 30 seconds on the clock and a two-pointer at the buzzer.

Ronnie Foy, coach of the Eagles, said "we simply didn't look good in this one—we were extremely sluggish and lackluster. We never got going until the fourth quarter and then didn't sustain our drive. We simply haven't looked sharp recently, especially in the shooting department and it's cost us the last two games."

Gloria Dutton led the Eaglettes with nine points. Ellen Kerstetter had seven, Gail Hassinger and Brenda Strohecker, six each, and Gayle Troxell and Elaine Kiehl, three apiece.

Jenny Bellan had 16 for the winners, including eight for eight from the foul line.

The Eaglettes jayvees scored a 41-28 victory. The scoring output was the biggest of the season for the junior varsity.

Cheryl Hopple had 14 points for the winners. Carol Snyder and Kathy Batdorf rimmed six each.

Next game for the Eaglettes will be Wednesday against Middleburg at home.

Marquette '5' Survives Punching Match to Win

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Second-ranked Marquette and fourth-ranked South Carolina squared off to settle things in one of those typical brawls among college toughs.

They even managed to play basketball while they were at it.

Marquette survived a punching bout and South Carolina's mistake-inducing press to defeat the Gamecocks 72-71 in a tingling match of independent powers Sunday.

Before the game was over, each team lost a heavyweight—Marquette's Bob Lackey and South Carolina's Tom Riker were given the thumb after exploding a melee under the Gamecock basket.

"It happened like fire," said South Carolina Coach Frank McGuire of the battle early in the second half between the 210-pound, 6-foot-6 Lackey and the 6-10, 225-pound Riker.

The two forwards fired punches and sparked high emotion from the sidelines. Both benches emptied, but the melee was broken up shortly by officials and coaches while the South Carolina band played the Star Spangled Banner.

Riker, who sat out the dramatic finish with an icepack on his hand, will be X-rayed for possible fractures today. Lackey suffered another kind of pain: "The worst part was sitting out the rest of the game."

"The fight really meant nothing, it's best to ignore it," said Al McGuire, the Marquette coach who is no relation to Frank.

The Marquette-South Carolina warfare was the only battle Sunday among ranked teams. Everyone else was in action Saturday, including top-ranked UCLA, which beat Oregon 93-68.

Third-ranked North Carolina defeated Furman 118-66; Minnesota tripped No. 5 Indiana 52-51; sixth-rated Penn trimmed Harvard 81-52; No. 7 Louisville whipped Cincinnati 84-76; eighth-ranked Long Beach State downed Fresno State 98-78; No. 9 Virginia stopped North Carolina State 84-73 and 10th-ranked Ohio State topped Purdue 78-70.

Elsewhere, it was 11th-ranked Southern California 87, Oregon State 75; Clemson 63, 12th-ranked Maryland 61; No. 13 Marshall 102, Western Michigan 77; No. 14 Villanova 69, Canisius 65; 15th-ranked Southwestern Louisiana 75, Northeast Louisiana 73; No. 16 Hawaii 96, Centenary 91; Syracuse 87, 17th-rated St. John's, N.Y. 83; No. 18 Brigham Young 88, Arizona 67; No. 19 Kentucky 93, Mississippi 82 and 20th-ranked Florida State 106, East Tennessee State 93.

The Warriors and Gamecocks got back to basketball after the fisticuffs and really gave the crowd at the Carolina Coliseum something to shout about.

South Carolina twice had possession of the ball in the final minute but was unable to score. A shot at the buzzer by Kevin Joyce was short.

Jim Chones scored 17 points, including a key field goal under the two-minute mark that kept Marquette in command.

Bill Walton was the dominating figure in the UCLA triumph, scoring 30 points and triggering the Bruins' breakaway plays. It was the Bruins' second straight triumph in the Pacific-8 Conference in their quest for another league title and crack at a sixth straight NCAA title.

Bill Chamberlain's 21 points paced North Carolina's victory; Bob Nix sank two free throws with 17 seconds left to give Minnesota a triumph over Indiana before 19,121 fans; Bob Morse scored 16 points as Penn took its 30th straight Ivy League game; Jim Price drilled in 30 for Louisville and Barry Parkhill had 24 for Virginia.

Colorado State, an unranked team with a fancy record, improved its mark to 9-1 by defeating Texas El Paso 63-62; Niagara made it 10-1 with a 112-92 triumph over St. Peter's, N.J.; and West Virginia boosted its record to 6-0 by beating Davidson 95-78.

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Pitt to Meet West Virginia

The Pitt Panthers, fresh from a convincing victory over Westminster, put their 5-5 record on the line tonight when they go against unbeaten West Virginia at home.

Saturday, the Panthers held Westminster scoreless for seven minutes in the first half then went on to overpower the Titans 78-59.

The Panthers held a 37-28 halftime lead.

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Brian Kelley had 10 and John Buggy five.

St. Casimir's 64, Transfiguration 29

Mike Dennis tallied 27 points in leading St. Casimir's into a third place tie with Holy Spirit.

Bob Greco chipped in 18, and Bob Buchinski and Frank Chesney added 12 and seven, respectively.

Mike Bonshock was high man for the losers with nine. John Swartz added seven and Mark Wisnewski, six.

St. Stanislaus 52, St. Mary's 36

The Condors used a big second half to down the pesky Kulpmont team. The score was tied 18-18 at halftime.

Casimir Depkin rimmed 27 points for the winners. Francis Keyack and Keith Martin added 13 and six, respectively.

Mark Bednarchick scored 15 tallies to lead the winners. Dave Hodrick had 10 and Jim Ambrose, seven.

Tim Rutkoski had 11 for the Rams. Mark Gilger and Dean Eichen had nine and seven, respectively.

St. Stephen's 48, St. Joseph's 14

Dave Komara was top gun with 15 points for the winners. Mickey Reiprish tallied 12 and Joe Rakoski, nine.

Jim Kelley led the Trojans with eight. Ed Brennan had three and Joe Reed, two.

In B-2 action, Holy Spirit and St. Stanislaus remained tied for first place as the Spiritans downed St. Edward's, 43-11 and the Condors disposed of St. Mary's, 32-9.

In other action, St. Joseph's

B-1

	W	L	Pct.
St. Edward's	5	0	1.000
St. Stanislaus	4	1	.800
Holy Spirit	4	1	.800
St. Casimir's	4	2	.667
St. Stephen's	3	3	.500
St. Joseph's	2	4	.333
St. Mary's	0	5	.000
Transfiguration	0	6	.000

B-2

	W	L	Pct.
St. Stanislaus	5	0	1.000
Holy Spirit	5	0	1.000
St. Casimir's	4	1	.800
St. Joseph's	3	3	.500
St. Mary's	2	3	.400
St. Edward's	2	3	.400
St. Stephen's	1	5	.167
Transfiguration	0	5	.000

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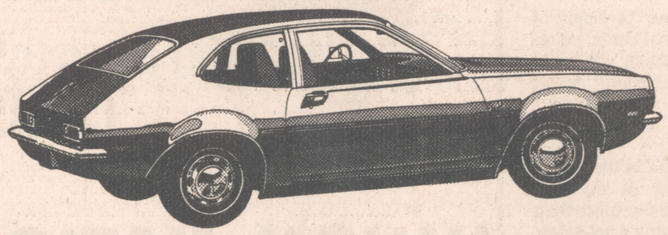

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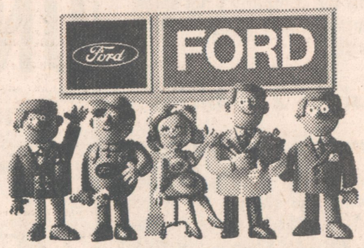

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Young Driver Charged With 2 Violations

MOUNT CARMEL — A 19-year-old youth was scheduled for a preliminary arraignment today before Justice of the Peace Edward Dunn, Mount Carmel, on charges of operating a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner and driving without an operator's license.

The youth, identified as William Zacharewski, 1249 Scott Street, Kulpmont, was picked up by Patrolman Anthony Scicchitano for questioning after Gary Russell, of Allentown and 9 North Walnut Street, Mount Carmel, had reported his car stolen.

Russell said he parked his car in front of his place of business, Avenue and Maple Streets. While he was inside the building, two boys entered the car and drove away. Police patrols were notified.

At 10:50 p.m. Sunday, Russell notified City Hall that he had found his car, wrecked, at Beaverdale.

Under questioning, Zacharewski admitted having taken the car and implicated a companion, Joseph Bernatowicz, 16, of 233 South Beech Street. Police said the younger boy left the car at Third and Pear Streets when he realized what was happening. His mother was told afterward that he may be called as a witness.

The father of the Kulpmont youth was notified and told police at Mount Carmel City Hall that his son was the operator of a car that was involved in a fatal accident two years ago in which a young Kulpmont boy was killed.

After taking the car and dropping off his companion, Zacharewski continued west on Third Street on Legislative Route 49017. He said he lost control of the car at Beaverdale and fled after crashing into a tree near St. Mary's Cemetery.

The father refused to take the boy home with him, telling police to "lock him up because he (the father) has nothing but trouble at home." The youth was kept in the detention cell at City Hall until the preliminary arraignment today.

Midget Team Plans Dinner

SHAMOKIN — Plans for the Cardinals midget football team and cheerleaders awards banquet were advanced during a meeting of the Cardinal Booster Association on the weekend.

Meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crone, 929 West Mulberry Street, Shamokin, the

Catawissa

Numidia, Slabtown, Roaring Creek Valley

Terry Adams 356-7696 Richard Gearhart 356-7033

Scouts Plan Programs

CATAWISSA — Boy Scouts of St. John's Lutheran Church made plans for varied activities at a recent meeting.

Plans were completed for the second hike along the Loyalsock Trail, a 50-mile trail established by the Alpine Mountain Climbing Club. The hike will be held February 5.

Members of the troop will participate in a swimming party Friday evening at the Danville Young Men's Christian Association pool.

Boys were reminded that National Scout Week begins February 14. At that time, window displays will be established in Catawissa business places.

Members will top Scout Week with a three-day campout at Camp Levigne on February 18, 19 and 20.

Because of the growing size of the troop, a third patrol has been formed, with Terry Gross selected patrol leader, and Steve Adams, assistant leader.

The birthday of Steve Adams was observed following the meeting.

Schools Will Close One Day

CATAWISSA — Donald Conrad, elementary principal of Southern Columbia Area School District, has announced pupils of the three elementary centers will not have classes on Friday, January 28.

Purpose of the day off is to allow time for parent-teacher conferences and meetings.

The meetings are of particular importance to those parents who have not conferred with their children's teachers this year.

Conrad said parents, when arriving at the elementary centers, should contact their teacher they wish to see.

Teacher aides will be on duty to help with younger children, if parents must take the children to the school.

Mild Temperatures Tonight's Forecast

Area Groups Plan Meetings

CATAWISSA — Various groups in the Catawissa area have meetings scheduled tonight and tomorrow evening.

They are Mt. Zion Methodist Spiritual Life Committee of the Women's Society of Christian Service, tonight at 7:30 in the parsonage.

Numidia Girl Scouts, Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Our Lady of Mercy Church.

Catawissa Garden Club Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Betty Cherrington.

Southside Area Lions Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in Smith's Restaurant.

Rebekahs of Catawissa, Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Odd Fellows Hall.

Southern Columbia Band Parents at 8:00 Tuesday evening in the high school.

Administrative Board of Mt. Zion Church, Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Women's Society Society of Christian Service of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Fisherdale, Tuesday evening in the church.

2 Persons Hurt in Car and Truck Crash

BUCKHORN — Two Catawissa R.D. 1 residents are listed in satisfactory condition in Bloomsburg Hospital where they were admitted following a truck-auto accident at the intersection of Route 44 and 42 near Buckhorn.

Roy Meckley and his wife, Linda, were taken to the hospital in a Bloomsburg ambulance. Hospital authorities did not divulge their injuries.

Police said the Meckley's automobile and a tractor-trailer rig collided at the intersection last midnight. Operator of the rig was unidentified.

8 Calls Reported by Southside Ambulance

CATAWISSA — Southside Area Ambulance Association experienced a busy week with eight calls.

Five trips were made to Bloomsburg Hospital; two to Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, and one to Maple Crest Nursing Home. A total of 141 miles were covered.

Seven Treated In Dispensary At Hospital

SHAMOKIN — Seven persons, including three injured while working at their places of employment, were treated on the weekend in the dispensary of Shamokin State General Hospital.

Hospital personnel said the injured included William Hand, 53, of 701 North Liberty Street, Shamokin, laceration of right index finger in cutting the member on a blade while working at Cellu Products plant, Paxinos; Thomas Burns, 47, of 217 Monroe Street, Shamokin, laceration of the middle finger of the right hand in cutting the member with a saw while working at L-Co Cabinet Company plant, Trevorton Road, and John Hilbush, 58, of 505 North Sixth Street, Shamokin, puncture wound of the right thigh from accidently shooting himself with a nail gun while working at Shamokin Packing Company plant.

Other persons treated included James L. Kline, 11, of 827 East Commerce, Shamokin, puncture wound of the left foot from stepping on a nail; Dennise Schickley, 1, of Box 64, Shamokin R.D. 1, laceration of the forehead from fall against a stereo at home; Dominic Fernandez, 35, of 112 West Melrose Street, Marion Heights, laceration of the chin in hitting a barrel while riding a snowmobile, and Randy Slodysko, 15, of 1131 West Fern Street, Shamokin, injury to the left leg from fall on a hatchet while hiking on Burnside Mountain.

Church Society Hears Talk on Handwriting

ATLAS — Handwriting analysis was the topic of the program by the Rev. Clair Redding during a meeting of St. Paul's Council of Catholic Women held recently in the Atlas Fire Company social rooms.

Father Redding, of St. Catherine Laboure Church, Harrisburg, and a member of the International Graphoanalysis Society of Chicago, Ill., spoke on "Your Handwriting Reveals the Real You." At the conclusion of his talk, he analyzed the handwriting of several members.

During the business session, reports were presented on the functions of medical missions and the Rosary Society, and plans for various fund raising projects were discussed.

Probers Seek to Pinpoint Cause of Fire at Milton

MILTON — A state police fire marshal and officials of Milton Fire Department are continuing an investigation today to determine cause of a fire which leveled a steel fabricating plant at Milton early Saturday, causing loss estimated in excess of $1 million.

Authorities late today reported the cause of the fire at Milton Steel and Supply Company is still listed as undetermined.

"We know about where the fire started, but as yet cannot pinpoint the exact cause," one of the investigators said.

At least 60 people are out of work as a result of the spectacular fire which broke out shortly before 5:00 a.m. Saturday, and destroyed a building more than 100 yards long. Firemen from Milton, Lewisburg and the West Branch Fire Department of Watsontown battled the blaze for several hours.

The fire was described as the worst in Milton's recent history.

"I don't feel it can be replaced for less than $1 million," said John McMurtrie, president of the company which supplied steel for construction projects throughout a wide area in Pennsylvania. McMurtrie said the buliding and contents were insured and that "We expect to rebuild."

Flames from the burning structure were visible as far away as Lewisburg. Sparks and burning embers drifted over a wide area, posing a threat of igniting other structures nearby.

Firemen said that because the steel fabricating plant is isolated from other structures, the danger of the flames spreading was of little concern. Fire fighters concentrated their efforts on attempting to extinguish the burning plant.

A gusty wind caused problems by fanning flames toward the company's office area. McMurtri said records from the office were removed before fire reached that section.

One fireman termed the blaze as "the biggest in Milton's history." He said that by the time firemen arrived the flames already had burned out of control. "It moved through that mill as fast as any fire I've ever seen" the volunteer said.

Hose lines were attached to every available water hydrant in the area surrounding the plant. While the fire was brought under control shortly after dawn broke, firemen continued to direct streams of water onto the smouldering ruins until shortly before noon.

Discovery of the fire was made by an employe of the plant who said he saw reflection of flames in the fabricating mill while he was in another building of the complex.

Calls for assistance were sent out via radio communications to Lewisburg and Watsontown. More than 70 firemen fought the blaze.

Gerrymandering to Be Protested

MOUNT CARMEL — David C. Keiter, executive director of the Lower Anthracite Economic Development Organization (LAREDO), today invited residents of the area to join in a protest tonight against the proposed gerrymandering of the eastern tip of Northumberland County out of the 17th Congressional District.

For the purpose of the protest and exploring all possible ways to oppose the move, Keiter scheduled a public meeting for 7:30 this evening in the Knights of Columbus Home, West Third Street, Mount Carmel.

The proposed realignment is contained in a Democratic-sponsored reapportionment bill before the State Legislature. The measure, being opposed by Representative Franklin Kury, a Democrat, would affect Mount Carmel, Mount Carmel Township, Kulpmont and Marion Heights. It would take them out of the 17th District and make them Schuylkill and Berks Counties.

Keiter urged all area residents, particularly those in the affected communities, to join in the protest meeting.

CDA Will Hold Snowball Party

MOUNT CARMEL — Catholic Daughters of America, Court of Our Lady 588, will hold a snowball party on January 18 at 8:00 in the Knights of Columbus rooms.

The party will follow a business meeting at 7:30. Mrs. Dorothy C. Spurr, grand regent, has reminded members that applications are to be returned at this session. Games will be played during the social hour. Members may take guests.

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Midget Team Plans Dinner

SHAMOKIN — Plans for the Cardinals midget football team and cheerleaders awards banquet were advanced during a meeting of the Cardinal Booster Association on the weekend.

Meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crone, 929 West Mulberry Street, Shamokin, the group set the banquet date for Saturday, January 29, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Joseph's School hall, 815 West Chestnut Street, Shamokin.

Parents and guests are reminded reservations must be made before Wednesday, January 19. Tickets may be obtained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crone.

No tickets will be sold after January 19 or at the door on the night of the banquet. All reservations must be made by January 19, according to a booster spokesman.

Next meeting of the Cardinal Boosters will be held Thursday, January 20, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crone, at which time banquet preparations will be concluded.

Record Set in 1971 By Neisner's Sales

ROCHESTER, N.Y. — Neisner Brothers, Inc. (AMEX) reported net sales during 1971 were $136,468,172 compared to $132,440,915 in 1970, an increase of 3.04 per cent.

Contributing substantially to year end results were record sales during the Chain's thirteenth or final accounting period, December 5, 1971, to January 1, 1972. These amounted to $19,032,125 compared to $17,629,753 a year ago, a 7.9 per cent increase which was the highest of any four week period in the last half.

Mr. M.B. Neisner, president of the 170 store natvnal chain, pointed out that the sharp upturn in sales for the thirteenth period would kick off a vigorous sales promotion and merchandising program for 1972.

For the first time in the firm's history, the Big N division recorded 52 per cent or more than one half the company's net sales, as compared with 49.1 per cent a year ago.

Crash of 2 Vehicles Causes $30 Damage

SHAMOKIN — Cars operated by Ronald J. Hauer, 214 North Vine Street, and James R. Williams, 919 East Chestnut Streets, both of Shamokin, were involved in a crash at 10:45 a.m. Saturday on Race Street, near Lombard.

Patrolman William Hudson said the vehicles were being driven in opposite directions when they sideswiped.

Damage was listed at $30.

Conrad said parents, when arriving at the elementary centers, should contact their teacher they wish to see.

Teacher aides will be on duty to help with younger children, if parents must take the children to the school.

Mild Temperatures Tonight's Forecast

CATAWISSA — Variably cloudy skies and mild temperatures are forecast tonight. Temperatures are not expected to fall below the mid 30's.

Tomorrow will be partly cloudy and unseasonably mild, with temperatures rising into the mid to upper 40's. Any chance of precipitation will occur tonight in the form of scattered light rain or drizzle.

The cold temperatures of last week quickly left the area yesterday afternoon as a mass of mild, moist air invaded the area from the southwest. The half inch of snow which fell quickly dissipated with the warm rain which followed.

Mail Box Damage in Area Will Be Probed

LOCUST TOWNSHIP — Harold Martin, Locust Township chief of police, said he is conducting an investigation into the knocking down and destruction of mail boxes in the Millgrove area of Roaring Creek Valley.

Martin said he would appreciate any information which would help him in his investigation. Information can be forwarded to Martin, or his assistant, Raymond Runge.

Southside Ambulance

CATAWISSA — Southside Area Ambulance Association experienced a busy week with eight calls.

Five trips were made to Bloomsburg Hospital; two to Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, and one to Maple Crest Nursing Home. A total of 141 miles were covered.

Labels Collected by Elementary Center

CATAWISSA — Four-One Class of Catawissa Elementary Center, with the help of other pupils, has collected 200 Hunt and Wesson labels during the past few weeks.

For each label collected, a tree will be planted in the National Children's Forest.

CATAWISSA BRIEFS

Three Catawissa area residents are patients in Bloomsburg Hospital. They are Mrs. Betty Runge, George Morrow and Mrs. Carrie Getkin.

Mrs. Alice Breisch has returned to her home from the hospital.

Painter Stricken Ill At Area School Office

SHAMOKIN — Aaron Sinton, 220 South Sixth Street, was admitted to Shamokin State General Hospital this morning.

Sinton, a painter for the Shamokin Area School District, was stricken acutely ill while in the elementary office at the former post office building, Rock and Sunbury Streets.

Trevorton Area

Mrs. William Webber 797-8425
Mrs. Betty Reed 797-3203

West Cameron Youth Named to Dean's List

TREVORTON — Herbert Erdman has returned to his studies at Ohio Technical Institute, Columbus, Ohio, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Erdman, West Cameron. The student was named to the dean's list at the Ohio school for the past semester.

TREVORTON BRIEFS

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet tonight at 8:00 in the post quarters.

A meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held Tuesday night at 7:30 in United Methodist Church.

Adult Missionary Society of the Evangelical Church will meet Wednesday night with a prayer meeting at 7:00, followed by election of officers at 8:00.

Society of Chicago, Ill., spoke on "Your Handwriting Reveals the Real You." At the conclusion of his talk, he analyzed the handwriting of several members.

During the business session, reports were presented on the functions of medical missions and the Rosary Society, and plans for various fund raising projects were discussed.

Mount Carmel.

The proposed realignment is contained in a Democratic-sponsored reapportionment bill before the State Legislature. The measure, being opposed by Representative Franklin Kury, a Democrat, would affect Mount Carmel, Mount Carmel Township, Kulpmont and Marion Heights. It would take them out of the 17th District and make them part of the 6th Congressional District of Congressman Gus Yatron. The 6th District includes

the Knights of Columbus rooms.

The party will follow a business meeting at 7:30. Mrs. Dorothy C. Spurr, grand regent, has reminded members that applications are to be returned at this session. Games will be played during the social hour. Members may take guests.

Arrangements are in charge of Jean Bergal, chairman, Ann Ruginnis, co-chairman, Helen Serovich, Florence Zoineropwicz, and Kathryn Veith.

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WILKES EDGES EAST STROUDSBURG STATE, 15-14

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Coughlin Rolls Over Lake-Lehman Eleven, 30-6

Football Results

Scholastic

A DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Wyoming Area	4	0	0	1.000
Coughlin	4	1	0	.800
Valley West	4	1	0	.800
Meyers	3	2	0	.600
Pittston Area	2	3	0	.400
Nanticoke Area	0	5	0	.000
Central Cath.	0	5	0	.000

B DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Lake-Lehman	3	0	0	1.000
Dallas	3	1	0	.750
GAR	3	1	0	.750
Plains	1	3	0	.250
West Side Tech	1	3	0	.250
Hanover	0	3	0	.000

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Coughlin 30, Lake-Lehman 6
Berwick 38, West Hazleton 6

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Blair 44, Wyoming Sem 0
Dallas 16, Central Catholic 14
Abington Hts. 16, Dunmore 13
Lackawanna Trail 22, Wyalusing 7
West Side Tech 22, Susquehanna 16

FRIDAY'S RESULTS

Meyers 30, Pittston Area 24
Valley West 33, Nanticoke A. 19
Plains 26, Crestwood 12
Wyoming Area 39, Old Forge 21
Scranton Tech 18, Tunkhannock 16
Central Columbia 28, Milton 0
Hazleton 0, Pottsville 0
Selinsgrove 36, Northwest 0
Scranton Cent. 27, Mid-Valley 0
Valley View 20, Lakeland 6

Collegiate

EAST

Massachusetts 38, Holy Cross 27
Cornell 21, Brown 7
W. Maryland 13, Juniata 3
Yale 24, Penn 14
Penn State 63, Maryland 27
Columbia 31, Dartmouth 29
Allegheny 13, Bethany (W.Va.) 6
Notre Dame 56, Pittsburgh 7
Princeton 21, Harvard 10
Vermont 17, Maine 13
Colgate 47, Bucknell 24
Villanova 48, Boston U 0

Zych Tosses Two TDs

By LEE RICHARDS
Sports Editor

Powerful Coughlin rolled to its sixth straight win last night at Plains Memorial Stadium by completely outmuscling an aggressive Lake-Lehman eleven, 30-6, before some 3,500 fans.

Coach Joe Moran's Crusaders are now 8-1 on the season and look stronger and stronger with every game.

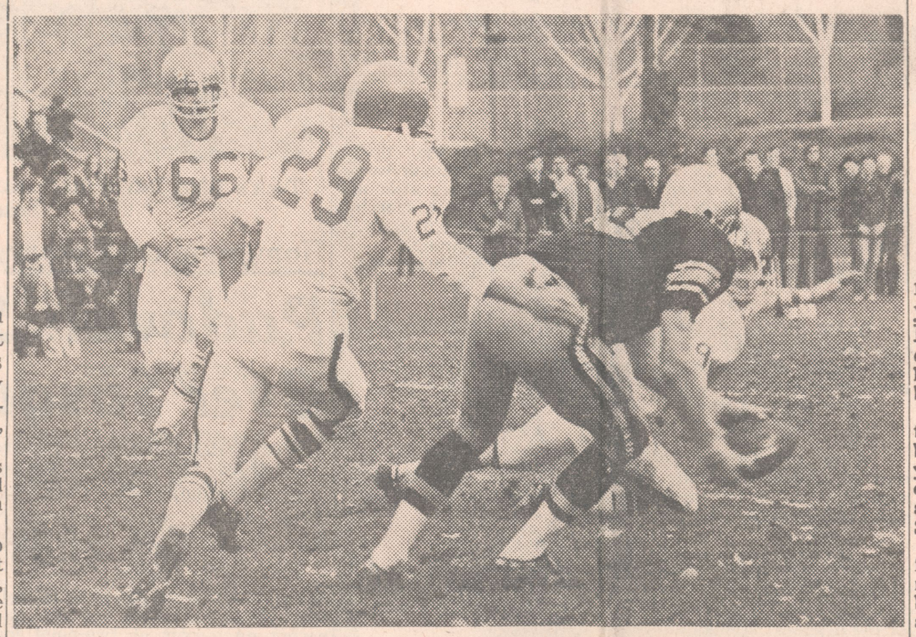
The Crusaders set the tempo early when their defensive unit led by linebacker Steve Leskiw, tackle Mike Sterba, Denise Ference, Dave Howe, Laniel Crawford and Chris O'Brien choked Lake-Lehman's motor on the ground. This group of defenders kept the Black Knights in poor field position most of the first half and gave the offense excellent field position.

Poor Punt

Coughlin didn't hit the scoreboard until its third possession and a poor Lake-Lehman punt set them up in excellent field position at the L-L 34 after a short return by Bob Pesotski. On the first play QB Jeff Zych drilled a strike to Pesotski who skipped down to the 15 for a 19-yard gain.

Plunges by Crawford and Dave Trethaway moved the ball down to the one where Leskiw capped the six-play march by bulling in for the TD. Dave Plisko converted and the Crusaders were up 7-zip with 44 seconds left in the opening frame.

Bob Engle has picked up over 1,000 yards running the football for the Knights, but couldn't run against the 4-4-3 of the Crusaders. He got only 24 yards in nine carries.



Wilkes end George Sillup snares a pass during second quarter of action against East Stroudsburg State yesterday.—(Paramount)

Yeager Runs For Two TDs

It was Ted Yeager's final collegiate appearance yesterday afternoon at Ralston Field and it was only fitting that he give the home fans something to remember.

And remember they did as the 5-6, 160 pound senior tailback tore up the turf for 146 yards rushing and two touchdowns to lead the Colonels to a 15-14 win over archrival East Stroudsburg.

Yeager made it a grand home finale, stretching his season rushing total to 838 yards, breaking the old season standard of 810 yards set in 1957 by scatback Ron Rescigno.

Sets Mark

The "Catawissa Flash" didn't stop there. Also biting the dust was Marv Antinnes' season carry mark of 180. Yeager's 35 totes against the Warriors surpassed the old entry by five.

Yeager wasn't the only hero in the Wilkes victory. Also taking the bows were Jeff Giberson, George Sillup, and Frank Galicki.

Giberson, who has been taking the backseat to Yeager this fall, completed 13 of 19 passes for 173 yards. The first four completions helped him to break Joe Zakowski's one campaign record of 63. The Mt. Holly, N.J., field general has hit on 73 of 142 aerials this autumn for 1067 yards at a 51% completion rate.

Sillup Steady

Joining Giberson on the receiving end of seven passes was tight end George Sillup. Prior to the start of the season, skeptics rated the former Coughlin grad as a poor receiver but the 6-3, 210-pounder has all-but



Coughlin quarterback Jeff Zych (10) picks up short gain against Lake-Lehman last night. He's stopped by Bill Lozo (33) and Larry Paul (89) of the Black Knights.—(Photo by McCloskey).

Stanford Wins Bid To Rose Bowl

STANFORD, Calif. (UPI)—Don Bunce ran for one touchdown and passed for another and Rod Garcia booted two field goals yesterday as Stanford defeated UCLA 20-9 and won a Rose Bowl berth for the second straight year.

The Indians, in winning the Pacific-8 conference title with a 5-1 record capitalized on two UCLA turnovers in the second half to snap a 3-3 tie and win easily.

Bunce, fourth in the nation in total offense, completed 16 of 27 passes for 246 yards and one of those throws was a 29-yarder

Rodgers Scores Twice

No. 1 Ranked Nebraska Shellacks Iowa State

LINCOLN, Neb. (UPI)—No. 1 ranked Nebraska combined the nation's stingiest defense with the fancy stepping of slotback Johnny Rodgers and the field goal kicking of Rich Sanger in a 37-0 romp over Big Eight rival Iowa State yesterday.

Rodgers scored two touchdowns, including a spectacular 62-yard punt return. Sanger booted three field goals and the defense limited the Cyclones to 124 total offensive yards as the Huskers picked up their 19th straight win and extended their unbeaten streak to 28 games.

Sanger's first field goal midway through the first quarter provided all that was needed over the hapless Cyclones, who

the second quarter after Nebraska had already built a 10-0 edge on Sanger's first field goal and Rodgers' 10-yard touchdown run around left end.

His first touchdown was set up by an errant pass by Cyclone quarterback Dean Carlson which was picked off by Husker defensive left end John Adkins and started a 44-yard march.

Jacobs Goes 92 Yards

King's Upset By St. Francis

St. Francis quarterback Chuck Connelly rambled 29 yards around the King's College flank to score a third period touchdown which gave the Frankies an upset 27-21 victory over the Golden Knights yesterday before 1,000 fans at Hanover Township Stadium.

An explosive first half saw the Knights fight back to a 21-20 lead and the local eleven failed

Connelly put the Frankies in front with his run from pass formation and Roberts converted.

Fails To Score

Army 30, Rutgers 17
Boston Coll. 10, Syracuse 3
Kings Point 17, Hofstra 7
Colby 17, Bates 8
Central Conn. 14, American International 7
Grove City 28, Bridgewater (Mass.) 7
Delaware 49, Lehigh 22
Clarion 17, Shippensburg 13
Slippery Rock 14, Lock Haven 10
Westminster (Pa.) 50, Carnegie-Mellon 0
St. Lawrence 10, Renssalaer Poly 0
Cortland 23, Northeastern 6
Plattsburgh 7, Albany St. (N.Y.) 6
Alfred 32, Hamilton 0
Franklin & Marshall 17, Haverford 7
Shepherd 19, Salem 10
Temple 40, Rhode Island 13
Tufts 13, Bowdoin 10
New Hampshire 24, Springfield 24
Maine Maritime 40, N. E. Coll. 6
Williams 27, Wesleyan 14
Wilkes 15, East Stroudsburg 14
Lafayette 27, Gettysburg 12
Millersville St. 36, Cheyney St. 18
Hobard 35, Drexel 8
West Liberty 21, Fairmont 20
Glenville 38, Concord 12
Ursinus 20, Dickinson 12
Albright 16, Lebanon Valley 7
Bridgeport (Mass.) 35, Glassboro St. U
Edinblro 19, Ohio Northern 0
Montclair St. 38, Jersey St. 7

SOUTH

Virginia Tech 6, Virginia 0
Duke 31, West Virginia 15
N. Carolina 26, Clemson 13
Tennessee 35, S. Carolina 6
Wake Forest 36, W&M 29
E. Carolina 27, Davidson 26
Morehead 19, East Tennessee 7
Ohio U. 30, Tulane 7
Georgia Tech 34, Navy 21
Georgetown (DC) 30, Fordham 9
Kentucky 14, Vanderbilt 7
Georgia 49, Florida 7
Eastern Ky., 14, Tenn. Tech. 7
Auburn 30, Miss. St. 21
J. Hopkins 41, Swarthmore 21
Southern Mississippi 38, Virginia Military Inst. 0
Mississippi 28, Tampa 27
Citadel 21, Richmond 11
Houston 35, Memphis St. 7

MIDWEST

Northwestern 41, Minnesota 20
Colorado 35, Kansas 14
Toledo 23, Northern Illinois 8
Nebraska 37, Iowa St. 0
Miami (Ohio) 7, Western Michigan 6
Wichita St. 34, Colorado St. 14
Michigan St. 17, Ohio St. 10
Illinois 22, Indiana 21
Michigan 63, Iowa 7
Cincinnati 40, North Texas St. 7
Wisconsin 14, Purdue 10
Oklahoma 20, Missouri 3
Dayton 20, Xavier (Ohio) 10
Valparaiso 48, Butler 12

SOUTHWEST

Texas 24, Baylor 0
Kansas St. 35, Oklahoma St. 23
Louisville 17, Tulsa 0
Texas A&M 27, SMU 10
TCU 17, Texas Tech 6
New Mexico 59, Utah 39
Arkansas 24, Rice 24

WEST

Stanford 20, UCLA 9
Southern Cal. 30, Washington St. 20
Washington 30, California 7
Oregon 23, Air Force 14
Wyoming 31, Utah St. 29

COUGHLIN (30)
ENDS—Plisko, O'Brien, Jones, Lyons, McBride
TACKLES—Ference, Dettmore, Sterba, Kwak, Abromavage, Centak
GUARDS—Cooper, Murphy, Koval
CENTERS—Ascani, Stehle
BACKS—Zych, Pesotski, Trethaway, Crawford, Hill, McDade, McBride, Bell, Rajchel, Yanik, Langdon, Murray, Brill

LAKE-LEHMAN
ENDS—Brown, Adamshick, Pall, Pilesi
TACKLES—Smith, Johnstone, Williams
GUARDS—Bonning, Mohen
CENTERS—Evans, Bryant, Marchakitus
BACKS—Stevens, Engle, Lozo, Kalish, DeCesaris, Steltz, Bogdan, Crawford
OFFICIALS—Jones, Walsh, Brogna, Williams

COUGHLIN	7	7	7	9	30
LAKE-LEHMAN	0	0	0	6	6

COUGHLIN SCORING—Leskiw, (1-yd. run); Pesotski, (20-yd. pass from Zych); Trethaway, (6-yd. pass from Zych); Crawford, (1-yd. dive); Plisko, (20-yd. field goal). PAT—Plisko, (3) kicks.

LAKE-LEHMAN SCORING — Adamshick, (12-yd. pass from Stevens).

STATISTICS

	COUGHLIN	LAKE-LEHMAN
First downs	13	6
Rushing yardage	129	40
Passing yardage	98	78
Passes attempted	10	15
Passes completed	5	5
Intercepted by	0	3
Fumbles	0	1
Fumbles lost	0	1
Punts	2-45.5	5-25.6
Yards penalized	22	20

The Knights couldn't get any sustained drive going and spent most of the first half containing the Crusader offense. Bill Kalish and Charlie Evans came up with timely interceptions in the second period to thwart other marches.

TD March

Coughlin got its second TD on a four-play, 44-yard march. Finding it a little difficult to run on the Knights with Evans, Bill Lozo and Doug Johnstone closing the gaps, Zych decided to warm up his passing arm. On the fourth play of the march Zych zipped a 20-yard pass to Pesotski in the end zone and the senior end came up with a pro-type grab off his shoestrings. Plisko hit the PAT and it was 14-zip.

Only 2:51 remained and the Knights got moving through the air lanes on a couple of Tony Stevens tosses but the Crusaders defense shut that down. They got the ball back with a couple of seconds left when Evans, who roamed all over the field from his LB slot pilfered another Zych toss.

Scoring Pass

After the intermission Lake-Lehman still could not generate its offense and had to punt the football. Coughlin turned on the power and methodically ground out its third score on quick pops by Trethaway, Crawford and Leskiw down to the five. Zych crossed up the Knights by tossing a little pass to Trethaway for the score to cap the 10-play, 43-yard drive. Plisko's PAT was good.

Coughlin got its fourth and final tally on its next series traveling 48 yards in nine plays with Crawford leaping over from the one with 11:58 remaining. Evans charged over the middle of the Coughlin line to block Plisko's PAT attempt.

Stevens got his mates off on their longest drive of the night on the next series picking up five first downs but the Crusaders held again.

The Big Red team started pounding away at the tackle holes and moved the ball down to the four where the Knights stiffened. Plisko boomed home a 20-yard field goal to end the scoring with 2:12 left.

On the ensuing kickoff, Stevens took the Knights 68 yards in five plays on catches by Kalish and Paul Adamshick. Stevens rolled and flipped a 12-yard scoring strike to Adamshick over two Coughlin defenders. Denis Ference roared in on Stevens on the two-point play, which was a pass, and nailed him before he could get the ball away.

Berwick Bombs West Hazleton

Berwick's football team invaded Harman-Geist Stadium in Hazleton last night and romped to a 38-6 victory over winless West Hazleton.

Coach George Curry's Bulldogs brought their season log to an impressive 7-2 and the home team was taking its ninth defeat.

Quarterback Gary McCutcheon starred for the winners by running for two touchdowns on short carries, passing 70 yards for a six-pointer, and tossing a two-point PAT pass.

Berwick used the airlanes to pile up 308 yards.

In the first period, the visitors moved ahead on a two-yard buck by Jeff Marshman.

McCutcheon went over from the 1 in the second and then passed to Lee Kuchka for two points. The veteran signal caller scored from the 1 and at the half Berwick owned a comfortable 20-0 bulge.

Third quarter play saw second string QB Gary Bankes flip 17 yards to Randy Bower for the touchdown.

West Hazleton then put its only points on the board as Bob Bason grabbed a pass from Bob Horn good for 46 yards and a touchdown.

Back came McCutcheon into action and connected with Bower on a pass for a TD covering 70 yards.

Final score for the Bulldogs came with Angelo Venditti grabbing a TD flip from Bankes good for 57 yards.

Berwick	6	14	6	12	38
W Hazleton	0	0	0	6	6

Miles Moore

The Stanford quarterback also ran six yards for his team's only other touchdown while Garcia booted field goals of 33 and 46 yards.

The two field goals gave Garcia a total of 14 for the year and set a PAC-8 single season record, beating the old mark of 13 established by Randy Wersching of California two years ago.

UCLA, going down to its seventh loss of the year in nine games, got its points on a 21-yard field goal by Efren Herrera and a one-yard smash by Jimmie Jones. The Bruins didn't get that score by Jones until there was only 1:17 left to play.

Oklahoma Tops Missouri On 'Mild' 20-3 Victory

COLUMBIA, Mo. (UPI)—High-scoring Oklahoma was held to its lowest point production of the season yesterday by an inspired Missouri defensive team, but the No. 2-ranked Sooners took advantage of a 70-yard return with a blocked field goal attempt and a 44-yard touchdown pass to turn back the lowly Tigers, 20-3.

The Sooners, who lost four fumbles, were held scoreless in the second half, the first time this season they have not scored in any one quarter.

Oklahoma entered the game with a 47-point per game scoring average and rated a 32-point favorite, but the Tigers' eight-man defensive line shut off the Sooners' outside running game.

The verdict was never in any real doubt after Oklahoma scored two touchdowns in the second quarter.

The Tigers held Oklahoma halfback Greg Pruitt and quarterback Jack Mildren in check, but Roy Bell put the Sooners out of reach with a 78-yard run in the second quarter. Pruitt was held to 92 yards rushing and Mildren 124.

Oklahoma's deepest penetration in the second half came in the third quarter when the Sooners drove to the Missouri 15 before fumbling.

Linebacker Mark Driscoll started Oklahoma's scoring when he scooped up a blocked field goal and raced 70 yards for a touchdown with 9:53 left in the first quarter. Cornerback Keith Pope broke through to block Greg Hill's 28-yard attempt. As the ball bounced around the Missiouri 30, players didn't seem to know what to do with it. But Driscoll alertly picked it up and ran down the sideline with a covey of blockers escorting him.

Hill booted a 34-yarder early in the second quarter before Oklahoma's offensive machine slipped into high gear. On the second play after the ensuing kickoff Bell slipped off tackle and scampered 78 yards.

by Oklahoma, the nation's No. 2 ranked team and Nebraska's Thanksgiving Day foe.

The kick, a 26-yarder, culminated a 76-yard march that began with a 58-yard run around left end by fullback Bill Olds. Four plays later, I-back Jeff Kinney went over for what appeared to be Nebraska's first score, but it was called back on an offensive holding penalty. The attack bogged down and Sanger took over.

His other scoring kicks went for 27 and 39 yards.

Rodgers' punt return score came with four minutes left in

on one-yard runs by quarterback Jerry Tagge and his substitute, Van Brownson.

The Cyclones never really got an offense going as the Nebraska defense kept them beyond their own 30-yard line throughout the game. Quarterback Carlson was so hampered that at one point tailback George Amundson, a converted quarterback, took over the Iowa State helm.

Carlson, the Big Eight's second leading passer, was limited to 40 yards in the air while Amundson, the conference's second best rusher, was held to 83 yards on the ground.

Scholastic Back of the Week

GARY SCAVONE

MEYERS

The strong-armed signal caller for the Mohawks threw four touchdown passes and flipped for two more two-pointers on conversion attempts to lead his team to a 30-24 win over Pittston Area. For the night, Scavone riddled the Patriot defense on 10 completions in 18 attempts for 150 yards.

His four scoring passes were strikes of 56, 32, three, and two yards and ran his total of TD passes to 18 for the year. He threw the winning TD pass to Mark Sabatino with only 0:38 left to play.

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Lineman of the Week

CHARLIE EVANS

LAKE-LEHMAN

While Lake-Lehman's offense had trouble moving the ball against a rugged Coughlin defense, the Knights' defense saw plenty of playing time and Charlie was the hub of the scrappy unit. The 5-9, 180-pound senior center and linebacker was in on around 19 tackles and nine of those hits were unassisted.

The Knights' blond bomber also dropped back to intercept two Crusader passes from his middle linebacker post and crashed through to block an extra point try. Without Evans, things could have been a lot darker for the losing Knights.

clutch catches for 186 yards already showing on the year.

Galicki, known in some circles as the "Bullet," pounded the hapless Warriors for eight first hits and one assist. The Mocanaqua-bred junior also picked off a second period Steve Mummaw pass.

Mummaw, by the way, had one of the worst days of his career, connecting on only six of 15 attempts for 65 yards. The 5-8, 142 signal caller ranked as the fifth best passer in the nation last year.

Battle of Poconos

The Colonels captured the so-called "Battle of the Poconos," with their best combined offensive and defensive effort of the year.

Wilkes almost completely dominated the contest, topping the visitors in first downs, 20-12; rushing, 204-104; passing, 173-70; and total offense, 377-174.

The win gave the Blue and Gold a 5-2 record on the year and assured the locals their 11th winning season in history. East Stroudsburg departed 5-3.

With thoughts of last year's 30-0 whipping still lingering in their minds, the charges of Coach Roland Schmidt scored the first time they had the football. The drive went 78 yards and covered 15 plays.

Highlighting the touchdown attack were three Giberson to Sillup hookups, and a clutch 16 yard third down shot to Dan Walters. Yeager, who chalked up 26 yards rushing on the spree, finalized the drive with a one-yard pitchout from Giberson. The extra point try was wide to the left.

Later in the first period the Colonels added three more

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nity in the final minutes of play.

Freshman John Jacobs of McLean, Va. scampered up the middle 92 yards to a touchdown to set the tempo of the game on the second play from scrimmage for the local eleven. Ed Gonglefski of Swoyersville kicked the point and King's followers hoped for a romp.

Roberts Stars

But the Frankies turned loose a fine halfback, Jay Roberts, who dashed 63 yards around right end two plays after the kickoff. His PAT kick went wide and King's stayed in front.

Three plays later, Ron Krakosky's pass was intercepted by senior guard Frank Gemino in the flat on the King's 26. Four runs carried to the 2, and little Al Andrews, 5-6 and 140, scooted over. Roberts converted and is was 13-7 at the end of the quarter.

Chuck Dunn of Kingston bolted 20 yards to the Frankie 11 and then made 6. With 9:50 left in the second, he hit off left tackle to score. Terry Jones of Harveys Lake ran the two-point conversion and King's was on top, 15-13.

Lightning struck again as the hard-running Roberts hauled in the kickoff and after seemingly going down near the midfield sideline regained his balance to finish a 90-yard TD run. He then kicked the point.

King's was back in business after Ray Payne, former Meyers star, recovered a fumble on the Red Flash 40. It was Jerry Mundy of Blakeslee racing all the way to the 6. Visitors were offsides and Jones went over right tackle three yards to score and when the run failed it was 21-20 for King's.

and the deflected toss was caught for 29 yards at the visitor's 24. King's moved to the 10 but a fourth down pass try was wrecked.

King's got its big break on fourth down as the Frankies tried to punt and the snap was fumbled. Jack Fleming and Pete Tisi recovered on the St. Francis 15. A run got to the 10, another lost 5. A third down toss to Joe Bargella in the end zone failed and on fourth down passer Krehely was tackled at the 23 to end the threat.

King's had eight first downs to seven. Rushing yardage was even at 242. Knights made 2 of 9 passes for 69 and Frankies had 1 of 3 for 8. One King's pass was intercepted. King's lost one fumble and the Frankies, 2. Penalties were 6 for 30 for King's and 4 for 14 for the winners, now 6-1.

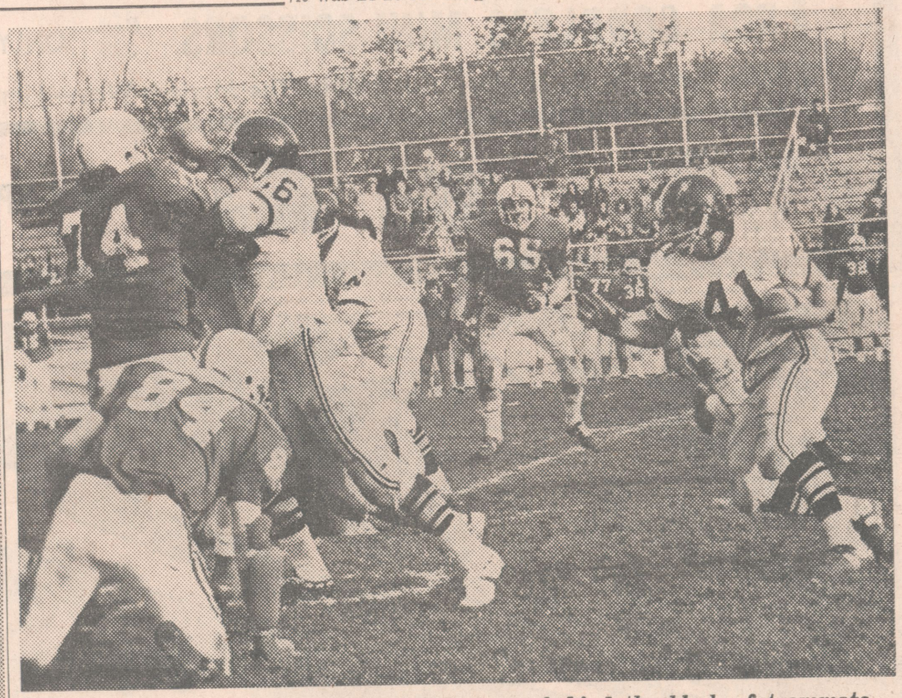
ST. FRANCIS (27)
ENDS—Balogh, Hribar, Kressaty, Lewis, Raper
TACKLES—Fiore, McCusker, McGarrity
GUARDS—Campbell, Gemino, Lewis, Perehnic, Rysz, Drager, Zakraysek
CENTERS—Petrowski, Alexa
BACKS—Connelly, Bailey, Andrews, Coan, Durbin, Hostetler, Roberts, Pollare, McCleane, Klaszky

KINGS (21)
ENDS—O'Brien, Mundy, Benedetti, Wint, Artaserse, Bargella, Brennan, Fleming
TACKLES—Frassetta, Chichvar, Hart, Wascura, Kurilla, Cronin, Krudys
GUARDS—G. Dunn, Sickler, Payne, Binder, Feldman, Tisi
CENTERS—Kozicki, Suppa
BACKS—Krakosky, Krehely, C. Dunn, Jacobs, Sholtis, Gonglefski, Bustin, Jones, Colarusso, Dalmas, Brady, Sprow, Jazowski

ST. FRANCIS	13	7	7	0	27
KING'S	7	14	0	0	21

ST. FRANCIS SCORING—Roberts, 2 (63-yd. run; 90-yd. kickoff return); Andrews, 3, run; Connelly, 29 run; PATs: Roberts, 3, kicks.

KING'S SCORING—Jacobs, 92, run; Dunn, 4, run; Jones, 3, run. PATs: Gonglefski, kick; Jones, run.



King's Chuck Dunn looks for running room behind the block of teammate Emil Sholtis.—(McCloskey)

Tucker to Coach YMCA Mat Team



RALPH TUCKER

Vince Degillio, wrestling chairman of the Wilkes-Barre YMCA, has announced the Y will field a varsity wrestling team after a lapse of seven years.

Organized practice will commence on Tuesday and Thursday this week from 7:30 to 9:30 and every Tuesday and Thursday thereafter.

Ralph Tucker, former Wilkes-Barre YMCA wrestling great and holder of many wrestling championships, including a state Y title, will coach this year's team. He has been a member of the YMCA since 1937 and wrestled on the team with Billy Lee, Dave Hopkins, Andy Victor and Andy Carol.

Tucker is hoping for a large turnout of candidates.
team so he a represent.

For further information, contact Jack Watson, physical director of the YMCA.

Wilkes Edges

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points on the board when freshman Terry Blaum split the uprights on a 30-yard field goal at the 1:07 juncture. It was his fourth three-pointer of the year.

Twice in the second stanza the Blue and Gold had scoring chances halted, on the Stroudsburg ten and 21-yard lines by errant passes.

Stroud Scores

The pendulum swung back to the Warriors in the second half as the Red and Black capped a sustained 61-yard drive with a six-yard counter sprint by halfback Mark Hoffner.

A freak play set up the next ESSC score. The Warriors, pushed back deep in their own territory, were forced to punt. The boot sailed high and bounced to John Kerr, who had just executed a block. The alert Monroe Countians recovered on the Wilkes 35, scoring three plays later on a 15-yard pass from Mummaw to Hoffner.

Down 14-9, the undaunted Colonels went right to work after the kickoff, moving methodically down the field on short bursts by Yeager and a key 26-yard reception by sophomore John Marion.

It took just four runs for Yeager to score from the 15-yard line. The counter came on a five-yard around end with 6:01 left.

Seniors making their final Ralston Field appearance included Tony Gardinale, Kent Jones, Garf Jones, Mike Hughes, Bill Hanbury, Nate Eustis, Dan Walters, Ron Fritts, Ted Yeager, Bob Ashton, Ron Hillard, Steve Balla, Neil Langdon, and Charles Graziano.

The Blue and Gold end their 1971 season Saturday afternoon, meeting Muskingum College at New Concord, Ohio.

EAST STROUDSBURG	0	0	7	7—14
WILKES	9	0	0	6—15

WILKES SCORING — Ted Yeager (1-yd. run), kick failed; Terry Blaum (30-yd. field goal); Ted Yeager (5-yd. run), pass failed.

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Behind the Bench

Is Eastern Football Really That Bad?

We've always been proud to say we're from Pennsylvania and that our state plays tough-hardnosed football. Pennsylvania has produced some quality performers down through the years. Not only have they gained fame in the collegiate ranks, but the pros as well.

Every football season as soon as a team strings together a long winning streak, like Penn State has at the present time, many writers and sports buffs quickly point out a weak schedule.

Pitt and Army have the toughest schedules in the East. Sure Penn State is winning, but the Nittany Lions' worst enemy is its schedule and this year's is no exception. The Lions' '72, '73 and '74 schedules are no stronger. At the present time there isn't a team in the top 20 found as a future Lion opponent.

We're not rapping Penn State, because we feel they have some real "champions" on this year's team. Even against some mediocre foes the "champions" showed their class.

Eastern football is really in a sad state. Pitt is a big, slow moving team, and Syracuse clocks its players with a sundial. Army stresses quickness as does PSU, which has a more superior breed of athlete than bunks on the Hudson.

Eastern football is not that good simply because there aren't enough good athletes to go around. Let's be honest. With Syracuse, Pitt, Penn State, Boston College, Army and Navy bidding for the "champion" type athlete, and the Ivy League coming in and getting its share, along with your Lehighs, Bucknells, Temples, Villanovas, West Virginias and Marylands, what's left?

There are a lot of colleges fielding football teams in the East. Just look at all the scores run on the front page of this section.

At the present time Penn State has a corner on the cream of the crop. With the talent on hand there at PSU, there's no way they are going to have a losing season. No way!

With out Penn State our eastern football wouldn't be represented in the Top 50 this year

In our opinion Penn State is a whiz-bang football team and deserves its high ranking in the polls. To say they are No. 1 or No. 2 would be a bit premature until after the Tennessee game and until after we see the caliber of opponent they decide to play in a bowl game. We hope it's Nebraska, Oklahoma, Alabama or Notre Dame. A victory over any of these teams would send PSU's prestige soaring. A bowl game with a lesser foe wouldn't have as much impact.

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Hall of Fame Dinner 'Super Affair'

Local sports buffs who didn't attend the Gibbons Hall of Fame dinner Thursday evening missed a classy affair. Many sports fans were still buzzing enthusiastically about the first annual affair even yesterday.

Members of the WVAA and the Gibbons people are to be commended for the splendid program. Sure there minor problems in getting the dinner off the floor, but overall it was a huge success and has unlimited possibilities.

All of the inducties were real "champions" and deserved the accolades which were heaped upon them by their personal friends who presented them with magnificent plaques.

Our congratulations to JOE KEARNEY who worked hard in making the program function as smoothly as it did. We know Joe has some bigger and better plans in store for next year.

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Clipboard Notes

MICK THOMAS and TOM MERLIE, two members of GAR's 1955 Championship grid team, reminisced with their Coach LUKE RICHARDS at Gibbons Hall of Fame dinner. Thomas clicked on 27 of 31 PATs, and Merlie ranked with the best field generals the Grenadiers ever had. Neither of our former teammates played in a losing football game in four years of high school.

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ANDY PERUGINO is one of the better golfers at Wyoming Valley Country Club. He usually shoots in the upper 70s and is noted for being straight and down the middle. Andy may never make the tour as a golfer, but in the kichen he's in a league all his own.

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Wilkes Coach ROLLIE SCHMIDT said last year that he thought BILL HORN was a quality athlete. Schmidt was relieved when Bill decided to matriculate to Wilkes after a fine career at Coughlin. The freshman is enjoying a superb year with the Colonels and has made some clutch grabs. He's going to be a real "champion" before he's through.

Isn't it something the knack Rollie has for discovering talent?

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DAVE PHILLIPS, the personable former Wyoming Sem cage coach, suffered a weird acident last week tutoring his GAR jayvee team. Dave was showing his lads how to dribble when he stumbled, fell backwards and broke both arms.

We wish him a speedy recovery.

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Wilkes assistant football Coach JOE SKVARLA will be married on Saturday, Nov. 20. Joe still holds a number of receiving records for the Colonels and was one of the top pass catchers in the East his senior year.

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MIKE LOWERY, Bishop Hoban's head football coach, returned recently from his honeymoon and his young gridders responded by defeating West Side Tech's junior varsity for the Argents initial victory.

Our congratulations to Mike and hope his team wins many more games. He and his staff appear to have laid a good foundation for the future.

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Oakland Coach JOHN MADDEN should have his head checked after blowing a victory over Kansas City last Sunday. Madden's Raiders had rallied against the Chiefs and had the football on the Chiefs' six-inch line. Sure it was fourth down and goal to go, but Oakland had the momentum and an apparent victory, but Madden charged out on the field and waved his offensive team off in favor of a field goal.

We sat stunned and disgusted as George Blanda booted the field goal. We were rooting for the Chiefs.

We predicted the Chiefs would win the Western Division title, but any time a team goes for a tie instead of a win it makes us sick!

Richards Opens Yogis Lead

Sports Editor Lee Richards opened a two-game lead over Kid Consensus in the Yogis battle with three weeks remaining in the "Race for the Roses"?

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YOGI STANDINGS

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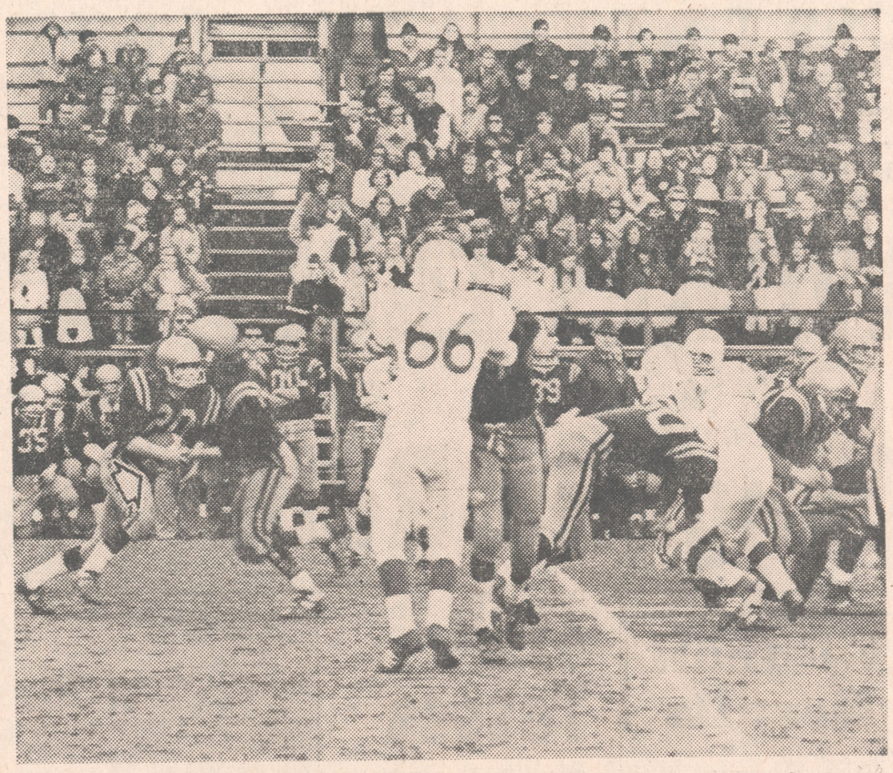

Tech's Glen Davis takes handoff from QB Mike Padavan in 22-16 win over Susquehanna here yesterday.

Homecoming Victory

Padavan Stars in Tech Win Over Susquehanna HS, 22-16

West Side Tech won its Homecoming Game from Susquehanna High School yesterday afternoon, 22-16, in Plymouth's Huber Stadium.

Quarterback Mike Padavan and halfback Tom Cusick led the victors by running for 156 yards between them. Cusick included a 19-yard third period TD scamper.

The Tech signal caller threw a touchdown pass of 46 yards to Paul Dula and connected on a pair of two-point conversion tosses to Ray Charnick and Dan Groboski. Mark Romanoski ran one yard for the winning touchdown in the final quarter.

Susquehanna had quarterback Dave Robinson as its scoring engineer. He threw to Maynard Upright for 34 and 29 yards, and passed for two-point conversions twice to Kim Laurenson.

Visitors scored in the first and fourth quarters and Tech had TDs in the second, third, and fourth.

Many Infractions

Seven first downs were racked up in the game on penalties. In the opening quarter, a poor Tech punt led to the first score. From the 34, Robinson tossed to Upright for the TD and then to Lawrenson for two.

Tech responded in the second following a punt return of eight yards. Padavan passed to Dula and he ran all over the field for 46 yards with tacklers missing him. On the tackle-eligible play, Charnick hauled in a toss from Padavan to knot the game at 8.

In the third quarter, West Side took the lead after Padavan intercepted a pass and carried to his 40. Runs, chiefly by Padavan, carried to the Susquehanna 19. Cusick bolted for the TD and Padavan tossed to Broboski for the conversion and a 16-8 lead.

Fourth quarter play had Romanoski setting up the TD for Tech after four runs and he went in from the 1.

Two 15-yard penalities on Tech set up the visitors for their final score and Robinson hit Upright for 29 yards and then tossed to Lawrenson for the PAT.

SUSQUEHANNA (16)
ENDS—Laurenson, Upright
TACKLES—Van Fleet, Heller, Holmes
GUARDS—Sheldon, Potter, Seman
CENTERS—Norris, M. Robinson
BACKS—D. Robinson, Westbrook, Testa, Reddon, G. Krall, J. Krall, K. Krall

WEST SIDE TECH (22)
ENDS— Wilk, Groboski, Dula
TACKLES—Strohl, Ferber, Charnicki
GUARDS—Delicate, Addison
CENTERS—Kruk, Chacko, Stravinski, Adams
BACKS—Molecavage, Iorio, Davis, James, Rogers, Confletti, Romanoski, Padavan, Cusock, Smith

SUSQUEHANNA	8	0	0	8	—16
WEST SIDE T.	0	8	8	6	—22

SUSQUEHANNA SCORING: Touchdowns: Upright, (2 passes of 34 and 29-yds.); PATs: Lawrenson, (2) passes.

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STATISTICS

W. S. TECH.		SUSQ.
First Downs	14	13
Rushing Yardage	199	45
Passing Yardage	114	103
Passes Attempted	23	20
Passes Completed	8	9
Intercepted By	2	0
Fumbles	4	2
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Punts	2	2
Yards Penalized	105	39

Rematch A Natural

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King's ranked Number One nationally in club football last year and was unbeaten this season until meeting a then lightly regarded Scranton eleven which scored 15 in the final period to upset King's 15-7, earlier at Hanover Stadium. King's has been anxious to atone for the upset but the Royals are eager to show their win was not a fluke. Followers of the Tomcats feel they will repeat their victory in the bowl rematch.

Ed Brominski is head coach at King's, assisted by Gordie Kutz, P. J. Melvin, Walt Stets, and Don Bardy. Dick Holmes coaches the university team.

Charity Game

Sponsoring Shawnee American Legion Post has announced the Heart Fund, Cancer Crusade, Crippled and Retarded Children's associations, and the American Legion charities will share in the proceeds.

Chairman John Vengien and Cochairman Len Matelunas explained the difference between club and varsity football at a recent meeting. Vengien stated: "The basic difference between club and varsity ball is funding. In varsity ball, the college or university pays all the expenses and in club ball members of the team are responsible for all expenses. He further commented: "I promise that those who have never witnessed club football are in for a very pleasant surprise."

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Tickets are at many locations, at both colleges and from all committeemen.

Members of the committee are; John Vengien, chairman; Leonard Matelunas, cochairman; Stew Emery, Cyril Spicher, Ed Kunigonis, John Ridzen, Bill Reese, Bill Cleary, Durwood Smith, Lefty Dennis, Ed Atwell, Bill Thompson, Joe Pisarcik, Russell Dugan, Pete Krufka, Dan Veshinski, Dorothy Bish, Bernie Miskin, Charles Pugh and Ernie Paulis.

TCU TIES FOR LEAD

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UPI) — Quarterback Steve Judy and halfback Larry Harris kept Texas Christian tied for the Southwest Conference Lead yesterday by guiding a relentless ball-control offense to a 17-6 win over Texas Tech in a game dedicated to TCU's late coach Jim Pittman.

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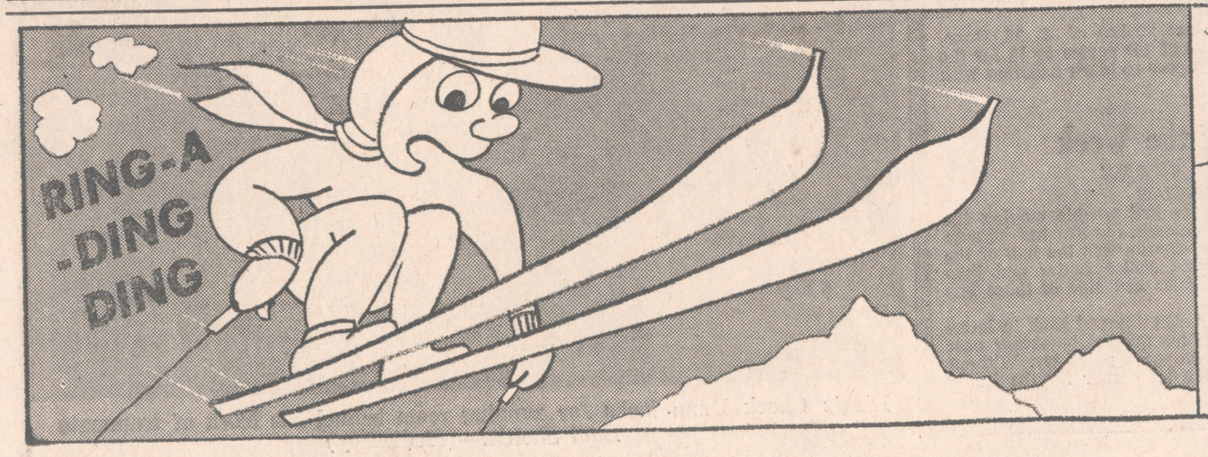

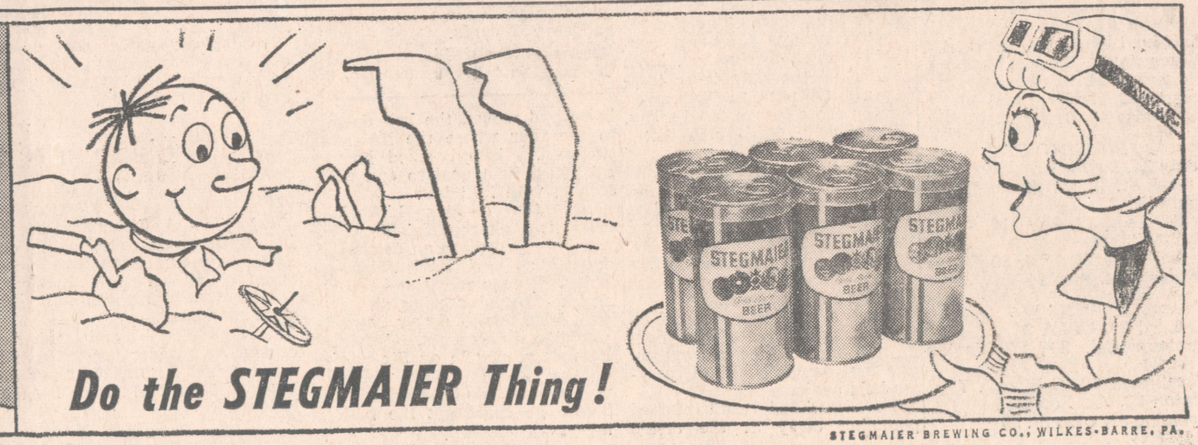

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Illinois Youngsters Are Bidding for Skate Honors

By JERRY LISKA
Associated Press Sports Writer

NORTHBROOK, Ill. (AP) — If a Japanese word is lacking for Northbrook, Ill., the host country for the impending Olympic Winter Games at Sapporo better find one.

That USA's Fastest Town on Skates, a northern Chicago suburb of 28,000 will send sensational 16-year-old Anne Henning and four Northbrook teammates flashing into the speed skating competition of the Feb. 3-13 Winter Olympiad.

The Northbrook quintet, plus Gary Jonland of Park Ridge, Ill, an alumnus of the remarkable Northbrook Skating Club, form a solid nucleus on the U.S. Olympic speedskating squad currently tuning up in European international meets.

Only last weekend, tall and sturdy Miss Henning wowed the ice buffs at Dayos, Switzerland, streaking to two new women's world records on successive days at 500 and 1,000 meters.

The powerful Anne looms a solid bet to become Uncle Sam's first feminine gold medal speedskate winner since the Winter Olympics started in 1924. With her new world best clocking of 1:27.3 for the 1,000 meters and 42.5 for 500 meters, she may be only beginning a fantastic career.

Miss Henning's able Northbrook Olympic mates include Neil Blatchford, who set an American men's 500 meter mark at Davos; Dianne Holum, a 20-year-old "veteran" who won silver and bronze medals in the 1968 Grenoble Olympics; Leah Poulos, a good overall skater, and Gregg Lyman, primarily a sprinter.

Northbrook folks complain a sixth Northbrook star, Mary Saxton, also should have been named to the olympic squad.

There's quite a difference between Little League baseball and Olympic speedskating, but that is more or less how Northbrook got its start towards being the nation's unusual cradle of speedskating talent.

Back in the early 1950s, when Northbrook was a quiet town of 5,000, the folks got excited over Little League baseball and wondered if the kids could be kept equally humming sportswise during the winter.

This is where Ed Rudolph, whose son Eddie became an Olympic speed skater, stepped into a picture that now finds him an Olympic coach and the guiding force of the internationally-famous Northbrook swifties on ice.

Rudolph, a skating buff since boyhood and now a landscaping contractor, suggested speed skating as a winter distraction for the Northbrook kids.

So in the winter of 1952-53, the Northbrook skating club was born, with the kids selling candy and the moms and dads digging into their own purses to keep the club rolling.

After that, a rugged training schedule by Rudolph, plus techniques on international skating brought back by Rudolph and his son from the Winter Olympics at Innsbruck in 1964 and Grenoble in 1968, began to pay off handsomely.

Eddie Rudolph became friends with the Russian speed skating star, Eugeny Grishin, and the Soviet ace came up with valuable pointers on the art of international speedskating

For years, U.S. skaters, accustomed to straight mob competition, had difficulty adjusting to the Olympic requirement of only two skaters racing at a time, against the clock, in two separate lanes with a lane crossover each 400 meter lap.

Furthermore, Olympic standard speedskating rinks still are a rarity in this country, with the West Allis, Wis., track finally solving Rudolphs' problem.

No pro sport training camp is more rigorous than Rudolph's year-around training ritual which obviously Miss Henning and the mushrooming group of Northbrook stars have taken to heart and body.

All summer, the skaters run and bicycle miles. They also pump endless hours on Northbrook's large outdoor rink circling what is described as the only decent bicycle track in the Midwest and a second rink near the village hall. More than 100 youngsters, most still dreaming of becoming Olympic stars, are active in the overall program.

By 1960, Northbrook had two Olympic team members, Eddie Rudolph and Beverly Buhr. who didn't exactly set the world on fire in the Winter Games at Squaw Valley, Calif., but who still returned to get the key to the city from the hometown folks.

Rudolph, now accompanying the Olympic squad on its European tuneup tour, also utilizes a secret gadget he tried to keep from prying eyes, a sort of stationary skating device to improve form as well as muscles.

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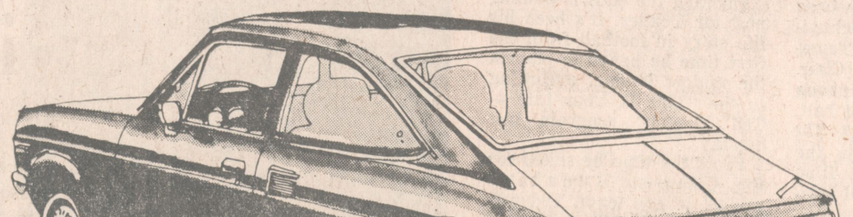

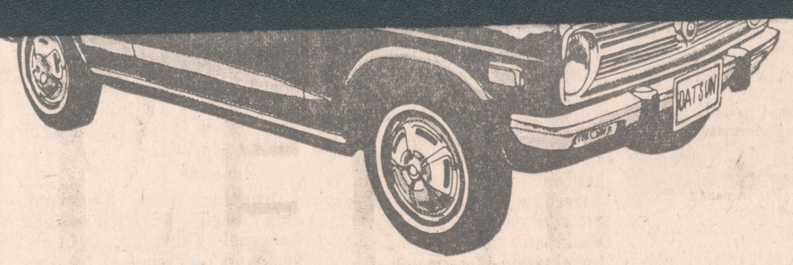

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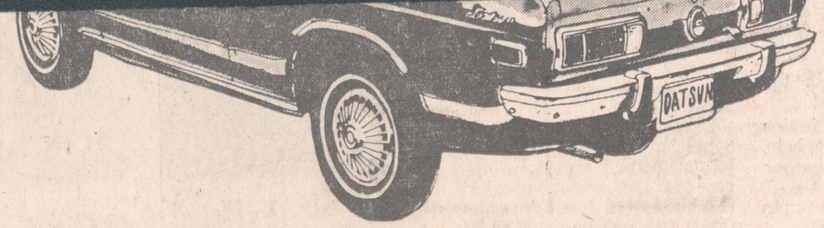

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N.S. on Coach's Schedule

Spartans Have Five In Doubles

By JOHN W. SMITH
Eagle Sports Writer

At the beginning of the season, Johnny McCloskey figured his North Schuylkill High basketball team could well be 14-0 going into the game with Panther Valley at Lansford.

It looks as if he'll make it.

The Spartans wrapped up the first-half championship of the North Schuylkill League with a perfect 11-0 record, and should still be unblemished by the time they head for P.V. on Jan. 28 for what McClosky figures "is a tossup game."

North Schuylkill had its closest call in the first half against the Panthers at Ashland, winning by only two points (50-48).

"All-around team play," says McCloskey in a hardly original explanation for his team's success.

Roadarmel First

He's got all five starters averaging in double figures—6-5 Jim Roadarmel (16.1), 6-3 Ken Felker (14-2), 6-2 Phil Rappant (11.2, missing one game wtih illness), 6-0 Tom Schreck (10.8) and 6-1 Paul Cuttic (10.7). Schreck and Cuttic are the guards.

"We've been shooting 46 per cent," says McCloskey. "We've outrebounded everybody but Tamaqua. We've had good ballhandling — our guards are every quick. Our defense has been improving.

"And Dan Zimmerman came off the bench Tuesday when Rapant was sick and got us 16 points." Cuttic is the only one who hasn't been a game-high scorer.

The Spartans have a tough road ahead in the second half, since they not only have to go to Panther Valley, whose only loss was to North Schuylkill, but to third-place Tamaqua and fourth-place St. Clair.

The Spartans beat Tamaqua by only four in the first half, but beat St. Clair by 13. The two other close ones in the half for N.S. were at Blue Mountain and Schuylkill Haven, both three-pointers.

"The boys have had a little taste of success; they think they can do it," said McCloskey. "But there's four or five

Anthracite Region Sports Activities

'Catawissa Flash' Beat Odds; Jersey Is Retired by Wilkes

By SAM PROCOPIO
Eagle Staff Writer





It's unfortunate that Ted Yeager, the greatest rusher in Wilkes College football history, was ignored by most writers and never made higher than honorable mention on any "all-college team" during a four-year career.

Despite this, two of the finest tributes that can be paid a college gridder came this past weekend to the "Catawissa Flash," the "Mighty Midget," the "Tiger Terrific" and the "Wilkes Wonder."

First, the San Francisco 49ers have expressed interest in him and could possibly select him this month in the pro draft, and secondly, Wilkes College retired his jersey, No. 21, in tribute to the 5-6, 150 pounder who set 10 rushing records and tied three others.

It was only the second time that Wilkes College retired a jersey. No. 44, belonging to Joe Wiendl who lettered in four sports four years, was retired in 1968.

Head Coach Roland C. Schmidt, who presented Yeager with his jersey last Sunday in a testimonial dinner at the Bloomsburg Magie Hotel for the former Southern Columbia gridder admitted that Yeager changed his mind about the potential and real ability of "the small guy."

Coach Schmidt said Yeager is "really the top back in Wilkes College history." When asked if he felt that Yeager could play pro football, Coach Schmidt said:

"I don't believe they will give him the opportunity. But he has the tools."

Fighting the odds is nothing new for Yeager. It's been his life story in football from the first time he began to play in the midget league, according to the "This Is Your Life — Ted Yeager" program last Sunday.

From the time he suited for the Catawissa Redskins midget league team, Ted was "putting out 100 per cent plus" to be No. 1. Mayor Richard Roberts of Bloomsburg, who coached the midgets, noted that Ted was

Anthra-Citings

Pottsville High completed its first-half East Penn League schedule by scoring more field goals than the opposition in every one of its nine games — but winning only three. The Tide totaled 45 more field goals, getting at least three more than every foe except champion Allentown Central, against whom it got one more. The opposition, though, converted 76 more free throws (161-247 to 85-160), with every foe but Bethlehem Catholic getting more singletons. This makes a plus for Pottsville in scoring for 14 points. The three wins were by 20, 14 and 7. Only one loss was by more than 5 (11). Two were by 5, one by 3, one by 2 and one by 1.

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Southern Columbia's Denny Schmidt is cited in "Faces in the Crowd" in this week's Sports Illustrated for his 60-point outburst last month against Freeland. The person who submitted it, however, was unfortunately overzealous in claiming "an unofficial state record" for the feat. As The Reading Eagle pointed out on Dec. 12, it wasn't even a regional record. Summit Hill's Morgie Evans scored 63 and Cass Township's Gene Horan 62 in 1959. And it's far from a state record. Pete Cimino (later an American League pitcher) scored 114 for Bristol against Palisades in January 1960. He had 44 FGs (in 79 shots) and 26 free throws. The score was 134-86.

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Lou Dellegrotti, Berwick backcourter, equaled Schmidt's 60 on Friday against Shikellamy in the Bulldogs' 123-75 victory. This becomes the Susquehanna Valley Conference record for both individual and team. Lou hit on 26 of 44 field goal attempts and 8 of 13 free throws. By quarters, he had 13, 16, 16, 15. He passed the 1,000 career mark in the third quarter, and now has 1,027. "I figured it was his night to howl, so I left him in until he fouled out with two minutes to go," said Coach Chet Doyle. Schmidt also passed 1,000 (by one) on Friday with 37. So did Line Mountain's Dave Klock (also by one) with 27.

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Marian Catholic was without three starters when it beat Cardinal Brennan, 83-40, Friday night. Joe Balascik, the 6-5 leading scorer, will probably be out 4-6 weeks with a break in his left hand,

reasons, has returned to his teaching duties at Bloomsburg State. A request of the former Wrestlers to have the sport re-instituted at mid-season with Houk as coach has been denied by the administration, however. The sport has been suspended at their request, largely because of a coaching problem. Houk was formerly coach and athletic director.

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Dan Truskey, junior defensive back from Tamaqua, has been elected as one of the tri-captains of Franklin and Marshall College's 1972 football team. The Diplomats won the Southern Division MAC title last fall with a 6-1 league record.

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West Hazleton expects to begin relations with Reading High in basketball on Dec. 8 next season. It will be at Reading.

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Mike Wilkes, all-state basketball star for Dallas High Shcool in 1966, died last week at the age of 23 in a Camden hospital. Wilkes played his collegiate ball for the University of Virginia.

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Stone-throwing by disgruntled fans is back in the news. Someone from Shamokin threw one through the window of a school bus carrying Danville students on N. 6th street Tuesday after the Indians' one-point loss to Danville. No one was hurt; damage was estimated at $25.

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The first basketball playoff of the season in the region saw Bishop Hafey defeat West Hazleton, 71-57, to win the first-half championship in the Mountain Area Junior High League. Both were 7-1 in the half, Hafey winning the regular meeting by 45-43. Hafey had lost at Hazleton Harman by 57-44. Larry Sock (62) scored 29 for Hafey in the playoff.

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Chet Doyle has resigned as basketball coach at Berwick after six seasons, and George Masich as football coach at Northwest after five seasons.

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Bob Gutshall, informed that he has been fired as football coach at Southern Columbia, has not taken the release quietly. He said the Athletic Director Charles Nesbitt was too authoritarian and Boosters Club President George Leffler too influential. He was also critical of a lack of school board cooperation at providing him with an initial staff

Kutztown St. Winner In Swimming

SHIPPENSBURG — Kutztown State, with ex-Wilson diver Mike Snook scoring a double, defeated Shippensburg State, 74-38, in the first swimming meet ever held in the new Heige Field House.

Snook won both the required and optional diving events as the Golden Bears squared their record at 1-1 and Shippensburg dropped its opener.

Other Kutztown State winners were Mike Brockel, Mike Mullen, Mike Nonnemacher, Bob Gualtieri, George Williams, Rick Heimbach, Greg Brey and the 400 medley relay team. Summaries:

400 medley relay: 1.—Kutztown (George Williams, Greg Brey, Mike Brockel, Mike Nonnemacher), 4:15.6
1000 freestyle: 1.—Mike Brockel, K; 2.—Garman, S; 3.—Lee Frantz, K. 13.17.1.
200 freestyle: 1.—Speier, S; 2.—Bob Gualtieri, K; 3.—Mike Nonnemacher, K. 2:44.0.
50 freestyle: 1.—Mike Mullen, K; 2.—Rick Heimbach, K; 3.—Richardson, S. 24.8.
200 individual medley: 1.—Genge, S; 2.—Greg Daderko, K; 3.—George Williams, K. 2:34.0.
Required diving: 1.—Mike Snook, K; 2.—Barnes, S; 3.—Lopretsi, S. 101.3.
100 butterfly; 1.—Mike Nonnemacher, K; 2.—Greg Brey, K; 3.—Genge, S. 1:02.3.
100 freestyle: 1.—Bob Gualtieri, K; 2.—Mike Mullen, K; 3.—Richardson, S. 55.4.
200 backstroke: 1.—George Williams, K; 2.—Lee Frantz, K. 2:32.1.
500 freestyle: 1.—Rick Heimbach, K; 2.—Garman, S; 3.—Lee Frantz, K. 6:03.5.
200 breaststroke: 1.—Greg Brey, K; 2.—Kauffman, S; 3.—Dymkowski, S. 2:38.9.
Optional diving: 1.—Mike Snook, K; 2.—Barnes, S.; 3.—Lopretsi, S. 99.5.
400 freestyle relay: 1.—Shippensburg (Genge, Richardson, Taylor; Garman). 4:52.1.

Lions Lose In Wrestling

Rick Bowen decisioned previously-unbeaten Jeff Buckworth, 6-2, in the 134-pound match, but that's the only win Albright wrestlers managed at home Saturday against powerful Delaware.

Final count was 47-3, and going against Delaware undermanned is the easiest way to absorb such a loss. The Lions had to forfeit three matches, lost three more by pin, three more by decision.

They are 1-4 for the season.

118—John Thornes, D, won by forfeit. (6-0).
126—Chris Mellon, D, won by forfeit (12-0).
134—Rick Bowen, A, decisioned Jeff Buckworth, 6-2 (12-3).
142—Brad Lane, D, pinned Ray Borda, 4:36 (18-3).
150—Craig Carter, D, pinned Al Patane, 3:26 (24-3).
158—Nick Martin, D, decisioned Greg Weaver, 18-2 (28-3).
167—Bill Saylor, D, won by forfeit, 34-3.
177—Lee Marvel, D, decisioned John Juliano, 12-2 (38-3).
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"The boys have had a little taste of success; they think they can do it," said McCloskey. "But there's four or five teams which could win the half," he cautions.

"Felker (the one junior starter) has been a big help. We go to him when the other team tries a man-for-man. I thig he's the best 1-on-1-man in the league."

McCloskey figures the tough scrimmages which his boys had with teams from his native Berks County have helped considerably.

The team was feted Saturday night by a group of area medical men, headed by Dr. Lamar Davis.

Third Both Ways

North Schuylkill finished third in both team offense and defense in the first half. The Spartans averaged 69.8 on offense, to trail Panther Valley (75.7) and Mount Carmel (74.5). They averaged 56.6 on defense, to trail Tamaqua (53.3) and Blue Mountain (54.2).

Leading individual scorer was Al Klokis of Mount Carmel with 244 points, a 22.2 average. St. Clair's Dave Delenick, out with illness one game, had a better average, 24.2, on 242 points. No. 3 was Dennis Pastucha of Tamaqua, 241, 21.9.

All three have a shot at the league one-season record, thanks to the expanded schedule. That's the 489 scored by Girardville's Boyd McCullough in 1962.

The big game this week will send Tamaqua to Panther Valley on Friday.

A loss there for Tamaqua (8-3 in the first half) will make it very tough for the Raiders to have a shot at one of the two District 11 Class B berths from the league.

Liberty Conquers Wildcats, 64-58

BETHLEHEM — Liberty High, which finished in a tie for second place in the first half of the East Penn League wtih Easton, was pressed to beat West Hazleton, 64-58, in the nightcap of the annual Bethlehem ABC Eyeglass doubleheader Saturday night.

The first game went to Archbishop Carroll of Washington, D.C., over Bethlehem Catholic by 79-50.

Liberty and Easton (both 7-2 in the league) play Tuesday to determine the public-school first-half champion for District 11 playoff purposes. Allentown Central Catholic finished first at 9-0.



Wilkes' Greatest Rusher Honored

Ted Yeager, second from right, top photo, Wilkes College's greatest rusher, displays his jersey, which the college will retire. Head Football Coach Roland Schmidt, second from left, announced the retirement last Sunday in Bloomsburg during a testimonial for Ted. Ted's father, Lee, at left, holds another memento from the college. At right is Charles Nesbitt, Southern Columbia High School athletic director, who was master of ceremonies. In photo below, two organizations also honored him. Presenting gifts are George Leffler, left, president of the Southern Columbia Athletic Association Boosters, and Ralph Galicki, president of Wilkes College Football Parents Association.—Eagle Photos.

to the "This Is Your Life — Ted Yeager" program last Sunday.

From the time he suited for the Catawissa Redskins midget league team, Ted was "putting out 100 per cent plus" to be No. 1. Mayor Richard Roberts of Bloomsburg, who coached the midgets, noted that Ted was known then as "Crazy Legs."

Coach Jon Vastine, the only Southern Columbia coach to put a football trophy in the case at the school, recalled that "the first time I saw him (Ted) I though he ought to be a team manager."

With only 22 boys, Southern won the Class B championship of the Susquehanna Valley League in 1966. "A lot of things happened that year," said Coach Vastine, "One of the good things was having Teddy on the team."

Coach Joe Sarra, who tutored Ted in his senior year in 1967 and is now a coach at Lafayette College, said Ted "didn't say much. He just led by example."

Sarra, who was instrumental in getting Wilkes to give Ted a chance to play, recalled: "He didn't lose yardage. He had great forward lean. He wasn't shy of running into the line. He had good hands as a pass receiver and sometimes we forget he was an outstanding defensive back.

"He kept training rules all year round and he didn't make excuses nor did he make mental errors on the field," said Coach Sarra.

Charles T. Nesbitt, Southern Columbia athletic director, acting as master of ceremonies, explained that Ted was chiefly recruited as a wrestler for Wilkes College. Ironically Ted only wrestled his freshman year, posting a 6-2 mark.

The athletic director remarked that Wilkes Wrestling Coach John Reese first saw Ted while officiating at a Southern Columbia wrestling match.

After that match, Sarra talked to Reese about enrolling Ted at Wilkes. Reese wanted Ted as a wrestler, but Sarra was trying to convince the Wilkes official that Ted would also make a great football player.

"He talked so long," recalled Reese, "That I had to hurry home and it cost me $15 and three points. The only good thing that resulted, of course, was Ted did come to Wilkes."

Schmidt related the story how Sarra talked and talked to convince the Wilkes football coach that Ted would make the grade despite his size. Schmidt ordinarily would not give a "small guy" the opportunity, but he did with Ted.

"He never missed a practice and in 32 games, he never failed to start. He carried the ball 623 times, picked up 2,869 yards for 26 TDs and had a 4.6 yard rushing average. That's absolutely amazing. We didn't pass much," continued Schmidt, "but he caught 18 passes for 164 yards and one touchdown."

Ted, who might have a better opportunity with a professional baseball career than a football career, has aroused the interest of the Pittsburgh Pirates and Cincinnati Reds. Ted is captain of the Wilkes baseball team, after having been co-captain of the football team this past season.

Gene Domzalski, Wilkes baseball coach, said he sees Ted having another great season at Wilkes. The center fielder, who has set a number of base stealing marks at Wilkes, is "very demanding on the field and a constant worker," said Domzalski.

The baseball coach recalled his introduction to Ted came in a practice session when the coach was at another field nearby. A ball cleared a fence 350 feet away from home plate and traveled beyond two roads nearby and landed 20 to 30 feet "just in front of me while I was coaching the baseline," said the coach, adding that he was amazed when he learned that Ted had clouted the ball.

Ted's father, Lee, who worked with his son as much as possible during Ted's youth, told this reporter: "I never knew what college would take him, but I always felt that he would make some coach happy."

Ted, who is looking forward to teaching history if he is not playing professional football or baseball, says his greatest thrill came as a freshman when on the first time he ever carried the ball, he hit paydirt on a 67-yard sprint off tackle. Ironically, he closed out his brilliant career at Muskingam, scoring from the one on the last play in the season's finale.

Ted told the approximately 100 guests at his testimonial that by honoring him they were also honoring the players and coaches with whom "I was associated."

Shamokin Beats Muncy by 28-20

MUNCY—Down by one point with two bouts to go, Shamokin got a pin from John Schrader and a 4-0 decision from Bob O'Gara to beat Muncy, 28-20, Saturday night.

Keith Jeremiah, Bob Engle and Bill Rawding, the 127-133-138 Indian trio, all remained unbeaten with decisions. Rawding wn his bout by 22-3.

Ned Moser and Nick Varano picked up the other wins for the Indians, now 5-2.

AT MUNCY

Shamokin 28, Muncy 20

95—Ned Moser, S, decisioned Denny Artley, 5-0 (3-0).
103—Bob Adams, S, drew with Smith, 4-4 (5-2).
112—Joe Hill, M, decisioned Tom Frederick, 10-1 (5-5).
120—Lon Balum, M, decisioned Roy Thompson, 4-1 (5-8).
127—Keith Jeremiah, S, decisioned Gary Oden, 15-5 (9-8).
133—Bob Engle, S, decisioned Steve Artley, 9-2 (12-8).
138—Bill Rawding, S, decisioned Ed Fritz, 22-3 (16-8).
145—Steve Miller, M, pinned Dave Filarskie, 3:39 (16-14).
154—Nick Varano, S, decisioned Terry Buck, 8-6 (19-14).
165—Larry Johnson, M, pinned Pete Norvick, 5:22 (19-20).
180—John Schrader, S, pinned Tim Myers, 3:34 (25-20).
Hwt.—Bob O'Gara, S, decisioned Carl Lund, 4-0 (28-20).

Whitey McCloskey Is Coach of Week

Danville's Walter (Whitey) McCloskey is the region's Coach of the Week for his team's 50-49 victory at Shamokin Tuesday in the battle of Susquehanna Valley Conference unbeatens.

Reserve Gary Morris' short jumper with 22 seconds left gave the Ironmen the victory. Danville also beat Selinsgrove, 59-40, Friday, and needs only a win at Milton (1-7) Tuesday to wrap up the first half title. This is the second citation for McCloskey this season.

N. Schuylkill Starts Fast, Beats Tornadoes by 32-23

ASHLAND—Unbeaten North Schuylkill jumped into an 18-3 lead after five bouts and went on to beat traditional nonleague foe Mount Carmel, 32-23, Saturday night.

Dave Hoffman got the Spartans (6-0) winging with a 47-second pin. Carl Bernosky (127) and Dave Gomosky (154) also got pins for the winners.

Three of Mount Carmel's four wins were six-pointers — John Tomedi (138), Joe Mattucci (165) and Dave Kijewski (hwt.).

North Schuylkill won its 44th consecutive jayvee match, 41-10.

AT ASHLAND

North Schuylkill 32, Mount Carmel 23

95—Dave Hoffman, NS, pinned Pete Horoschak, 0:47 (6-0).
103—John Owens, MC, decisioned Larry Stein, 2-0 (6-3).
112—George Gulden, NS, decisioned Ron Lentini, 7-2 (9-3).
120—Bob Harris, NS, decisioned Joe Buranich, 9-2 (12-3).
127—Carl Bernosky, NS, pinned Joe Ficca, 3:43 (18-3).
133—Gary Snyder, NS, and Tom Rossi drew, 10-10 (20-5).
138—John Tomedi, MC, pinned Mike Boychak, 5:27 (20-11).
145—Dave Brown, NS, decisioned Frank Strike, 7-0 (23-11).
154—Dave Gomosky, NS, pinned Frank Hanley, 2:35 (29-11).
165—Joe Mattucci, MC, pinned Larry Roseman, 1:28 (29-17).
180—Don Heckler, NS, decisioned Rich Greco, 5-0 (32-17).
Heavyweight—Dave Kijewski, MC, pinned Larry Faust, 5:06 (32-23).

The Top Ten

(Last week's ratings in parentheses)

	Record
1. N. Schuylkill (2)	11-0
2. Lourdes (1)	11-1
3. Panther Valley (3)	10-1
4. Danville (5)	10-2
5. Shamokin (4)	10-2
6. Berwick (6)	8-4
7. Freeland MMI (7)	10-4
8. Marian Catholic (8)	9-3
9. Tamaqua (9)	8-3
10. Hazleton (–)	6-7

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Marian Catholic was without three starters when it beat Cardinal Brennan, 83-40, Friday night. Joe Balascik, the 6-5 leading scorer, will probably be out 4-6 weeks with a break in his left hand, sustained a week ago in practice when he jammed it against the board. He had a portable cast placed on it Saturday and it will be examined again Monday, at which a more definite determination is expected. Dave Labosky will probably be out another week with the ankle injury sustained early in the month. Mike Prekopa, the No. 2 scorer, out with the flu, will be back Tuesday.

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Russ Houk, who had been on a leave of absence for medical coach at Southern Columbia, has not taken the release quietly. He said the Athletic Director Charles Nesbitt was too authoritarian and Boosters Club President George Leffler too influential. He was also critical of a lack of school board cooperation at providing him with an initial staff. The Tigers were 3-7 in 1970 and 1-8-1 in 1971.

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Dropping down a weight didn't help Hazleton's Bob Longazel Thursday. After posting a 7-0 record at 180, the Mountaineer star dropped to 165 for the Pottsville match and lost by 3-2 to Ken Kimmel. Pottsville easily won, 48-6.

Blue Mt. Whips Haven by 41-18

ORWIGSBURG — Unbeaten Blue Mountain won its sixth straight wrestling match by trouncing Schuylkill Haven, 41-18, Saturday night.

Winning for the Eagles were Kevin Moyer ,Jim Renninger, Dave Drasher and George Koslow, all on pins; R. Zimmerman, Dick Teets, Barry Johnston and Dan Luckenbill, on decisions, and John Branham, on forfeit.

Haven's three wins were on pins—Bob Bound (138), Ted Gerber (180) and Dave Sweigert (hwt.).

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Former midget and 1970 Lima Land and Eldora Super Sprint Champion, Rocky Fisher is interested in moving to the Reading area in an attempt to earn a living on the R.S.C.A. sanctioned tracks at Reading and Penn National. Car owners interested in hiring a top notch driver who is a consistent front runner, are urged to contact Fisher before Jan. 31, 1972 by calling 219-484-7301 or writing 514 Charlotte, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805.

Berks County Girls Basketball League

DIVISION I

	W	L
Hamburg	2	0
Oley	1	0
Fleetwood	1	0
Kutztown	1	2
Brandywine Heights	0	3

Results

Hamburg 54, Brandywine Heights 30
Oley 47, Kutztown 33
Fleetwood 30, Brandywine Heights 19
Hamburg 48, Kutztown 27
Kutztown 50, Brandywine Heights 30

DIVISION II

	W	L
Conrad Weiser	3	0
Muhlenberg	2	0
Schuylkill Valley	2	1
Wilson	1	1
Tulpehocken	0	3
Wyomissing	0	3

Results

Schuylkill Valley 64, Tulpehocken 18
Conrad Weiser 61, Wyomissing 40
Schuylkill Valley 39, Wyomissing 16
Muhlenberg 59, Tulpehocken 19
Conrad Weiser 58, Wilson 45
Muhlenberg 40, Schuylkill Valley 22
Conrad Weiser 30, Tulpehocken 16
Wilson 45, Wyomissing 30

Donna Kauffman's 17 points paced Muhlenberg to a 40-22 win over Schuylkill Valley in the featured game of Division II of the Berks County Girls's Basketball League.

Strong rebounding and a control type game were the keys to Muhlenberg's win.

167—Bill Saylor, D, won by forfeit, 34-3.
177—Lee Marvel, D, decisioned John Juliano, 12-2 (38-3).
190—Pat Mulhern, D, decisioned William Thornton, 6-4 (41-3).
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Young Miller

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should have gone right," Nicklaus said. "It hit something, a spike mark or something, just before the hole and jumped left."

He hit a wood second shot far to the right on the par-five 18th and the ball came to rest on a spectator's sweater. He was allowed to drop the ball twice, but it rolled down a slope. Then he placed it.

He consulted with Tournament Players Division official Jack Tuthill before lifting the ball.

"Actually, I just asked Jack if I could cheat," Nicklaus quipped.

Jacklin had nine consecutive pars, each on two putts. He bogeyed the 10th from a fairway bunker, then made long birdie putts of 20 and 45 feet on the 15th and 17th holes.

Trevino also was five under par until he ran into trouble on the 17th, a 218-yard par three.

He plugged his tee shot under the lip of the front bunker and had practically no shot, as the ball was virtually hidden. He failed to get it out of the trap on the first swing, which left him shaking an aching hand.

It took a score of 223 or better to make the cut for today's final round. Among the better-known casualties were Billy Casper, Sam Snead, Gene Littler and Lu Luan Huan of Nationalist China, runner-up to Trevino in last year's British Open.

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No Scholarships, No Recruiting, No Scrimmages---Just 29 Wins in a Row

Wilkes: Old Fashioned College Game

By RONNIE CHRIST

WILKES-BARRE — Roland Schmidt is anti-establishment. His Wilkes College boys still play football for fun.

This is college football's Centennial Year, and for most it will be big business as usual.

But not at Wilkes. Here is the heartland of Anthracite Country, Wilkes, an independent college of 2,300 students, stands as a monument to ideals long since tarnished or lost in college football's struggle to attain national prestige.

Schmidt does no recruiting, offers no scholarships, never holds a scrimmage and cuts no boy from his squad. All he does is win.

For the uninformed, Wilkes has the longest winning streak in the country, 29 games. The Colonels, who go for No. 30 at Lycoming Saturday, won the Lambert Trophy (top small college team in the East) in 1966 and 1968, and have four Middle Atlantic Conference championships.

"We have 85 boys here and not a single one has to play football," says Schmidt. "Sure, it's a lot of people for us to handle. But my policy here is if a boy wants to play we'll keep him. If a player wants to quit, we won't pressure him to stay.

"In the last four years we've given one athletic scholarship for football. We're permitted two a year, but any boy who can meet the qualifications is going to Notre Dame, Penn State or Pitt.

"I FIRMLY believe football should be fun. I want my players to enjoy their college careers. Boys know when they come here they aren't going to be beaten to death in practice. I don't believe in scrimmages. We haven't had one in four years.

"We teach form and technique. We never leave our game on the practice field and we have very few injuries. The worst our kids get in practice is maybe a sunburned face. By the time each game comes around, our boys are eager to hit.

"You don't have to scrimmage every day to have a good football team. We had a three-hour scrimmage with Princeton and we didn't have an injury even though it was the first and only time we had heavy contact."

The score of that scrimmage was Princeton three touchdowns and Wilkes two. That should give an indication of the Colonels' strength.

"I'd say the secret of our success has to be organization, pride and spirit," says Schmidt. "They may sound trite but it's true.

"WE HAVE NO great football players here. We have no off season program. Whatever is done, our kids do on their own.

"Our players get no special favors. We often have six or eight boys missing because they have a late class. I've stopped worrying about things like that. We just proceed with the boys we have.

"Even I'm limited in what I can do. I teach 15 classes a week. My academic responsibilities come first. Football is second.

"I've never been to a high school to recruit. I wouldn't know what it is to take a boy to dinner. The extent of my recruiting is talking to the area coach and writing letters to about 400 schools to invite boys to visit our school.

"We don't have a training table. Our boys eat at a cafeteria



—Sunday Patriot-News Photos by Tom Leask

Roland Schmidt, a coach who concentrates on technique, form and quickness, has directed Wilkes to 29 straight victories, longest streak in college football.

JJ Passes For 2 TDs For Trojan

Special to The Sunday Patriot-News

LINCOLN, NEB. — Jimmy Jones may have been bothered by muscle spasms in the back but he was strictly a pain in the neck to Nebraska here yesterday.

The sophomore from John Harris made a sparkling college debut by throwing two touchdown passes and directing Southern California to a 31-21 victory over Nebraska.

Jones completed eight of 15 passes for 153 yards. He had no interceptions. He did, however, wind up with minus 13 yards rushing. Nebraska's defensive line caught him five times for losses on attempted passes.

6 Fumbles Prove Costly To Cheyney

CHEYNEY, Pa. (AP) — Howard was outrushed by Cheyney but took advantage of six recovered fumbles to take a season opener from the Wolves, 26-0, here Saturday.

Howard capped two long drives in the first half with one-yard plunges to give it a 12-0 halftime lead. In the fourth quarter, the squad scored again on a 15-yard pass from quarterback James Bryant to halfback Frank Ridley who scored again later on a 36-yard sweep around right

3 RACE FANS GET BIG PAYOFF AT CHARLES TOWN

CHARLES TOWN, W.Va., — The biggest three-way division of a pool in West Virginia history took place last night at Charles Town when a trio of fans took $16,745 each out of the big exacta.

The payoff, on the 5-4 2-5 combinations, topped the $12,-700 paid here earlier in the meeting.

Two outsiders won the fifth and seventh races to provide the big payoff. Jelly Fish returned $18.40 in the fifth and Mama Doc returned $22 in the seventh.

First Salvo was second in

FOOTBALL SCORES

SCHOLASTIC
Midstate
Scotland 39, Boil. Spgs. 22
Susquehanna 34, Red Land 22
C. Logan 7, Hollidaysburg 0
Shippensburg 36, Gettysburg 26

East

Lackawanna Trail 34, Carbondale Area 0
Liberty New York 32, Honesdale 0
Lakeland 40, Del. Valley (N.Y.) 0
Wyoming Area 20 Kingston Cath. 6
Dunmore 16, Scranton Central 6
Pittston Area 33, Riverside 6
C. Columbia 32, Crestwood 8
Berwick 26, Danville 22

Ryder Cup Play Ends In Draw

SOUTHPORT, England (AP) — Tony Jacklin's 35-foot putt for an eagle on the 17th hole of his duel with Jack Nicklaus of Columbus, Ohio, dropped into the cup as though pulled by a magnet Saturday and the biennial Ryder Cup matches ended in a draw for the first time since their 1927 start.

The matches were all square at 13 each when Nick-

or they don't eat. We try to finish practice by 6:05. The cafeteria is a mile away so they have to hurry.

"Ten percent of the male population is playing football so we must be doing something right."

Schmidt does a lot right. Four of his assistants are part-time help so he's come up with a unique plan which enables him to instruct the entire squad by himself.

"When we have two-a-day sessions before the start of school the assistants aren't available in the morning," says Rollie. "I break the squad into four groups, offensive and defensive line, backs and secondary. I bring each group out for an hour and teach all form and technique. Then the entire squad comes back in the afternoon."

ALMOST EVERYTHING about Wilkes is small college except the size of the squad. Four years ago, the football stadium was a strawberry patch. The locker rooms housed air pumps for the now sealed mine shafts. The only remnant of an era past is a locker room sign "Danger, Hard Hat Area," which someone failed to remove.

Schmidt gets most of his players from New York, New Jersey and the many schools in Luzerne and Lackawanna County. He knows these boys because he's a 1950 graduate of Wilkes-Barre Coughlin and he coached at Clarks Summit and Kingston.

Bill Staake came to Wilkes as a 137-pound wrestler. One day he appeared on the football field and told Schmidt he was a punter. Rollie sent Bill for a uniform. Staake, who has only one eye (he was struck by an arrow as a child) averaged 37.8 yards last year and set a school record with one kick which measured 66 yards.

Jim Loveland, half of a New Jersey brother combination, proves out Schmidt's theories on cutting boys. Two years ago, Jim was lucky to make the sixth or seventh squad. He would have been cut at most schools. He's now captain of Rollie's defensive unit.

JOE ZAKOWSKI a lefthanded quarterback from Hanover Twp., is the Jim Ward type. He's 6-2, 195 and Schmidt says "he's the best I've ever had." Zakowski suffered a shoulder injury in his senior year in high school and the colleges passed him up. Schmidt doesn't like audibles so Zakowski will frequently call two plays in the huddle and shout out the one he wants when he gets over the center.

Tackle Ed Burke, 6-3, 225, and center George Conway, both from Coughlin, takes issue with a national magazine's report they don't work hard.

"We may not hit but that doesn't mean we don't work hard," says Conway, who has already been accepted for study to be a minister.

"They're right," says Schmidt. "We want our boys lean and quick. Everything we do we do hard. We expect our boys to do everything just the way they would do it in a game. We don't do anything at half speed.

"In past years, we've relied on our defense. We're going to have to score more this year.

"No, I don't think our streak puts that much extra pressure on us. It serves more as a motivating factor.

"I would bet it will be a pleasant experience if and when we do lose. By that I mean no one will criticize us for losing. Instead, they will congratulate us for what we have accomplished."

And even if Schmidt ever does have problems, he's got a way out. He can visit team doctor Anthony Turchetti, who in addition to being a medical man is also a registered psychiatrist.

Susquehanna Gridder Fractures Right Leg

Dennis Barrett, junior halfback from Susquehanna Township was admitted to Polyclinic Hospital last night for treatment of a fracture of the right leg. He suffered the injury during the Red Land-Susquehanna Township game at Highland Park.

According to a hosptial spokesman, Barrett's condition was listed as "satisfactory".

The performance may have boosted Jones' chances of a cover picture and story by "Sports Illustrated," which was planning special coverage of the game.

Jones, 6-1, 190, relied heavily on the running of junior college transfer, Clarence Davis, who is being groomed as successor to Heisman Trophy winner O. J. Simpson.

Davis rushed for 47 yards on the Trojans' first quarter TD march of 55 yards.

Jones hit Bob Chandler for a 45-yard scoring bomb early in the second period.

Nebraskak's Bob Liggett pounced on a Jones' fumble on the Trojan 46 to set up the Huskers' first score.

But Jones bounced right back to hit fullback Charlie Evans on a five-yard scoring play to close the first half.

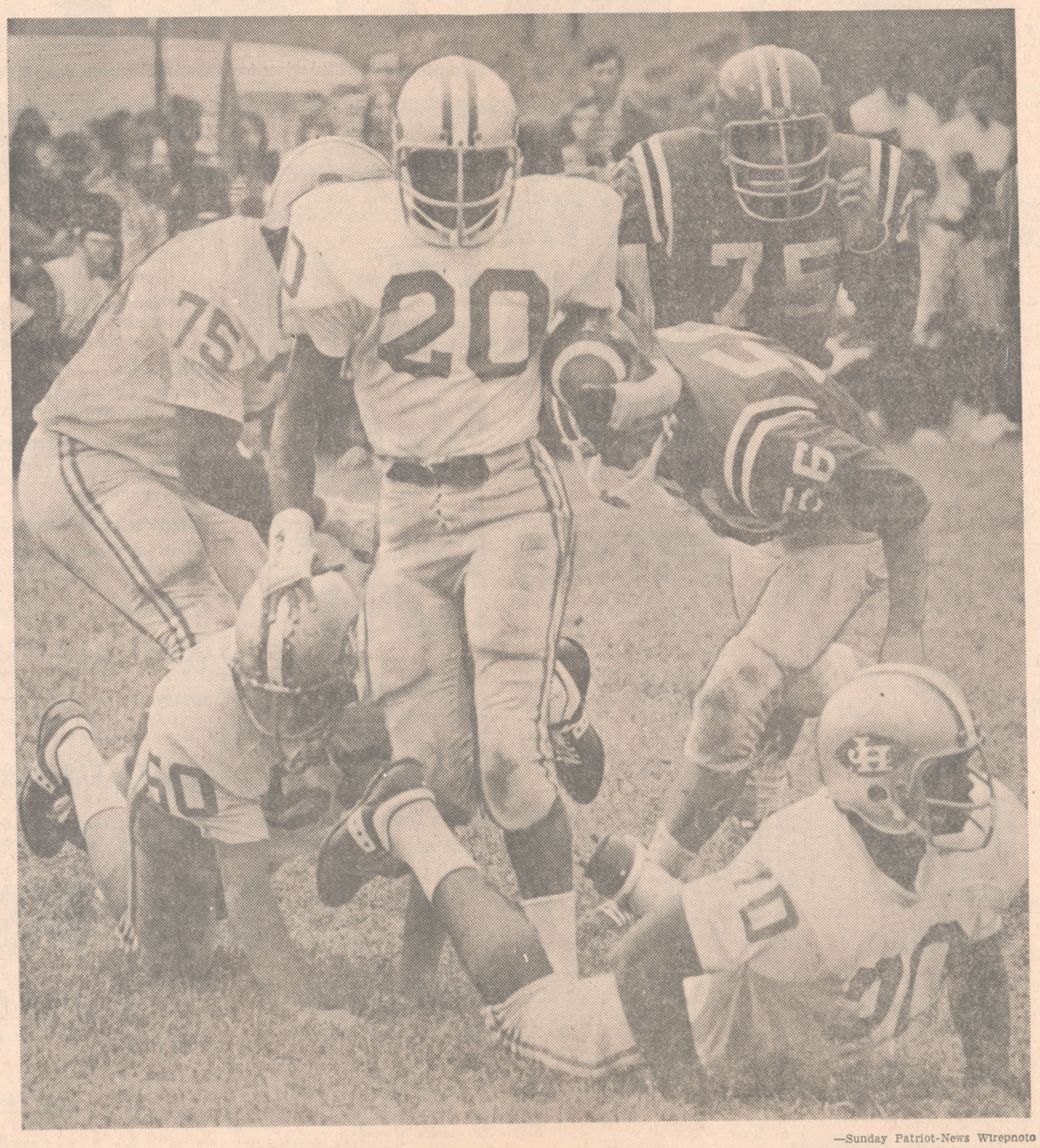
Jones then took the Trojans 85 yards in 13 plays to open the second half.

Nebraska, apparently out of contention, came back with a 55-yard scoring drive and then recovered an onside kick to set up a second fourth period score.

Cheyney drove deep in Howard territory several times, but always wound up losing the ball. Their deepest penetration came when linebacker Ed Clark intercepted a pass by Bryant and raced 63 yards before being stopped at the Howard 2. On Cheyney's first play from scrimmage, however, the team handed the ball back to Howard.

USC	7	14	7	3	—31
Nebraska	0	7	0	14	—21

USC—Berry 1 run (Ayala kick)
USC—Chandler 45 pass from Jones (Ayala kick)
Neb—Brownson 2 run (Rogers kick)
USC—Evans 4 pass from Jones (Ayala kick)
USC—Berry 1 run (Ayala kick)
Neb—Kinney 12 run (Rogers kick)
Neb—Tagge 2 run (Rogers kick)
USC—FG Ayala 34



—Sunday Patriot-News Wirephoto

Vennie Shakes Loose for Pioneers

John Harris' Chuck Vennie (20) breaks behind three blockers to pick up 15 yards and a first down in the second quarter. Leading the way are Larry Tucker (75), Gary Fissel (50) and Larry Lawson (70) at right.

mekameka paid $4.60 for place in the seventh.

A crowd of 9,612, largest since this track turned to night racing, was headed for a record at the windows as all figures for a night card were being topped.

Shorter Activated

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Steelers announced that they have activated defensive back Jim Shorter and, to make room on the 40-man roster have placed rookie Terry Hanratty on the taxi squad yesterday.

Shamokin Lourdes 30, S .Columbia 6

STATE COLLEGIATE

Mansfield 28, Shippensburg 12
Albright 13, Lycoming 7
Otterbein 28, Susquehanna 27
Marietta 14, Westminster 8
Slippery Rock 27, Waynesburg 7.
Grove City 28, Brookport 14
Clarion 20, Delaware St. 14
Dennison 18, California 7
West Chester 41, Ithaca 0
Temple 47, Rhode Island 3
Rand Mac. 28, Millersville 27
Frostburg 6, Geneva 0
Howard 26, Cheyney 0
Indiana 27, Northwood 6
Toledo 45, Villanova 18
Ohio North 27, Edinboro 7
Lock Haven 28, Bloomsburg 25

COLLEGIATE

East
Army 31, New Mexico 14
Mount Union 20, Rochester 14
Boston Univ. 20, Colgate 0
Bridgeport 14, Adelphi 0
Grambling Col. 30, Morgan State 12
Syracuse 14, Iowa State 13
Alfred 39, Rensselaer 21
Elon College 41, Concord College 0
Indiana State 7, West Kentucky 7
South
Alabama 17, Virginia Tech 13
Auburn 57, Wake Forest 7
Bridgewater Va. 13, West Va. Tech 6
Clemson 21, Virginia 14
Florida 59, Houston Univ. 34
Georgia 35, Tulane 0
Georgia Tech 24, South Methodist 21
Livingstone Col. 21, Fisk University 6
Maryville Col. 21, Georgetown Col. 7
Mississippi 28, Memphis State 3
Mississippi St. 17, Richmond 14
No. Carolina St. 10, North Carolina 3
Petersburg St. 2, Elizabeth City 0
Shepherd Col. 19, Hampden-Sydney 12
Tennessee 31, Chattanooga 0
Tennessee State 40, Kentucky State 0
West Virginia 31, Maryland 7
West Va. State 28, Norfolk State 22
Connecticut 26, Vermont 6
Massachusetts 49, Maine 7
Florida St. 24, Wichita St. 0
East Tenn. 7, East Carolina 0
Northwest La. 35, Tenn. Tech 24
Morehead, Ky., 27, Marshall 14
Louisville 17, Southern Ill. 13
Eastern Ky. 13, Ball State 0
Furman 14, Presbyterian 12
Davidson 21, Guilford 8
Lenoir Rhyne 38, Wofford 11
Appalachian 42, Emory & Henry 0
Furman 14, Presbyterian 12
Western Carolina 20, Carson-Newman 17
Johnson C. Smith 41, Virginia Union 8
Troy State 16, Austin Peay 16 tie
Morehead State 27, Marshall 14
Western Carolina 20, Carson Newman 17
Ouachita Baptist 23, Southeastern Oklahoma 9
Livingston Ala. 27, Southern State 19
Midwest
Augustana, Ill. 17, Elmhurst Col. 0
Concordia T., Ill. 2, North Park Col. 12
Hanover Col. 29, Lake Forest 25
Michigan 42, Vanderbilt 14
Missouri 19, Air Force 17
Monmouth Col. 43, Carleton College 28
Notre Dame 35, Northwestern 10
Ohio 35, Kentucky State 0
Oklahoma 48, Wisconsin 21
St. Olaf College 29, Ripon College 13
Southern Cal 31, Nebraska 21
Washington St. 19, Illinois 18
Westmar College 24, North Central 0
Evansville 49, Bradley 18
Kenyon College 33, Centre College 28
St. Joseph's, Ind. 16, Wabash 10
Utah State 14, Bowling Green 6
Albion 32, DePauw Univ 19
Anderson 34, Wilmington Col 3
Carroll, Wisc. 13, Wheaton College 7
Carthage Col 19, Alma College 7
Concordia Col. 16, Hamline Univ 14
Concordia T., Ill. 21, North Park Col 12
Earlham Col 28, Principia Col 0
Grinnell Col 22, Cornell College 17
Gustav Adolphus 33, Augsburg 12
Hillsdale Col 59, Lakeand Col 7
Knox College 21, Beloit College 13
Lawrence Univ 42, Coe College 14
Manchester 34, Olivet College 14
Minnesota-Morris 6, Michigan Tech 3
No Dakota St. 28, North Michigan 14
St. Norbert 28, St. Cloud State 26
Simpson College 30, Wartburg 7
Cincinnati 26, W&M 18
N.D. State 28, Northern Mich. 14
Illinois State 27, Illinois Wesleyan 6
Akron 40, Tampa U. 0
South Dakota Wesleyan 32, Bethel Minn. 6
Murray 28, Eastern Michigan 20
Louisville 17, Southern Illinois 13
Hope 13, Franklin Ind. 13 tie
Baker 12, Graceland 0
Central Michigan 28, Northern Iowa 10
Southwest
Arkansas 39, Oklahoma State 0
Purdue 42, Texas Christian 35
Far West
Southern Utah 51, Ft. Lewis Col 6
Western St. Colo 14, Westminst, Utah 6
Wyoming 23, Arizona 7
Colorado 35, Tulsa 14
Idaho St. Univ 48, Parsons 6
Montana State 33, N. Dakota 16
Oregon 28, Utah 17
Stanford 63, San Jose 21
Texas 17, California 0

laus and Jacklin, the young British Open champion, stood on the next to last tee before a shivering gallery that braved the misty winds off the Irish Sea on the Royal Birkdale course.

The American was 1-up and his first two shots put him on the green about 20 feet from the pin. Jacklin's drive also was good but his second hit a mound in the fairway and slanted onto the putting serface, some 35 feet from the flag.

As the crowd of 20,000 stood in icy silence Jacklin, who spent much of the past year on the U.S. Tour, rammed it home for an eagle. Nicklaus failed on his try, took a birdie 4 and the match and the entire competition was deadlocked

They halved the final hole and the brash British youngsters gained themselves a moral victory.

The afternoon round started with the Americans, expected to dominate the singles play which is prevalent in their country, trailing by two points, 13-11. And with only three matches left, they still were one point behind. Gene Littler of LaJolla, Calif., pulled the visitors even by defeating Christy O'Connor of Ireland, 2 and 1 in the first of the final trio to finish.

Then came Bill Casper of Bonita, Calif., and Brian Huggett, each playing sub-par golf. They ended in a draw.

The Americans have won the trophy 14 times since the competition was started in 1927 and the British have been the victors only three times. They last won in 1957.

Pottstown Tops Bulls

POTTSTOWN (AP) — The Pottstown Firebirds defeated the Long Island Bulls, 21-16, last night in an Atlantic Coast Football League game.

It was the third straight defeat for the Bulls, farm team of the New York Giants, and the second victory in three games for the Firebirds, farm club of the Philadelphia Eagles.

Pottstown quarterback Jim King Corcoran hit Bob Tucker with a 12-yard touchdown pass and Leon Angivine with a 45-yard toss for another touchdown. The third touchdown came on Claude Watts' plunge from the one.

West Perry Stops Upper Dauphin's League Wins

NEW BLOOMFIELD — The Mustangs of West Perry knocked Upper Dauphin right out of the box with a 6-0 victory in a Twin Valley Conference tiff held here before 1,200 yesterday afternoon.

It was the first time Upper Dauphin dropped a Conference contest in five years. Over the past two campaigns West Perry has given Upper Dauphin tough battles, but yesterday they finally caught up with the Trojans.

The big play came in the second period with a pair of under-classmen pulling the surprise. Bob Walker, a sophomore left end, picked off a down-and-out 15-yard pass from Junior quarterback Steve Kuhn. He traveled 53 more yards after catching the ball for the touchdown. His blocking was good all the way.

Uppper Dauphin reached the Mustangs' five in the third. It was a first and goal situation for the TD, but the West Perry line and secondary got tough. On the first running play, the UD ball carrier lost a yard. Three straight incomplete passes turned the ball over to the Mustangs.

In the fourth period West Perry ran out of downs on the UD six. West Perry is now 2-1 on the season.

U. Dauphin-W. Perry

	West Perry	U. Dauphin
First Quarter		
None	0	0
Second Quarter		
Walker, 78 pass-run from Kuhn	6	0
Third Quarter		
None	6	0
Fourth Quarter		
None	6	0

Score by Quarters

U. Dauphin	0	0	0	0	0—0
West Perry	0	6	0	0	0—6

Jim Braxton Rips Terps In 31-7 Win

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. (AP) — West Virginia's pile-driving fullback Jim Braxton pounded the Maryland Terrapins' defenses for two touchdowns Saturday, leading the Mountaineers to a 31-7 non-conference victory.

The 226-pound Braxton, a junior from Vanderbilt, Pa., was the chief spoiler of the Terrapin's new head football coach Roy Lester — a former WVU grid star — in Maryland's season opener.

The hard-charging Braxton was the spark of West Virginia's 21-0 first quarter lead.

Maryland won its only points early in the second quarter on a 19-yard double-reverse to senior wingback Paul Fitzpatrick of Buffalo, N.Y.

Braxton wasn't WVU's only bag of tricks, however, as junior quarterback Mike Sherwood of Bellaire, Ohio, varied his plays enought to keep the Terp defenders guessing.

Though Maryland's offense couldn't get rolling, its defense held the Mountaineers through the second quarter, but gave way opening the second half when Sherwood hit split end Oscar Patrick on a 12-yard pass play.

Braxton reeled off 161 yards on 32 carries for the Mountaineers, and also booted four extra points and a field goal for a total of 19 points. This was coupled with his 22 points scored last week against Cincinnati.

Maryland	0	7	0	0	0—7
W.Va.	21	0	7	3	3—31

WVa.—Braxton 8 run (Braxton kick)
WVa—Silverio 1 run (Braxton kick)
WVa—Braxton 1 run (Braxton kick)
Md—Fitzpatrick 19 run (Soporowski kick)
WVa—Patrick 12 pass from Sherwood
WVA—FG Braxton 35 (Braxton kick)

Law Scores As Spartans Rally to Win

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EAST LANSING, Mich. — Don Law helped make it a great day for the members of the 1966 Pennsylvania Big 33 team by running 70 yards with an interception in Michigan State's 27-11 win over Washington here yesterday.

Law, a 6-2, 225 pound linebacker from Brownsville, picked off a pass thrown by Gene Willis in the fourth period.

In 1966, Law was a member of the Big 33 squad. Other members were Middletown's Henry Brown, who kicked four field goals for Missouri yesterday, and Erie's Mike McCoy, who played a big part in Notre Dame's opening victory.

Washington had a 9-7 lead at halftime. Michigan State drove 99 yards to grab the lead.

Law's interception killed Washington's last chance for a comeback.

Area Drivers Well Placed In 'Climb'

WILLIAMSPORT — Dave

Citadel Crushes Lehigh



BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP) — Quarterback Tony Passander netted 237 yards passing while leading the Citadel to a 41-16 victory in a season-opener against Lehigh here Saturday.

Passander, a 21-year-old senior from Derby, Conn., hit on 15 of 20 pass attempts for 237 yards and three touchdowns. He also scored one TD on a one-yard plunge. The 5-11, 185-pounder, is currently No. 2 in all-time rushing at Citadel. Last season he totaled 1013 yards in the air.

Lehigh fell behind in the first period when the Bulldogs scored twice, but they came back in the second quarter scoring on a 14-yard field goal by Ron Shattenberg and a six-yard run by Don Diorio.

Citadel retaliated immediately climaxing a fast 76-yard drive with a plunge by Passander. The score came with 1:25 remaining in the first half, and gave the Citadel a 21-9 edge.

In the second half, split end Billy Watson scored twice for the Bulldogs. He scored on a 25-yard pass from Passander in the third quarter and 79-yard punt return in the final period. Fullback Tommy Sanchez hit off left guard in the last quarter to round out the Citadel's scoring.

Lehigh's defensive tackle Paul Koepff intercepted one pass and recovered three Citadel fumbles, but the Engineers couldn't get moving. They added only one more TD late in the game.

High Echelon Posts Belmont Park Victory

NEW YORK (AP) — Johnny Rotz piloted Mrs. Ethel D. Jacobs' homebred High Echelon to victory in the 80th running Saturday of the $149,780 Futurity at Belmont Park.

Homebred High Echelon who won by a head in a photo over Joseph C. Roebling's Tepee Rings, who held the lead deep in the stretch. Third, three lengths farther back, came Wheatley Stable's Hopeful winner, Irish Castle,

Rutgers Lambasts Lafayette, 44-22

EASTON, Pa. (AP) — Quarterback Rich Policastro threw four thouchdown passes in the first half to lead Rutgers in a 44-22 win over Lafayette in the opening game of the season here Saturday.

Rutgers led 41-8 at the half and added a 36-yard field goal by Chris Stewart in the fourth period to complete its scoring. Policastro a 5-10, 178 pound senior, completed 13 of 17 passes for 214 yards and four touchdowns.

Rutgers scored the first time it had the ball with burly fullback Steve Ferrughelli cracking over left guard from four yards out to cap a 12 play 59 yard march.

Then Policastro took over. After a 51 yard run by Ferrugheerughelli put Rutger deep in Lafayette territory, Policastro hit end Jim Benedict with a 13-yard scoring pass.

Before the first period ended Policastro connected with tailback Bruce Van Ness on a 29-yard TD pass.

Rutgers made the score 27-0 early in the second period when defensive halfback Larry Clymer picked off a pass by Lafayette quarterback Ed Baker and returned it 38 yards for a touchdown.

Lafayette took the ensuing kickoff and drove 49-yards in nine plays for its first score. The touchdown came on a 7-yard pass from Baker to end Mike Miller.

Rutgers scored twice more before the intermission on passes by Policastro of 22 yards to Benedict of 32 yards to flanker Al Fenstemacher.

Notre Dame Unveils Rookies in Victory

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (UPI) — Notre Dame took the wraps off two untried running backs, Ed Zeigler and Bill Barz, and they combined with passer Joe Theismann to lead the fighting Irish to a 35-10 victory over underdog Northwestern.

The Irish, strong on defense, spotted the Wildcats the first 10 points. Bill Planizek kicked a 44-yard field goal and then fullback Mike Hudson ran six yards for a touchdown after an interception of a Theismann pass by Rick Tellander made the task easy by giving the Wildcats the ball on the Irish 15.

But thereafter, the Irish were in charge all the way. The Wildcat attack was stymied by the rugged Notre Dame defense, composed largely of veterans and featuring such standouts as 274-pound tackle Mike McCoy of Erie, Pa., 249-pound Mike Kadish and 230-linebacker Bob Olson.

Theismann got the first Notre Dame touchdown on a five-yard run which ended a 72-yard march and Zeigler powered 18 yards for the next to wind up a 98-yard drive. These points gave the Irish a 14-10 lead at the end of one period and neither team scored again until the last period, when Notre Dame blitzed the Wildcats for 21 points.

Jeff Zimmerman from Berks County, Pa., No. 1 running back in the Irish grid picture this season, missed the contest with an injury.

Sophomore Brian Lewallen got the Irish started in this burst with a 44-yard punt return for a touchdown. Then Barz took an eight yard touchdown pass from Theismann and Barz wrapped up the scoring with a two yard touchdown plunge.

Scott Hempel kicked the conversion after each Notre Dame touchdown.

Zeigler, who played a total of only 51 minutes in the Irish's 10 games last year, was the ground gaining leader with 102 yards in 15 carries. Barz, who played only three minutes a year ago, netted 69 yards in 14 attempts.

Northwestern	10	0	0	0	0—10
Notre Dame	14	0	0	21	0—35

NWN—F.G. Planisek 44
NWN—Hudson 7 run (Planisek kick)
ND—Theismann 5 run (Hempel kick)
ND—Ziegler 18 run (Hempel kick)
ND—Lewallen 44 punt return (Hempel kick)
ND—Barz 8 pass from Theismann (Hempel kick)
ND—Barz 2 run (Hempel kick)

Curt Person Victor

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — Defending champion Curtis Person of Memphis, Tenn., won the United States Golf Association Senior tournament Saturday.

Person sank a ten-foot putt to par the 18th hole and take a one-up victory over medalist David Goldman of Dallas, Tex., in the 15th annual USGA tourney.

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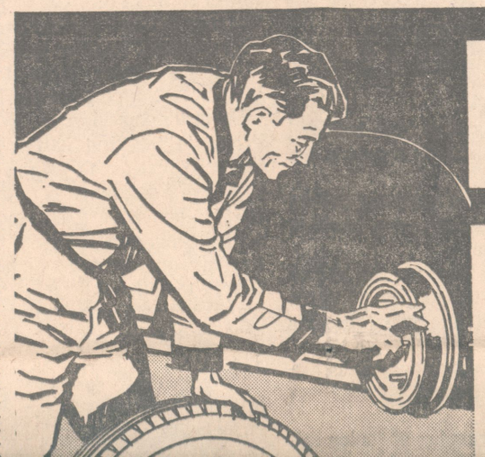

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Washington's last chance for a comeback.

Area Drivers Well Placed In 'Climb'

WILLIAMSPORT — Dave Spiegel, Harrisburg, broke the Touring I Class record here yesterday in the Rose Valley Hillclimb.

Spiegel, driving a Volkswagon, finished with a time of 1:38.24. Fred Etterlein of Camp Hill ended third in the class with a time of 1:35.12. He also drove a VW.

Tom Hartman of Lebanon won the Touring II Class when he drove his MG 1100 to a time of 1:30.147.

Larry Shaffer, Harrisburg, placed second in the H-Production category with a time of 1:30.09 in a Sprite.

In the F-Production II class, Paul Eckenroth, Lebanon, won top honors with a time of 1:19.689 in an Austin-Healey.

The fastest time of the day went to Bruce Perry, Bradford, in an Alfa Romeo GTA with a time of 1:12.61.

Frostburg Nips Geneva

FROSTBURG, Md. (AP) — Linebacker Alan Horlgoen recovered a Geneva fumble on the two-yard line to set up the only score Saturday as Frostburg's football team won a 6-0 victory.

Carl Leverenz, a sophomore halfback, cracked over right tackle to score from one yard out on the second attempt.

Geneva had difficulty moving in the cold drizzle, gaining only 56 yards rushing and having three passes intercepted. They were held in their own territory for all but one play, partly because of Frostburg's Norman Levesque, who averaged 49 yards in nine punts.

Stroudsburg Is Beaten

EAST STROUDSBURG (AP) — Montclair State College, relying on ball control and a tough ground game, defeated East Stroudsburg State 21-12 Saturday in the 1969 football opener for both.

Montclair gained 280 yards on the ground, with Glen Morschauser gaining 108 of them on 22 carries, and scoring two touchdowns, and Tony Valtone gaining 81 yards on 20 carries.

Dan Rodgers kicked three extra points.

eers, and also booted four extra points and a field goal for a total of 19 points. This was coupled with his 22 points scored last week against Cincinnati.

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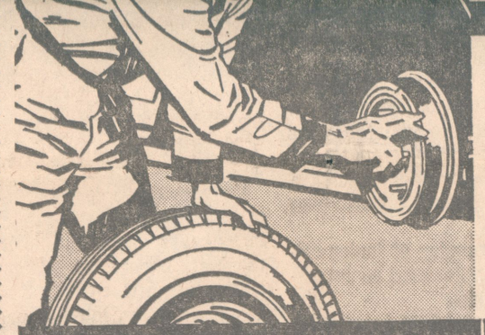

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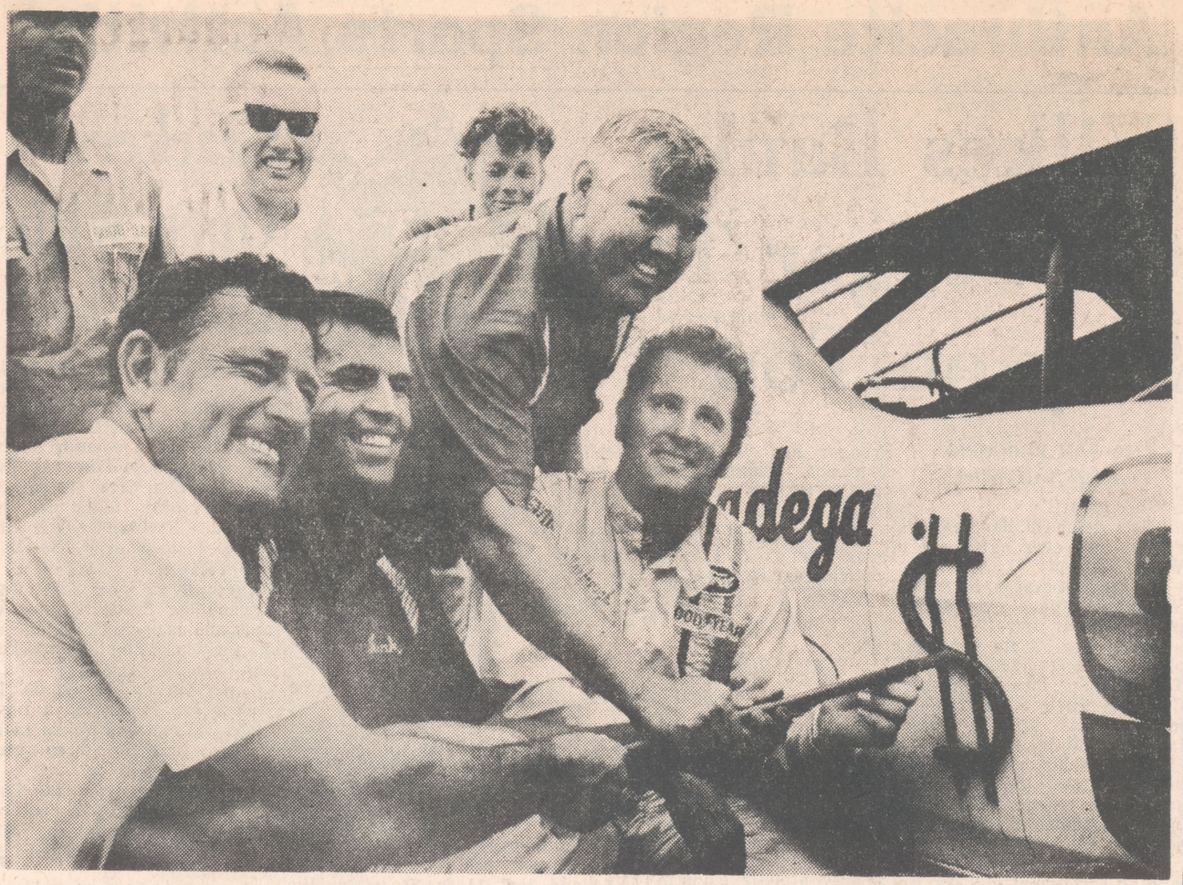

Record Earnings for Yarbrough

Ford star LeeRoy Yarbrough, stock car racing's new golden boy, already this year has won five NASCAR super speedway races — more than any other driver in history. With his fifth victory in the Dixie 500 last Sunday at Atlanta, Ga., LeeRoy set a one-year money earnings record of more than $140,000 with almost one-half of the season to go. Above, LeeRoy gets help in branding his Torino Talladega with a symbolic sign from, left to right, chief mechanic Herb Nab, crew member Turkey Minton and car owner Junior Johnson.

LEEROY YARBROUGH STORY

From Rags to Riches

By BLOYS BRITT
AP Auto Racing Writer

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)— There were times not too long ago when LeeRoy Yarbrough, stock car racing's newest superstar, didn't know where his next pair of shoes was coming from.

"I could tell you a rags-to-riches story you wouldn't believe," he said recently. "But there's no point in telling it now. Those things are in the past and I thank the Creator for His blessings."

Things, indeed, have changed dramatically in the last two years for the 30-year-old product of Florida's back roads. He won his fifth major race of the season at Atlanta last Sunday, bringing his income from stock car racing alone to $141,160 in 17 races.

He's tied up in it. I had to do all the work and I didn't have time to stop and talk to anyone. I didn't care for the social life and I still don't."

Yarbrough's star began to rise in 1964 when he set a new closed course speed record of 181.818 miles per hour at Daytona to collect a $10,000 prize.

That feat, plus a steadily improving image with the manufacturers who foot some of the bills in stock car racing, landed him a ride with the Junior Johnson Ford team in late 1967.

Most insiders predicted the combination of Yarbrough as driver and Johnson as owner would last a season.

Johnson, a legendary driver before retiring in 1965, is equally well known for his mountaineer reticence. A friend once ran tire tests there two days before he won the Dixie 500. He turned more than 1,000 laps at speeds around 195 miles per hour.

But as for his present success, Yarbrough gives a lot of the cedit to his chief mechanic, Herb Nab, a Mid-westerner who came east to mastermind 10 victories for the now retired Fred Lorenzen, the first "golden boy" of Southern stock car racing. A wizard at engine preparation, Nab now has seen his cars go to victory circle 19 times.

Yarbrough's image among other drivers and followers of the sport is improving too, but he admits it is a slow process.

"A lot of people still don't understand me," he said. "It is not that I don't like to talk to

Gogolak Anxious to Face Jets

By JACK HAND

FAIRFIELD, Conn. (AP) — Pete Gogolak, the man who introduced Hungarian-style soccer kicking to pro football, has a special interest in today's battle at New Haven's Yale Bowl for the championship of New York between his Giants and the Jets.

Although it's only an exhibition game, a sellout crowd of 70,000 will be on hand.

When Gogolak played out his option with Buffalo of the American Football League and jumped to the New York Giants of the NFL in 1966, he started a bidding war that led to pro football merger.

Sunday Sports Features

Penn State-Syracuse Should Settle East Grid Supremacy

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Eastern collegiate football championship will be decided Oct. 18 at Syracuse, N.Y., when Penn State meets old rival Syracuse. When the dust has cleared Penn State will be the best in the East for the third straight year. It will be the first time since Army turned the trick in World War II years that any team has topped the East three consecutive years.

If there is any doubt of the strength of Penn State, head coach Joe Paterno, usually reticent about predicting success for his teams, is talking about making a bid for No. 1 ranking in the nation. As one wag put it, Paterno turned down the job of coaching the Pittsburg Steelers of the National Football League, because he has a stronger team at Penn State.

Other Eastern powers this fall should be Princeton and Penn in the Ivy League, Connecticut in the Yankee Conference, Delaware of the Middle Atlantic Conference and such independents as Boston College, Villanova, Buffalo, Rutgers and possibly Colgate. Army and Navy always are representative, but the service academies don't appear to be overpowering this time around. Pittsburgh after three consecutive 1-9 seasons, should begin to move up under new coach Carl DePasqua.

Penn State has lost All-American tight end Ted Kwalick and running back Bob Campbell, but Paterno has the capable replacements. Nine of State's eleven defensive starters, led by 240-pound Mike Reid at tackle and All-American Denny Onkotz at linebacker, are back for another season. Also on defense Paterno has Steve Smear, a 225-pound tackle whose only superior in the nation could be Reid. Joining Onkotz in the linebacking corps are Jim Kates, Jack Ham and Gary Hull, all from last year's unbeaten team 11-0 which defeated Kansas in the Orange Bowl. Paterno also has back a veteran secondary, including Paul Johnson and Mike Smith.

On offense, State has veteran quarterback Chuck Burkhart, an improved passer, halfback Charley Pittman who could wind up the top running back in the nation, and 236-pound fullback Don Abbey. Promising sophomores are Franko Harris and Lydell Mitchell, who scored all the points for the winners of the annual spring practice climax game. In the offensive line, Paterno can count on guards Tom Jackson and Charley Zapiec and center Warren Koegel. Much is expected from a fine pass catcher, split end Greg Edmonds.

Syracuse has 10 of last year's offensive starters returning and coach Ben Schwartzwalder's starting team could be the biggest in college football. The offensive line averages 236 pounds and the backfield 206, an average of 225 if you like numbers. If Syracuse can beat Penn State it should head for a bowl game, and could make post season competition if it merely looks good against Paterno's powerhouse.

Schwartzwalder's problems are on defense where he lost experience in linebackers and in the secondary to graduation. He has to build around end Lou Gubitosa and middle guard Ray White. He has a 6 foot, 5 inch, 256-pound sophomore in Joe Ehrmann who would rather play offense, but could make an imposing defensive tackle. Help for the defense was found in spring practice with the shifting of quarterback Rich Panczyszyn to defensive back. Paul Paolisso will handle the quarterbacking chores. Six of last year's leading Orange ground gainers are back, including Al Newton, a 231-pound fullback. Sophomore back Marty Januszkiewicz is well thought of by Schwartzwalder.

In the Ivy League, Harvard and Yale appear to be dropping off slightly with Princeton and Penn coming on. Harvard has only three regular defenders back, which means reserves and sophomores will have to fill the voids. Yale lost Brian Dowling, its great quarterback; Calvin Hill, Bruce Weinstein and a number of other offensive stars. Its defense looks solid, but Yale's chances hinge on the development of the offense. Princeton under new coach Jake McCandless still will be running the single wing and there are seven of last year's top eight offensive backs returning to make the job easier. These include Brian McCullough a fine runner as a sophomore, and Scott MacBean. Blocking back Dan White also returns. The defense has nine starters on hand. Penn was a surprising 7-2 last year with its best league finish in many years. Coach Bob Odell has a top passing combination in quarterback in Bernie Zbrzeznj and end Pete Blumenthal. Penn is strong up front on defense but needs linebackers and help in the defensive secondary. Mike Chwastyk and Jim Fuddy could be two of the best Ivy tackles. Odell also has some sensational end in receiver Tom Boyd and a sophomore by the name of Mike Siani who caught 14 touchdown passes for an unbeaten freshman team. The Wildcats, however, need a quarterback and may be inexperienced in the offensive and defensive lines. Rutgers has 16 lettermen back from a team which posted an 8-2 record, Colgate could improve on its 5-5 of last season if it gets the quarterbacking.

Pitt has 18 of 22 starters returning for DePasqua's first season as head coach. Dave Havern, the quarterback heads the same backfield that performed for the Panthers in 1968. Dennis Ferris, the team's leading ground gainer, fullback Tony Esposito and halfbacks Joe McCain and J. O. Lewis are ready for another campaign. Jim Friedel, a transfer from Citadel, is a possibility at quarterback if Havern doesn't come through as expected. DePasqua is counting on some physically big sophomores to help his offensive line. Pitt, of course, has that usually tough schedule to cope with and the only team it beat last year, William & Mary has been dropped. UCLA, Oklahoma and Duke are the first three opponents, hardly the type of competition a new coach attempting to develop a winning attitude likes to see.

Navy has a new coach in Rick Forzano. He'll have a good quarterback and passer in Mike McNallen and a fine receiver in flanker Karl Schwelm. Dan Pike is back among the runners. Forzano's problems appear to be on defense with only two returnees up front. Army appears hard pressed to approach last season's 7-3 record. The addition of Notre Dame, Oregon and Texas A&M to the schedule multiplies the problems facing Coach Tom Cahill. Only three starters are back on defense, and the word is that last year's Plebe team wasn't much. On offense, Cahill has quarterback Roger LeDoux and running backs Lynn Moore and Hank Andrzejczak and four returning linemen.

In the Middle Atlantic Conference, Lafayette, Bucknell and Temple appear to be the

Cleveland Browns Lose Sabatino

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — An administrative error has cost the Cleveland Browns the services of second-year defensive tackle Bill Sabatino, who has become the property of the Atlanta Falcons.

Sabatino, a 6-foot-3, 250-pounder, left the Browns' training camp at Hiram, Ohio, several weeks ago. He changed his mind, however, and returned three days later.

In the meantime, the Browns placed him on their reserve list. When he returned, waivers had to be asked on him with no re-

Pro Mat Program Set at Hamburg

Haystack Calhoun, 6-4 and 620, will meet Tara Tanaka, 6-3, 275 Wednesday night in the feature match of an all-star wrestling card at Hamburg field house.

In the semi-feature, distaffers Moolah, Susan Sterling, Verne Vachon and Kathy O'Day will appear in a judo and karate match.

Victor Rivera and Mitsu Arakawa are also on the card. Two other preliminary bouts will be added. Wrestling begins

To that can be added the $12,258 he received for a 23rd place finish in the Indianapolis 500 and $11,450 for winning the Permatex 300 for sportsman cars at Daytona Beach, Fla. He also has driven thousands of miles of high speed tests for his sponsors, Ford Motor Co. and the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. Drivers usually are paid $1 per mile for this exceedingly boring, tiresome and dangerous chore.

Thus, at the rate he is going Yarbrough could become one of the highest paid sports figures in history. He almost certainly will clear the $200,000 mark this season.

This is the same LeeRoy Yarbrough who at the start of the year had won only $157,124 in 125 races during eight years on the rich NASCAR Grand National circuit.

This is the same LeeRoy Yarbrough whose big track career includes more second place finishes than it does first places, whose average finish prior to this season was a dismal 16.08.

This is the same LeeRoy who built his own jalopy and drove it at breakneck speed along the back roads of Florida before he was 12—to his mother's everlasting annoyance and regret.

This is the same LeeRoy who became a terror on the short ovals of the South before he was 18—dirt tracks where guts and a heavy foot still are considered more worthwhile attributes than brains—and went to victory circle more than 100 times in three years.

This is the same LeeRoy who came into the big track pro ranks with the label "cocky," "brash," and "loner" already written on him. He won one race and a total of $225 in 1960, the year of his debut, but he quickly established himself as a hell - for - leather driver who feared no one, who asked no quarter and gave none.

"Sure, they called me cocky and brash, and maybe those were only the nicer things they said about me," LeeRoy says now with a smile.

"But back then I owned the car I was driving, or had built it for somebody else, and blood, sweat and tears usually were said of him, "Junior charges a dollar for every word he speaks, and takes in about $10 a week."

Last year the team was among the strongest in stock car racing, but won only two races. During the early part of the season, nothing seemed to go right. In the Daytona 500, LeeRoy lost to good friend Cale Yarborough by less than a second. In the Atlanta 500, he against was second to Cale by three car lengths. Back at Daytona in July, these two put on another show—but Cale copped the victory with LeeRoy trailing. In 26 races, LeeRoy finished in the top five no less than 15 times.

"Junior is one of the finest people you'd want to know," Yarbrough says, "but last yea we couldn't communicate. We sat on the pole a lot, but we didn't seem to prepare the car for racing. Or maybe, the crew didn't have confidence in me.

"But during the winter, I went to Junior and told him I knew things were wrong with our organization, and that one of the big things was our inability to communicate with each other. Another was that we weren't working as a team.

"This year we got together and developed a plan, a team effort. We decided how we would run the cars. We decided, among other things, that winning the pole in every race wasn't as important as setting the car up to go 500 miles. We also decided that leading the race wasn't as important as being around at the finish.

"Another thing that has helped us is that I've gained maturity and I think Junior and the boys have helped me. If I ever was cocky and brash, and I don't think I actually was even in the early days, those things are gone now.

"I am doing a lot more thinking nowadays. I try to prepare myself mentally for each race, particularly the high speed ones. For instance, I'm already thinking about and preparing myself for the 500-miler at Talladega, Ala., next month."

As a part of his plan to win the inaugural at the new 2.6-mile Alabama track, Yarbrough people . . . but for a long time I didn't have the time. Now I do have the time.

"Another thing is that I don't care for the social life that goes with a winner. I never cared for it. Social life makes a personality image for some people, but I simply don't have the front for it."

A victory celebration for Yarbrough usually means only that he will have dinner with his striking blond wife, Gloria, and his 3-year-old son LeeRoy Jr. After the recent Dixie 500 victory, however, he and Gloria and a few close friends gathered in a private motel dining room and devoured a huge platter of fried frog legs.

A compact 185 pounds, Yarbrough's black curly hair, his close-set black eyes and his long side burns give him the history-book look of a typical young Confederate colonel.

He flies his own plane, watches his financial investments closely, takes a few days off occasionally to fish and romp with his son.

He has an amazing capacity for work. "He is one of the most durable men I've ever seen," says Nab.

A typical week was the one he spent at Daytona in February. In a five day span, he drove 183 laps of practice in two types of cars, ran in a 125-lap qualifying race, then drove to victory in a 300-mile sportsman's race on Saturday and a 500-mile Grand National race on Sunday.

During the month of May he spent three days practicing for the Rebel 400-miler at Darlington, S. C.—which he won—then hopped to Indianapolis for practice in a championship car. He switched back to Charlotte for practice and qualifying in the the World 600 stock car event, shuttled back to Indy to qualify in the third row on Saturday, then back to Charlotte to win the 600 miler on Sunday. The next day he was back in Indy to drive on Memorial Day.

"Sure it's work," Yarbrough says. "But in this business work is the spice of life. It keeps your reactions sharp, it keeps you from going stale. I wouldn't trade it for anything else."

Now he is going to play his first game against his old AFL rivals.

"I'd like to do very well," he said. "This game is for the people of the city of New York, the people who have been following us and the Jets. I'd like to see the team do well for Allie (Coach Allie Sherman) because he works so hard.

"There is no special rivalry between me and Jim Turner (the Jets' kicker). I played against him in 1964 and 1965. We beat them four times (actually, three out of four). That was when we had a championship team, a good solid club and the Jets weren't having a good year.

"My first game as a pro was against the Jets in 1964. It was an exhibition game in Tampa, Fla., and I kicked a 57-yarder. But they don't count that as a record because it was an exhibition game (the pro record is 56)."

When Goglak came out of Cornell, the NFL passed him up, skeptical of his unusual style, and Buffalo drafted him No. 13. After a year with the Bills, 1964, Gogolak did not sign for 1965 but kicked for the Bills, playing out his option. He was free May 1, 1969 and signed with the Giants about two weeks later.

"I have a lot of respect for Mr. Mara's decision (Wellington Mara, Giants' president)," said Gogolak. "He took me in. I didn't know what to expect. I didn't feel I was starting any war. It was like a free market and I offered my personal services through my agent, Fred Corcoran. I thought it was a great opportunity for me to play in the glamor city, the greatest sports city in the world."

Gogolak was in the Army in 1967, getting away on some weekends. He got out last season after missing training camp. This is his first full year with the club since 1966.

"I feel strong," he said. "I'd like to try some long ones—I think I'm ready for a 55-yarder. I hope I get a chance to try some."

call possible.

Three teams claimed the former University of Colorado gridder, but two teams withdrew their claims when they learned of the circumstances. The Falcons wouldn't.

"He's better than any of our defensive tackles," Coach Norm Van Brocklin said. "I'm sorry about the circumstances, but I'm going to keep him."

Grid Registration

Candidates for the Rising Sun AA mite, midget and junior grid teams will register Monday and Tuesday night, starting at 6 o'clock, at the 11th and Pike playground. Forrest (Diz) Moyer, president of the association, will be in charge.

Brown, Columbia and Cornell appear also rans.

Among the independents, Boston College is counting on the passing of Frank Harris, who could be the best passer in the east, and the catching of flanker Fred Willis and split end Steve Kives. Bob Bouley, a 240-pound offensive tackle and John Fitzgerald, a 265-pound defensive tackle also are B.C. stalwarts. Villanova has a good chance of repeating. Tom Triolo, Bob Zimmers, and Tom Donofrio give Lafayette excellent running; quarterback Greg Doviak should provide Bucknell with its usually high class passing game, while Temple's chances hinge on its new passing combination of quarterback Doug Shobert and end George Chaisson, both stars of last year's freshman team.



Won Twice at Albright

Gabe Rubin, left, owner of the Pittsburgh Pipers of the American Basketball Assn., poses with his new coach, John Clark, in Pittsburgh Wednesday. Clark moves into the pro ranks from St. Francis, Loretto, Pa. St. Francis won the Albright College Invitational Tournament in 1966 and in 1968.—AP Wirephoto.

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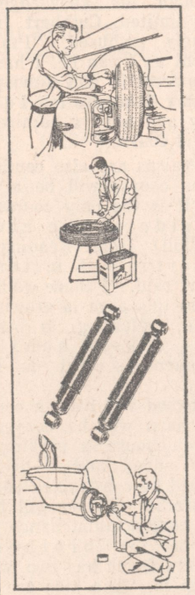

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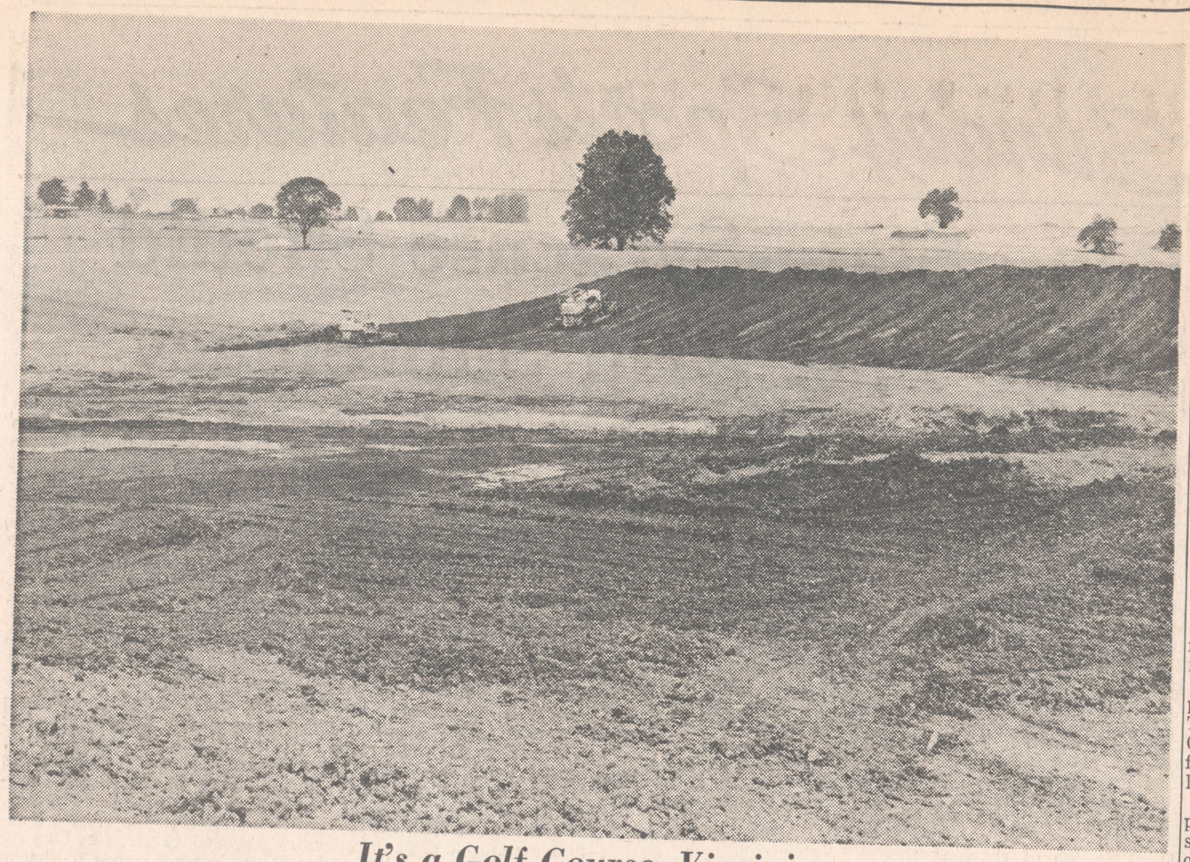

It's a Golf Course, Virginia

Bulldozers are seen stripping top soil below No. 3 hole at Berks County's newest golf course, Blackwood, west of Douglassville, still in the construction stages. In the foreground is the site of a large lake that will be furnished water from a stream that runs through the Nairn's land. In the left background is No. 1 tee and No. 18 green, near the proposed clubhouse.—Eagle Photo.

Blackwood Course Takes Shape For Non-Golfing Nairn Family

By TONY ZONCA
Eagle Sports Writer

A visit to the infant Blackwood Golf Course conjures up some profound thinking, for example:

It is written that farmers are the founders of human civilization because when tillage begins other arts follow, or,

Ideas are like beards; men do not have them until they grow up.

And Dryden wrote: For they can conquer who believe they can.

So much for that.

If you didn't know otherwise, when you pass Blackwood Golf Course, located two miles west of Douglassville, across the Schuylkill, you might suppose all that digging and plowing and carrying on out there is just another farmer, planting or seeding or doing whatever farmers do this time of year.

But under all that dust is a golf course, or will be a golf course.

The owners are the Nairns, Cuthbert Jr. and brother Gordon. They are transforming dad's 220-acre farm into a 6,500-



Anthracite Region Sports Activities

Wilkes Banks On Yeager To Stay on Top

By SAM PROCOPIO
Eagle Staff Writer

"He's great!"

"He's going to be the finest athlete that ever came out of Wilkes College!"

"In his first season, he rushed for more yardage than anyone in the last four years!"

Those are some of the plaudits being handed out to Ted Yeager, former Southern Columbia High School athlete, following his brilliant season last year with the Colonels.

The amazing part of these praises is that they are being said of an athlete who will be only a sophomore this coming season.

Wilkes College may be small with an enrollment of 2,300. But it rates mighty big in the nation today, winning 29 straight — the longest college win streak in the country.

In the last four years, Coach Roland Schmidt, who played football and track at Bloomsburg State College, has directed the Colonels to 31 victories in 32 contests.

The 1968 Colonels, too, were Middle Atlantic Northern Division co-champions, Lambert Bowl winners and Timmie Award recipients. The Timmie Award is given by the Washington Touchdown Club to the nation's outstanding small college team.

Gave Lift at Start

Yeager was responsible for giving Wilkes the "big lift" it needed to continue its winning streak in the opening game of the year in 1968.

On the second play of the game against University of Vermont, on his first carry as a college player, Yeager broke loose for a 67-yard TD.

The coaches admitted that the "tension" was high in that opening game and that the boys "were scared," but "he broke the ice."

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He has proved that the little man can play football, the mentor remarked.

Yeager is now known as the "mini-mite" or the "mini-back".

Eight Starters Back

He is one of eight starting veterans returning.

Wilkes College officials are so enthused about the prospects of Yeager, who also plays baseball and wrestles, that they believe that he can surpass the great Joe Wiendl. Last spring in an unprecedented move, the Wilkes faculty athletic committee retired jersey number 44 as a tribute to the service and dedication that Weindl gave to Wilkes. Wiendl became the first Colonel in history to ever earn 12 letters.

Yeager, although hitting only .193 with the baseball team, played every game. His eight hits included a 320-foot homer.

Although he wrestled as a freshman, he didn't start. He could be among the starters this coming year.

Showed Versatility

Yeager's statistics on the gridiron might have been even more interesting had he not been playing in the shadow of Wiendl. Nonetheless, he did catch four passes for 41 yards. He returned two punts for 22 yards, backing up Wiendl who returned 32 punts for 492 yards.

Yeager was second to Wiendl in returning kickoffs. The latter took five kickoffs for 120 yeards, while the Southern "mini-mite" scooted 75 yards on four tries.

To catch a pass for a TD, run back a punt for a six-pointer or score a few TDs in one game is not new for Yeager, who is Southern's top record-holder in nearly all departments.

In high school, he took a punt 90 yards to score, caught a pass for a TD that covered 76 yards and rushed from scrimmage 70 yards to the end zone. And when needed, he rushed for the bonus point. He scored 25 points in one game, too.

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Blakely's John Henzes, who was forced to retire as head football coach when a mandatory retirement of 65 was established for the new Valley View district, will be given a "day" on Oct. 19 in his home town, with a banquet set for Scranton's Masonic Temple. Henzes' teams won 248, lost 46 and tied 14 in 33 years. His teams won 35 various titles, including seven in the Northern Division of the Eastern Conference and five in the conference as a whole.

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Bill Flynn, Pottsville High's head football coach, has been advanced to dean of boys at the school. He is also a mathematics instructor.

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Joe Sarra's resignation as Southern Columbia football coach lasted only a few hours. The board tabled the letter of resignation when it was read Monday night, and Sarra withdrew the resignation later in the evening following his attendance at an executive session of the board which lasted 10 times longer (almost 1¾ hours) than the directors promised the barred press and public that it would. The differences which were resolved apparently hinged on non-coaching responsibilities.

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Beavertown of Snyder County won the West Branch Lower Circuit baseball pennant after a torrid race with a 15-6 record, one game better than Northumberland-Sunbury and Watsontown, and two games better than Shamokin Urdzik and Mifflinburg.

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Crackers Open With 21-8 Win

ST. CLAIR — Ashland's Bob Kraft passed for one touchdown and scored another and pint-sized Ron Burnett tallied a short TD which counted and a long one which didn't as the Schuylkill Coal Crackers opened play Saturday night in the inter-State Football League with a 21-8 victory over the Baltimore Eagles.

A crowd of some 4,000 fans watched the Crackers jump in front and stay there, using six interceptions and a blocked punt to help the cause.

Kraft pitched 60 yards to flanker Joe Ferris for a first-period TD and Joe Mikita kicked the first of three conversions.

And Kraft even got into Baltimore's scoring act, getting trapped for a safety by 315-pound tackle Oliver Wooten late in the quarter.

Burnett turned in the game's most exciting play in the second period and a clipping penalty turned it into a run which produced little more than exercise.

Burnett fielded a Baltimore punt on the Cracker 28, dropped back to the eight and then whizzed his way 92 yards. It produced a lot of ohs and ahs but no points.

The Crackers used an interception to get on the board in the third quarter. Cameron Dolbin picked off a Walt Gentry heave on the Baltimore 45 and returned it to the 10.

And, three plays later, Kraft sneaked over from the one to hike the margin to 14-2.

Baltimore picked up its only touchdown in the third when Dave Younger intercepted a pass by Roy Shellhammer, former Albright College quarterback, on the Schuylkill 15 and took it home from there.

A blocked punt gave Schuylkill its final touchdown. Gary Ellex blocked the punt and John Sweat recovered on the Eagle six. Burnett snaked his way into the end zone on the first play.

Statistically it was closer than the final scoreboard reading. Baltimore led in rushing, 39-17, and Schuylkill had a slight air edge, 97-92.

The winners were 5-18 upstairs and Baltimore was 10-23. But the six misfires proved deadly for the visitors.

Baltimore	2	0	6	0	—8
Schuylkill	7	0	7	7	—21

all that digging and plowing and carrying on out there is just another farmer, planting or seeding or doing whatever farmers do this time of year.

But under all that dust is a golf course, or will be a golf course.

The owners are the Nairns, Cuthbert Jr. and brother Gordon. They are transforming dad's 220-acre farm into a 6,500-yard golf course.

What is so unusual about all this is that none of the Nairns are golfers. Cuthbert Jr. can't play because of a back injury suffered when some farm machinery fell on him and Gordon was always too busy on the farm.

So howcum these strangers to the links decided what they would like to do is build a golf course?

"We just got the idea," Cuthbert Jr. said, "that golf would be a good business. We thought about it a couple of years, even while farming."

Three years ago the family sold about 200 head of cattle and its farm machinery and rented the farm. Cuthbert Jr. turned in his coveralls for a business suit and an insurance debit and Gordon went into industry.

"It happened quickly, last March," Cuthbert Jr. said, laughing about it. "I was sitting with my wife and simply decided to look into the golf course business. We had contacted the National Golf Foundation and they came out and told us a golf course in the area was feasible. The family was still a little hesitant, but construction started June 10."

What finally convinced them? "Oh, the grass was getting green and the flowers were beginning to smell and we wanted to get outdoors again," said Cuthbert, the aesthete.

The Nairns had the land, acquired the funds, but needed help, lots of it. The family didn't know a dog-leg from a pork chop. They hired William F. Gordon of Doylestown, a veteran builder and designer of golf courses, and he did the rest.

Gordon drew preliminary plans and measured off each hole. Dozers stripped top soil and the tees and greens were roughed in, including traps and fairway bunkers. The course when completed will contain 38 sand bunkers, 10 dotted about the fairways and 28 surrounding the greens that will average about 6,000 square feet. Drainage tile was installed around the greens and a mixture of sand, peat moss and top soil was added. Then comes the seeding and that is the next stage of construction.

When Cuthbert Nairn Sr., a native of Glasgow, Scotland, began to purchase small farms 38 years ago and built them into the large Blackwood Farm, he never guessed that some day the game of his ancestors would be played on his land.

Cuthbert Jr. said, "I think dad is happy we're back and putting the land to use again."

The course will consume 138 acres of rolling terrain, rich with trees and surrounded by Mother Nature's greenery. A stream runs through the proposed course and designer Gordon is putting it to good use. The stream will feed a man-made lake that will enhance and strengthen holes three, four and five. Plans call for planting more trees to complement the existing woody plants. "Par," said the younger Cuthbert, "will be about 70 or 72."

Although his knowledge of golf is limited, Cuthbert Jr. is extremely enthused. "I'm as confident as I can be. I have a deep interest in golf although I don't play. I always felt I'd like to play and always admired a well-kept course."

The Nairns are also confident that the course will be a success. "It is the only course on this side of the river (Schuylkill) from Reading to Kimberton (25 miles)," Cuthbert said. "I think we'll do well and this area is growing," he said, referring to Amity Gardens, a lovely housing development several miles away.

Blackwood will have a course pro, a barn will be converted into a clubhouse, a parking lot will be added and a driving range will be constructed before long. Brother Gordon will handle the course maintenance and some of the brothers' youngsters (each has two boys) will chip in. "The kids are excited," Cuthbert said, "but I don't know what their reaction will be when we hand them a hand mower next spring."

The Narins are shooting for a Memorial Day opening and they are "just about on schedule." The recent rains lost them nothing but time.

There is a story of a man, a garage mechanic, who grew bored with lying under the belly of an automobile and cleaning imbedded grease from under his fingernails. So, he decided to enter another profession. As you might expect, he chose something a great deal cleaner and hung out his shingle proclaiming him a doctor of dentistry.

His first patient arrived suffering from a toothache. The new dentist promptly lifted him up on a hoist and came at him with a grease gun. The terrified patient ran out of the office and that was the end of the new profession.

The moral of the story is that it takes more than just the desire to do something to achieve that desire.

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Nairns Eye Progress

Gordon Nairn points out something of interest to brother Cuthbert on their Blackwood Golf Course in Douglassville, now under construction. The course is set for a Memorial Day opening.—Eagle Photo.

Schedule Revised At Heidelberg

The 14th fairway at the Heidelberg Country Club, closed when the Tulpehocken Creek overflowed its banks, is open again and the club has revised its schedule.

One of the highlights will be an interclub match on Sept. 28 between 12-man teams from Heidelberg and the Reading, Berkshire and Berkleigh Country Clubs. The schedule:

Aug. 30, Callaway tourney
Aug. 31, Handicap event—the "Peoria System."
Sept. 1, Match play vs. par
Sept. 6, Kicker's tournament
Sept. 7, Ham and Egg tourney
Sept. 10-17, Qualifying for Club championship
Sept. 13, Mixed foursomes
Sept. 14, Nassau tourney
Sept. 20-21, Club championship
Sept. 27, 2-3-4-5 tournament
Sept. 28, Interclub championship
Oct. 4, Dividend flag tourney
Oct. 5, Blind Partner tourney
Oct. 11-12, Member-Member championship, 36 holes, medal

Eligible Fees Costly

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — The five richest races for 3-year-old trotters — the Hambletonian, Colonial, Kentucky Futurity, Yonkers Trot and Dexter Cup — have a value in excess of $500,000.

Owners must pay $9,990 in fees to keep a horse eligible for all five races.

Attorneys Control Redskins' Team

WASHINGTON (AP) — A will of George P. Marshall assigns control of the Washington Redskins football team to attorneys Edward B. Williams and Milton W. King, who have operated it under a court-appointed conservatorship since 1963.

Marshall's son, George Jr., and daughter, Catherine M. Price would each get $10,000 a year for life under the 1958 will filed Thursday, but would be shut out of any control or interest in the Redskins—claim he made a later will leaving everything to them.

They are expected to ask a court to accept the later document. They tried in 1964 to wrest control of the team from Williams and their suit was still pending when Marshall died Saturday. Marshall owned 52 per cent of the stock, making the value of his estate at least $6 million.

The will filed Thursday directs Williams and King to use income from the football operation to create a foundation to work to improve conditions of children in the area. It provides that the foundation "shall never use, contribute or apply its money or property for any purpose which supports or employes the principle of racial integration in any form, or which supports any principle of religious discrimination in any form."

The Redskins under Marshall were the last all-white team in professional football. They signed their first Negro player in 1962.

The will provides that the Marshall estate is to keep title to the stock or the proceeds from its sale, and any profits are to be used to operate the foundation.

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In Action Last Fall

Accept Court Bids

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Court Twin Bill

West Reading Summer Basketball League All-Stars meet the Antietam Valley Stars 7 o'clock tonight at West Reading. A preliminary game will be played at 6.

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Expos Cut Face

MONTREAL (AP) — The Montreal Expos Friday gave Elroy Face, one of baseball's all-time relief pitching greats, his unconditional release.

The Expos recalled southpaw Don Shaw, 24, from their Vancouver team of the Pacific Coast League.

Face, 41, was signed as a free agent in late April and had a 4-2 record, appearing in 43 games. He had a 3.97 ERA.

He had played with Pittsburgh for 15 years and last year was with Detroit of the American League.

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—Ace Hoffman Photo

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Second team members, standing from left, are Paul "Pepper" Merrill, defensive end; Bill Layden, defensive lineman, and Angelo Loverro, offensive guard.

Wiendl, Comstock and Layden served as tri-captains of the 1968 Wilkes football team and led the Colonels to an undefeated season which saw the team win a share of the MAC championship and end the campaign ranked 19th nationally among small college teams in America.

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On defense, Penn State's tough Frank Spaznani, a 215-pound senior, and Ed Thomas, a rugged, 222-pound sophomore from Lebanon Valley were chosen at the ends.

Villanova's 285-pound Rich Moore and Penn State's second team All-America Mike Reid are teamed as the tackles.

Penn's fine pass defender, George Burrell, Wilkes' excellent safety, Joe Wiendl, and Jerry Clark of Indiana's unbeaten team are in the defensive backfield.

OFFENSE

Ends: Ted Kwalick, Penn State, Sr., 6-4, 230, McKees Rocks, Pa; Joe Skvarla, Wilkes, Sr., 6-2, 190, Plymouth, Pa.

Tackles: Bruce Comstock, Wilkes, Sr., 5-11, 205, West Pittston, Pa.; Dave Bradley, Penn State, Sr., 6-4, 240, Burnham, Pa.

Guards: Tom Jackson, Penn State, Jr., 6-3, 228, Scotch Plains, N. J.; John Miller, Lehigh, Sr., 5-10, 210, New City, N. Y.

Center: Carl Simmons, Slippery Rock, Sr., 6-1, 230, Pittsburgh.

Quarterback: Sam Havrilak, Bucknell, Sr., 6-2, 195, Monessen, Pa.

Halfbacks: Charles Pittman, Penn State, Jr., 6-1, 190, Baltimore; Gerry Santini, Penn, Sr., 5-8, 192, Syracuse, N. Y.

Fullback: Bert Nye, West Chester, Sr., 5-11, 195, Carlisle, Pa.

DEFENSE

Ends: Frank Spazani, Penn State, Sr., 6-2, 215, Clark, N. J.; Ed Thomas, Lebanon Valley, So., 6-3, 222, Cresskill N. J.

Tackles: Rich Moore, Villanova, Sr., 21, 6-7, 285, Wycliffe, Penn Stat... Pa. ...nis Onko...-2, 205, Nor... ...ck Ham, Pe... 210, Johnstow... ...wak, East Stroud... burg, Sr., 6-0, 187, Quakertow... Pa.; Dick Lettieri, Lafayett... Sr., 5-8, 180, McKeesport.

Backs: George Burrell, Penn Sr., 5-11, 175, Penns Grove, N. J.; Joe Wiendl, Wilkes, Sr., 5-10, 175, Westfield, N. J.; Jerry Clark, Indiana, Sr., 5-7, 160, Punxsutawney, Pa.

SECOND TEAM

OFFENSE

Ends: Jim Callahan, Temple; Ed Csencsitz, East Stroudsburg.

Takles: John Kulka, Penn State; Charles Sklar, Gettysburg.

Guards: Dennis Moriarity, ... & M.; Angelo Loverro, Wilkes.

Center: George Joseph, Penn.

Quarterback: Don Weis, Juniata.

Halfbacks: Bob Campbell, Penn State; Dan Cox, Indiana.

Fullback: Tom Triolo, Lafayette.

DEFENSE

Ends: Paul Merrill, Wilkes; John Gaydeski, Lafayette.

Tackles: Steve Smear, Penn State; Jim Fuddy, Penn.

Linebackers: Jim Kates, Penn State; Bill Layden, Wilkes; Hank Nauss, Albright; Nick Dellaquila, Shippensburg.

Backs: Neal Smith, Penn State; Gene Arthur, Villanova; Tom McCombs, Lafayette.

Among others gaining honorable mention were center ... Snay of Bloomsburg, quarterback Stu Casterline of Mansfield, halfback Art Sell of Bloomsburg, tackle Ted Agurkis of Albright, end Bob Ott of East Stroudsburg, quarterback Chuck Burkhart of Penn State.

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Over the campaign, Wiendl returned 32 punts for a total of 492 yards for an average of 15.3 yards per return. In addition he returned five kickoffs for a total of 120 yards, an average of 24 yards per return.

BRUCE COMSTOCK joined Penn State's Dave Bradley as offensive tackle on the first team . . . a position which offers it's inhabitants much work and little glory. Comstock punched his way to stardom asking no quarter and giving less. No statistician has yet devised an accurate yardstick by which an offensive tackle may be measured. He makes no tackles and hardly ever gets a chance at scoring. His job is to carve out holes in massive defensive lines so that runners might advance. Comstock accomplished his thankless assignment with such skill that Wilkes rushed for 1,639 yards on 410 plays. He was the team meatgrinder and there was none better in the State.

The second team selections brought to six the number of Colonels recognized as the finest in the Commonwealth.

BILL LAYDEN undoubtedly would have been a first team selection had not he been injured through much of the season. Yet his accomplishments as a defensive monsterman merited him the laurels he so richly deserved. Layden's abilities as a lineman were surpassed only by his courage. In the final game of the season Bill ripped Lebanon Valley's offensive line to shreds despite a punctured lung. He missed some action early in the season due to a leg injury but when he filled his position on defense, he had no peer.

PAUL MERRILL, Layden's sidekick on the front four, provided Wilkes with the material necessary for the Colonels to field one of the most devastating defensive alignments in the State. Pepper Merrill made 22 tackles plus 38 assists for a total of 60 hits over the season. Add this to Layden's 39 tackles and 31 assists and you have a total of 130 hits between them. Pepper at 6-1, 205 was something of a not-so-polite head cruncher. Little got by him as attested by the cumulative figures for 1968. Wilkes opponents netted only 590 yards rushing over the season and actually lost 285 yards thanks to the rugged front wall.

ANGELO LOVERRO won his offensive second string guard honors with some of the finest blocking seen in local college football. On running plays, Angelo pulled and led the assault with exceptionally fine execution. There were times when he displayed the movements of a broken field runner but could send an opponent to the turf with the force of a tank when the time came for a block.

All six Wilkes stars have ended their collegiate careers fulfilling a promise they made four years ago. At that time Wilkes was but one of many small institutions across the nation attempting to survive the rigors and expense of fielding a football team.

The seniors of today were only freshmen and were not considered among the elite players of that era. No one expected much from the team with the exception of the players themselves and Coach Schmidt.

The young fledglings made a vow to overcome anonymity and to conquor the defeatist attitude that prevailed at that time. In the light of their current success it is now difficult to realize how futile this all seemed four years ago. It is even more difficult to appreciate the sweat, toil and suffering experienced by the seniors and underclassmen who made the dream a reality.

Today the community basks in the sunlight of their accom-

Six Wilkes Seniors Earn All-State Honors



—Ace Hoffman Photo

These six Wilkes College seniors have won berths on the 1968 Pennsylvania Collegiate All-State Football Team announced today by the Associated Press. They join 12 from Penn State in dominating the two-team squad.

Named to the first team, seated from left, are Joe Skvarla, record-breaking end for the Colonels; Joe Wiendl, safetyman who won All-America honors as a junior, and Bruce Comstock, offensive tackle who sparked the Colonels' ground attack.

Second team members, standing from left, are Paul "Pepper" Merrill, defensive end; Bill Layden, defensive lineman, and Angelo Loverro, offensive guard.

Wiendl, Comstock and Layden served as tri-captains of the 1968 Wilkes football team and led the Colonels to an undefeated season which saw the team win a share of the MAC championship and end the campaign ranked 19th nationally among small college teams in America.