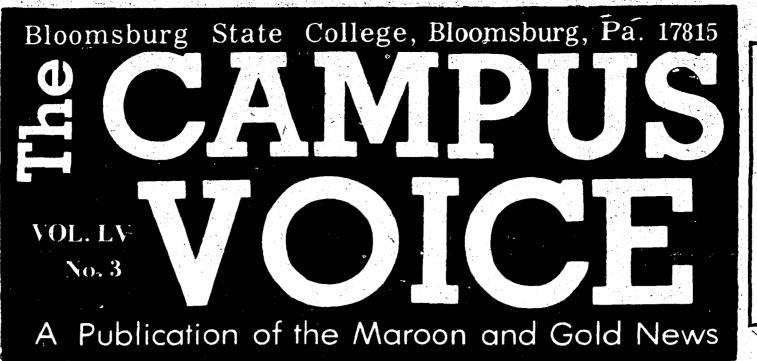
Register to vote by postcard no later than October 4th





Attention! CGA elections will be held Wednesday and Thursday, September 16 and 17 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in all dorm lobbies and the Kehr Union Information Desk lobby for off campus students. Voting on the new CGA constitution will also take place at this time.

Trustees approve budget increase

by DALE MYERS

Approval of the annual budget for Bloomsburg State College highlighted the quarterly college Board of Trustees meeting last Wednesday in Carver Hall. The budget for the 77-78 academic year carries a twelve percent increase over this year's budget and will be submitted to the state legislature by the Board of Trustees.

The rationale behind the new budget was presented to the board by college president, Dr. James McCormack and Mr. Boyd Buckingham, Vice President for Administrative Services. Outstanding in the budget was the addition of 22 new teaching positions probably all of which will be in the Business Department. Buckingham noted, during his discussion of the new positions, that the college, is "pretty lean," in terms of the studentfaculty ratio and that the 22 additions will help to alleviate some of the tension caused by overcrowded classrooms.

McCormack, who also commented on the increase in the budget indicated that there will be "No increase in standard fees," for the 77-78 year.

Another item which involved college improvement was the board approval for the renting of the May property to expand office space for the business department. The building which was formerly occupied by "The Cellar" will be developed into offices for the business department faculty.

The board also approved various administrative and faculty resignations and appointments. The most notable of these was the appointment of Dr. Frank Davis as Acting Assistant Vice President for Administration.



Sheleliah, the Belly Dancer, performing her exotic art in Kehr Union. For those of you who missed it, well you missed it!

Robert MacMurray **Prof sues BSC** A Bloomsburg State College Jan. 8, 1975 was a violatio

A Bloomsburg State College professor, once dismissed and reinstated after an arbitration award, has filed a civil action in U.S. Middle District Court at Lewisburg against the college's Board of Trustees, President James H. McCormick, the head of the economics department and State Education Secretary John C. Pittenger.

Dr. Robert R. MacMurray, a member of the economics department, filed a complaint Friday seeking damages totaling \$183,000 charging his rights to due process and free speech were violated: his claim was "relentlessly harassed," his contract rights were interfered with, and his emotional and physical well being and his professional reputation were damaged. MacMurray is seeking \$25,000 each from the board of trustees, McCormick and Pittenger, alleging that their failure to give him a hearing before his "summary termination" on

Jan. 8, 1975 was a violation of his rights under the U.S. Constitution.

MacMurray is also suing Dr. Tej Bhan Saini, head of the economics department, for \$108,000 in damages.

MacMurray is charging that Saini bothered him with "vicious and relentless harassment" after Mac-Murray/refused to support his bid for president of the Bloomsburg State College Chapter of the Association of Pennsylvania State College and

(Photo by Troy)

University Faculties (AP-SCUF). Saini also challenged MacMurray's ability to teach stating his opinions to college President McCormick, Vice President McCormick, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dayton Pickett and Dean Edson Drake.

MacMurray is seeking monetary damages not only to recompense him for lost wages but to teach a lesson to those in authority.

Beautification stifled

by JACK FURNISS

Further action of the Campus Beautification Project has been stifled due to lack of organized effort among administrative heads.

Boyd Buckingham, Vice President for Administrative Services, had been responsible for organizing the project and making sure proposals were carried through. Because of numerous other concerns, Buckingham has not been able to do justice to the position and D.r Frank Davis has been appointed acting assistant to help Buckingham.

Thomas Manley, Professor of Biology, has throughout been an integral part of the Beautification Project. Lack of progress has upset Manley and he looks to Davis to take control and improve communications among those involved. C.G.A. has three proposals that are caught in the "red tape." They consist of: Basketball and Volleyball courts between Ben Franklin and Navy Hall; A picnic area behind Montour and Columbia Hall; and Haas Plaza, a project involving the closing of roads in front of Haas Auditorium and plans to enhance that section. C.G.A., along with the Alumni Association has set aside roughly \$30,000 to help with the work.

Homecoming festivities scheduled

by ANN MARIE JEFFERS

Homecoming 1976 will soon be upon us, consequently registration dates for Homecoming events are in the very near future. This year's Homecoming theme is "BSC Salutes Broadway".

Friday, September 24, at 5 p.m. is the deadline for registration of float themes, cheer themes for the ''Marauder Roast'', Homecoming Sweetheart contestants, residence hall themes, and skit themes.

The "Marauder Roast" will kick off Homecoming festivities on Thursday, Oct. 14, at 8 p.m. in the Andruss Library parking lot. There will be a bon fire in which a Millersville Marauder football player will be burned, in effigy, of course.

The cheering contest will highlight this event. All campus organizations, including such non-charter groups as dorm wings, are invited to enter a cheer, the only guidelines being that the cheer should adhere to the theme, be original and in "good taste." Cheers will be judged, and the three top winners will receive \$20, \$10, and \$5 respectively.

Friday, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m. in Centennial, there will be the traditional Pep Rally and Skits presented by campus organizations. Monetary gifts will be also awarded to winning skits, which must adhere to the Broadway theme. Freshman Sweethart will be announced along with the winners of the IFC and ISC scholarship awards.

Any skit considered in "poor taste" by the judging staff will be disqualified at their discretion.

All campus organizations entering a Homecoming Sweetheart must pay a \$6.00 nomination fee. Primary elections for the top ten finalists will be Oct. 4 and 5 in the Union. Final elections will be held on Oct. 11 and 12. The organization must also provide convertible cars for their candidate and signs for the cars.

Homecoming floats, of the dimensions specified on the entry forms, should be at the Town Park by 8:30 A.M. on Homecoming Day for the preliminary judging. Float themes must relate to the general theme.

The dates are set for all events, there appears to be nothing left to say to contestants, except possibly, to adhere to the theme, "Break a leg!" The problem, according to Manley, is that the three proposals were let out on one bid instead of acquiring individual prices. Three seperate prices would enable the committees to decide just what work can be done with the funds available. Until this particular dilemma is solbed, further development appears to be improbable.

According to Mr. Manley, a job conference will take place once a month to keep a close eye on further endeavors. A report on the status of each project will be heard and also a complete accountability of all funds spent for the Beautification Project. Improvement seems to be on its way.

Otto, BSC student talks Testing 1, 2, 3 her way to top ten ranks by STUART DUNBAR The office of Institutional

by LOUIS HUNSINGER A BSC junior, Anne Otto, placed ninth out of 256 competitors' in last April's 1976 **National Forensics Tournament** in Los Angeles. The topic which gave her such a high showing was about the Pennsylvania Dutch.

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At this tournament were students from many large colleges and universities such as Ohio University, Notre Dame, Western Michigan and Princeton just to name a few BSC ranked 29th out of 126, which placed it in the top 29 per cent.

"I was really scared", remarked Otto, "I was afraid I wouldn't place, there were so many students from large colleges and universities at the tournament. It was very hard. I was entered in four events and had to compete in at least two rounds a day which amounted to about eight hours. In my informative speaking event I missed one of the rounds and I thought I was going to be disqualified, but the judges said that if my ratings were high

enough I would be qualified for the finals."

"I felt privileged doing so well in a tournament of this caliber. This was one of the hardest competitions I've ever been in. I felt a lot of mental fatigue after it was over," Otto added.

Anne Otto has a winning background in forensics. She competed in high school and won several events.

She didn't become involved in forensics here until her second semester. She usually competes in persuasive, oral interpretation, informative and dramatic duo speaking-events. She placed sixth in persuasive speaking at the 1975 Forensic Tournament in Chicago.

Otto has competed in many forensic tournaments throughout the northeast where she has done well be winning twenty trophies. She won two first-place trophies at the tournament at Towson University in Maryland, where over twenty colleges and universities, competed, including Notre Dame, Princeton, Harvard, University of Pennsylvania, Pitt and Temple just to name a few.

At the state level she took a first in oral interpretation at the Pennsylvania State Forensics Tournament and a gold and bronze medal at the Pi Kappa Delta Tournament.

Otto is a speech major from New Cumberland and is presently the president of the BSC Forensics Society and a member of the honorary speech fraternity Pi Kappa Delta.

Spaghetti benders unite

A landmark in the history of BSC has occurred this year! Professor Alfred Tonolo, born in Italy, is teaching a course in Italian this semester on a trial basis.

Responses from the program went beyond the departments expectations as 56 students enrolled for the course. Typical responses as to why they are taking Italian are: the student is from Italian descent and would like to learn more of his heritage (approximately 50 per cent of those enrolled are from Italian descent); as preparation for graduate school; and as a means of broadening the students knowledge.

Dr. Tonolo has been educated in three countries; a Bachelor of Arts degree from Italy, literature

His previous teaching

Research has obtained the following dates from the Educational Testing Service.

The College Boards (Admissions Testing Program) will be held on the following dates, November 6, December 4, January 22, March 26, May 7, and June 4.

Graduate Record Examinations will be held October 16, "December 11, January 8, February 26, #April 23, June 11.

National Teachers

the Wyoming Valley School

District in the Wilkes-Barre

area. He became a member of

the Bloomsburg faculty in 1967.

other positions such as: founder

of the Susquehanna Valley

Chapter of Hispania in 1971, an

interpreter at the Lewisburg

Federal Penitentiary, and

starter of the Bloomsburg in

Spain tours. He is currently

thinking of beginning a

Bloomsburg in Italy study tour

All people

Obiter organizational meeting-

Thursday, September 16 at 7:30 p.m.

in the coffeehouse in the Union. Note:

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next summer.

Dr. Tonolo also holds various

Examinations will be given on *November 13, *February 19, and July 16.

Graduate Mgt. Admissions Tests will be given on November 6, January 29, March 26, and July 9.

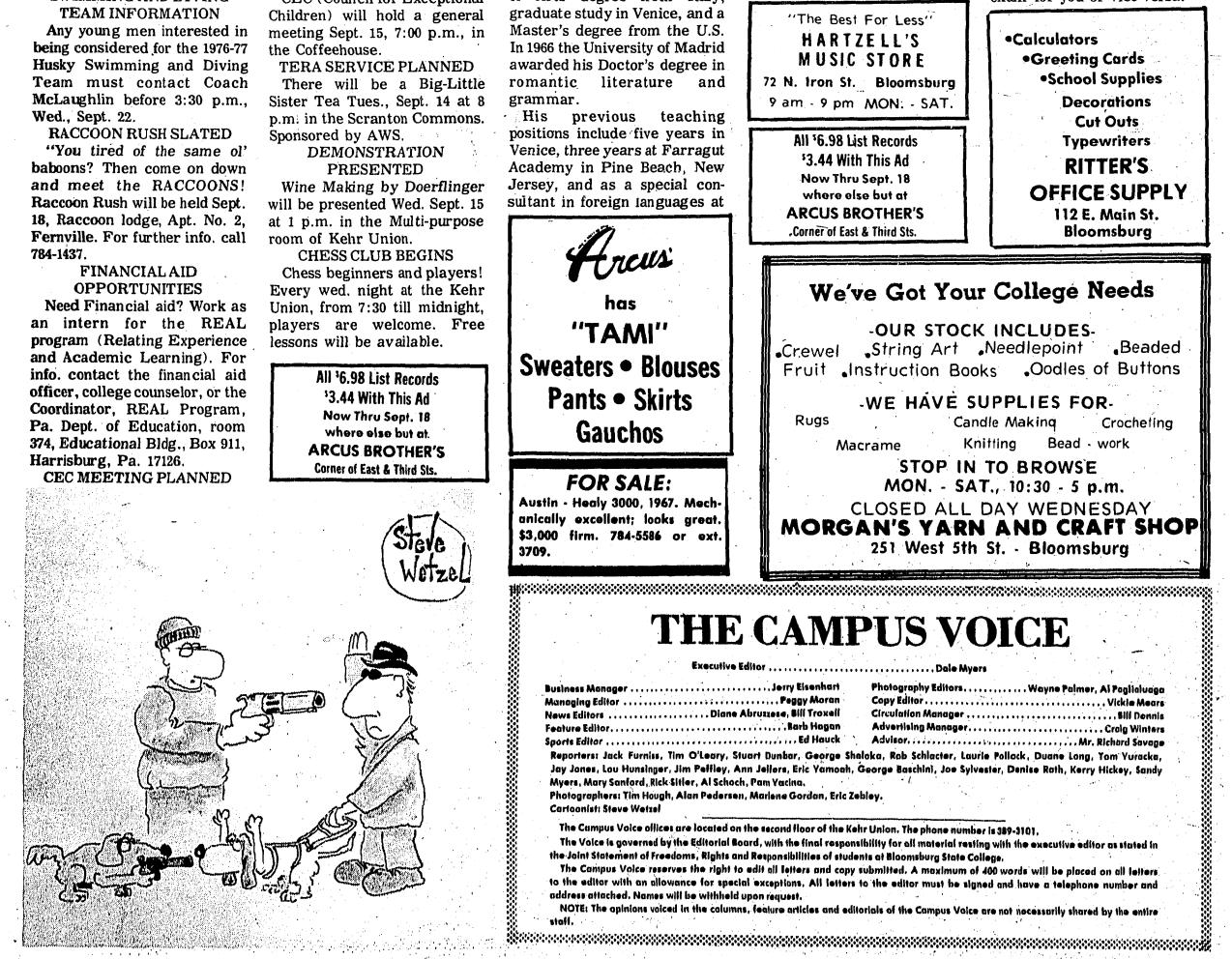
Law School Admission Tests will be on the following dates, October 9, December 4, February 5, April 16, July 23. B.S.C. Graduate School

Candidates tests will be given on #October 2, #February 12.

To take the Miller Analogies Tests, students must make a appointment with the Director of Institutional Research in Carver Hall, B.S.C.

The dates with a asterisk (\mathbf{x}) indicates that a center for testing is scheduled on the B.S.C. campus. The tests that will be given here are only available for students enrolled at B.S.C.

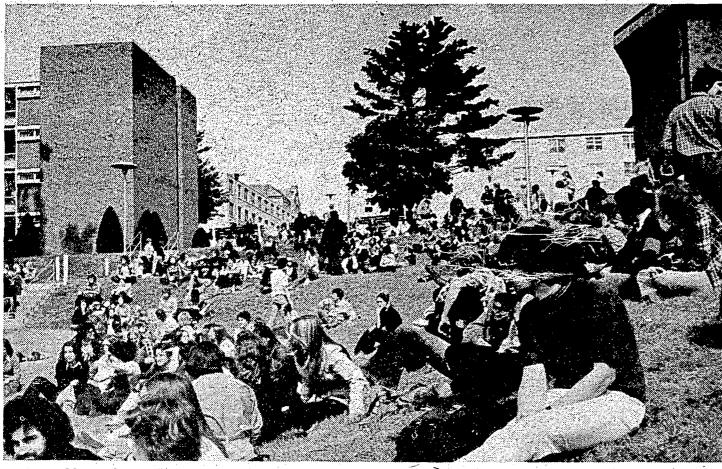
Before taking any of the tests students need to fill out an application and pay a fee along with the application. Filing an application, and payment of the fee should be done at least one month in advance of the test. Applications are available in the office of Institutional Research. If there are any questions in filling the application out, stop in the office in Carver Hall. There will be no help or answering of questions done over the phone, or by mail, and no student may take the exam for you or vice-versa.



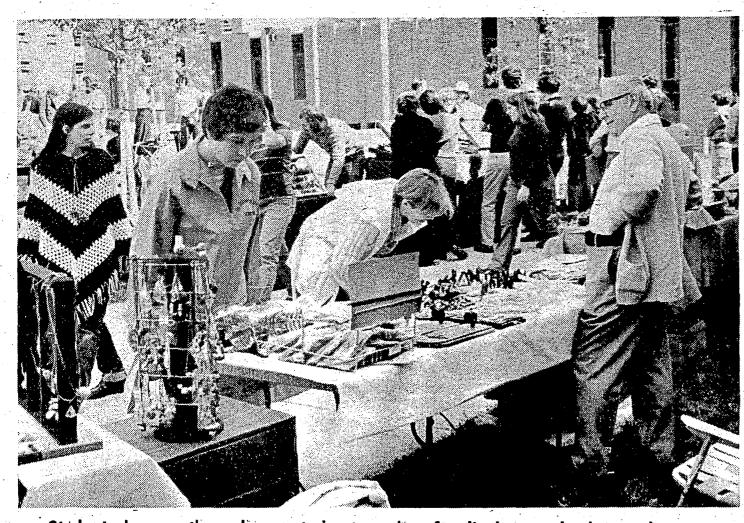
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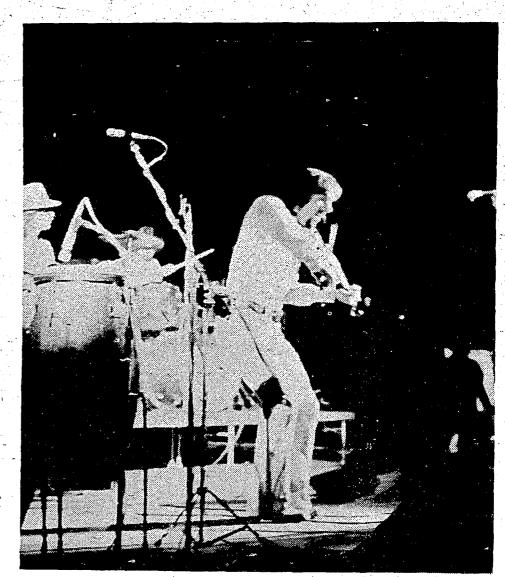
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Crafts and music pack weekend at BSC



Music hungry students crowd the lawns to enjoy a last taste of the summer.

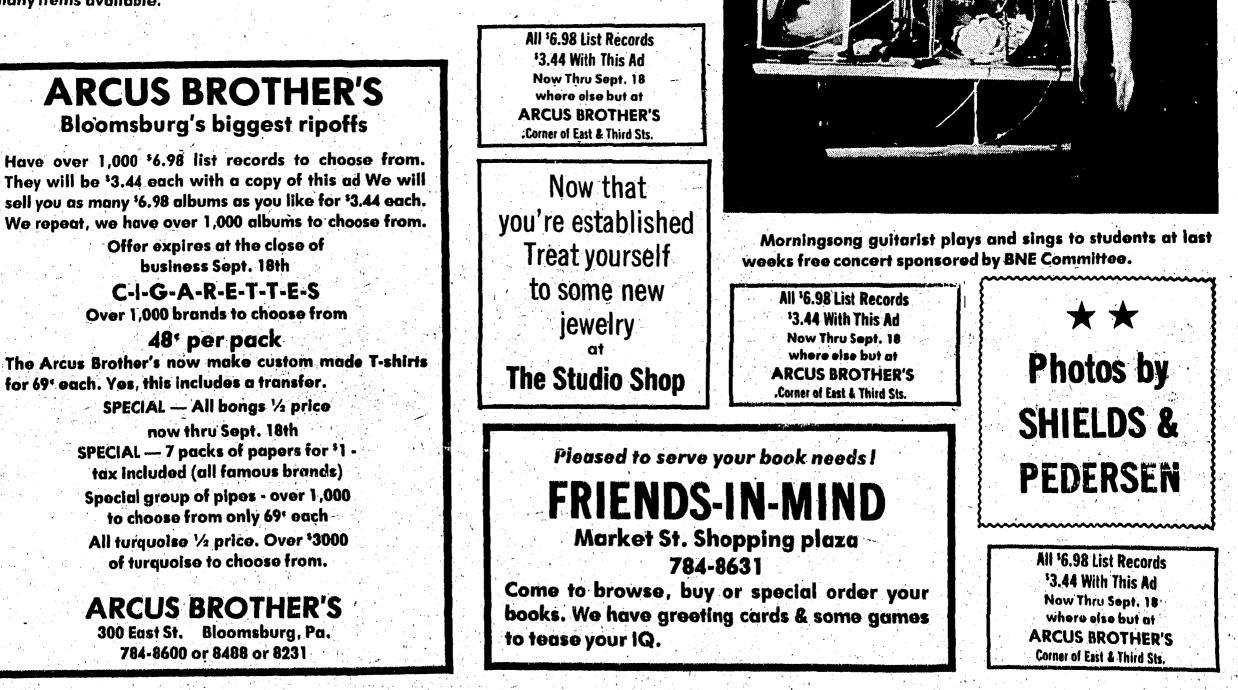




A little bit of hoe down offered at last weeks evening concert in Haas.



Students browse through assorted arts and crafts display on the lawn adjacent to Schuykill Hall. Various pieces of pottery, jewelry and wood working were a few of the many items available.



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Bloomsburg State College

September 15, 1976

Huskies bow in opener, 21-12

by ED HAUCK

From the opening kickoff, in which Shippensburg went 92 yards for a score, it looked like it was going to be just another Bloomsburg loss, just like last year.

That particular play had the Huskies playing catch-up football for the entire game. In the loss to Shippensburg, by the score of 21-12, the coaches and the team aren't looking ahead to a poor season, they are, in fact, looking to build from this game and attempt to weed out the flaws for next weeks home game against Lock Haven.

Aside from the opening kickoff, the game was an evenly fought match with Ship. Capitalizing two more times on runs before Bloomsburg made a dent in the scoring column. Both Husky scores came in the fourth quarter.

In total offense, the Huskies tallied 264 yards; 158 in the passing column and 106 in the rushing department. The top Bloom rusher was Mike Morucci with 69 yards on 11 carries; top pass receiver was Barry Staton with 3 receptions for 77 yards.

The first BSC score

culminated from a 65 yard drive and ending with a 4 yard pass from QB Mike Canzler to tightend Mike Steigerwalt. Mike Morucci scored the second touchdown as he raced 12 yards to the end zone. After both scores, Bloomsburg attempted to go for two-point conversions, but failed twice.

The set up for the second score was an interception by right defensive half-back Tom Smith who picked off a Raider pass.

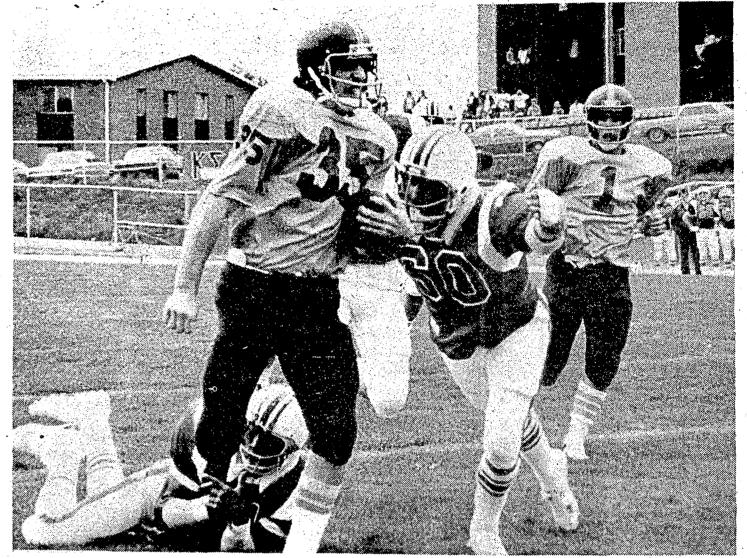
Throughout the game there was tough hitting by both sides offensively as well as defensively. Bloomsburg may have had the upper hand as they put three Shippensburg players out of the game.

Coach Puhl's reaction to the well fought match was, "I feel that this team is good enougt to win against anyone we play on our schedule, but we must learn to commit ourselves to not making mistakes, because the results are devastating, and the initial kickoff is a good example of that.

"I love my football team because they have pride. They showed the ability of not quitting and coming back to compete and score against their opponent. Anyone who does play us will have to be ready for 60 minutes of hard-nosed football. I am very proud of these boys."

The gridders opponent this

coming weekend will be Lock Haven S.C. Coach Puhl looks for a good physical contest as Lock Haven is known to be a good Physical Education school. This particular institution also happens to be the alma-mater of Coach Puhl and he would like to show his old coach, who will be assisting the Bald Eagles, that Lock Haven has produced some good material.



Running Back Mike Morucci attempts to elude Shippensburg's defensive players in Saturday's game.

Women's tennis

(Photo by Williard)

Netmen open fall season

The men's tennis team opened its 1976 season Monday against Lehigh with three returning lettermen.

Co-captains Jim Hollister and Mike Pichola along with Bill Lantz tried to pick up where last year's 19-4 team left off. Along with Hollister and Pichola, a senior and junior respectively, coach Burt Reese also sent freshmen Rob Vance, Nate Levine, Rick Willders, and Mark Raynes in the singles matches.

The tentative doubles were Levine-Vance, Hollister, Willders, and Pichola-Lance or Raynes.

In addition to the starters, replacements include freshman Jamie Showers, sophomore Bob Walp, junior Steve Morris, and senior Shawn Burke. Mr. Reese stated that Showers might break into the

Opens against Mansfield

by DENISE RATH

Now in their second week of practice, the members of the 1976 Women's Tennis team are readying themselves for the fall schedule.

The experience of returning players, the much improved

play of others, and the potential Laura possessed by some of the new sophon women are the key elements of Sue Pu the 1976 team. please

On Saturday, Sept. 10, the team played the BSC Lovs, a local group comprised of members of the area tennis club. Not only was this an enjoyable outing for all involved, it proved a great aid to the coach, Ms. Eleanor Wray. The match provided Coach Wray, now in her fifth season as coach, the opportunity to see just what her girls were capable of doing. Here is how the team shapes up. Four women from last year's top six who will play this season are: senior Deb Young, junior

Laura Stoneback, and sophomores Deb Sabatelli and Sue Purnell. Coach Wray is also pleased with the performances of freshman Lori Keating and sophomore transfer Joan Riffitts. The talent of these girls, combined with the improved play of Marianne Griffin

starting six this season.

After the opening match, the team goes to Mansfield Wednesday before the Bloomsburg Invitational Tournament opens on Friday. September 21 is an away match with Bucknell, followed by the ECAC Tournament at Rider on Friday and Saturday.

October 2 is the alumni match, and the fall season closes October 5 at home with West Chester.

This weekend's Tournament sizes up to be very strong. Four of the eight teams are from the Pennsylvania State Conference. East Stroudsburg, Edinboro, West Chester, and BSC will be joined by Penn State, Temple, Bucknell, and Haverford. Mr. Reese says the goal for the home team is to finish in the top four.



Eachus

wins at Bucknell

by ED HAUCK The 1976 Husky harriers started out this season on a good note this past Saturday at a meet at Bucknell University.

Steve Eachus, of Bloom, won the race with a time of 25:35 which ranks as the sixth fastest time ever on that particular course of 5.2 miles. Bucknell beat Bloomsburg, as the next six people that came across the finish line, all at once, were from Bucknell and they scored as second.

The next eight runners were also from Bucknell but scored singly. The score for Bucknell and Bloomsburg was 43-20, but the Huskies did shutout Monmouth by a score of 50-15.

The next Husky to score was Garry Lausch, captain of the harriers this year. A number of Huskies that also did scoring for the meet were Mark Bond, Dave Howells, Bob Kantner and Jack McKeever.

Coach Boler was very pleased with this meet and was also quite impressed with Eachus' running. and others, prompted Ms. Wray to comment, "We still have great depth; greater than last year."

This depth will hopefully bring success to the team in its eight fall matches. The season opens with a match hosted by Mansfield on Sept. 22 — the teams have not met for the past two years because of rain.



This is the bulk of the 1976 Husky cross-country team. (1. to r.) Garry Lausch, Bob Kantner, Jack McKever, Mark Bond and Dave Howells.