

VSC REBELS WIN GIAC CHAMPIONSHIP

Valdosta State College's Rebels now rule as the undisputed Georgia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference basketball champions, after gaining credit for a pair of victories in an unexpected manner, and easing past West Georgia in the last scheduled game of the season.

The North Georgia College Cadets of Dalonega forfeited two games to the Rebels, giving coach Gary Colson's Rebels a lock on the crown.

North Georgia's Cadets, last in the GIAC race, notified Colson that they were going to forfeit rather than play a pair of postponed games scheduled with the Rebels. Cold weather that resulted in icy highways forced the postponement of the two games with North Georgia plus a single contest scheduled with West Georgia in January.

Piedmont, which still had a mathematical chance of catching the Rebels, agreed to let North

Georgia forfeit the two games. "Valdosta State beat us twice during the season, and as far as we're concerned the Rebels are the champs," said Piedmont hoop boss O'Neal Cave, when consulted about the matter.

"We wanted to play the games with North Georgia, but it was their decision to forfeit them", Colson said. "Our boys worked very, very hard and there can be no doubt that they earned their championship.

The rampaging Rebels closed out the season against GIAC foe West Georgia College at Carrollton, but as far as the conference race was concerned, that tilt was just a formality.

The GIAC championship Valdosta State captured is the first for the Rebels since the conference was formed three years ago. Oglethorpe, no longer a member of the circuit, won the title in 1958-59 and 1959-60.

The Rebels have appeared title

bound since they knocked off their closest challenger Piedmont on Feb. 24 and pulled off back-to-back victories over the Lions and third place Shorter College of Rome.

Enjoying their finest season in three years under Colson, the Rebels won 16 of their first 22 games, including nine without loss to GIAC foes. Their record now reads 18-6 overall and 11-0 in conference play.

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Suzanne Brown and Jim Varner, (above) are the new Mr. and Miss VSC Talent. They were chosen in the Teke Talent Revue on Feb. 28.

Varner, Brown Chosen Mr., Miss VSC Talent

Jim Varner and Suzanne Brown were chosen as Mr. and Miss VSC Talent for 1961 in the annual Teke Talent Revue on Feb. 28. "The Shades", a group composed of Jim Melvin, Homer Chambliss, Wayne Garrett, and James Jennings, won the group competition. They have been offered a spot on the "Ten Tee Vee Street" Show over WALB-TV, Channel 10, Albany.

Phillip Barr and Gail Thomas were the runners-up in the men's and women's divisions. The "Alphazettes" and the "Katyids" tied for second place in group competition. Susan Branch and Emily Shaw were the Katyids. The Alphazettes included Pat Herrington, Roz Sprayberry and Judy Whorton.

Other contestants were Robert Prince, Jane Meeks, Barbara Walker and Martha Hicks. Contestants were judged on the basis of talent, poise and presentation.

For her talent Suzanne Brown sang "Summertime" and "With A Song in My Heart". Gail Thomas did a song and dance number entitled "Bananna Boat". Jim Varner sang "Deep Purple" and "When I

Think Upon the Maidens". Phillip Barr played "Song of India" and "Don't Be That Way" on his clarinet. In the group competition "The Shades" sang "Finger Popping Time" and "Wait A Minute". The Alphazettes played their arrangements of "Ebb Time" and "Temptation". The Katyids sang "A Nameless Song" and one other arrangement. The 5th Annual Teke Talent Revue was directed by Joe Webb. Alan Pendleton acted as Master of Ceremonies.

BSU Plans Spring Banquet

Members of the Baptist Student Union are making plans toward their annual Spring Banquet. This year it will be held on April 15. They are also planning the installation service for the newly elected officers.

The BSU holds regular Sunday night fellowships. The programs include singing and refreshments. Ike Boyette and Betty Gibson have directed the fellowships.

The BSU welcomes all who come to these affairs.

Seniors Visit Valdosta State Campus

March 4 heralded the beginning of the annual event of Senior Weekend. VSC opened wide the campus and all of the facilities to examination by students who plan

to attend the Fall Session.

The first event was registration in Ashley Hall. At 10 a.m. the students met in a general assembly in the gymnasium. The Rev.

Saunders Garwood opened the program with the invocation.

Dr. Ralph Thaxton gave a welcoming speech, and the VSC Glee Club and Serenaders offered a few selections.

Visitors met the faculty members at 11 a.m. with each student going to a classroom designated by the subject in which he plans to major. The program of study was discussed and the remaining time was spent in a question and answer session.

Lunch in the dining hall was followed by special tours of the campus. Guiding the sight-seers were members of the Student Government Association. Students were also free at this time for the necessary pre-registration interviews with the registrar.

The House in the Woods was the scene of a tea given by the members of the Interfraternity and Panhellenic Councils. This was held at 4 p.m.

A sampling of VSC talent was given at a talent show in the college gymnasium. Following the entertainment was an informal dance in the student center.

On Sunday, March 5, after breakfast, transportation was furnished to local Sunday school and church services. After lunch, the

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Greeks Elect New Officers

The Greek organizations on the Valdosta State College campus are now under the leadership of new slates of officers. Sorority leadership will be in the hands of Alice Kaye Johnston, Alpha Delta Pi; Beverly Greene, Kappa Delta; and Pat Herrington, Alpha Xi Delta. The fraternity presidents are Jerry DeMott, Tau Kappa Epsilon; Hansel O'Steen, Pi Kappa Phi; and Bucky Anderson, Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Alpha Delta Pi officers elected to support Alice Kaye Johnston are Patricia Loeb, vice-president; Joy Collier, corresponding secretary; Janice Taylor, recording secretary; Rosa Warring, treasurer; Beth McRee, reporter-historian; and Betty Merritt, chaplain.

Beverly Greene, as president of Kappa Delta, will be aided in her leadership by Martha Sue Bragg, vice-president; Kaye Domingoes, secretary; Norma Lou Maxwell, treasurer; Elaine Fallen, membership chairman; Suggie Carroll, historian; and Dale Vick-

ers, chaplain.

Alpha Xi Delta officers are Judy Whorton, vice-president; Barbara Ford, treasurer; Joyce Robinson, corresponding secretary; Betty Frances Freeman, chaplain; Sybil Freeman, recording secretary; and Janice Mercer, historian.

The slate of officers chosen to support Jerry DeMott, Tau Kappa Epsilon, are vice-president, Charlie Green; treasurer, Harvey Rodenberry; secretary, Johnny McCarty; historian, Gary Smith; chaplain, Jimmy Harrington; pledge trainer, Jerry Greenwall; Sergeant at Arms, Hal Worley.

Supporting officers of Pi Kappa Phi are David Melton, secretary-historian; Robert Byrd, treasurer; Jim Stevens, chaplain; and Joe Tomberlin, warden.

Sigma Phi Epsilon elected Billy McDaniels, vice-president; Benny Hassel, secretary; Bill Morman, comptroller; Charlie Norwood, historian, to support Bucky Anderson, president.

\$1,000 Scholarships

It was announced last week that the Appalachian Veterans Association in North Carolina is sponsoring a contest in which several \$1000 Scholarships will be awarded. The contest is being held in connection with the Peace-time GI Bill which is presently before the Congress.

The contest is being held to promote the writing of letters in favor of this program to Senators and Congressmen. Judging will be based on the letters the contestants write, one copy of which is to be sent to their Congressman and the other to be entered in the local competition. Two or three winners will be selected from each school participating and their letters will be sent on to the National Headquarters for the contest

to compete against winners from other colleges throughout the United States.

To qualify, each school must pay \$25 entrance fee and award at least \$5 to the local winners. The number of \$1000 Scholarships to be awarded nationally will be determined by the number of schools that enter.

All persons who are veterans are invited and urged to enter as this program may be instrumental in helping to provide the GI Bill for thousands of veterans who do not now qualify.

For those at VSC who are interested may contact Doug Calhoun for the complete particulars. The deadline to submit letters is May 8, 1961.

Something of Value

By Lamar Pearson

Coach William Grant's "Rebels" conclude the fourth week of Spring training today. Team morale is waxing strong. And the team appears to be of GLAC championship caliber.

The mound staff is blessed with both number and talent. Herman Hudson, Mike Perry, W. A. Carver and Tommy Thomas are fine hurlers, and they would comprise a big four on any coaches' staff.

The infield is a well-oiled machine. Jerry Greenwald is a magician at the initial bag. Angelo de Vivo, Steve Chitty and Lenny Evans are an efficient double play combination. Joe Dixon keeps a silent vigilance at the hot corner.

Joe George, stocky freshman receiver, does a commendable job behind the plate. What he lacks in speed is more than compensated for in his assuring tones that float out to the mound.

Johnny McIntyre is a falcon (jet propelled) as he patrols the center garden. Pro Norman is a sure bet in right field. Jimmy Hicks and yours truly are contending for the left field position.

The "Rebels" are anxiously awaiting the Vanderbilt series and the beginning of the 1961 season. Spirits are high in the camp, and who knows; VSC may have another championship trophy.

Spring Quarter Student Government elections are not too far away. I wonder who will offer themselves for the presidency of the most august council. I have an inkling that Doug Calhoun is going to enter the race, and perhaps George Bennett will oppose him.

Calhoun, an amiable Junior, has established an enviable record at VSC. He is an Elder in the Shades of Gray Society, a member of the International Relations Club, a member of Sigma Alpha Chi, Pi Kappa Phi, and he was Parade Marshal for the Homecoming Parade.

Bennett has exercised a great amount of sway on the campus during his three years of residence. George has served as President of Sigma Phi Epsilon and the Interfraternity Council. He has served on the Student

Council for three years. In the summer of 1959 he worked at an agricultural station in Germany.

By the time you have discarded your copy of the Canopy in the nearest receptacle, final exams will be only hours away. Already plaintive moans are drifting out of the dormitories as students are feverently trying to remedy ten weeks of negligence.

If you haven't seen the insides of the new wing, why don't you meander through the building. The spacious three stories are going to supply us with an abundance of classroom space and air-conditioned at that.

Coach Colson can sleep peacefully now that his charges have captured the Georgia Intercollegiate Championship. The dedicated efforts of the likeable coach have paid excellent dividends. The challenge is now resting on the broad shoulders of Coach Grant. I think that he can duplicate the record that his colleague compiled.

Cars vs Speedbreakers Clay vs Asphalt

By Roz Sprayberry

One of the most talked about issues on campus lately has been that of the speedbreakers behind the dormitories. I agree that speedbreakers are good things to have, especially on a college campus; but when the value of a car is at stake something should be done to have them lowered.

Many cars have had their mufflers torn and the exhaust pipes broken because of these "safety precautions". Even when a car just rolls over them, the bottom of most cars scrape, sometimes causing serious and costly damage.

The police of Valdosta have stated that if enough students petition against this menace to their cars, some action can be taken to rid us of this problem.

I think it is about time that petition was put into circulation!

Another complaint has been that of the tennis courts. We pave everything else around here; why

not pave the tennis courts?

Almost everyone enjoys tennis, whether playing or observing; but how can they when the courts are seldom in good shape. With asphalt tennis courts the weather does not interfere with playing; after a rain, the courts just have to be swept. Whereas, with clay courts, it would take at least two or three days of sunshine before they would be suitable.

The winter quarter of instruction in tennis is hit hardest by undesirable weather. The students in this class are able to play tennis for two or maybe three weeks, if they are lucky.

Wouldn't it be great if both of these problems could be solved?

Math-Science News Letter

We wish to thank all of the students who planned, prepared, and participated in the Math-Science Club float for the Homecoming parade. In answer to inquiries, Tillman Moore impersonated Eli Whitney. His cotton gin was the handiwork of Jerry Straughan. We are indebted to Melanie Boone for securing the trailer and tractor.

Dr. Doris King, one of the Homecoming speakers, reminded us that she had a "good strong biology minor" when she was a student at VSC.

Dr. Nell Kenney Lane, one of our science graduates, attended the Homecoming coffee. Nell received her M.D. degree from Tulane University but is not practicing medicine at present. She lives in Thomasville where her husband is a radiologist.

Edith Cannady Mims (Mrs. Oscar) obtained a bachelor's degree in nursing from Duke University after leaving VSC. Her husband is an Internist in Internal Medicine in Thomasville.

say. Well, I'm talking about the one thing that everyone agrees is lacking at dear old VSC-School Spirit.

Let's not kid ourselves, we just ain't got it. Oh, two or three times a year we get a little work-up about something but is soon died down and is forgotten. Everyone complains about this but as usual no one does anything to remedy the situation. But it can be remedied. Other schools have done it and so can VSC.

School spirit is just like anything else, it (or the lack of it) is primarily tradition. Once begun it is self-motivating and self-nourishing. But someone has to first start the tradition and by someone I mean five or six hundred people, not just two or three. Complaining will not do the job. Any action must be positive to have any affect.

I do not propose to have the answer as to how to do this but I can think of several things which could easily be done which might help get the ball rolling. They are as follows:

1. Create an Inter-Club Council. The purpose of this would be

A Thing of Beauty

"A thing of beauty is a joy ever, it's loveliness increases it will never diminish into thingness."

This bit of poetry that flowed from the pen of an mortal English poet might be applied to the campus of V

Certainly our campus is beautiful. The spacious green lawn, the majestic pines, the trailing azaleas, the waving palms, the other numerous kinds of flowers that crown the VSC campus adding it with a serene beauty.

But do we appreciate the beauty; are we grateful? I wonder. Just look around you. Look at the pieces of paper that accumulate on the green lawn, look at the pieces of broken glass that often make navigation to Student Center difficult!

At the present there is a movement underway whose purpose is to make our campus even more attractive. The movement being headed by Mrs. Joseph Maxwell, and she is doing a wonderful job. Already swaying palm trees grace the end entrances of Administration building and majestic azaleas and pines have been planted. Holly trees have been planted and many other flowers and shrubs.

The very least that the Valdosta State student body could do in form of appreciation is to discard waste paper and other used articles in the proper receptacles.

Let's keep VSC beautiful!

to co-ordinate all the various activities on campus. Too often activities conflict and thus detract from each other. This Council could also advise the Student Body of what's happening every month.

2. The SGA should publish and distribute each month the activities of the SGA. This publication would keep students informed of what, if anything, their government is doing and plans to do. Also the dates and places of SGA meetings could be included. No doubt many students would like to know what's happening but never know when and where the SGA meets.

3. Plan and begin a series of week-end movies and / or other recreation for students who stay in the dorms on weekends and for students who live in town. There is little to do in Valdosta and this could develop into something big.

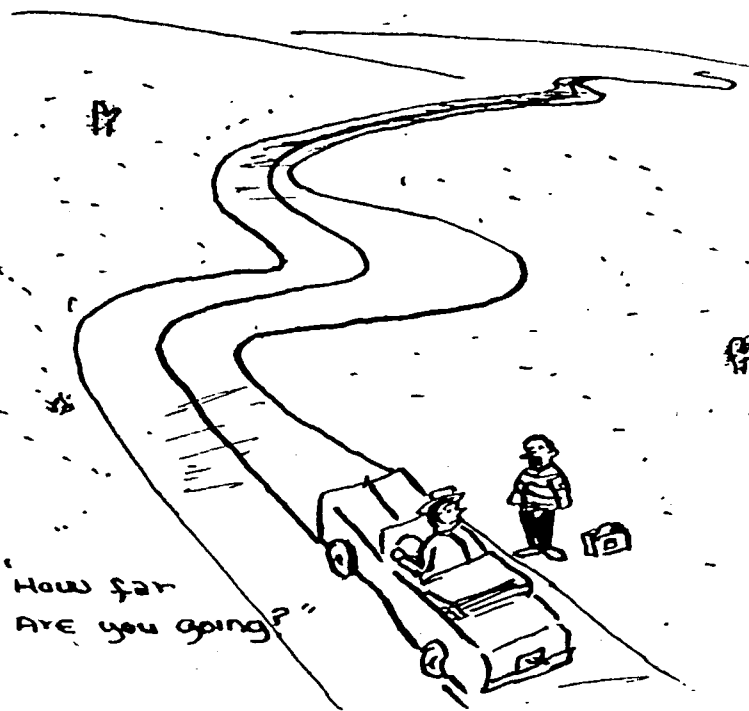
4. VSC is large enough to publish a quarterly magazine composed of works done by the students.

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the Navy in time to enroll in the graduate program in hospital administration at the University of Minnesota next fall.

William Kent visited us recently. He is most enthusiastic about his first-year work in medicine and brought us favorable reports regarding other VSC graduates who are students at the Medical College of Georgia.

Martha McElroy has accepted an assistantship in the Chemistry Department at Florida State University, where she will be a graduate student next year.



Rise Students

By Doug Calhoun

Are we a bunch of deadbeats? Do we lack something as individuals that other schools have? It could be but I rather doubt it. What am I talking about, you

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The Rebel Bench

VSC Salutes Colson

If you see the Rebel team and can't see the coach, just look a little closer and you will see a beautiful looking man who could easily pass for one of the players. In fact, the Rebels enjoy joking their teams about their coach, telling them that he is just another player.

Coach Gary Colson, leader of the Valdosta State College Rebels, has done a remarkable job in leading the Rebels to the GIAC conference crown. Coach Colson, with only two returning lettermen from last year, built a championship ball team.

At the first of the year the Rebels looked like a group of fine individual stars, but they lacked the unity which is essential for a well-coordinated team. Through hours of practice and a lot of effort on the coach's part, the team has developed into a champion team.

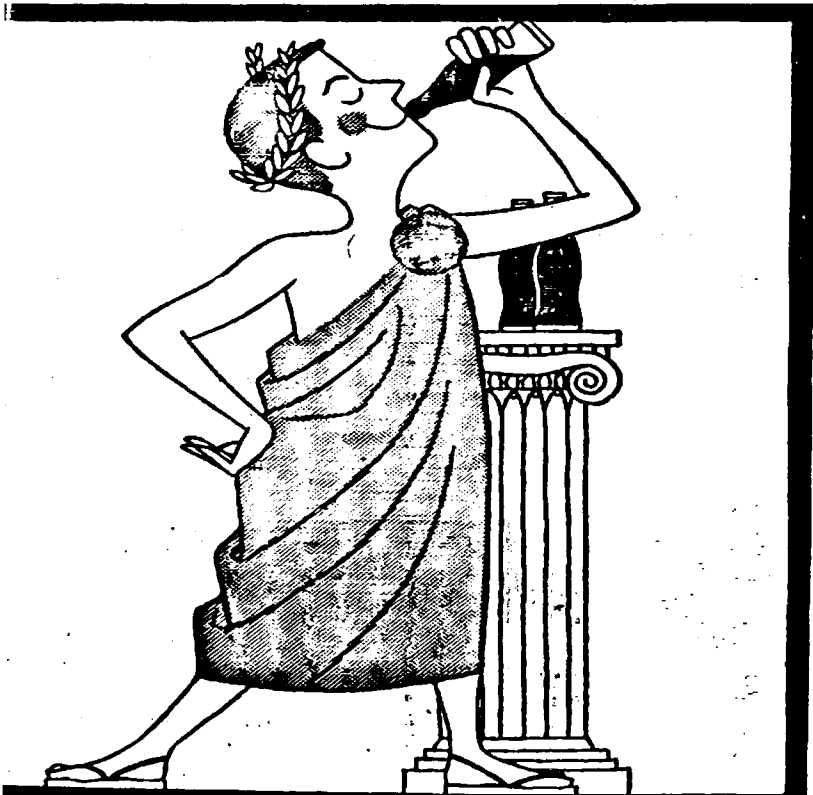
Coach Colson may at first appear to be a person who is not very serious, because he is always joking with someone. But when you get to know him you see he is very serious about basketball and

his only love during the season is the team (poor wife).

Coach Colson is always serious during a game. Shutting out all noise from the stands, he continually thinks of some way to make the team play a better game. Often he comes up with some crazy ideas but they usually work. At practice he is quiet and seldom raises his voice, but the boys respect him and know that he can do the job.

With the basketball season over, many people feel that the coach's work is finished, but actually it has just begun. The coach must now start working to gain new material to replace the material which he will lose. Already he has written about 100 boys trying to interest them in coming to VSC.

In winning the GIAC championship, Coach Colson gives all the credit to the team, but we think that the coach should get his due share of the credit. We feel that Coach Colson, due to his efforts and accomplishments, should be picked the GIAC conference Coach of the Year.



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Rebs Ease Past

Shorter, 58-55

Valdosta State College's Rebels mixed a tough defense with some sharpshooting from the free throw line to offset a second half field goal drought as they turned back the Shorter College Gold Wave of Rome, 58-55.

With the triumph coach Gary Colson's Rebs boosted their overall record to 16-6, rang up their ninth straight league win and eliminated third-place Shorter from the Georgia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title picture.

The Rebels have three more conference games on their schedule. They can clinch a tie for the championship by winning only one and sew the crown with triumphs in two of their remaining league tests.

This defeat left coach Harvey Murphy's Shorter crew with a 12-13 overall record and a 9-3 conference mark.

For the first 10 minutes of play the Rebels and Gold Wave staged a see-saw duel. Then Valdosta State moved ahead and owned a 13 point advantage at 37-24 early in the second half.

Then during what must have seemed like a nightmare to Coach Colson, he watched his Rebs go through the next 15 minutes and 10 seconds of playing time without hitting the basket from the floor.

During this span VSC did drop in 11 free throws, and played it tough on defense, but Shorter had the kind of opening it needed to make up lost ground. With 4:20 to go Shorter took a 49-48 lead.

Then Jim Melvin broke the field goal "drought" when he hit with a pair of one-handers in rapid fire order. That put the Rebs ahead, 52-49, and they held a steady lead at the finish to triumph.

Shorter finished the game with a 2-16 edge in field goals; VSC offset it by sinking 26 of 33 foul shots while the Gold Wave hit 15 of 17 tries from the foul line. The Rebel Quintet was charged with 12 fouls and Shorter with 21.

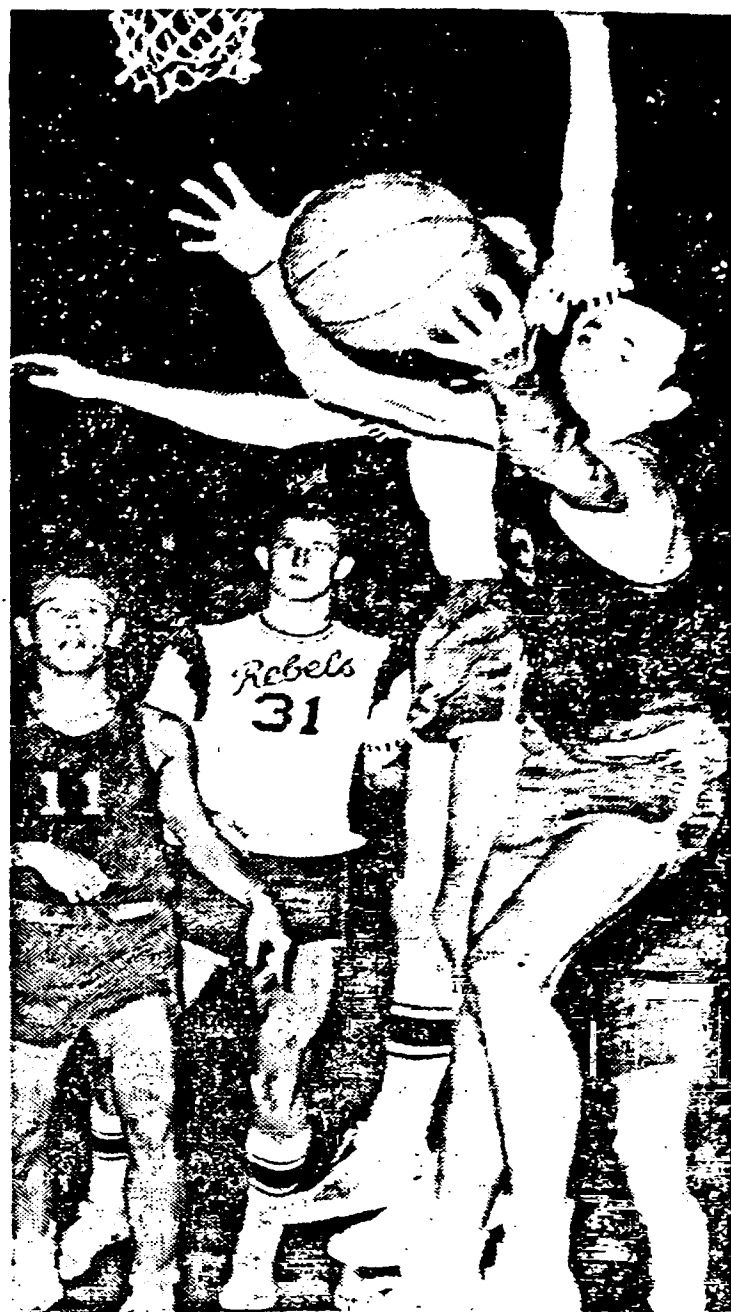
The foursome of W. A. Carver, Sonny Williams, Homer Chambliss, and Melvin paced the Rebel's attack. Carver got 11 points, Melvin hit for 12 and Williams and Chambliss each accounted for 14.

James Pierce and Melvin Ortinger, with 17 markers each, and Roger Merck, with 10, were offensive leaders for the visitors.

Sports Scope

In the playoffs prior to the try-outs for the tennis team, the victors to this date have been Bucky Anderson, Bill McDaniel, Bernie Brown, Jack Howell, Charlie Hallworth, and James Dewar. This, however, is not the final analysis.

The Fins and Flippers, accompanied by Mrs. Tillie Mathis, advisor, recently journeyed to Tallahassee to the annual FSU water show. Plans are now being formulated for the water show at VSC, scheduled for the latter part of the spring quarter. The group is headed by Hal Worley.



—Times Staff Photo

Lions' Marshall (23) Tries Shot
Rebs' Chambliss Has Hand In The Way

Rampaging Rebs Subdue Lions

Valdosta State College's sharpshooting Rebels tightened their hold on the Georgia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference lead with a 83-71 triumph over the Piedmont College Lions here Feb. 24.

In the outing against the Lions, the Rebs hit 33 of 47 shots from the floor (58 per cent) and sank 21 of 26 foul shots (81 per cent) as they knocked off the second-standing Piedmont crew.

The Lions jumped to an early 30-14 lead, but the Rebs shifted their attack into high gear, and moved out in front, 40-39, at the half.

Still going full blast, the Rebs took a commanding 20 point lead. Colson sent in his reserves, and the Lions rallied to cut VSC's lead to nine points. The regulars came back in and turned the tide back in the Rebels' favor.

Doug Winters, hitting on 13 of 17 field goal tries, scorched the nets for 27 points to lead the VSC attack. Just a notch behind was Sonny Williams with 25 markers. He connected on 10 of 13 tries from the floor.

Homer Chambliss scored 13 points and had a big hand in the Rebs' defensive effort which held Piedmont's top star Bruce Stroud to 11 markers. Stroud, the GIAC's offense leader, managed just four points in the second half.

Jim Melvin chipped in with six points and his slick playmaking to keep the Rebs' attack working smoothly. Robert Bailey was steady while scoring nine points and grabbing as many rebounds.

VSC's top rebounders were Williams (14) and Chambliss (12). The Rebels dominated the boards in the second half.

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Campus Canopy Spotlights

Faye Howell, Wayne Welch

The female campus personality chosen for this issue is Miss Alice Faye Howell familiar to almost all of us as a member of the business office staff.

Faye hails from Iron City, which is located near Bainbridge. She is a Secretarial Science major in her junior year here at Valdosta State.

Faye's duties in the office consist of dictation, transcription, typing, etc. But over and above her office duties Faye is a pleasant person to work with, and she always plants a pleasing, lasting impression in those whom she meets. This office position Faye has during the regular school year becomes a full time job during the summer sessions.

Being active is Faye's motto, and she lives up to it in the best way. She is a member of the Young Women's Christian Association and is also treasurer of the Baptist Student Union. Faye attends and is a member of the First Baptist Church here in Valdosta.

Faye's hobbies consist of sewing and nature study. She especially enjoys long, quiet walks to see the amazing beauties of nature—to absorb the peacefulness of flowers and trees in a garden. Faye also appreciates outdoor activities and all sports.

Miss Howell prepared herself well in high school for achieving a college education. She was equally busy back home as she has been here. She led her student body as a cheerleaders; moreover, she led them scholastically as salutatorian of her graduating class. As a reward for her hard work, Faye received a two-year scholarship here at Valdosta State.

Faye Howell has proved herself

to be an outstanding student and person that this institution can be proud to have as a member of its student body and staff.

The male campus personality for this issue is Wayne Welch who is a senior majoring in the field of social work. Wayne is a native Valdostan and is residing on campus in Reid Hall.

A graduate of Valdosta High School, Wayne has attended Valdosta State for four years. A hard worker and serious minded, Wayne has studied hard during these four years because his desire is to get the best education possible.

Wayne is deeply religious and is a very able leader. As a result of these characteristics he was elected to serve as president of the Baptist Student Union for this 1960-61 school term. Wayne has been very active in all the religious activities of the student body and has been at the head of many of them this year as president of the B. S. U. Following graduation this spring, he plans to enter the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

Wayne is also serving in the local National Guard unit.

His hobbies and pastimes are varied. He enjoys all sports activities, especially fishing and hunting. He also enjoys singing and was an active member of the glee club for three years.

"Then there's the story about the miser who got on a bus and read the sign 'Pay As You Leave.'"

"What happened?"

"He's still riding."

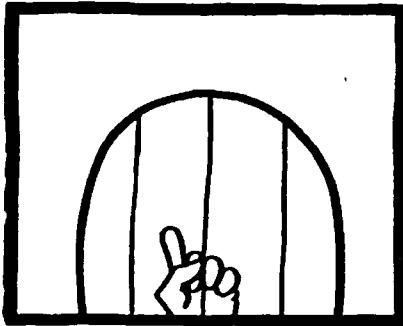
A traffic expert remarked recently that if all the automobiles in the country were placed end to end it would be Sunday afternoon.



Faye Howell - an efficient secretary.



Wayne Welch is President of the BSU.



"SHY, BUT SMART NUDIST ORDERING A U. S. SAVINGS BOND"

Alpha Xi Delta Entertains Fraternities

By Sharon Boatwright

Gamma Xi Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta recently entertained the fraternities with the annual fraternity desserts at the House in the Woods.

A musical background provided a congenial atmosphere for the evenings. Displays of various awards won by the chapter, scrapbooks, and other Alpha Xi materials made attractive decorations. Coffee and pie were served which everyone enjoyed.

After dessert, a time for socializing followed. The Alpha Zetts played several numbers. This group is made up of Pat Herrington, Judy Whorton and Roz Sprayberry. Roz also rendered a solo on the bongos. The groups had fun singing some of their favorite songs.

On Monday night, the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity was guest of honor. An exciting moment

came when those members recently pinned were thrown into the pool. Among the unfortunates were Pat Hunter, Mike Hood, George Bennett and Brent "Bulldog" Houston.

Pi Kappa Phi was the center of attention Tuesday night. Hooks and Hansel O'Steen were given the opportunity for a midnight swim. For some reason or another, they didn't like the idea. Of course, a gentle shove did the trick.

Wednesday night was Tau Kappa Epsilon night. Bobbie Jean Powell and Gene Goodrum went quite bravely off the diving board. Some of the boys decided a splash wasn't big enough, so they went President Burney Brown.

Alpha Xi Delta wishes to thank each one who participated and say we think all the fraternities are the greatest!

I Wonder . . .

By Sharon Boatwright

. . . Why Billy Bob Berry finds his shirt-tail so attractive.

. . . Why people call Brenda Houston "Bulldog".

. . . Why Betty Devane and Ginger Anderson are so fond of summer. Tell us why girls.

. . . Why Roz Sprayberry is so interested in the U. S. O.

. . . How Richard Shaw found out what was in the refrigerator of Converse Hall.

. . . Who has a mad crush on Ben Force these days. Wouldn't he like to know.

. . . Why Leslie Brown will be so glad when this quarter is over.

. . . Who threw the chocolate bomb in Converse Hall. The place is a live wire.

. . . Why Kay Domingos doesn't invite some of us to go to Europe with her this summer.

. . . Why Alice Kaye has suddenly become a wild Rebel fighter. No, Homer couldn't have anything to do with it!

. . . Why they don't hire Lancers to play during active period.

. . . Why Sarah Greene and Becky Chambers had such a good time at the LO-HI Ring Ball.

. . . When Beverly, Helen and Gloria are going to take the CPA exams.

. . . How Norma Lou Maxwell acquired the nickname "Bird".

. . . Why Alice McDougald has been spending so much time in the library late. Could it be the Herman Hudson is teaching Bob Sanders his techniques.

. . . Why Bucky Anderson always . . .

. . . If the trees in front of Reid Hall have been watered since Homecoming.

. . . Why Hugh McIntyre uses his glove compartment for a mailbox.

. . . What KKK really stands for.

. . . When they are going to start a Kelsey Kemp Fan Club.

. . . Why Bill Thaxton was in Reid Hall Saturday night of Senior Weekend?

After landing his plane on the deck of an aircraft carrier, the young American pilot rushed up the bridge.

"Skipper" he yelled excitedly. "What a day I've had! I shot down nine Jap planes, sank two cruisers and crippled a destroyer!"

"Good," replied the skipper, "but you made one velly bad mistake."

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And at other stores carrying Lanz



SPOTLIGHT By J. B.

Having completed almost three years here at our beloved campus, I've heard almost every conceivable complaint and gripe imaginable. They have ranged from the quality of the ink Mrs. Hall sells for coffee, to the amount of work required in English 115.

One interesting "gripe" that pops up frequently should serve to give you, the reader, the opportunity to sound off. The big "gripe" I am referring to is the curriculum presently offered to our erstwhile students. No doubt all of you have argued about this, and I believe I've heard almost every debate ever presented.

To ward off immediate faculty reprisals, I freely admit that most of the students sounding off on this subject are prejudiced, but some valid complaints have been lodged, nevertheless. I shall try to present those to you in some sort of logical order and let you take it from there.

The complaint that I have heard most often registered is about the number of science courses required of Liberal Arts majors. First, let me say that I am fully in accord with the present required Biology (110-111) and Physical Science courses, but why should it be deemed necessary for a history major, for example, to hold up on science courses. Could it be that the powers that be who constructed this curriculum thought it would be good mental exercise for a poor student whose interest lies in one direction, to get completely off in another direction? I fully sympathize with the student who has to sweat "blood and tears" through some of these courses in order to properly identify poison ivy or an oak tree. This is undoubtedly very valuable, and if I am well informed, the same thing is taught to the Boy Scouts of America.

"MAG" 7" Take Intras Over Tkes

In the final round of the Intra-collegiate tournament playoffs, the "Mag" came out on top, knocking the Tkes 85-53. This game was fought throughout, with the Mag high on both sides. The Magnificent Seven were in the scoring department by a landslide, with Maluda scoring 22 points. Following them were Joe Dixon with 16, Cornelius with 14 and Sherwood Maluda with 13. Charlie was rounded out the score with 10 points. Maluda lent considerable effort toward their control of the backboards. For the Tkes, Jan Rodgers was the high scorer with 21 points. Jerry Penwald 17 points and Charlie Lane, with 12 and Bernie Brown, with 5, rounded out the Teke

I would like to ask why some of these courses can not be substituted for something that may prove to be of more value to the student after his or her graduation; namely, foreign language.

I doubt that anyone would ever say that any foreign language is too simple or easy. There can be no argument as the relative importance between a course in Nature Study and German (at least I would like to hear it).

With the present shortage of trained linguists, do you think that a prospective employer might pass over a student with an adequate preparation in any language, for one who can properly identify the nest of a redbreasted sapsucker? Possibly my aunt Matilda might; she runs a greenhouse in Podunk, Fla., but unfortunately, she doesn't pay too well.

There are numerous other things that could be said on this subject, but in the interest of reading space I will leave this question to briefly ask one more. Why does the Education Department put so much emphasis on methods of teaching and so little on the core materials?

More in this line in the next paper - provided I haven't been "tarred and feathered" by the faculty.

Professor Has The Solution

Any teacher who has a sleepy eight-fifteen class might try this trick one teacher uses for getting attention. When he feels that the attention of the class is wandering - "BLAM" - he drops a book to the floor. Then with all eyes on him, he states, "Now that everyone is awake, we will continue."

I overheard this conversation on my way to class. Two girls were late for class and one said, "We're missing the most important part of class." Her companion answered, "You mean roll call?" "That's the only part I understand."

Perhaps only people who have taken calculus will appreciate this, but most of you should know what it means. One calculus student has written under the title of her book - "Calculus" - the additional words "Made Easy". That's a book I'd like to see.

Valentine's Day gave everyone an opportunity to get in good with his teacher. However, one boy's plan backfired. He got his valen-



Twinkle Toes wonders WHO?

Seniors Visit

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visiting seniors left for home.

When asked their opinions of VSC, the visitors responded:

"VSC is very impressive," Val Walden, Valdosta.

"We like it very much and if you want to come to a small school, it's a good place to come. The teachers and students are very friendly," Mary Sanders, Sandra Turlington, Carol Green, all of Tifton.

"The people are very friendly," Linda Twing, Ocilla.

"I like the people here. Everyone is very friendly. I think it's the ideal place for a person to further their education," Marilou Clark, Blakely.

"Everyone is so friendly. I'm looking forward to next year be-

cause I know I'll like it," Sue Hobbs, Blakely.

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HAVE YOU NOTICED ? . .

While gazing out the window one sunny afternoon, you learn so much that way, I happened to notice that our national flag, the Stars and Stripes, Old Glory, was not properly mounted on the flagpole. It was hanging up there by one clip, not securely fastened at all. That seemed like a pretty risky position for our flag to be in, makes you wonder. Not only that, the state flag of Georgia seemed pretty worn out and losing

some of its color. It was up there by both clips tho. I wonder.

By the way, have you noticed Stan Bishop's new one-hour Martinizing cleaner on Patterson St. Most of us students have met Mr. Bishop through civic organizations, as he is chairman of the Youth Center Club, last year's chairman of the Little League, past president of the United Fund, and an outstanding member of the Methodist Church. Joe Wilson, a VSC graduate, is manager of the cleaner, which is equipped with the latest type of machinery to give both laundry and cleaning service. This town is really growing.

Have you been inside of the new Physics building? Boy, it sure is a beauty. It is air-conditioned. All of it.

Oh yes, have you noticed? Finals are here!

Note To J B

In mild defense--It is difficult for anyone to judge an act of censorship without knowing what was censored. However, the column which, according to J.B., was "savagely deleted" by a grimly frowning advisor actually ran in the Campus Canopy as The Remarkable Mr. Tall Gas.

The column ran in full except for four lines which were deleted by a tyrannical (doubtless still grimly frowning) faculty adviser. To the best of my knowledge these are the only four lines deleted from any student article since the first issue of this year's Canopy last September.

There is only freedom of the press (a student press included) where it is actively used and preserved. Kudos to J. B. for realizing this.

H. S. G.

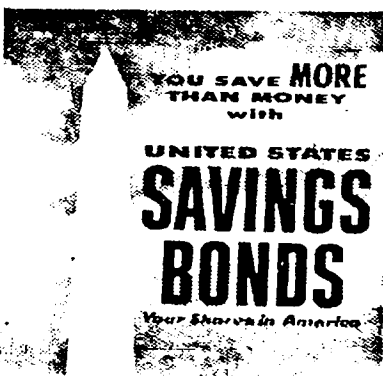


Reminiscing Sergeant: "I'll never forget the night I met my wife at a dance."
Corporal: "Was it romantic?"
Sergeant: "No, embarrassing. I thought she was home taking care of the kids."

Deft-nition. Juvenile delinquency is when a youngster stops asking his parents where he came from and starts telling them where to go.

Wife: "I want to play. Make up a game."
Husband: "Okay. Let's play store. I'll be the boss and you shut up for the night."

One day a little girl was heard talking to a neighbor child with whom she was playing cowboys. "You be Wild Bill Hickup," she said, "and I'll be Wyatt Burp."



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Rise Students

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dents. This magazine would contain such things as short stories, poems, jokes, etc.

5. Publish the Campus Canopy weekly. This would allow it to be a newspaper and become what it should be - the voice of the students.

6. Set up a committee to ascertain exactly what type of social events the students want, not what the administration thinks they want. If this was done and was supported by the student body, the SGA could become a real government and not just a figurehead with the administration running the entire show.

This would be a start in welding together the Student Body so that they might have a voice in their own activities. But even more important would be the development of a tradition of cooperation which would be the foundation of building a strong and effective school spirit.

Our campus continues to get a face lifting as many new flowers and trees are being planted each day. If the innumerable posts could be removed from the campus, it would improve the scenic beauty of VSC even more. Many VSC students have dented bumpers and scratched doors on these traffic hazards, and since new parking spaces are available, it seems that these things could be removed.

The Sock N' Buskin Club

PRESENTS Hay Fever

A 3 ACT PLAY
BY
NOEL COWARD
MARCH 28 & 29

Bits of Humor

Snatched from Here and There

"I'll Be Darned!"

An insurance company refused to pay cash to a farmer for his burned barn but offered to replace it instead. So the farmer immediately cancelled his insurance policy on his wife.

—TRUX.

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Got to the Meat of It

Wanting to outdo the lavish presents of his brothers, he gave his mother on her birthday a \$50,000 mynah bird with a 4,000-word vocabulary in several languages.

"What did you think of the bird, Mother?" he asked after her birthday. "Delicious," was the old lady's reply.

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Yep! He's the One

Foreign woman in bank: "I want to make a loan."

Banker: "Please see the loan arranger."

Woman: "Who, plizz?"

Banker: "The loan arranger."

Woman: "Oh, you mean da one who say, HI-YO-SILVER?"

—Kiwanis In Decatur.

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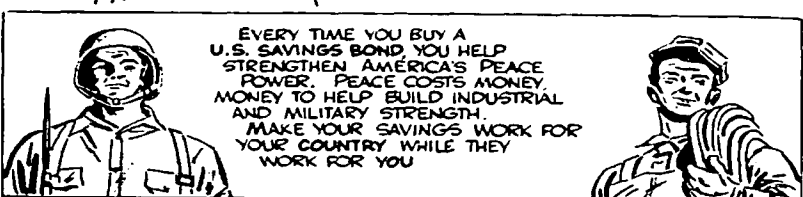
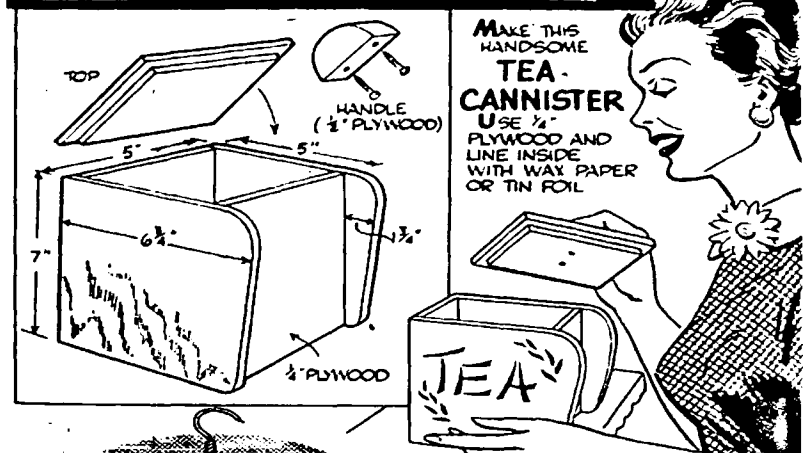
Quick and the Dead
"And what were your husband's last words?"

"He said, 'I don't know how they make a profit on this stuff at a dollar and a quarter a quart!'"

On the day after the presidential election a student of voting age was asked for whom he cast his vote. "I refuse to answer that question" he replied, "on the grounds that it might tend to flunk me in Social Science".

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