TOMMY JOINER ELECTED SGA PRESIDENT

Bennett, Ellington, Allen
Chosen To Head Classes

Tommy Joiner, a third quarter junior at VSC, has been chosen by the VSC student body as President of the Student Government Association next year. Tommy defeated David Gyatt in the election. (Feature story on page 4.) Other members of the SGA Council are Lee Christy, vice-president; Julianne Newton, secretary; Laurice Coan, treasurer; and Joe McCarty, senior men's representative; Kitty Coppage, senior women's representative; Tommy Catlett, junior men's representative; Barbara Ann Butler, junior women's representative; Miss Mildred Price, advisor.

The IRC, and Miss Mildred Price were invited until the end of this

Plans Made for New Dorm at VSC

Preliminary plans for a new dormitory at Valdosta College are expected to be presented at the May meeting of the Georgia Board of Regents, according to the governing body's expectations.

Speaking of the governing board, according to Shealy McCoy, SC Comprooler, the building will house 200 men. It will be located behind the tennis courts on the Sandspur Stadium. Construction is expected to be completed in time for occupancy in September 1963. Total budget for the project is $400,000. Funds are to be borrowed from government agencies and will be repaid from student housing fees.

The Sandspur Stadium site was selected in preference to a location on Oak Street beside the dining hall in order to reserve that area for future women's dormitories. Other dorms for men will probably be built in the Drexel Park area as they are needed.

Upon completion of the new structure, plans call for the return of Reade Hall, the present men's dormitory, to the senior women. It was used for this purpose until the college became coeducational in 1950. Reade has a capacity of 134 students.

Architecture of the proposed building is expected to be Spanish mission style, as are the other campus buildings.

WGAF Airs

IRC Problems

Weekly radio programs are currently being presented by the International Relations Club, discussions of various local, national, and regional problems are being presented by club members over radio station WGAF of Valdosta.

Students are invited to listen to the discussions at 7:30 each Monday night. Air times are at 15 minutes. WGAF is located at 910 on the radio dial.

The first program was broadcast on April 2. That night's topic concerned the European common Market. Many interesting programs are expected throughout the series, which will continue until the end of this spring quarter.

The International Relations Club annually presents these public affairs programs in cooperation with the management of WGAF.

Joe Tornberlin is president of the IRC, and Miss Mildred Price is advisor.

"New Moon" Musical Romance Slated for May 8, 9 at Pound Hall

By Lila McClenny

The New Moon, a musical romance, will be presented at Pound Hall by the students of Valdosta State College on May 8, 9. The music in this romance was composed by Sigmund Romberg, the book and lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II, Frank Mandel and Lawrence Schwab.

The music will be under the direction of Mr. Webster Teague and Mr. Lavan Robinson. Stage director will be Miss Louise Sawyer and dance director, Mrs. Harold Gulliver Jr.

The action in the musical takes place in New Orleans during the time of the French Revolution. Vicomte Ribaud (Jerry Dickson) has been put on the trail of Robert Joiner (Joe Allen), a Revolutionary, who in a street brawl in Paris killed a duke.

Ribaud is indentured as a bondman in New Orleans to Monsieur Beaumoir, a shipowner (Joe Rainman). Robert knows that he must escape, but first he sings a farewell to his beloved, Marianne, Beaumoir's daughter (Susanne Brown). As Robert sings to Mariette on the balcony, Ribaud shoots at Marrie, but misses.

Although Robert feels, he is finally caught by Ribaud and went to France as a prisoner on the ship, "The New Moon", to be tried as an assassin and traitor. But thebrig of Philipide, Robert's friend (Ronnie Davis), overtakes them, and Duval Commander of "The New Moon" (Wayne Bruce) and Ribaud are taken prisoner.

With Robert as leader, the committees land on an island in the Caribbean where they setup a small Republic. Ribaud, trying to overthrow...
Shipman Shines As Rebels Sweep Erskine Twin Bill

Valdosta State College's baseball Rebels who have been on the short end of the score in several close range games this season now know how the "other half lives." Coach Billy Grant's charges swept a doubleheader with the Erskine College Flying Fleet winning both games by one-run margins.

The Rebs combined steady pitching with timeliness hitting as they turned back Erskine 3-2 and 4-3 in a pair of seven frame tilts. With the triumph the VSC nine boosted its record to 7-6. The double loss cost the Fleet with a 4-4 mark.

In the opener, the Rebs spotted Erskin a run in the first inning, then rallied for three markers in the second frame and went on from there to victory. Singles by Steve Chitty, Marcus Shipman and Wally Summen sparked the uprising in the second. Shipman drove in two of the runs.

Summers went the distance on the mound and limited Erskin to eight scattered hits as he chalked up his first hill win of the season. He got solid defensive backing.

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The win was the fifth in a row for Coach Bill Grant's Rebs and boosted their record to 11-6. With the triumph the VSC nine joined Georgia Baptist and the Athens Athletic Conference off to a good start.

In the first outing, the Lions jumped to a 5-2 lead in the first inning. But after three frames the count was deadlocked at 6-6. The Rebs tallied a run in the fourth, pulled away to a 7-6 lead in the first and were never after that. A single by Johnny McIntyre brought it in. McIntyre finished with a double and two singles to his credit.

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Here's the 1962 Valdosta State College baseball squad. They are: 1st row, Mike Perry, Kermit Hanciucu, Steve Chitty, Marcus Shipman, Tommy Thomas, Shorter and Preston Hodge, Angie Devivo and Kelly Raulerson; 2nd row, Wally Summers, Schuler Blanton, Johnny McIntyre; 3rd row, Wally Summers, Mike Perry, Kermit Hanciucu, Steve Chitty, Marcus Shipman, Tommy Thomas, Shorter and Preston Hodge, Angie Devivo and Kelly Raulerson were absent when the picture was taken.

VSC Drops GSC
After losing four straight matches, Valdosta State College got back in the tennis win column with a 6-3 victory over Georgia Southern College of Statesboro. The win over Statesboro gives the Rebs a 3-4 mark for the current tennis season.

Here are the results of the match with GSC:

** Singles**
- Bucky Anderson (VSC) beat Steve Wright 6-2, 6-1
- Dan Dixon (VSC) beat Doug Winters 6-0, 6-0
- Bunch-Howell beat James Slade 6-1, 6-0
- John Henderson beat John Waters 7-5, 6-4
- Steve Wright (VSC) beat John Willsford 8-6, 6-3
- Doubles - Anderson-Roberts beat Jones Dixon 6-2, 6-0
- Bunch-Howell beat James Slade 3-6, 6-4, 6-4
- Waters-Wilkford beat Winters-Benkeet 6-4, 8-6

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**VSC Tennis Team Wins Opener**
Valdosta State College tennis squad got off to a fast start this season dropping Florida Southern College 5-2 in an interstate tennis match. Coach Gary Colson's net crew, led by former veteran Bucky Anderson, picked up three singles wins and licked Florida Southern 2 out of 2 in doubles action.

The singles matches Anderson beat Tex Jackson (FSC) 8-6 and 6-1; Johnny Bunch beat Tom Hughes (FSC) 10-8, 1-6 and 7-5; Jack Howell beat Bill Mays (FSC) 9-7 and 7-5; Rick Moore (FSC) beat Doug Winters 8-6 and 6-4; and Dave Watson (FSC) beat Jim Nichols 6-1 and 6-0. In doubles play Winter-Henderson dropped Jackson-Tom Pilling (FSC) 1-6, 7-5 and 0-8, and Howell-Bunch beat Shugar and Lizzies (FSC) 6-0 and 6-1.

**Winters, Anderson All GIAC Selections**
Three Valdosta State College players have been named to the 1961-62 All GIAC Basketball Team. VSC cagers picked for the honors by a vote of conference coaches are Doug Winters, Bob Anderson and Mike Perry.

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All players major roles in the Rebels March, the 7th consecutive straight Georgia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship.

A final tally showed Shorter's Gordon Guinn captured the conference individual scoring crown with a 26.5 average. Doug Winters and Mike Perry of Valdosta State tied for fourth place in these top-ten averages.

**Beats Rebels, 5-4**
Florida Southern College's Rebels took advantage of a VSC defensive lapse in the fifth inning to hand the Rebels a 6-4 baseball licking.

The Mocs from Lakeland, Florida scored all their runs in the fifth. During the uprising they got just one hit. But it, mixed with four VSC errors and a pair of walks, was enough to do the damage.

With the triumph Florida Southern boosted its record to 4-1. It was the Mocs third straight win this season over the Rebs. The loss was the sixth in seven starts for the Rebs.

Valdosta State collected eight hits off a pair of FSC hurlers, Cecil Hock and Chuck Anderson.

**Rebels Trim Bears, 11-2**
Packing all of their scoring punch into an opening-inning outburst, Valdosta State College's Rebels notched an 11-2 baseball victory over Mercer University's Bears.

Coach Billy Grant's Rebs scored all their runs in the first frame. During the inning, 16 VSC players went to bat, eight got hits, and the Rebs had the advantage of two Mercer errors, three walks and three stolen bases.

Angel Devivo went to bat twice in the frame and singled both times. Others accounting for safeties in the big first inning were Johnny McIntyre, Joe George, Bobby Spegal, Wally Summers, Steve Chitty and Tommy Thomas.

The Rebs went on to collect seven more hits in the next eight innings, but failed to score any more runs. But they had gotten more than enough to assure a victory in the first inning.

Summers, Mike Perry, and Herman Hudson shared the hill assignment and combined efforts for a four-hitter. Perry got credit for the win, the first of his for the season. The triumph was the third in a row for the Rebs and boosted their record to 4-6.
New SGA Chief Is From Tifton

Thomas Earl Joiner, a 21-year-old senior in journalism from Cairo, Georgia, is the choice of Valdosta State College students to serve as 1962-63 student body president.

Joiner, a friendly, mild-mannered young man, won election in his first major political campaign. He entered the contest against loser David Clyatt upon the urging of his friends. Active support from his friends no doubt played a big part in the victory.

The new SGA chief is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Joiner. Mr. Joiner is a grocery store manager in Tifton. Tommy has one sister, who is a student at Tifton High School.

When asked for comment on his election Joiner stated: "I am happy to have been elected president of the Student Government Association. I wish to thank the student body for placing their confidence in me. I also want to thank David Clyatt for the clean race that he ran."

"I shall carry out the duties of the office of president to the best of my abilities," Joiner's plans include more campus activities for all students.

He transferred to VSC from Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College.

A member of the First Methodist Church in Tifton, Tommy attends the Valdosta First Methodist.

He is a member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity and the Sociology Club.

New Moon

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Robert, betrays the colony to two Frenchmen-O-War off the shore, but the colonists are sold by them that if they will give up the aristocratic Marianne, they will be completely free. The colony is in an uproar, and when the ships of Louis XIV are seen rounding the point, they become even more alarmed. But all ends well when Admiral D'Estaing (Roger Kelly) lands and announces the colony is in an uproar, and when the ships of Louis XIV are seen rounding the point, they become even more alarmed. But all ends well when Admiral D'Estaing (Roger Kelly) lands and announces that France is now a Republic, and as free citizens, they are permitted to make their own laws.

Other leading characters are: Julie, Marianne’s maid (Barbara Wallace); Alexander, servant (Phillip Barr); Besace, boatman of “The New Moon” (John McCarry); Jacques, ship’s carpenter (Bucky Bowles); Clotilde Lomparte of the “Little Ship” (Jane Meeks); Doorman of the Tavern (Ronnie Knoll); Flower Girl (Susan Branch); Spaniard (Marcio Perez); Pochette (Gary Mills); Dancers (Ginger Anderson, Alve Deane Goggans and Ricardo Perez).

Included in the cast are couriers, ladies, servants, sailors, and pirates are: Susan Branch, Linda Cowart, Joyce Gunter, Lee Mills, Julie Mayes, Anne McDonald, Ann Powell, Sandra Sessions, Barbara Smith, Vivian Veach, John Bough, Christine David Clyatt, Robert Kelly, Jerry Combs. Bob Cornelius, Danny Blackstock and Bonnie Knoll.

Many of the well-known songs in this musical romance will probably be recognized; in addition, the plot is exciting and intriguing. As the talent of the cast and the ability of the directors seem to promise an excellent performance, a big turn-out is expected by spectators.

Andrus Heads Math-Science

Larry Andrus, of Pensacola, Fla., is the new president of the VSC Math-Science Club. He is a mathematics major.

Chosen to serve with him are Pat Harrington as vice-president, Beverly Ingram, secretary and Angelyn Webb, treasurer.

Diane Fields will be club reporter.

The club, which meets the second Wednesday of each month, is making plans for their spring picnic. The picnic is an annual affair of the organization which is enjoyed by both faculty and students.

Any science majors or education majors with minors in science who are interested in attending the picnic may contact Larry Andrus or one of the members of the executive board.

A Job Well Done, Billy

By Louis Sheffield

Billy McDaniels has recently seen his successor elected to office. So, the Student Government Association president has ended a year of service which began with his election at this time last year.

The job that Billy has done as SGA president is worthy of commendation. Most important among his accomplishments is the close cooperation that he has achieved between the student body and the college administration. Good relations between faculty and students is essential, and he has succeeded in promoting such relations.

Religious Council Organized

Representatives of five VSC religious organizations meet Wednesday, April 25, to formally organize the Student Religious Council. The meeting has been set for 4 p.m. in the B. S. U. Center.

The council will be composed of three members from each organization. These will include the director, the president, and one other member from each group.

Those bodies which have accepted membership in the SRC are the Wesley Foundation, the Westminister Fellowship, the Gamma Mu Chapter of Kappa Delta Sorority, and the M. C. A. Other organized campus religious groups will be eligible for membership.

The primary purpose of the SRC is to coordinate religious activities of the college. Principal projects will include sponsorship of Religious Emphasis Week and vespers. Other activities will be planned after official organization is completed.

The organization of the Student Religious Council was initiated as a project of the Men’s Christian Association.

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