Langdale Hall:
VSC's Newest On-Campus Way To Live...

Rush Ends With Parties And One Wild Kick—Maybe More...

And Some Students Open An Off-Campus House With Their Own Rush...
Valdosta State College is now offering two new loan programs in addition to existing programs, according to Dr. Martin McGirt, director of financial aid.

The two new loans are the Nursing Student Loan Program and Scholarship Program and the Law Enforcement Education Program (LEEP).

The Nursing Student Loan Program is made possible by $7,500 awarded for VSC Nursing Students by the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for the 1970-71 academic year. "Almost $4500 of the grant is to be used for student loans," Dr. McGirt said, "and the remainder is scholarship money.

Since this is a federal grant, the funds may be used by out-of-state as well as in-state students.

Applications for winter and spring quarter are still being accepted in the Student Affairs Office from students either entering or working in the new four-year baccalaureate nursing program, said Dr. McGirt.

The student must present a Parent’s Confidental Statement along with the application to the office of financial aid for a needs analysis. Eligibility for loan or scholarship is determined by her academic record and financial need.

After receiving a degree from Valdosta State, the student may cancel the loan by working in hospitals where nurses are needed. Presently, Valdosta’s Pineview General is one such hospital, according to Dr. McGirt.

The LEEP is administered by the U.S. Department of Justice. The purpose of LEEP is to encourage college to enter law enforcement and to upgrade the education of those already entering law enforcement, said Dr. McGirt.

"It is Congress’s answer to law enforcement problems raised by concern over the need for more police in the field as well as those already employed."

Dr. McGirt defined the term law enforcement as any job directly related to police enforcement or "law enforcement in the broadest sense of the term."

According to McGirt, the financial aid office is still accepting applications for the remainder of the school year or until all funds are used.

Financial assistance is available to those working on a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice or to those intending to enter a law enforcement occupation. Loans can be repaid in full by working in law enforcement occupations.

The National Defense Student Loan and the Guaranteed Loan Program are two new loan programs to be offered in addition to existing programs, according to McGirt.

The National Defense Loan Program is an award to any student enrolled at least half time who shows financial need. The amount awarded is determined by the office of financial aid after a needs analysis. The loan must begin to be repaid at 3% interest after nine months after graduation, according to Dr. McGirt.

The Guaranteed Loan Program is awarded by a private lender such as a local bank and is a repay beginning nine months after graduation at 7% - 9% interest.

Applications and information concerning financial aid may be obtained in the Student Affairs Office in West Hall.

The VSC Student Court, restructured to a four member Board of Regents, has now to use 50 pages for the Annual. The IFC said in their resolution that they would not take the page pending the outcome of the SGA investigation.

The National Fraternities on campus had their last and biggest parties last Friday night and the Locals and Colonies swung into their Saturday night. The final smokers were held Sunday, giving each rushee and each fraternity a last chance to look each other over before bids go out late today (Tuesday).

About 138 rushees participated in rush this year, more than last year's number. The rush this year was informal; the first time, according to IFC advisor Ken Ferrell. There were "a lot of Mickey Mouse rules this year," he said. "I think everyone was very pleased."

A hassle between the Greeks and the VSC Annual Staff has led to an open hearing Thursday before the SGA to investigate a price increase of 150 percent for Annual pictures for organizations.

Both the Interfraternity Council and the Panhellenic Council passed resolutions that were sent to the SGA protesting the increase, which prompted the scheduling of the open forum. The IFC said in their resolution that they were willing to pay $40 for one page and $75 for two, but not the $135 the Annual is asking for a minimum of two pages.

The Panhellenic Council decided they want only one page, and were willing to pay $60 for it, according to Panhellenic President Claire Gulpepper.

"We knew prices had gone up," said IFC President Mike Strom, "but we don't think they've gone up that much."

"Everybody thought it was too high," he said, and we wanted to find out what the reasons are."

Strom said the resolution was sent to the SGA to see if they could show the fraternities if more money was needed and why.

"The action was primarily to give the SGA a starting point for investigating the price increase."
Langdale Hall, which can house 500, is in its first quarter of use. Finished early this summer, the modern five-story structure houses, besides students, a bookstore, a laundromat, a dry-cleaning pickup, and an automated food center.

There are several color TV's and an individual, and optional, phone hook-up. Besides the main lobby, there is a recreation center upstairs. The residence hall is VSC's newest way to live on-campus.
another type of house....

Off-campus, the "Crazy House" has long been a VSC landmark with a dubious reputation, dating back to the time when the mad Mexican lived there and would drink a fifth of Tequila and jump off the roof for kicks. But then Gordon Bass, nicknamed "The Slumlord," moved in and made the place liveable again by making the tenants paint up or get out. And the inside became nice, except for one apartment nobody wants to rent because the Hell’s Angel slept there one night and cursed it. The outside still needs painting, but after all that work, the tenants, including Rich Kry- siak, who has lived there more than a year, and Jim Sandfur, the one-time "blond Jesus," decided it was time for a celebration. They collected all their change and sent Scott Chase to the wine store and when he got back, they invited everybody: Greeks, Freaks, friends, neighbors, lovers and all. And they all came.

Photo by Jim Nygaard

"ELECTRIC BILL"
—STARRY-EYED AND WAVY HAIRRED

GOOD AMERICAN CHEAP RED WINE
“THE REAL TRAGEDY”

NEW YORK— The “real tragedy” of the four students killed at Kent State is “that some people think they deserved to die,” according to the author of Love Story, Erich Segal.

And when I say some people, I mean many people... Americans all over the land,” said Segal in an article in the current issue of Ladies’ Home Journal. “These sentiments were, by and large, expressed by men of good will” who “obviously felt that the crimes committed by the students deserved the death penalty.”

Segal noted that though “very few offenses nowadays warrant capital punishment... people all across America considered the deaths at Kent State not only justified but desirable.”

According to Segal, “if the good folk in nearby Ohio towns do not understand Kent State, how will they understand Jackson State, or Augusta, much less what happened in the far-off little village of My-Lai? . . . If we are so confused that we cannot distinguish a campus from a battlefield, if Kent State and Khe Sanh look the same, then we had better stop and look around and see what is happening,” Segal said in the Journal article.

The author said that a moment before Allison Krause was shot and killed by National Guard bullets, she “just stopped to look around to see what was happening.”

3208 Enrolled
In VSC
Fall Quarter

A total of 3208 students have enrolled at VSC for this quarter, according to Ward Pafford, vice-president and dean of faculties of the college. Dr. Pafford said this is more than a 10 per cent increase over enrollment for the same period last year when VSC’s enrollment was 2888.

The figure includes students taking education courses taught by VSC faculty members in Albany and Tifton.

“We are pleased with this solid increase in our enrollment,” Dr. Pafford said. “The figure is slightly higher than our most optimistic prediction. Our recruiters have done an outstanding job.”

The College has a rapidly expanding building program under way in order to meet the ever-increasing enrollment figures. A 500-bed residence hall for women has been opened this quarter (see inside story) and construction is nearing completion on a 300-bed residence hall for men. A new library is going up, and Nevins Hall, the science administration building, is being doubled in size.

It will soon be broken on an education center, to be built on main campus, and three of the oldest buildings on campus, Converse, Ashley, and Reid halls, will receive extensive renovations and modernization.

Drug Seminar
For VSC

A two-hour seminar on drug abuse, sponsored by the Department of Law Enforcement, Valdosta State College’s Departments of Sociology and Public Services and the Valdosta Pharmaceutical Association, will be held at Pound Hall Auditorium on North Campus, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The free seminar has been designed primarily for peace officers but is open to interested educators and parents. The program will be conducted by pharmacists John Anderson, Ronald Meadows, and Scott Cheves.

Material will be presented on several categories concerning drugs, including terminology, history, jargon, dependence and tolerance; identification; abused drug actions; sociological effects; and treatment and rehabilitation. Open Floor discussions will follow presentation of this material.

Ray McCall

“BLACK COWBOYS”

Second in a series of articles on Black History, appearing every two weeks in THE SPECTATOR.

The men who pioneered and civilized the “Great American Desert” were many, but when history became legend and the cowboys became folk heroes over five thousand Black cowboys were fenced out. Black cowboys had ridden, fought, and died in the real west, but they did not find their way into the West of fiction. The cowboys of the West always appeared tall, dark—not too dark though—and handsome, like a John Wayne.

The story of the men who made the building of the “Western Cattle Empire” possible can be seen as a movement of people driven by economic forces in the search for a new life. This history was made by white southerners who had worn the uniforms of the Confederacy. With them rode a number of Mexican vaqueros as well as Germans, Irishmen, Englishmen, and Swedes, but “more numerous than northerners or foreigners were the Black cowboys.” Many of the early Black cowboys were slaves. They were bought into the “Last Frontier” by their white masters. Once arrived they were set to learn a new trade. Some were taught by the Mexican vaqueros, some by their white masters and others by Indians.

Even before the Westward migration, Black men had been scattered throughout the Western Hemisphere. Since the first importation of slaves at the beginning of the sixteenth century, Black men helped pioneer the opening of the west. One of the earliest Black men in this Hemisphere was a Spanish slave called Estevanico. He discovered the pueblos of New Mexico and in 1539 was killed by the Zunis.

Over two hundred years later, many Black and Black-Indian families helped to establish one of the largest
SGA, DORM ELECTIONS

by Lee Ann Coughlin

In an effort to encourage more students to vote than have in the past, the SGA is to set up voting booths in each campus dormitory from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. during election day, according to SGA officials. This will allow those eligible to vote to do so without waiting for their turn.

Commuting and off-campus eligible students will be allowed to vote at booths set up in the Student Union.

The separate voting booths in the dorms is an attempt by the SGA to counter a certain amount of apathy shown during the last election. When only about one-third of all eligible students voted, the SGA is trying to be more effective.

SGA President Karen McDonald said, "My greatest fear is the new freshmen class seems to be very apathetic about the election."

"We hope having the polls in the residence halls will encourage more people to vote," she said. "They predicted a good turnout because "the new freshmen class seems to be very enthusiastic about the election."

VSC students running for the senate qualified by turning petitions in to the SGA with 50 signatures from classmates.

Second-quarter freshmen were required to have a 2.0 cumulative average.

Students running for offices in the residence halls were required to collect 25 signatures.

Pi Kapp News

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Teacher Tests Scheduled For VSC


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All students living in a particular residence hall are eligible to vote in that campus-wide election for freshmen senator and representatives, according to SGA officials.

Candiates for freshmen women senators are Mary Katherine Hedderman, Janie Nelson, Monica Trice, Lisa Pickern, Susan Ross, Betsy Bennett, Lee Ann Coughlin, and Mary Ann Carmichael.

Freshmen men senator candidates are Jim Griffith.

Running for Governor of Georgia Hall are: Carol McGowan, Bettina Bailey, Yolanda McGinnis, and Ruth Repass; Lt. Gov., Vicki Perry; Sec. Patsy Tyman, Mary Novotny, Hyacinthe Bethca, Francis Alina Fernandez, and Kathy Summer.

Four freshmen, two women and two men, are to be elected to the SGA Senate this Wednesday, along with governors, Lt. Gov., Senators, and secretaries, and Senate representatives from four residence halls on campus.

Annual Hassle

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Big Brother is coming for the Fall Concert scheduled for October 21, and tickets went on sale today (Tuesday) in the office of Ken Ferrell, director of student activities, located in the Student Union building. Tickets are one buck apiece and ID cards must be shown to get them.

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When you're a fifth year student at a four year school and project an old man father type image like I do, people tend to ask you questions like did you do back in the good old days?" they ask. I start off with, "I remember back in '46.

Well, back in '46 there were a lot of people in a lot of three-button suits with matching vests, and they drank a lot of beer and played a lot of games. These were the people we looked up to and learned the rules from. But some of us who came decided we didn't like the rules and didn't want to play.

OWN RULES

So WGC started to change and we began to set up our own rules for people like you to follow. I look around today and I see a lot of heads in bluejeans talking about freedom. And I see alot of freshmen people looking up to the head people and saying, "I want to do my own thing and just like them."

So now when people come back to the dorm at night, they don't brag about the beer they drank. Instead, they talk about the stuff they smoked or the pills they dropped. And they say, "I'm going along with the crowd; I'm doing my thing." But I wonder.

It seems there hasn't been much real change. The toys have changed, and we wear different play clothes, but it's still the same old thing. Do your own thing, act as if it's the IN thing.

So just for you people, who are looking around for someone to be. I'm going to tell you about someone else in the same fix: "None N. None, immigrant."

WARM GREETING

Once upon a time under the Statue of Liberty a young man came to America from Italy. He expected a warm greeting, and he got it. As soon as he got off the boat he was beaten severely in the head and neck region with a Packard Tire Tool. Everything he owned was stolen from him, and he was left only with total amnesia.

The American customs officials (noted for their sense of humor) passed him through customs and to the hospital with official (noted for their sense of amnesia.

The First Annual Jimi Hendrix Rock Festival was held this Sunday in Byron, Ga. As we walked along the road to the bandstand, we noticed all the friendly police giving us frowns and side long glances. We wouldn't let this discourage us, however.

Coming through the gates of the festival site, we mingled with some kids for a while, and moved on. As we walked along the road to the bandstand, we sensed a peculiar odor, like burning oak leaves. We payed little attention to it, for we grew accustomed to the smell as the day wore on.

At about 3:00 p.m. the first groups began to jam. Rumor had it that Quicksilver, Ten Years After, and other famous bands were to play during the night. Unfortunately, we couldn't stay long. Classes start early on Mondays.

At 5:00 we said good-bye to all our friends and headed south. Although there were only a few thousand of us, it was the most fun I've had in years.

Mcnally

A Visit To Byron

Dear Editor:
The VSC Spectator, dated October 13, 1970, displayed a caption, "From a South African Textbook on Criminology. In extreme cases, marijuana can so destroy a man's character that he mixes freely with persons of another race." What is to be attained or what is the essence of this caption?

Joseph Brown

The quote found on page 2 of the South African Textbook on Criminology was included to show both the absurdity of the textbook's racial stance and the absurdity of the information it contains, concerning marijuana...EDITOR.

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WORKED HARD

But None, not being one to get upset at little misfortunes, was determined to make a success of himself. He worked hard; he went to school; he made good grades. He joined a fraternity and student government. Then he dropped out of the fraternity and student government and finished with lousy grades. He let his hair grow; he became a radical; he became a revolutionary; he got into politics; he got elected to a small office; he got elected to a big office. None bought 30 new suits; he shook a lot of hands; he made some business in the textbook's racial stance.

In the wake of the recent controversy about the origins of the peace symbol, we would like to set the record straight. In spite of John Birch Society charges that the symbol is really an upside-down broken cross, an anti-Christian witch's foot, or a Communist-inspired device based on an early symbol that represented the devil's eye, the origin was rather prosaic, and thoroughly British. The symbol most of us know as the "peace symbol" is really the IN thing.

Peace Symbol Not What John Birchers Claim