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Board of Regents Appoint Averitt, Miller to Deanships



Dr. Jack N. Averitt

By SANDRA DYCHES
Editor

Appointments to two deanships were made this week by the University System Board of Regents, as recommended by Dr. John O. Eidson, president. Dr. Jack N. Averitt has been named dean of the Graduate School and Dr. W. Starr Miller dean of the School of Education. The appointments become effective January 1, 1969.

Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences will be named in the next few months, Dr. Eidson stated.

The President commented that he was very pleased with the action of the Board of

Regents and the advancement in academic programming that these new positions will offer the college.

Commenting on his appointment, Dr. Averitt said, "The organization and creation of a Graduate School will add a new dimension to the existing graduate programs at Georgia Southern and will provide an opportunity for the increase in the majors in existing graduate degrees and new degree programs."

"The creation of a School of Education is an appropriate recognition of the long tradition that Georgia Southern has had in the field of school personnel preparation. Further, the

creation of this school will enable the college to render an expanded service to the public schools of Georgia.

I look forward to leading the School of Education in becoming a strong voice for public education in our portion of the state," Dr. Miller stated.

Dr. Averitt, professor of history and presently chairman of the social science division, received his Bachelor of Science degree from Georgia Southern College, Master of Arts degree from the University of Georgia and Ph. D. from the University of North Carolina.

He has been a member of the college faculty since 1945. He was the recipient of the Henry

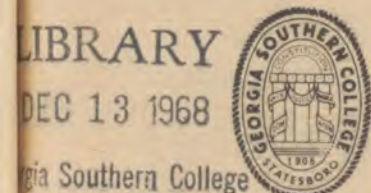


Dr. W. Starr Miller

W. Grady scholarship and the William J. Bryan Award at the University of Georgia; the Waddell Memorial Fellowship at the University of North Carolina; and the Fulbright Research Grant for a year's study in England during 1953-54.

Dr. Averitt is presently

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Masquers Plan Musical FINIAN'S RAINBOW

By DURWOOD FINCHER
Staff Writer

Masquers will present E.Y. Harburg and Burton Lane's musical, FINIAN'S RAINBOW as their winter quarter production, according to Miss Hazel Hall, director. Miss Hall stated that the musical was decided upon due to student interest. DEATH OF A SALESMAN, the play originally slated for winter quarter, will be in the spring.

Mr. Don Northrip, assistant professor of music and Southern Singers director, will conduct the Savannah Symphony for the musical. Northrip conducted SOUTH PACIFIC and WEST SIDE STORY in previous years. He noted the hits from FINIAN'S RAINBOW include: "Old Devil Moon", "Look to the Rainbow", "How are Things in Glocca Morra?", and "If This Isn't Love".

Tryouts will be held as follows:

Monday, Jan. 6-Acting tryouts-McCroan 3:30-5:30 and 7-10 p.m. Dancing and Singing tryouts-Foy Recital Hall 3:30-5:30 and 7-10 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 7-Acting tryouts-McCroan 3:30-5:30 and 7-10 p.m.

Miss Hall stated that students with schedules conflicting with those times should call ext. 214 or 358 for a tryout appointment.

Students trying out should bring their own music. An accompanist will be provided. Music does not have to be from this show.

The musical calls for a large cast of 45. Part requirements vary, according to the part. Some roles require only dancing, some just speaking, some just singing (both individual and group) and some roles require all

three talents. Roles include: Finian McLonergan, an Irish immigrant; Sharon, Finian's daughter; Woody Mahoney, leader of sharecroppers; three Negro Gospels; Senator

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Alan Bond

Board Names Bond as Editor

Alan Bond, junior sociology major from Augusta, has been named editor of the winter quarter GEORGE-ANNE according to Ric Mandes, director of the publications committee.

Other editorial board members will be announced at a later date.

KAPPA SIGMA

Charity's the Word-Frat Sponsors Christmas Dance

Kappa Sigma brothers will sponsor a charity Christmas dance Saturday, Dec. 14 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Landrum Center. The dance features Rufus Thomas with the "Rhodes Scholars" back-up band. Tickets are \$2 in advance and \$2.50 at the door.

All proceeds from the dance will be used to buy toys for children at the Scottish Rite Children's Hospital in Atlanta, according to Rod Meadows, public relations officer for the fraternity.

"We're hoping for a big turnout for the dance. In fact, we're selling tickets on and off campus. We're planning to sell tickets to merchants and businessmen in Statesboro and Bulloch County. Of course, they won't come to the dance, but charity's the word on the ticket and I'm sure they'll come

through for us," Meadows said. Meadows added that the entire group of brothers, pledges and their dates will visit the hospital, either with the money or the toys, just a few days before Christmas.

"We want to go through the hospital and speak to the children and spend some time with them."

When asked why such a special project and why this group is taking time out from the end of fall quarter finals rush, Meadows commented that it was just something they wanted to do.

"I guess you might say, it's our way of showing at this time of the year what's going on among the good-thinking students. And that there are some around."

"Our group will not receive the attention that some groups

are receiving in other sections of the United States right now, but our project will be helpful and

good for others. And that's what life is all about," Meadows concluded.



Rufus Thomas

Council Names Ga. Southern In Membership

Georgia Southern College has been accepted for membership in the Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences in State Universities, according to Dr. Pope A. Duncan, vice-president. Dr. Duncan was notified of the acceptance by Charles J. Keim of the University of Alaska, chairman of the membership committee.

The Council of Arts is composed of 114 major colleges and universities throughout the country. The purposes of the fifty-one year old organization are: to provide a forum for discussing common problems of higher education related to the Arts and Science in state supported institutions, to serve as an agency for transmitting the results of deliberations and resolutions to appropriate persons and organizations, and to serve as a medium for disseminating information pertinent to the various fields in the Arts and Sciences.

John Chalmers of Kansas State University is the council's national president.

Pi Kappa Phi Elects Officers

Gamma Kappa chapter of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity elected officers for the remaining school year. Officers are: Bob Pickrell, archon; Bill Larkey, treasurer; Tommy Rogers, secretary; E. B. Price, warden; Murphy Sconyers, historian; and Bobby Melton, chaplain.

Little Sisters were also elected for the remaining year. They are: Suzette Proctor, Rose of Phi Kappa Phi; Pat Bauer, Carolin Bray, Carol Brent, Pan Cain, Stacy Long and Cynthia Moulton. Mrs. Charlotte Ford, assistant professor of history, is advisor.

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THE RHODES SCHOLARS will provide the backup music at the Kappa Sigma Christmas Dance, Saturday, Dec. 14. Rufus Thomas will be the featured star.

Love Links

Miss Jerry Burch, senior education major from Cadwell, is engaged to Wayne Spinks, math education major from Eastman. Spinks is a graduate of Middle Georgia College.

Wedding plans are indefinite at the moment.

Miss Melanie Holliday, senior sociology major from Danville, is engaged to Johnny Webb of Wrightsville. Webb is presently stationed at Patrick Air Force Base in Florida.

The wedding date has not been set.

Miss Mary J. Hall, junior elementary education major from Brunswick, is engaged to Michael P. Cielinski, senior political science major from Columbus. Cielinski will be working towards a Master degree here next fall.

The wedding is planned for September.

Miss Carol Brent, junior psychology major from Stone Mountain, is engaged to C. Pat Cates, senior early elementary major from Atlanta.

An August wedding is planned.

Delta Sig Plans Rush Activities

Delta Sigma Pi international fraternity will have a closed rush winter quarter. Rush begins with a smoker Jan. 15, followed by a luncheon Jan. 22 and ends with a dance Jan. 24.

Prospective pledges will be notified of their invitation by bids received in the mail.

CATES Begins Second Quarter Of Operation

The Coastal Area Teacher Education Service, a compact between five institutes of the University System of Georgia to offer off-campus education courses to local teachers and those working on a graduate degree, begins its second full operation beginning with the winter session, January 4. According to Dr. Harold Tyer, associate professor of education and coordinator of CATES, nearly two hundred people have participated in the program since its conception last spring.

This fall, 144 teachers and graduate students enrolled in one of seven courses offered. The CATES centers were located in Dublin, Augusta, Alma, and Ridgeland.

For the winter quarter, over two hundred are expected to register. Twenty courses will be taught in Brunswick, Jesup, Douglas, Claxton, McRae, Alma, and Augusta.

The Coastal Area Teacher Education Service is self-supporting. School systems become affiliated with CATES by paying a membership fee which allows members of the school's professional staff to enroll in any CATES course wherever it may be offered. Also, individuals may register by paying a specified fee which will cover the entire quarter's study. Credit for a given course is

granted in each of the compact institutions if the course and the professor have been approved by the department head of the particular college.

Delta Chi Frat Hosts National President Mon.

The local colony of Delta Chi fraternity will host Ken Brasted, national president, Monday Dec. 16. Brasted's visit is to promote the future of the Delta Chi charter.

Business Woman Speaks to Group

Miss Majorie Ater, certified professional secretary, was guest speaker at the Dec. 4 meeting of Phi Beta Lambda professional business fraternity.

Miss Ater is administrative assistant at the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio. She also serves on the district and international level of the Pilot Club of Columbus, Ohio.

Phi Beta Lambda held its annual Christmas party Dec. 11 at the residence of A.D. Strickland, according to Carolyn Burnett, fraternity reporter.

Southern Belle

This week's Southern Belle clowns around at a service station because she "likes to make people smile." And she has been known to cause a few smiles with her sunny personality.

CHERYL MILLS, junior elementary education major from Decatur, likes sports. She has been a cheerleader for seven years—throughout high school and as an Eagle booster.

"I like orange and yellow combinations because they are bright happy colors," the 5'5" brown-eyed lass states

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Roots of Faith Make Beginning of an End

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When Nikita S. Khrushchev "was retired" in 1964 as premier and secretary of the Communist Party of Russia he became a Soviet "non-person". His name is never mentioned in Soviet newspapers and he cannot make any public statements. But I wonder if he believes he is a "non-person." What does it feel like? Is it possible for a person outside a mental ward to live in perpetual anonymity, unaware of any self-identity, void of any freedom to be? Can the most sophisticated de-personalization devices of our modern culture make any man a non-entity?

Someone recently was heard to say "There is no need to murder a man who is already committing suicide." He should have said "There is no need to murder a man." Does the slow suicide of the person come through the brainwashing of the tube's commercials? Or do we just get lost in the propaganda maze—and enjoy this lostness? Maybe we play with words, like I am doing, and get captured by them. Perhaps we talk about Tillich, and Bultman, and Kierkegaard, and Sartre, and Bonhoeffer—and think we know something. Poor Deitrich—I have the feeling that he would be exhausted with our discussion of his Cost of Discipleship, and would long for us to discover the cost for our own lives. We have de-mythologized Bultman so much that he would not recognize himself. We have diluted Tillich with our little mouthing of his marvelously helpful insights. Kierkegaard would say "Make your own pilgrimage with Abraham as he takes son Isaac for the climb of Mount Moriah." And Sartre might muse "How can I know so much about hell, unless I found no exit myself."

The exciting freedom of existential living does not come to those who watch or read about someone else climbing the mountain. It does not come to those who believe they could climb the mountain. It comes to those who dare to try. It comes to those who choose to risk something. Some of us become non-persons through the fine art of brinkmanship, many are tempted to non-identity through spectatorship. How much easier and more comfortable to watch life than to be! So often we do not understand the person who gets disturbed or overwhelmed by that which seemingly does not touch or endanger his own ego. But why does a person get frustrated by that which leaves a cat or a cow undisturbed? Simply because he is a person; his nature is created and defined by the Ground of Being. The same qualities in man that expose him to pain and suffering also make it possible for him to achieve greatness through suffering. Again, Bonhoeffer may agree with our trite phrase "It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all." This is actually what Bonhoeffer did, only he did not really lose

and that is the point! Life begins for those who chose to live in radical commitment. The point is not "success" or "victory" according to our Americanized traditional concept of achievement.

About two years ago my attention was called to the tragic story of a little girl who was completely insensitive to pain. She did not know when someone hit her or stuck her with a pin. Because of this insensitivity it was feared that she might be bruised, broken, or burned without even knowing it. Medical doctors were trying desperately to restore this sensitivity. Inability to know pain is a tragedy not simply because we might get hurt but because we may never feel pleasure. To be insensitive, indifferent, or uninvolved in a world fraught with intense suffering and profound joy is to be a non-person. Without this courage to be, we come to resemble the cat or the cow.

I used the word "existential" earlier partially for effect. Maybe I wanted you who read that far to think I am a twenty-year-old intellectual. Frankly, I passed that "magic mark" some years and a few grey hairs back. But "life begins at forty" for any person who chooses life daily. I'm impatient too! Real life is now, and I know it in every fiber of my being! I intend to be part of the "now" generation, whether I can keep up or not! But even S.K. himself would have us ask why Abraham would ascend Mount Marish with a knife in one hand and his beloved son's clutching fingers in the other. Was there some Assurance? Was not this leap of faith preceded by some Voice? Did not Past contribute something necessary for the exciting joy of the new Now?! Some roots of faith are essential if our journey is to end with ultimate, profound meaning. The end is always the beginning!

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serving his second term on the World Board of Trustees of Rotary International. He is a frequent lecturer to civic clubs, and participates in state, national and international seminars.

Dr. Miller has been chairman of the education division since 1961. He received his Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees from the University of Georgia. He completed his doctorate at Duke University.

The educator has served as the chairman of the Teacher Education and Professional Standards Committee of the Georgia Education Association;

chairman of the Georgia Council on Teacher Education; chairman of the Deans of Southern Association of Baptist Schools and Colleges; chairman of the Board of Advisers and Executive Committee of the Coastal Area Teacher Education Service; and as a consultant and member of various other professional education societies.

Prior to joining the college faculty, Dr. Miller was former dean and professor of education at Tift College. He is the author of one book, FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROCEDURES IN SMALL COLLEGES and numerous articles and papers.

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Billboard Rawkins, bigoted Southern senator; Og, an Irish Leprechaun; Susan, a mute dancer; and 20-25 sharecroppers.

Show dates are Feb. 19-22 in McCroan Auditorium. Tickets will go on sale approximately two weeks before opening date. Prices are: \$2, \$2.50, and \$1.50.

Persons interested in working backstage, with sets, make-up, etc. should attend Masquers' meeting backstage McCroan Monday, Jan. 13 at 7 p.m.

Miss Hall stated, "This is one of the most enjoyable musicals that has ever been put on the stage."



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GOOD CHEER

Finals have begun; the weather is too cold; there's lots of packing to do before going home for the holidays. On the home front, there's Christmas shopping to be done in crowded stores; rude clerks to contend with; presents to wrap and a tree to be bought and decorated. Most people are not in a charitable mood.

In spite of all these grim realities, one group of students have not forgotten two of the motivating forces behind the Christmas spirit. As Christmas originally began with the birth of a child, so children represent the essence of Christmas today. That other force behind the Christmas message is giving.

Brothers of Kappa Sigma fraternity are sponsoring a dance this Saturday so that children in the Scottish Rite Hospital in Atlanta will have toys and presents for Christmas.

It isn't very often that a campus social organization can pull itself out of the mud of selfishness. It is gratifying to see a group do something besides meet and party. Kappa Sigma fraternity is to be congratulated for the efficient organization of plans.

The GEORGE-ANNE urges all students to support what promises to be the biggest and best dance of the quarter.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

No student composition on Christmas could dare hope to improve upon the beautiful story found in St. Luke's Gospel-Chapter 2, Verses 1-20.

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.

And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David.)

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even into Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told. But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

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Student Support Comparable To 'Messiah' on Uke

By RANDY HARPER
Photographer

In both overt and subtle comments, the GEORGE-ANNE has been called a censored puppet of the administration because we will not turn over our "Letters to the Editor" column for unedited materials. And there are those in student government and possibly the administration that have felt our editorial columns and institutionals have been misguided and in some cases damaging, thereby making us an ineffective "student voice."

In answer to both comments, we are neither censored puppet nor voice of the students. However, this still leaves the question open: have we been irresponsible in our duty?

Perhaps it would be useful to refer to the remarks made to the National Education Association by Mr. James Reston, executive editor of the NEW YORK TIMES. This most respected leader described the purpose of the journalism profession in this manner: "Unless they have changed overnight, this morning's WASHINGTON POST had nothing to say about the 96.4 percent of Washington residents who lead normal lives-committing no crimes; causing no controversy. Instead there were only reports about the 3.6 percent who were causing controversies and committing crimes. Recently the journalism profession has come under attack for reporting only the 'bad news.' It is not the job of the journalist to be cheerleaders for the nation; instead it is our job to report conflict and social change."

In echoing Mr. Reston, it is not the purpose of the GEORGE-ANNE to be a cheerleader for this college, nor is it our function to open our editorial page as a battle ground for anyone who wants to fight.

It is our function to report the news and to support the changes we believe beneficial in our editorials and columns. If our attack sometimes seem misguided, this is understandable in light of the fact that student sentiment is always cloudy and hidden. Students of this college have never rallied around any issue. This was proven when faculty members making a survey on cuts found students unaware of the present policy and really unconcerned with any changes.

To mount a campaign on student support at this college is to play Handel's MESSIAH on a ukulele. The task is far too great for an instrument so crude.

Certainly it would be presumptuous of this writer to imply that if these situations were corrected the editorial policy of the GEORGE-ANNE would greatly improve. However, it must be said that as long as such large problems as student apathy remain unsolved, then there are more important issues to worry about than the way in which the GEORGE-ANNE handles its editorial page.

Practice Christmas Message of Love

By Sandra Dyches
Editor

Recently this writer overheard an elderly lady express the sentiment that "Thank goodness Christmas comes but once a year. I couldn't stand it any more than once." How tragic for this lady and millions of other cynics that the magic of the year's most beautiful season is lost in the syndrome of buying and bills.

Such spirit-less people often talk about the "good old fashioned Christmases we used to have" or cry over the commercialized death of true Christmas. Yet these very same people purchase aluminum trees to be used for years instead of evergreens that die with the season. Such mourners usually buy little Susie the \$36.95 doll wonder that does every thing but bring happiness. The child is

usually instructed not to dirty the toy.

True Christmas spirit is not dead nor has the good old fashioned kind of holiday disappeared. At the risk of sounding overly sentimental, I must say true Christmas spirit is found in the heart. The message behind the Christmas story is one of love and good will for mankind.

In spite of commercialization there are a few of us left who feel a surge of joy at walking among crowds to find that special gift for a loved one. The beautiful sound of "Silent Night" can still drown yesterday's love for Jose's rendition of "Light My Fire" in some people. A few people still like the glow that radiates from a warm log fire rather than the heat provided by the friendly neighborhood gas company. And there are some left who favor the smell of evergreen over the shininess of aluminum.

Christmas is like so many other phases of life-it is what you make of it. Make yours a truly happy, safe holiday. Practice the message of love. Merry Christmas.



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Eagles Host Armstrong

By MIKE CLARK
Sports Editor

The high flying Eagles will play host to the strong Armstrong State College pirates Saturday night, December 14th. Game time for the contest is eight o'clock.

The Eagles will take a 3-0 record into the game and Coach Frank Radovich is not taking the Pirates lightly. Armstrong is off to a fast start as they have 4-2 record to date.

The Pirates are led by All-American candidate Danny Stell. Stell, a 6'1" junior guard, is averaging 21.7 points per game and has hit an even 50 percent of his shots from the floor. Stell is a definite offensive threat and can score from anywhere on the floor. Stell, like the Eagles' Dave Westerfield, is a "demon" on defense as well. already rival coaches in this area are tabbing Stell as a sure All-American as he has all the qualities that it takes.

Starting along with Stell, in the backcourt, will be Jim Parker. Parker is averaging 14.7 points a game and would be averaging more if Stell was not his running mate.

At the forwards will be 6'5" freshman Joe Harper and 6'4" junior Larry Burke. Harper is averaging 15.5 points and 12.8 rebounds a game. Wingman

Burke is scoring at a 9.0 clip while averaging 7.8 rebounds.

Rounding out the Pirates' starting unit will be 6'6" center Jim Stephens. Stephens is also scoring in double figures and is pulling off 11.5 rebounds a game. Coach Radovich says of Stephens, "He pulled down 20 rebounds against LaGrange and he will be a real challenge for Roger."

The Pirates bring an offense that has averaged 78.9 points for their first six games. Southern is averaging 94.6 points and for those who like fast action, this game should offer all the action you would like.

Another strong point concerning both clubs is rebounding. Southern enters the game averaging 49.3 rebounds while Armstrong is pulling down 47.3 rebounds a game. It should be quite a spectacle on the boards.

Southern board strength is

centered around 6'6" Roger Moore. Moore is averaging an even 15 rebounds. Helping Moore on the boards will be 6'6" John Norman, and 6'5" Phil Sisk.

On offense Southern has five in double figures. Westerfield leads the pack with 19.3 points. Next is Buckler with 16.0, Norman 15.6, Moore 14.6 and Sisk with 12.3.

The Pirates will be no pushover and will be fired-up when they invade Hanner Gym Saturday night. Coach Radovich stated, "They are 200 percent better than they were last year and they work very well together. Also, they look for and take only the good shots."

One advantage that the Eagles should definitely have is that they have a stronger bench. This could be a key factor Saturday.

All-in-all, it should be one hell of a game.



Reserve forward Barry Miller to see plenty of action Sat. night. Miller blocks shot against Va. Commonwealth.



Top reserve Gene Brown to be counted on heavily against Pirates. Brown scores two against Seahawks.



John Norman, No. 24, Roger Moore, No. 25 and Phil Sisk, No. 42, to carry rebounding load against Armstrong.



The Eagle awaits the Pirates. Soc it to 'em Birds.



Jr. Varsity Loses To Citadel

The Baby Eagles ventured into Bulldog country (The Citadel that is) last Saturday, and the welcome was not so good as they fell to the Citadel Frosh 75-65. The loss left the junior varsity's record at 1-1. Coach Johnson's cagers will not return to the "hardwood" until after Christmas vacation.

The JV's led their Southern Conference foes up until the final three minutes of action. Then the Citadel employed a full court press which forced the Baby Eagles into costly errors, that cost them the game.

Pacing the junior varsity attack was co-captain Danny Gordon with 16 points. He was followed by Charles Gibbons and Mike Ujlaki with 14 and 13 points respectively.



Ujlaki scores 13 in loss to Citadel.

Westerfield Elected Captain

David Westerfield, 5'10" senior guard, from Evansville, Indiana, has been named captain of the 1968-69 Eagle basketball team. The Indiana lad came to Georgia Southern by way of Abraham-Baldwin Junior College where he was outstanding for two years.

His freshman year, at ABAC, Westerfield averaged 15.5 points per game. He was even more impressive his sophomore season as he averaged 18.5 points a game. These two fine seasons earned Westerfield a spot on the All-State and All-Conference teams for both years.

Last year, as a junior, Dave averaged 13 points per contest for the Eagles. In the first three games this season he has scored 58 points for an average of 19.3 points a game. But, perhaps his biggest points, to date, came down at Valdosta, last Monday night.

With the score tied at 84-84 and four seconds left in the game, Dave hit from the top of the key to give Southern a hard earned win.

Concerning the outlook for this year's squad, Dave had this

to say. "We have a real good chance of making a tournament in March. But, we have not played a real good game as yet. Maybe this is good, for a team should not reach its peak too early in the season." Dave went on to say, "The attitude of the team is very good and each player is always helping each other out."

Not only is Westerfield a fine shooter, but he is also a fine defensive player. His sternest test will come this Saturday night when the Eagles play host to the Armstrong State Pirates, and will be in the person of All-American candidate Danny Stell. Stell is averaging 21.7 points for the first six games and has hit an even 50 percent of his field goals. If Southern plays a man-for-man defense, in all probability Westerfield will be guarding Stell. "I am looking forward to guarding him as I understand he is very good. Armstrong has a fine team and it should be a good game."

If Westerfield does guard Stell, a lot of pressure will be on Dave. But, pressure is nothing new to Dave.



Westerfield drives against Wilmington.

Falcons Win Tournament

The men's intramural football season came to a close this week, with the tournament being the last step for four of the teams. And for the second straight year a team from the Independent League captured the overall crown.

First round action, in the tournament, saw the KOG team blanking TEP 12-0. Next, the Falcons completed the sweep

over the Fraternity League teams, by rolling past Kappa Alpha 25-13. The loss was the first of the year for the KA's.

In the consolation game, TEP was again blanked. This time Kappa Alpha prevailed 6-0. The two squads had battled to a 0-0 tie during the regular season.

The championship game was a real thriller as the Falcons defeated KOG 14-6.

Eagles Defeat Valdosta 86-84

By MIKE CLARK
Sports Editor

The Rebels of Valdosta College became the Eagles' third victim as they edged the Rebels 86-84, Monday, December 9th. The win left Southern with a perfect record (3-0) going into Saturday night's encounter with Armstrong State.

The Eagles jumped out front, at the start, and led 14-9 with 15:40 left in the half. The Rebels quickly pulled themselves together and took the lead midway through the opening period.

Both teams built up leads of four and five points in the remaining minutes but could not hold them. In the last minute and a half, before intermission, Southern regained the lead and retired with a five point margin 44-39.

Starting the last half, GSC went cold and Valdosta got hot. Southern could not buy a field goal, as at one stretch the Eagles missed eight in a row. This was due mainly to not taking the good shots. Only foul shots kept Southern in the game and from being run completely off the floor.

Meanwhile, the Rebels were hitting everything that they threw up and finally caught Southern at 48-all. From here, Valdosta, behind John Jones and Pete Smith, went in front by three, five, seven, nine and finally 11 points. Things looked pretty bad for the Eagles and it was beginning to look like last year's game at Valdosta. (The Rebels beat Southern last year by 20 points.)

But this time Southern was not to be denied. The N.A.I.A.

District 25 Champions and their fans thought the game was won, as the Rebels led 71-59, with just under seven minutes to play. At this point, Coach Radovich called time out and re-grouped his forces. He employed a full court press and Southern was back in the game.

Now there was 2:35 left in the game and Southern trailed by only six, 78-84. Steve Buckler was fouled and he calmly sank both shots. Valdosta brought the ball up the court only to have Dave Westerfield steal it. Westerfield hit Buckler with a perfect pass but before he could get the shot off he was fouled. Verdict; two more points and the Eagles were behind by only two with 1:10 left.

The District 25 Champs were rattled and they made another BIG mistake with 35 seconds showing on the clock. This time Westerfield was fouled. "Little Dave" stepped to the charity line, on the one-an-one situation, and swished both shots. The score was now tied at 84-84.

Valdosta tried to throw the ball in but threw the ball away. Again the Eagles called for time. When time resumed, it was evident Southern was playing for the last shot and the overtime period if the shot was missed.

But, Westerfield had other ideas. The clock slowly ticked off the last 35 seconds and with only four seconds left Westerfield took a shot from the top of the key and Southern had the lead at 86-84 and only two seconds left. The inbound pass was stolen by Roger Moore and it wall over but the shouting. (Pandemonium broke loose

among the few Eagle fans that were in attendance.

Westerfield and Buckler led the Southern offense with 28 and 21 points respectively. Moore and Phil Sisk led in rebounding with 19 and 12.

Scoring honors for the night went to Valdosta's Jones who bucketed 30 points.

On the boards, GSC prevailed once again. The Eagles grabbed 55 stray shots to 49 by the Rebels.

Southern experienced a cold, cold night from the floor. The Eagles fired-up 90 shots while hitting 32. Valdosta made 35 field goals but lost the game at the free throw line. The Eagles hit 22 out of 29 gratis shots while the Rebels connected on 14.

Coach Radovich stated, "We were very fortunate to come out ahead. We lost the ball too many times after we had gotten the rebound. We have to be ready for the ball when it is coming off the rim as Valdosta was able to rebound with us."

The head mentor went on to add, "Valdosta deserves a lot of credit for this was their best game to date. They were really up for us as all the schools that we wiply in the Southeast will be." This is due to Georgia Southern being recognized as a small college basketball power.

"This is a compliment and a credit to us as our players have a tradition to uphold. We have to play our best against all schools and the players have to have a lot of pride in themselves and the tradition of GSC basketball," stated Coach Radovich.

GSC (86)—Westerfield 28, Buckler 21, Moore 14, Sisk 10, Norman 6, Helm 4, Brown 2, Miller 1, Bohman. Valdosta (84)—Jones 30, Smith 27, O'Brien 16, Trimmell 8, Dorsett 3.

Warbutton Finishes 4th In Nation

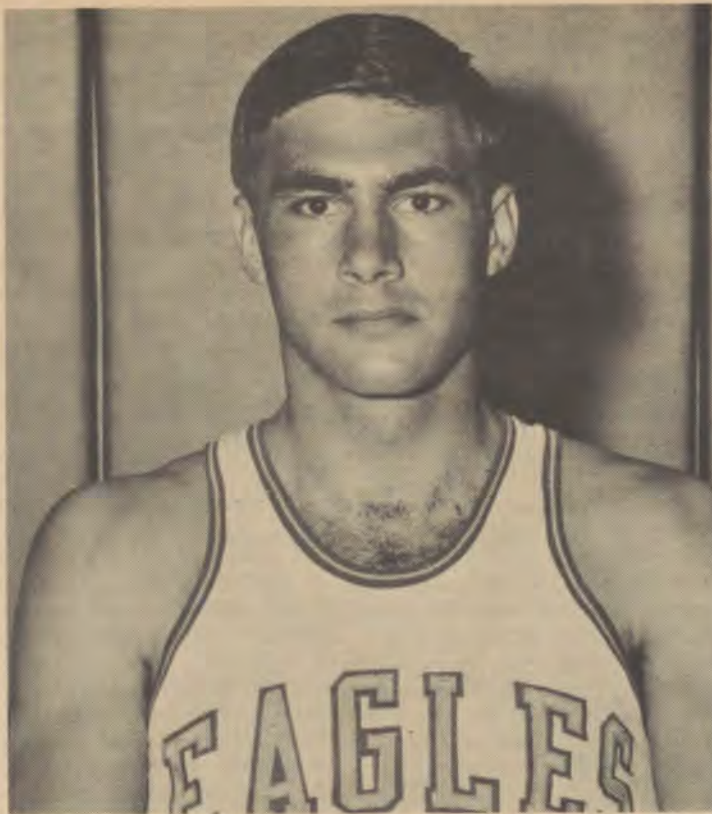
Dan Warbutton, Eagle Gymnast, finished fourth in the nation on the long horse vault, in the Midwest Open held in Chicago, Illinois, last month. Warbutton made it to the finals on Saturday night of the two day event. Out of 75 entries on the long horse vault, Dan was in first place, going into the finals. But, an unfortunate slip cost him the championship and put him in fourth place. This is still quite an accomplishment for GSC to have a gymnast finish so high in this meet. The Midwest Open is perhaps the second best collegiate meet in the nation.

Warbutton is only a freshman and a lot will be heard of him in the future.



Dan Warbutton fourth in nation on long horse vault.

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Charles Bobe



John Fountain

Bobe, Fountain Give JV's Added Strength

Charles Bobe, 6'2" junior forward and John Fountain, 6'5" junior center, have been a valuable asset to Coach Johnson's junior varsity quintet in the young cage season. Both started out with the varsity and are seasoned players.

Bobe and Fountain have been pressing the starters for a job since coming to the junior varsity squad. Bobe has a fine shot from around the key and for his size he is a very good rebounder. Before the season is over Bobe just might crack the starting line-up.

Fountain is very strong around the boards. He is a fine rebounder and has a very good shot from inside. Fountain has

kept the younger players on their toes and while he was on the varsity he gave Roger all he could handle.

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Nov. 29-30	Midwest Open	Chicago, Ill.
Dec. 26-30	Eastern Gymnastic Clinic	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Jan. 10	Georgia Tech 7:30	Statesboro, Ga.
Jan. 18	University of Florida 7:00	Gainesville, Fla.
Jan. 23	Louisiana State University 7:30	Statesboro, Ga.
Jan. 31	North East, Louisiana State 7:30	Statesboro, Ga.
Feb. 6	Louisiana State at New Orleans 7:30	Statesboro, Ga.
Feb. 8	Confederate Nationals	Atlanta, Ga.
Feb. 14	David Libscomb College 7:30	Nashville, Tenn.
Feb. 15	Furman University 7:30	Greenville, S.C.
Feb. 21	Georgia & North Carolina 7:30	Statesboro, Ga.
Feb. 27-28	Southern Inter-Collegiate Gymnastic League	Athens, Ga.
March 8	Georgia Gymnastic Assoc. Championship	Atlanta, Ga.
March 21-22	National Assoc. Inter-Collegiate Athletics	Chicago, Ill.
April 4	National e Athletic Association	Seattle, Wash.

Athletic Director: J. I. Clements
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GAMES THROUGH JAN. 1, 1969

Higher Rating Team	Rating Diff.	Opposing Team	NCAA CAMELLIA BOWL Sacramento, Calif.	TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31 BLUEBONNET BOWL Houston, Tex.
Penn St 109.3	(14)	Syracuse 95.7	Fresno St 74.1 (10) Humboldt 64.1	Oklahoma 111.0 (15) S.M.U. 95.5
ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC Miami, Fla.			NAIA CHAMPION BOWL Troy St 80.1 (2) Texas A&I 78.3	
Alcorn A&M 68.6 (5) Fla.A&M* 63.2			FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27 TANGERINE BOWL Orlando, Fla.	WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1 ROSE BOWL Pasadena, Calif.
PASADENA CLASSIC Pasadena, Calif.			Ohio U 87.6 (4) Richmond 83.4	Ohio St 109.3 (5) So. Calif 104.4
Grambling 63.1 (12) Sacramento* 50.7			SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28 GATOR BOWL Jacksonville, Fla.	ORANGE BOWL Miami, Fla.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14 LIBERTY BOWL Memphis, Tenn.			Alabama 101.4 (1) Missouri 100.8	Penn St 109.3 (7) Kansas 102.0
Va. Tech 98.1 (12) Mississippi 86.1			SUN BOWL El Paso, Texas	SUGAR BOWL New Orleans, La.
NCAA GRANTLAND RICE BOWL Murreesboro, Tenn.			Auburn 97.2 (9) Arizona 88.0	Georgia 108.2 (7) Arkansas 100.9
La. Tech 81.1 (9) Akron 72.0			MONDAY, DECEMBER 30 PEACH BOWL Atlanta, Ga.	COTTON BOWL Dallas, Texas
NCAA PECAN BOWL Arlington, Tex.			Florida St 103.4 (11) L.S.U. 92.5	Texas 106.5 (4) Tennessee 102.4
N.Dakota St 78.3 (11) Ark. St 67.4				* Home Team

STANDING OF 240 LEADING TEAMS

Oklahoma 111.0	N.Texas St 88.9	Utah 76.5	N.Louisiana 66.5	E.Carolina 60.1	St.Norbert 54.1
Ohio St 109.3	Utah St 88.3	Rice 76.1	SELouisiana 66.5	Boston U 59.7	Santa Clara 54.1
Penn St 109.3	Arizona 88.0	Navy 75.9	McMurry 66.3	Trinity, Tex 59.7	Calif. St. Pa 54.0
Georgia 108.2	Texas A&M 88.0	Georgia Tech 75.8	Wm. & Mary 66.1	Len'r Rhyne 59.6	Lamar Tech 53.5
Texas 106.5	Ohio U 87.6	Tulane 75.8	Brig'm Young 65.9	Connecticut 59.5	S.Dakota St 53.4
S. California 104.4	Wash'gton St 87.6	Villanova 75.8	Doane 65.9	E.Stroudsb'g 59.3	Lehigh 53.0
Florida St 103.4	Wyoming 87.3	Maryland 75.5	O.Wesleyan 65.7	Appalachian 59.2	Adams St 52.9
Notre Dame 103.2	Virginia 86.6	Wisconsin 75.2	Buffalo 65.5	E.Cent.Okla 58.8	SE Missouri 52.9
Houston 102.7	Mississippi 86.1	U.Pacific 74.3	Wittenberg 65.3	N.Illinois 58.6	Montana 52.8
Tennessee 102.4	Baylor 86.0	Rutgers 74.2	E.Tenn. St 65.2	Henderson 58.5	Lafayette 52.5
Kansas 102.0	U.C.L.A. 85.4	Fresno St 74.1	Waynesburg 65.1	Los Angeles St 58.5	Morehead St 52.5
Alabama 101.4	Tex.Christ'n 85.3	Chattanooga 73.9	NW Louisiana 65.0	R-Macon 58.4	Cornell Ia 52.1
Arizona St 101.2	W.Virginia 85.3	Princeton 73.5	Youngstown 64.9	Davidson 58.2	UC Davis 52.1
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Purdue 96.2	Mississippi St 82.2	Northwestern 71.2	Louisville 63.3	Aust. Peay 57.1	Northern, SD 51.3
Syracuse 95.7	N.C.State 82.2	W.Kentucky 71.2	Florida A&M 63.2	Hillsdale 56.9	Mid Tenn. St 51.2
So. Methodist 95.5	Yale 82.1	Tenn. St 70.8	Sta. Barbara 63.2	Colgate 56.6	Idaho St 51.0
Iowa 94.8	Oregon 81.9	E.Kentucky 70.6	Grambling 63.1	Tenn. Tech 56.6	Maine 50.9
California 93.3	Washington 81.7	N.Mexico St 70.6	Citadel 62.9	Weber St 56.6	Bucknell 50.8
Memphis St 93.1	Iowa St 81.2	SW Louisiana 70.6	N.Car. A&T 62.5	Cornell 56.4	Samford 50.8
San Diego St 92.6	La. Tech 81.1	Delaware 70.3	Morgan St 62.4	Parsons 56.4	Sacramento 50.7
Louisiana St 92.5	Wake Forest 81.1	E.Michigan 69.9	N.Michigan 62.3	Va. Military 56.4	Elon 50.4
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Georgia Southern Junior Varsity

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
Rob Bergbom	G-F	6'3"	185	Jr.	Barrington, Ill.
Charles Bobe	F-C	6'2"	190	Jr.	Vincennes, Ind.
Charles Gibbons	C-F	6'5"	175	Fr.	Augusta, Ga.
Danny Gordon	F	6'2"	180	Soph.	N.E., Md.
Ronald Gwin	G	5'11"	150	Fr.	Cassville, Ga.
Pratt Hill	G	5'9"	160	Fr.	Statesboro, Ga.
Steve Jackson	F	6'2"	170	Fr.	Savannah, Ga.
Steve Melton	F	6'4"	195	Fr.	Forsyth, Ga.
David Moseley	F	6'0"	150	Fr.	McDonough, Ga.
Buddy Pinkston	G	6'0"	165	Soph.	Atlanta, Ga.
Carey Shea	F	6'1"	175	Fr.	N. E., Md.
Phil Wysong	F	6'1"	170	Soph.	Norcross, Ga.

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