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According to research done by the Canopy staff, Tuesday s "appointment" in Dr Conneil's office must be unique for two resource it was a distinct "first such shower and probably the shortest shower ever given anywhere

Grandpappy Connell' He's still grinning over Daniel Tyron Connell's arrival and forgot to tell us how much the grandson weighed in at' Only Philip, the Conneil buildog that guards Gramp Conneil's fishing truck each day in the faculty parking lot in front of Nevins Hall seems unimpressed, totally, at the news from Athens and by the partying by VSC's Biology Department Philip was not in-

#### Airmen Enter VSC Through **Boot-strap Aid**

S, FRANK VIEUX

For many years the United Air Furew and many other branches of the National Defems have been offering to their members the opportunity to reach a higher educational level. "Boot strap" through which many airmen of Moody Air Furce Base have been attending regular courses at VSC, is one of those systems

This is an off-duty program and is purely on a voluntary basis. Many of the servicemen carry a full load of credit hours though they sumetimes stay on duty up to 12 hours a day

This year at VSC the 'Bout strap' program from Mood) was incorporated into the night class program frevious to fail quarter, the educational pro-grams were taught at Moody and accredited through Plorida State University Transfer of the system to VSC has greatly improved both the courses offered for base personnel and the expansion of the College's night class program

Expansion of the program encourages more military personnel to work toward a college education while at Moody. Said one airman, "The almosphere of the college seems to be more conducive to study than the aura at Moody."

"Boot-strap" provides finan-cial aid to military participants Three-fourths of the student's tuition is paid by the U.S.A.F. education office-books and the rest of his dues left at his own

Yet this is not the only figure of scholarship offered by the program Depending on the final grade obtained in each course and also the Central Base Fund, up to ninety per cent of the airman's participation could be

Is it not a good way to remind the youth of the day the im portance and benefit of educa tion? Let's hope that such a group of daring and exemplary young men will keep increasing at VSC

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The VSC besoball team has begun practice for the baseball season which will begin in March.

#### Baseball Action Begins With Pre-season Play

Spear headed by Coach Bill Grant, pre-season baseball began four weeks ago. At the present time, there are thirty players vying for the top positions, however, Coach Grant may cut the final number to twenty five

Due to graduation, this year's lineup will miss center-fielder Ben Bates, and All American first baseman Dennis Fike

Eddie Fischer, a junior this year received an All American Honorable Mention in his freshman year. Because of injury, he sat out most of last year's season. Claude Speck will also be back this year Clause was second in the nation for stolen bases. He stole 36 The entire pitching staff will return along with some new pitchers

According to Coach Grant, this year's preseason group is the best be has seen here at VSC Assisting in the baseball

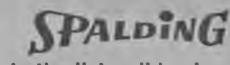
practice is Coach Jim Thomas, a new physical education teach-

He's reported to be doing "a fine job." The regular baseball season opens in mid-March.

The library now opens at 7 45 am. and closes at 10 00 pm., Monday through Thursday. It closes at 5 00 pm. on Friday. Saturday hours are 9 a.m. to 5 pm Sunday hours are 2 pm. to 5 pm.

#### SGEA Meets

The S.G.E.A. will meet Nov. 7 at 7:00 p.m. upstairs in the Student Union. All education majors are asked to attend



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Dr. Martin speaks at the groundbreaking ceremonies for the new women's dorm. Bill Pannell symbolically breaks ground.

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# Martin, Young, Pannell Break Ground For New Dormitory

A new \$803,315 residence hall for women was officially dedicated in groundbreaking ceremonies on October 25.

The three-story, 200-bed residence hall will be located by the Jewell Whitehead Camellia Trail on the north end of Main Campus, bordering Georgia Avenue.

Taking part in the ceremonies were President Martin, Dean Young, and SGA President Bill Pannell

President Martin commented on the growing rate of VSC, and stated that a 500-bed residence hall for women would be needed shortly.

Bill Pannell spoke of the growth of the student body and the growth of academic achievement. He told of the 3-R's of life in attaining academic success. They are: a sense of responsibility, respect of others and their ideals, and restraint.

Dean Young said that the

#### Announcements

Jim Walker, a junior at VSC and a native (Kamaaina) of Hawaii will speak on the Hawaiian Islands and show movies on Hawaii's volcanoes. His presentation will be given in upstairs College Union Thursday night, November 9 at 7:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

Sigma Alpha Chi meetings will be held on the last Tuesday of each month at 4:30 in room 206, West Hall. All members are urged to attend these meetings. new dormitory would be a living-learning center.

A small crowd of faculty and students witnessed the symbolic "breaking of the ground" by Dr. Martin, Dr. Young, and Bill Pannell.

The new residence hall was designed by Thomson and Sanders Architects of Valdosta.

Howard Ray of Nashville, Ga is the contractor for the deal ture. The residence half is scheduled for occupancy to cember, 1968.

The building design is Spanish Mission architecture, in keeping with the design of all other buildings on the VSC campus



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## SGA Plans Activities For Parent Week-end

weezend November 18 and 19 Headed by Richard Nifem and Garia Thompson, activities have haven planned to give the parnts a view of the campus and its activities.

Letters of invitation have heen sent to the parents of all VSC students to attend this event Richard Nijem urges that the students begin talking to their parents and encouraging them to come.

The week-end officially begins with registration at 8:00 Saturday morning. Following this a faculty coffee will be held in the College Union.

An assembly will be held in the gymnasium with SGA President Bill Pannell presiding, Dr. Martin will speak and introduce the department heads. Afterwards the parents will have an opportunity to visit with faculty members and four the campus,

#### Juniors Take College Board

In cooperation with a systemwide program of the University System Board of Regents, College Entrance Examination Board tests will be given to all juniors at Valdosta State College on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 7 and 8.

The announcement was made by George W. Young, VSC's dean

Dr Young pointed out that more than 550 juniors at VSC will participate. The tests will be given to all juniors enrolled in units of the University Sys-

Lunch will be served for parents in the cafeteria. That afternoon the IFC and Panhellenic Council will hold a cook-out. Also, that afternoon President and Mrs. Martin will have a reception in their home for the

Saturday night parents and students are invited to attend the play After the Fall or special entertainment in the gymnasium provided by the various organizations on campus. From 9:30 to 12, a dance will be held in the College Union.

Sunday, parents will visit in the various churches in the community and have lunch in the cafeteria.

#### **IFC Conducts Fund Project**

The Interfraternity Council is sponsoring two projects aimed at raising money for the United

Under the chairmanship of Jimmy Boland, Cordele, tickets are being sold for the Georgia Tech vs Florida State University freshmen football game.
The game will be played at
Cleveland Field on November 10 at 8:00 p.m.

The fraternities on campus have alternated selling the tickets. Also, each fraternity has been made responsible for securing donations from certain specified business establishments in the Valdosta area. This drive ends November 6.

The IFC wishes to make it clear that all proceeds go to the United Fund only.



Miss Nancy Lee, of Lakeland, Ga., 18-year old, blue-eyed, blond freshman, has been named winner in the college's annual Calendar Girl Contest, sponsored by Tau Kappa Epsilon social fraternity.

#### Nancy Lee Captures Calendar Girl Contest

Nancy Lee, a freshman from Lakeland, Ga. and a Kappa Delta pledge, was chosen Miss January in the TKE Calendar Girl contest held Wednesday night November 1 at Mathis Auditorium.

Completing the top five were first runner up Gloria Thompson, junior from Albany and Kappa Delta sister; second run-

gional economics. He hopes to

do further research in this area

and in the field of monetary

economics. He is married and

ner up Laura Brown, freshman from Blakely and Alpha Delta Pi pledge; third runner up Toni Bellew, sophomore from Covington and Alpha Xi Delta sister; and fourth runner up Ellen Campbell, sophomore from Atlanta and Phi Mu sister.

In order these girls were designated Miss February, Miss March, Miss April, and Miss

The remainder of the top twelve included Charlotte Cunningham, freshman from Valdosta and Independent; Leilani Stilb, freshman from Albany andd Independent; Rena Scoggins, freshman from Stone Mountain, Kappa Delta; Mary Martha Massey, junior from Quincy, Fla., Kappa Delta; Jan James, sophomore from Lyons, Alpha Delti Pi; Debbie Wright, freshman from Marietta, Alpha Xi Delta; and Shirley Geiger, junior from Gainesville, Fla.,

## Women Form Faculty Club

Women associated with the faculty of VSC have formed a club consisting of wives of faculty members and women of the faculty at VSC On October 25. this club was initiated.

The informal gathering was called together by President Martin who, after initial pleasantries, proceeded with the main order of business for the organizational meeting - the election of officers.

There was no election, however. A committee of men faculty members had given Dr. Martin a list of appointees to the various offices.

Officers for the club are Mrs. Webster Teague, president; Mrs. Robert Stump, vice-president; Mrs. Raymond Cook, secretary; and Mrs. William Gabard, trea-

An executive committee was also appointed. Its members are Mrs. Ren Christie, Mrs. Clyde Connell, Mrs. Mac Grigsby, Mrs. Shealy McCoy, Mrs. Thomas Renfro, Mrs. James Thornton, and Mrs. Graham Wall.

One purpose of this club is to help the approximately 140 faculty members and those associated with the factulty to get to know each other.

#### Key Unlocks Year's Plans

Black Key, the men's Leadership Honorary, has held its first organizational meeting. Several revisions were made in the constitution and two projects for the year were begun. The first is to attempt to develop a student loan fund, to be administered by the Dean of Student's Office. Dean Young and President Bill Moore are working out the details for this project. The second project is to aid in homecoming activities by holding a Black Key luncheon or banquet with a nationally known speak-

Black Key is an Honorary for senior college men who have an overall average of 2.5 and who are outstanding in at least three different phases of college life.

## Mrs. Valencia, Mr. Lewis Earn Degrees Of Highest Merit

Two members of the faculty at VSC have received their Ph.D. degrees. Mrs. Willa Valencia has obtained a doctorate in English, and Mr. David Lewis re-ceived a Ph.D. in business administration-economics.

Dr. Valencia, a native of Palatka, Fla., earned her degree at the University of Illinois where she taught for five years before coming to VSC. She was a student at Bob Jones University where she received her B.A. She then attended the University of Chattanooga and obtained her MEd. At the University of Tennessee the Masters degree was conferred upon

Dr. Valencia is a member of Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society and the Modern Language Association. She has one daughter, age three.

A native of Johnson City. Tennessee, Dr. Lewis joined the faculty of VSC in 1960. He atudied at Duke University where he received his A.B. in 1958. In 1959 he received his M.S. at the University of Tennessee, which now has awarded him his Ph D. While at the University of Tennessee, Dr. Lewis atrved as research associate and

instructor in the Department of

In conjunction with two coauthors, he is working on a book dealing with the topic of re-



Dr. David Lewis



Dr. Willa Valencia

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# Dr. Spivey Lectures

Dr. Ted R. Spivey, well-known authority on Georgia author, Flannery O'Conner, will give two lectures at Valdosta State College on November 16-17.

Miss O'Conner, who died at age 39 in 1964, has been acclaimed by critics as one of the most provocative and significant writers Georgia has produced. Her works have received wide international recognition, and have been translated into a number of languages.

Dr. Spivey is professor of English and Director of Lower Division Studies in the Department of English at Georgia State College. He served aboard the

U.S.S. Absecon (AVP23) in 1949. In 1950 he entered the graduate school of the University of Minnesota, where he received the Ph. D. in 1954.

After teaching two years at Emory, he became a member of the faculty of Georgia State in 1956. Author of Religious Themes in Two Modern Novelists, he is the co-author of A Manual of Style, and has published articles in Nineteenth-Century Fiction, Studies in Short Fiction and Esprit.

The public is invited to the lecture on Thursday at 11:00 A.M., in the college gym.

WAYNE STEPHENS

## Library Needs Improvement; Editor Suggests More Variety

I was very pleased to learn that the library has a \$99,000 budget for this year. If the library is to receive this much money, the students should expect many improvements in their library.

The library needs many, many more books. Any student who has written a research paper probably knows that our library is inadequate.

I have noticed that two or three copies of the same book can be found for a single issue of a book in the library. There are several of these books which have more than one copy. Many of these books are not used frequently enough to require more than one. It would be better to increase the variety rather than buying several editions of the same book.

The library needs to be less severe on the late charges. Last year a student returned four reference books three minutes late according to the library clock. The student's watch said that he was on time. A librarian was waiting and told the student that he would have to pay an overdue charge for an hour's time.

The student asked why there was an hour's charge for three minutes. The librarian replied, "Well, we just don't have time to break it down into minutes."

I wonder how many times this librarian has been late for work in the past seven weeks.

A complaint which the library has is that students steal over 800 books in a year's time. Over 90% of this could be stopped. There are only two entrances to the library. It would be very simple to have a student helper or one of the librarians check each student as he leaves to see if he is stealing books.

I refuse to believe that students will throw books out windows and then go outside to get them. Many of the books are taken from the library unintentionally and then are never returned. It is easy to forget to go by and check books out. As for those who steal intentionally; they can be stopped.

\$99,000! That's a lot of money. Books are very expensive, but \$99,000 will buy a many books.



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## Monster In Parking Lot Attacks Unwary Motorists

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the entrance to the parking lot next to Brown Hall. It can be easily recognized by the multicolor of paints which it displays. Each color of paint represents one damaged car and one lriver who is mad enough to chew nails. Anther pronounced characteristic is the very arked angle at which it leans.

Surely by now you have realized that the obct described is the 12 by 12 wooden post that narks the narrow entrance to the parking lot. Nobody seems to know why a 12 by 12 wooden post was erected in this place when something which inflicts less damage to an automobile would have sufficed.

Many cars on campus now bear the mark of this beast. Probably many more will be dam-

There is a dastardly object that stands at aged before someone takes action. The post should be removed and replaced by a rubber marker like, perhaps, a partially buried tire or anything that would not permanently damage an automobile. Maybe it need not be replaced by anything at all.

This post is not choosy about whose car it smashes up—the careless driver's or the careful driver's. But when the decision comes as to whether to sideswipe the post or another car, the post usually comes out with a new coat of paint to add to its collection.

Is VSC ready to make this daring stride forward by removing this car-wrecking monster, or will VSC continue its present trend and add such monsters to the entrances of the Hopper Hall parking lot?

Caught In A Bubble

By JIMMY WOMACK

Not long ago I sat in science class and was prepared again to be dwarfed by the lecturing of knowledge I knew nothing about. But this time it was a little different. Though I knew nothing about what was being said, I found myself enjoying the substance and the presenta-tion of the material. I was apprehensive over the enthusiasm of the professor's attitudes toward the possibilities in the scientific present. How his anxiety shone through, as he talked about the developments and predicted developments. I was, with the entirety of the class, caught up in this bubble as he spoke admiringly of the accompliments of the men of his cloth across history.

I was particularly intrigued with the mention of a worldwide television station and instant universal communication. As he continued, I thought that he had a right to boast about the world wide scientific order. I came to believe that these men of science see more clearly than any common order of humanity, never in terms of locality but a realm where all men basically evolve as peers in the collect No doubt, I assumed, this is of

religious nature.
Be it as it may, "Satan" sneaked an evil thought in on me. I pondered with all these valuable developments which really lend toward making us one, with the practical possibility of being a common order and of being a united world rather than having some United Nations-with all these things so clearly attaching man to man and piercing barriers of nationalism and race, we are still feudally divided against our own selves.

Leaving the professor momentarily, I proposed to my thinking passions and prejudices. I ventured that we have reneged on ourselves by allowing social vanity, racial pride and material drive to occupy full centrality in our lives. And that while we supposedly give support to the religious foreign policy "Go Ye" our actions and attitudes give different witness.

Then came to mind the inscription on the statue of the American Eagle at the Air Force Academy: "Man's flight through life is sustained by the power of his knowledge." Aha thought I, ne'er were truer words spoken. And I concluded that man's flight and knowledge through life are impeded by the degree of him separation.

#### **Company Offers Editorial Award**

Plans are now being made for the third annual Jack McDonough Editorial Award competition, sponsored each year by the Georgia Power Company for Georgia college students.

The contest, named in honor of Georgia Power's retired board chairman, seeks to recognize the Georgia college student who writes the best editorial on free enterprise in America and has the editorial published in his school newspaper during 1967.

The contest winner will receive a \$500 scholarship for two years' tuition to the Henry W. Grady School of Journalism at the University of Georgia. He will also receive a plaque of recognition and an electric typewriter.

No limit is set on the number of articles an individual or college may submit or on the length of the editorials.

Entries should be sent to Dean John E. Drewery, Henry W. Grady School of Journalism, Univer-Rily of Georgia, Athens A special faculty committee will judge the editorials.

The award will be presented at the next meeting of the Georgia Collegiate Press Association in February, 1968 Deadline for entries is Jan. 9, 1968



## Letters To Sam

Dear Sam Canis:

This letter is a bit intimate and I have reservations about writing it. But I am at Wit's End and I need help. You see, for two years I have been dating a man who is considerably older than I and as you would suspect, our relationship has materialized into a pretty close but healthy one. He has a thriving business back home and could easily support a family. But every time I mention marriage to him he sorta shrinks back and insists that he's too busy for a family and that his business occupies most of his time.

Not ripe in age but not gettings any younger, I want to start thinking about somebody to buy my groceries and it appears hopeless that I'll ever be able to compete with this man's business interest. What should I do? Should I look for another potential grocery-buyer or should I stick it out and compete with the business. Sincerely,

Epzibah P. Thortlestip

Dear Eppie,

Truly you are in "de toal hole." First off, if you are looking for groceries you might apply at the local welfare agency. I am told that a fellow named Johnson there has tremendous food-stamp and grocery bargains which cannot be overlooked by the economic minded woman of

our day. The only stipulations are you can't work and must endeavor to increase our population. Certain rumors are going around that they're going for an all time high this coming census. But if you're looking for companionship as well as groceries, I suggest that you go to another pasture. After two years and with a name like yours, if he hasn't convinced himself of matrimonial procedures, you've got no time to waste.

You ought to wise up after two years of hearing of the business. Incidentally, that appears to be what he's giving you—the business.

Helpfully, Sam Canis.

Dear Sam Canis:

I read in your column where someone was extremely upset about the shortness of girls' skirt lengths. I agree agree with them. They are too short. They are deplorable and ridiculous. I think something should be done about it. A movement should be started. A petition should be circulated. A stand should be made agaist this. To start a movement of this sort who do you suggest I go to first?

Homer Q. Drip Dear Drip, A PSYCHIATRIST!

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#### BSU Welcomes All Country "Bumpkins"

is extended to all students of VSC by Bonnie Foister, who is in charge of the BSU Social on shelled and later sold, and the Friday, November 10 at 730

To support the country theme stalks, hay, hayseeds, and pe-Bonnie asks that everyone who comes dress and act country. She describes country dress as

The pecans are the main reason for the party. They will be profits will be used for summer missions

After shelling the pecans, of the party, there will be corn-there will be games, relays, and folk singing by the entire group cans acattered over the BSU Musical instruments are also welcomed. Refreshments will be served - home made ice cream and hot chocolate

## Senior Receives Title Miss "See Georgia'

The number senior Argo Transport Ann VSL we crown ed his See tearge of 1007. The contain, which took prince June 19 and 24 at Calley, teardens, consisted of evening govern and swim auti competition and the delivery of extempo-raneous speeches about Georgia.

Along with the coveted title, Miss Thompson received a \$500 savings bond, luggage, and \$300 for a wardrobe from the chamber of commerce of her home town Blakely, Georgia

As the "Tourism Queen of Georgia," Miss Thompson works with the Tourism Division of the Georgia Department of Industry and Trade She must always prepared to make public appearances and give speeches which promote Georgia. This summer

Canadian National Exhibition and walked in the

Endowed with beautiful brown eyes, shining brown hair, and a pleasant smile, Miss Thompson is also a VSC Calendar Girl and one of the ten best dressed girls on campus. Last year she was chosen best supporting actress for her performance in Middle of the Night.

Miss Thompson is a member of Kappa Delta sorority, Alpha Pai Omega, and president of Sock and Buskin After gradua tion Miss Thompson, who is majoring in secondary educa tion, plans to teach English and speech.

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#### Athletes Form Letter Club

VSC's newly organized Letter Club, made up of varsity athletes of the 68-67 season, elected officers Tuesday, October 24.

All students who lettered in either baseball, basketball, golf, or tennis are eligible for membership.

Officers of the club are David Coley, president; Mike Terry, vice president; Bob Anderson, secretary; Eddie Fisher, treasurer; and Bryan Phillips, sergeantat-arms. Advising the club are Mr. Stan DeHart, Mr. Gary Bass, and Coach Bill Grant.

In the future the Letter Club plans to promote varsity athletics, provide scholarships for deserving athletes, and obtain a trophy case for the school and stands for the tennis courts.

#### Campus Scenes

Girl doing strip-tease act in Mr. Stan DeHart's Speech 105 class. She wanted to prove a point.

Sam sitting by mailbox, patiently waiting for fan mail.



Director John Rudy runs through a scene with leading actors, Larry Long and Myra Roundtree in the Speech and Drama Department's production of "After the Fall" by Arthur Miller. The play is scheduled to run November 15-18, at Pound Hall Auditorium on North Campus.

#### Dorm Gets House Daddy

Part of the "changing scene" at VSC is the innovation of a "house-daddy" for the men's residence hall on North Campus. The job of instilling the virtues of law and order in the men of Barrow Hall falls upon Mr. Wayne Foster.

Mr. Foster comes from Memphis, Tennessee. He obtained his Masters Degree in economics from Memphis State where he also did his undergraduate work and taught on a graduate assistantship. He is considering the University of Missouri or the University of Illinois for later study toward his doctorate.

Mr. Foster likes VSC. He also likes living in Valdosta. However, he is "used to a large city." "There is a little more activity in Memphis," he commented. This feeling is understandable since Mr. Foster is 24 and single.

Living in a dormitory is a new experience for Mr. Foster. He lived off campus during his years in college. His only complaint against Barrow Hall is that "the lack of air-conditioning presents some study problems." The "house-daddy" thinks the men at Barrow are a "pretty great bunch of guys."

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#### APO Selects New Pledges

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Officers of the pledge class are David Stola, president, Valdosta; Abe Kalil, vice president, Valdosta; Bill Kell, secretary, Swainsboro; and Tommy Collier, treasurer, Meigs.

Remainder of the pledge class includes Joe Coutu, West Warwick, R. I.; Ron Lavoie, Woonsockett, R. I.; Larry Hayslip, Albany; Bob Douglas, Tallahassee, Fla.; Charles Joiner, Valdosta; Terry Day, Quitman; Neil McGahee, Decatur; Kenneth Norton, Valdosta; Pete D'Ambrosio, Bethlehem, Pa.; and Perry Baskins, Valdosta.

Three brothers were initiated on October 25. They are Ron Puris, Atlanta; Larry North, Hahira; and Gary Hicks, Thomasville

APO's will run the old Student Center from 10 to 10 daily.

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# Student Takes "Trip" To Discover "Truth"

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article is the first of a three part serion the experiences of a VSC student with LSD which was tried neat VSC, but elsewhere.

#### By ED LIGHTSEY

Recently, a VSC student took 500 miligrams of lysergic acid diethylamide and tripped out. In any other part of the country this would hardly raise an eyebrow, but in southeast Georgia it seems a major event. One wonders why anyone would want to use drugs for anything, except medicinal purposes, especially LSD. Let us find out.

"I've read so much about acid—the good and the bad—that I had to find out the truth for myself. After taking it, I can honestly say I found out the truth about the drug, but more important, I unearthed some truths about myself."

In discussing LSD and his trip (the first one for him) you immediately notice the sincerity of his conversation and realize that he did not use the acid for "kicks."

"Anyone who takes LSD for kicks is running the risk of a 'freak out' (bad trip). I firmly believe that acid should be used only by those who are concerned with the truth; about themselves, their moral values, even their destinies. I took LSD because I wanted to clear away all the physical aspects of my mind and body, and I did just that, I found that while on my trip, I freed my mind to concentrate on my spiritual self, soul if you will. It was the

closest I ever came to a triunderstanding of Me. Even cell in my body was distinct and singular, and I could feel then moving toward my mind."

When asked if he thought I would trip out at every oppotunity, he replied, "Definite not. I would only use it when I felt a need. If maybe my minibecame cluttered and I become confused again . . . I don't wars to lead a chemical life."

What are these truths I spoke of and how did their di covery affect him?

"I found that there is more to life than money and the status it brings. I found myset in a world that was create: without my knowledge but which I now control and that the world of my mind."

"I also came to the sudderealization that war in any form is absurd and created by members who place material values of everything. It is not beautiful, the only beautiful death is natural one."

"And this is the only conflic I had while I was up. I feare all the natural or god-madthings I saw but felt comfort able around all the man-mad things. When a tree frightened me, I just changed it into plastic, and it became man-mad and therefore friendly. I feel little more at home in the worknow. It seems a little more har monious. Say, isn't that wha Plato was after?"

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