

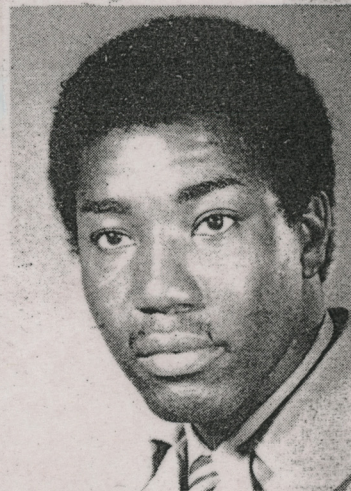
# VSC Employs First Black Faculty Member

Louis E. Dunbar, 24, a native of Savannah and a graduate of Atlanta University, joined Valdosta State College this fall as the institution's first Black faculty member. The announcement was made by VSC President S. Walter Martin, following approval by the Board of Regents.

Dr. Martin said Mr. Dunbar will be an assistant professor in the School of Education.

Dr. Ray Cleere, Dean of the School of Education, said, "Mr. Dunbar's primary responsibility will be to work closely with the College Library in development of a campus-wide audio-visual and teaching materials center. He will also serve as an instructor in the use of basic audio-visual equipment and education materials.

"He has completed his masters work at Atlanta University which offers one of the finest programs of this type anywhere in the Southeast. This back



Dr. Cleere also said it is his hope that Mr. Dunbar's work at VSC will provide a source of ready information for public schools, as they move toward more involvement with media in their instructional programs.

Following graduation from Sol. C. Johnson High School in Savannah, Mr. Dunbar received his A.B. degree in modern language and education from Talladega College. He has recently completed the M.S. in Library

Science at Atlanta University.

Mr. Dunbar's educational experience also includes a year at Talladega College during which he taught English and French and served as Coordinator of Extra-Curricular Activities. He is a member of Alpha Chi National Honor Society, the American Library Association and was listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.