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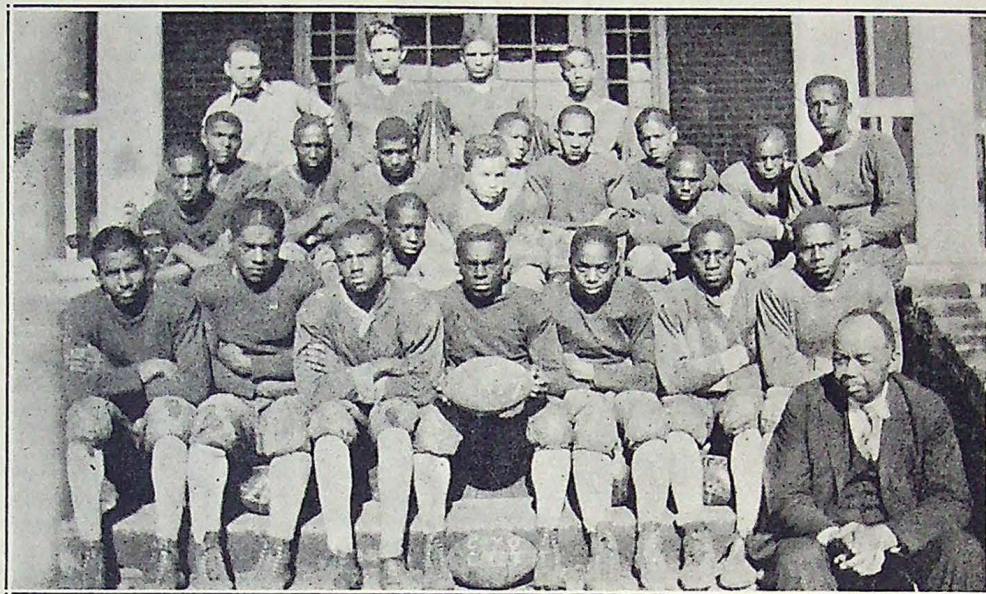
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His rendition of "Going Home" as an encore was a most graceful interpretation of the calm assurance of the believer. The artist was accompanied by Percival Parham, pianist. His programme follows.

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Recent visitors on our campus, members of our board: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. William Richie, all of Germantown, Pa. A number of other visitors were: Rev. Nash, pastor of M. E. church, Christiansburg, Va.; Rev. Howard, president of alumni association of C. I. I., Bluefield, W. Va.; Dr. Yancey of Roanoke, Va.; Mrs. J. J. Wiggins, alumna of C. I. I., Bluefield, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Downing and children of Salem, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Jorden and Mr. Mozeik of Lynchburg, Va.; and Mr. Roy Ellis of Washington, D. C.

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The football season will be over in another month and then the students can look into the textbooks and find out what it's all about.

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A woman who is always ready to tell everything she knows seldom stops there.

## Alumni News

Dr. W. E. Mayo, '09, is practicing dentistry in Akron, Ohio.

Rev. Thomas G. Howard, '06, has been appointed district superintendent of the Bluefield district of the East Tennessee conference, Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. Clyde Perry, '11, is a practicing attorney in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Guernie McMillan, '11, is teaching at Independence, Va.

Mr. J. Robert Franklin, '26, is teaching at Alleghany Springs, Va.

Mrs. Ida Banks McNorton, '28, is the primary teacher at the William D. Gresham school, New River, Va.

Mr. Zedekiah Holmes, '30, has recently accepted a position as teacher in Grayson county. Teaching in the same county are Miss Belle Mae Campbell, '30, and Mr. Zimri Holmes, '28.

Miss Patty Thomas, '22, is teaching in Glassboro, N. J.

Mrs. Moneida (Henderson) Brown, '19, is teaching at Farmville, Va.

Mrs. Victoria (Bentley) Brown, '24, is teaching in Prince Edward county, Va.

Misses Julia Caesar, '27, and Neutrice Wilson, '28, were both members of the debating teams at Virginia State College, 1930.

Mrs. Dessie (Lewis) Mallory, '18, is teaching near Riner, Va. Mrs. Anna (Claytor) Wilson, '26, who completed the courses at Crane College, Chicago, after graduating from Christiansburg, is teaching at Boissevain, Va.

The editors of the Echo will be very glad to have all graduates and ex-students to send in a line stating what you are doing and where you are.



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Mathematics, Coach

Miss Maude V. Walker  
Howard University  
English, History, French

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Columbia University, Talladega University  
Science, Physical Education

Miss Evelyn A. Johnson  
Fisk University  
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Massachusetts Agriculture College  
Agriculture, Farm Manager

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Matron

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Dietitian

Miss Josephine Scruggs  
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Stenographer

Mr. John W. Lester  
Blacksmith, Machinery

Mrs. Helen Pinkney  
Hampton Institute  
Fifth and Sixth Grades

Mrs. Hauzie J. Walker  
Virginia State College  
Third and Fourth Grades

Mrs. Lou Ella McNorton  
Alanta University  
First and Second Grades

**Class Clippings****Senior Class**

The seniors have organized into a wide-awake and busy class under the auspices of Miss Maude V. Walker as their leader. The officers are as follows:

President	Frank A. Johnson
Vice President	Charles Hunter
Secretary	Yolanda Taylor
Treasurer	J. C. Lormans
Class Reporter	Carrie McNorton
Sponsor	Miss Maude V. Walker

Miss Walker has given several lectures to this class on self-control and is still putting before them the lives of good and great men as examples. The class fully appreciate her lectures and are working to the end to make themselves and Christiansburg Institute a success.

Hallowe'en party given on Friday, Oct. 31, by the class. The seniors beautifully decorated the gymnasium with fodder, candles, pumpkins, paper of various colors, and students were present from 7:30 until 11:00 o'clock.

Among the conspicuous guests were Virginia Moss, who wore a beautiful costume decorated with Hallowe'en symbols, Curtis Claytor, playing the girl, Novia Hampton, resembling a Dutch, while Ellen McNorton and Attivie Wilson were neatly attired as young men.

**Junior Class**

The officers are as follows:

President	Herbert Waldren
Vice President	Emmett Campbell
Secretary	Dorothy Hill
Assistant Secretary	Attivie Wilson
Treasurer	Arinthia Johnson
Chaplain	Bernard Finney
Sponsor	Miss Stella Harriston

The junior class is following close in the seniors' footsteps. They have planned a large program for the coming year.

**Sophomore Class**

The sophomore class, with Miss Sadie Marie Walker as their sponsor, have elected the following officers:

President	Una Mae Carlisle
Vice President	Nathan Holmes
Secretary	Clementine Darley
Treasurer	Lucille Lester
Chaplain	Richard Sullivan

The class worked out an interesting project dealing with business letters. The class was divided into two groups led by Dorothy Eaden and Andrew Sanders. The group led by Dorothy Eaden and composed of the following members of the class presented the best project:

Henrietta McNorton  
Norvelle Johnson  
Una Mae Carlisle  
Ruby Bibbs  
Geneva Lipscomb  
Cecil Mitchell  
Wade Sears

In a basketball game played between the sophomore and junior girls, Una Mae Carlisle, center, suffered a fractured knee. Nathan Holmes has spent several week-ends in Galax.

The following represent the class on the football team:

Andrew Sanders  
Richard Sullivan  
Keith Diggs  
Horace Lucas

The sponsor of this class has given sev-

eral talks on culture, which has been highly appreciated by the class.

**Freshman Class**

The freshman class was organized Sept. 24, 1930. The officers are as follows:

President	Emanuel Tidline
Vice President	Wallace Lester
Secretary	Blanche Reavis
Assistant Secretary	Emberzetta Clark
Chaplain	Curtis Claytor
Treasurer	Helen Lipscomb
Reporter	Nancy Brown
Sponsor	Miss L. Goodgame

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**Editorial****The C. I. I. Echo, 1930-31**

We have at last succeeded in carrying out a long thought of plan by publishing this first issue of the C. I. I. Echo.

This being the first issue we are hoping that it will be of interest to every citizen of our town. We recognize the fact that our tasks become greater as we strive to equal or excel other high school papers. For the task in hand we need the assistance of every citizen, and, indeed, of every individual in this school. We have selected what we consider a very efficient staff, but in our capacity as news managers, we can be efficient only as the sources of news are open to us.

We are happy to relate that the students of the school have given us every possible assistance and courtesy in our quest of news. We appreciate and wish to thank all the citizens that have helped us by giving us advertisements. The students also responded wholeheartedly when we asked for contributions to the C. I. I. Echo. If the students will do their part and we know they will, our work will be made much easier and more pleasant.

Help us to serve you.

Editor-in-Chief.

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**Y. M. C. A.**

The Y. M. C. A. had its opening meeting and installed the following officers:

President	John C. Goode
Vice President	Leedom Jones
Secretary	Frank Johnson
Treasurer	John C. Lormans
Chairman of finance committee	

Charles Hunter  
"Membership" ..... Herbert Waldren  
Chaplain ..... Bernard Finney  
Sponsor ..... Mr. A. J. Pinckney

John Lormans, Bernard Finney and Charles Hunter, accompanied by Prof. A. M. Walker and Mr. A. J. Pinckney attended the Olden boys conference at Virginia State college. The Y expects to push over a big program this term under leadership of the corps staff of officers.

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**Things That Don't Agree—**

John Goode—Getting to class on time.  
Delila Baker—Solid Geometry.  
Charles Hunter—Singing bass.  
Richard Sullivan—Telling the truth.  
Miss M. V. Walker—Back talk; absence from class; failure to bring in work.  
Leedom Jones—Studying lessons.  
Mr. A. A. Gaskins—Opening geometry text books at the blackboard.  
The students—Cornbread three times a day.



**Clubs**

The Douglas Literary society is sponsored this quarter by Mrs. A. M. Walker, Miss Scruggs and Mr. Pinckney.

Its officers are:

President ..... Charles Hunter  
Vice President ..... John Lormans  
Secretary ..... Avey Caesar  
Assistant Secretary ..... Geneva Nelson  
Chaplain ..... Bernard Finney

The purpose of this club is to give the students an opportunity to show their various talents.

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**The Junior-Senior Art Society**

The Juniors and Seniors have been united in a cooperative art society, with Miss Evelyn Johnson as their sponsor.

Its officers are:

President ..... Emmett Campbell  
Vice President ..... Charles Hunter  
Secretary ..... Dorothy Hill  
Assistant Secretary ..... Avey Caesar  
Treasurer ..... Leedom Jones

The purpose of this society is to develop a better spirit between the classes. At a recent meeting the society discussed "Etiquette." The meetings are held twice a month.

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**The Y. W. C. A.**

The officers for this year are as follows:

President ..... Estella Perkins  
Vice President ..... Yolanda Taylor  
Secretary ..... Lottie M. Palmer  
Treasurer ..... Lillian Willis  
Sponsor ..... Miss Sadie Marie Walker

On Oct. 15 the cabinet met with its sponsor for the purpose of planning the program for the coming year. This was followed by a delightful repast. On Oct. 22 the girls gave a program to the Douglas Literary Society. Sunday evening, Nov. 9, the president entertained the cabinet and the members of the faculty.

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**Elite Social Club**

The Elite Social Club has for the ensuing year the following officers:

President ..... John C. Lormans  
Vice President ..... Leedom Jones  
Secretary ..... Frank A. Johnson  
Treasurer ..... Bernard Finney  
Chaplin ..... Herbert Walden  
Sponsor ..... Mr. A. A. Gaskins

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**The Athletic Association**

The Athletic association was organized October 30, 1930, under the sponsorship of Miss Sadie Marie Walker and Mr. Allen Gaskins, for the purpose of increasing the interest of the students in athletics. The following officers were elected:

President ..... John C. Goode  
Vice President ..... Leedom Jones  
Secretary ..... Geneva Nelson  
Assistant Secretary ..... Lovey Basey

The following committee was appointed by the president to make a set of rules for the association: Wallace Lester, Page Walker, Dorothy Hill, Richard White, Attie Wilson, Anna Clayton, Helen Walker, Nathaniel Buford.

The cheer leaders elected were Emmett Campbell and Avey A. Caesar.

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Farmer: What have you been doing this morning, Tom?

Tom: I have been feeding the hogs.

**Kampus Komics****Leap in and Limp Out**

On the campus of C. I. I. one is confronted with the usual "Struggle Buggy," better and more popularly known as the high school flivver. One may truthfully and rightfully think of the phrase when entering this flivver, "Leap in, Limp Out." The alternation may mean either of two things. If one takes a chance and leaps in the flivver the chances are that the chassis or one or more wheels of this particular flivver will disengage themselves from the other parts and the latest passenger will be found limping out of the wreckage; or it may mean that those already in the car will put up such a force of resistance that the newcomer being unable to stand the fury and competition, will limp out of the car a sad but wiser man.

Another interesting figure about this flivver of W. C.'s is that it has four wheels

AND NO BRAKES.

We Wonder Why—

They call John Goode "Peck."

They call Leedom Jones "Snake."

They call Lillian Willis "Bill."

Richard Hebron doesn't wear rubber heels.

Keith Diggs is so crazy about Prof. Gaskins.

Bertie B. uses so much rouge.

Tidline calls himself "Old Boy."

M. E. H. is so familiar with K. W.

L. P. attends prayer meeting every Friday night.

The teachers don't know any letter of the alphabet except F.

The most extraordinary picture of the year—

Nat Buford in "I Ain't Got Nobody and Nobody Cares for Me."

Frank Johnson in "Tell 'Em About Me."

The teachers in "Working You for No Reason at All."

Leedom Jones and Frank Johnson in "Touchdown."

M. S. and J. P. in "I Need Some Height."

Eager young man (who has called up a bored one): "I can't wait any longer, dear. I really had to 'phone. Will you marry me?"

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Beverly, Bertha  
Blackwell, Bertha  
Caloway, George  
Cambell, Alma  
Carr, T. John  
Carr, May, Ada  
Edmondson, Cecil  
Edmondson, Leberta  
Eubanks, Nina  
Faulkner, James  
Ford, Alberta  
Ford, Gladys  
Harriston, Geraldine  
Hawkins, Carrie  
Helem, Coolidge  
Henderson, Clarence  
Johnson, Edith  
Johnson, Rudolph  
McDaniel, Cora  
McDaniel, Ethel  
McDaniel, Mary  
McNorton, Alma  
Sweeney, Heywood  
Sweeney, Ulysses  
Thompson, Virginia  
Tyler, Thelma

Perfect attendance for third grade:

Alexander, William  
Blackwell, Floyd  
Clark, Alma  
Johnson, Boyd  
Lester, Charlie

Perfect attendance fourth grade:

Alexander, Edith  
Dooley, Charlie  
Dooley, Geraldine  
Ford, John  
Franklin, Gladys  
Matthews, Virginia  
Taliver, William  
Walder, Samuel  
Walker, Yvonne

Perfect attendance for fifth and sixth grades:

Blackwell, Geraldine  
Cambell, Julia  
Conner, Marian  
Cousins, Margaret  
Crowder, Eva  
Holmes, B. Mary  
Johnson, Richard  
Lester, E. John  
Lester, William  
Morgan, Elizabeth  
Reynolds, Walter

The Hill school has a share in the Dental Clinic held in the county by Dr. Fred Morton.

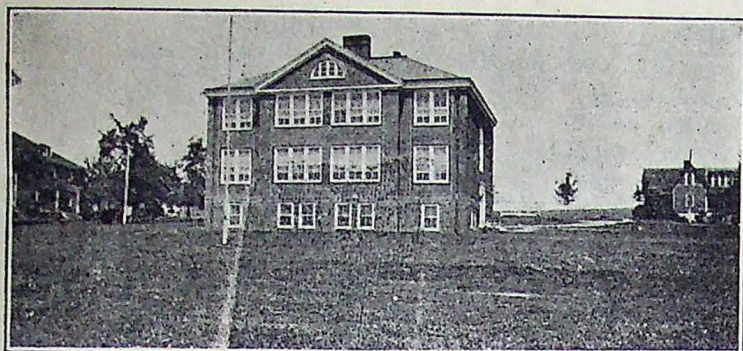
A Hallowe'en party was enjoyed by the children. Many of the girls wore appropriate costumes. The smaller ones were thrilled to the highest with the masks.

It was a real pleasure to have our tactful and efficient Mrs. Helen Pinckney with us again after several years absence.

Mrs. A. M. Walker thinks she has the most interesting third and fourth grade to be found.

Something in the atmosphere keeps





the Hill corp-general enthusiastic and cooperative.

To keep the Hill school represented as a hundred percent school as far as dental work is concerned, sales are being held by the fifth and sixth grades.

The members of the fifth and sixth grades are planning to present a play for Thanksgiving entitled, "The Magic Thanksgiving Pie."

Cast:

The Mother ..... Elizabeth Morgan  
Poor lame girl ..... Virginia Clark  
Magician ..... Mask Campbell  
Fairies .....  
Julia Campbell, Aileen McDaniel, Virginia Thompson, Louise Gray, Margaret Cousins, Geraldine Blackwell, Pauline Johnson, Juanita Johnson.

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### Story

#### Caught Unprepared by the Teacher

A few nights ago I put up my book and went to a dance, thinking I would have time enough in the morning to get my lessons. I stayed out nearly all night. The clock was striking four when I eased in bed. As soon as I hit the sheets I was fast asleep. It seemed as if I had only been in bed a few seconds when the old bell was ringing like the bell of liberty, for it was class time and there I was, no sleep, no breakfast, and no lessons. With all my swiftness I got over to the classroom about ten minutes late. When I entered my class the students looked as if it was the first time they had seen their classmate. The teacher too seemed cross, for she spoke with a snappy tone. "Jones, why are you late this morning?"

"Well, Miss Teacher, it was this way, the fire went out and I had to make one and that is why I am so late."

With a flash of the eye over the classroom she looked at me again.

"You may read your paper next."

Knowing all the time that I didn't have the paper, I went to the front. I began looking through my dirty notebook for

the paper, turning page after page for about a minute. Finally I confessed that I did not write the paper. The teacher looked at me with those big eyes and uttered: "Take your seat you lazy bum, you remain after class is excused."

When the class was excused I began to get cute and saucy, but this did not last long for in a few minutes she had me standing in the corner on one foot. The thing that made me feel bad was that other classes came in and made fun of me standing in the corner. After making me stand on one foot, I had to wash the blackboard, sweep the floor and then write "I must not try to bluff my teacher" two thousand times.

Well, after this I was too angry to eat dinner so I pouted all the evening. The evening passed very slowly, but at last I heard the sound of the gong for supper and I was the first one to get to the dining room. Well, one time in my life I was treated royal, for I was placed at a little white table in the middle of the dining room alone. It was neatly decorated with silver and a large bunch of flowers in the center. The matron honored me by having me sing a solo, then the bell was tapped for eating. The waitress was kinder that day than ever. The first thing she brought in was a glass of ice water and some toothpicks. Well, I waited there for a time taking a sip of water now and then and smelling the good old beans and cornbread. Oh, well, I said to myself, I am getting an extra dinner today, why not wait at ease, and I waited there until the bell was tapped to leave the dining room.

Boys, if you want to get along with your teachers, prepare your lessons.

By Leedom Jones.

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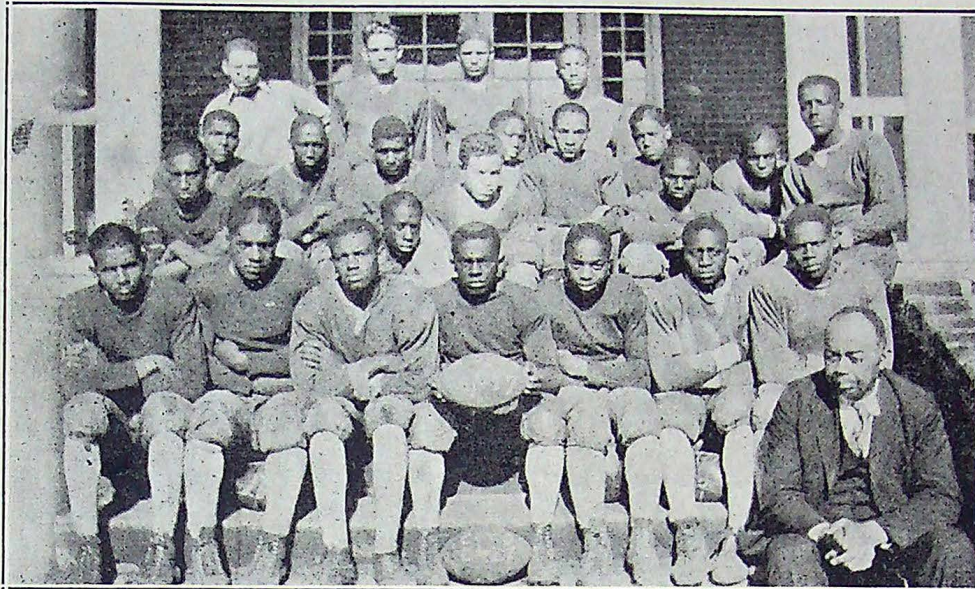
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Recent visitors on our campus, members of our board: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. William Richie, all of Germantown, Pa. A number of other visitors were: Rev. Nash, pastor of M. E. church, Christiansburg, Va.; Rev. Howard, president of alumni association of C. I. I., Bluefield, W. Va.; Dr. Yancey of Roanoke, Va.; Mrs. J. J. Wiggins, alumna of C. I. I., Bluefield, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Downing and children of Salem, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Jorden and Mr. Mozeik of Lynchburg, Va.; and Mr. Roy Ellis of Washington, D. C.

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The football season will be over in another month and then the students can look into the textbooks and find out what it's all about.

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A woman who is always ready to tell everything she knows seldom stops there.

## Alumni News

Dr. W. E. Mayo, '09, is practicing dentistry in Akron, Ohio.

Rev. Thomas G. Howard, '06, has been appointed district superintendent of the Bluefield district of the East Tennessee conference, Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. Clyde Perry, '11, is a practicing attorney in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Guernie McMillan, '11, is teaching at Independence, Va.

Mr. J. Robert Franklin, '26, is teaching at Alleghany Springs, Va.

Mrs. Ida Banks McNorton, '28, is the primary teacher at the William D. Gresham school, New River, Va.

Mr. Zedekiah Holmes, '30, has recently accepted a position as teacher in Grayson county. Teaching in the same county are Miss Belle Mae Campbell, '30, and Mr. Zimri Holmes, '28.

Miss Patty Thomas, '22, is teaching in Glassboro, N. J.

Mrs. Moneida (Henderson) Brown, '19, is teaching at Farmville, Va.

Mrs. Victoria (Bentley) Brown, '24, is teaching in Prince Edward county, Va.

Misses Julia Caesar, '27, and Neutrice Wilson, '28, were both members of the debating teams at Virginia State College, 1930.

Mrs. Dessie (Lewis) Mallory, '18, is teaching near Riner, Va. Mrs. Anna (Claytor) Wilson, '26, who completed the courses at Crane College, Chicago, after graduating from Christiansburg, is teaching at Boissevain, Va.

The editors of the Echo will be very glad to have all graduates and ex-students to send in a line stating what you are doing and where you are.



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Third and Fourth Grades

Mrs. Lou Ella McNorton  
Alanta University  
First and Second Grades

## Class Clippings

### Senior Class

The seniors have organized into a wide-awake and busy class under the auspices of Miss Maude V. Walker as their leader. The officers are as follows:

President	Frank A. Johnson
Vice President	Charles Hunter
Secretary	Yolanda Taylor
Treasurer	J. C. Lormans
Class Reporter	Carrie McNorton
Sponsor	Miss Maude V. Walker

Miss Walker has given several lectures to this class on self-control and is still putting before them the lives of good and great men as examples. The class fully appreciate her lectures and are working to the end to make themselves and Christiansburg Institute a success.

Hallowe'en party given on Friday, Oct. 31, by the class. The seniors beautifully decorated the gymnasium with fodder, candles, pumpkins, paper of various colors, and students were present from 7:30 until 11:00 o'clock.

Among the conspicuous guests were Virginia Moss, who wore a beautiful costume decorated with Hallowe'en symbols, Curtis Claytor, playing the girl, Novia Hampton, resembling a Dutch, while Ellen McNorton and Attivie Wilson were neatly attired as young men.

### Junior Class

The officers are as follows:

President	Herbert Waldren
Vice President	Emmett Campbell
Secretary	Dorothy Hill
Assistant Secretary	Attivie Wilson
Treasurer	Arinthia Johnson
Chaplain	Bernard Finney
Sponsor	Miss Stella Harriston

The junior class is following close in the seniors' footsteps. They have planned a large program for the coming year.

### Sophomore Class

The sophomore class, with Miss Sadie Marie Walker as their sponsor, have elected the following officers:

President	Una Mae Carlisle
Vice President	Nathan Holmes
Secretary	Clementine Darley
Treasurer	Lucille Lester
Chaplain	Richard Sullivan

The class worked out an interesting project dealing with business letters. The class was divided into two groups led by Dorothy Eaden and Andrew Sanders. The group led by Dorothy Eaden and composed of the following members of the class presented the best project:

Henrietta McNorton  
Norvelle Johnson  
Una Mae Carlisle  
Ruby Bibbs  
Geneva Lipscomb  
Cecil Mitchell  
Wade Sears

In a basketball game played between the sophomore and junior girls, Una Mae Carlisle, center, suffered a fractured knee. Nathan Holmes has spent several week-ends in Galax.

The following represent the class on the football team:

Andrew Sanders  
Richard Sullivan  
Keith Diggs  
Horace Lucas

The sponsor of this class has given sev-

eral talks on culture, which has been highly appreciated by the class.

### Freshman Class

The freshman class was organized Sept. 24, 1930. The officers are as follows:

President	Emanuel Tidline
Vice President	Wallace Lester
Secretary	Blanche Reavis
Assistant Secretary	Emberzetta Clark
Chaplain	Curtis Claytor
Treasurer	Helen Lipscomb
Reporter	Nancy Brown
Sponsor	Miss L. Goodgame

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## Editorial

### The C. I. I. Echo, 1930-31

We have at last succeeded in carrying out a long thought of plan by publishing this first issue of the C. I. I. Echo.

This being the first issue we are hoping that it will be of interest to every citizen of our town. We recognize the fact that our tasks become greater as we strive to equal or excel other high school papers. For the task in hand we need the assistance of every citizen, and, indeed, of every individual in this school. We have selected what we consider a very efficient staff, but in our capacity as news managers, we can be efficient only as the sources of news are open to us.

We are happy to relate that the students of the school have given us every possible assistance and courtesy in our quest of news. We appreciate and wish to thank all the citizens that have helped us by giving us advertisements. The students also responded wholeheartedly when we asked for contributions to the C. I. I. Echo. If the students will do their part and we know they will, our work will be made much easier and more pleasant.

Help us to serve you.

Editor-in-Chief.

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### Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. had its opening meeting and installed the following officers:

President	John C. Goode
Vice President	Leedom Jones
Secretary	Frank Johnson
Treasurer	John C. Lormans
Chairman of finance committee	Charles Hunter

"Membership" ..... Herbert Waldren  
Chaplain ..... Bernard Fenney  
Sponsor ..... Mr. A. J. Pinckney

John Lormans, Bernard Finney and Charles Hunter, accompanied by Prof. A. M. Walker and Mr. A. J. Pinckney attended the Olden boys conference at Virginia State college. The Y expects to push over a big program this term under leadership of the corps staff of officers.

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### Things That Don't Agree—

John Goode—Getting to class on time.  
Delila Baker—Solid Geometry.  
Charles Hunter—Singing bass.  
Richard Sullivan—Telling the truth.  
Miss M. V. Walker—Back talk; absence from class; failure to bring in work.  
Leedom Jones—Studying lessons.  
Mr. A. A. Gaskins—Opening geometry text books at the blackboard.  
The students—Cornbread three times a day.



**Clubs**

The Douglas Literary society is sponsored this quarter by Mrs. A. M. Walker, Miss Scruggs and Mr. Pinckney.

Its officers are:

President ..... Charles Hunter  
Vice President ..... John Lormans  
Secretary ..... Avey Caesar  
Assistant Secretary ..... Geneva Nelson  
Chaplain ..... Bernard Finney

The purpose of this club is to give the students an opportunity to show their various talents.

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**The Junior-Senior Art Society**

The Juniors and Seniors have been united in a cooperative art society, with Miss Evelyn Johnson as their sponsor.

Its officers are:

President ..... Emmett Campbell  
Vice President ..... Charles Hunter  
Secretary ..... Dorothy Hill  
Assistant Secretary ..... Avey Caesar  
Treasurer ..... Leedom Jones

The purpose of this society is to develop a better spirit between the classes. At a recent meeting the society discussed "Etiquette." The meetings are held twice a month.

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**The Y. W. C. A.**

The officers for this year are as follows:

President ..... Estella Perkins  
Vice President ..... Yolanda Taylor  
Secretary ..... Lottie M. Palmer  
Treasurer ..... Lillian Willis  
Sponsor ..... Miss Sadie Marie Walker

On Oct. 15 the cabinet met with its sponsor for the purpose of planning the program for the coming year. This was followed by a delightful repast. On Oct. 22 the girls gave a program to the Douglas Literary Society. Sunday evening, Nov. 9, the president entertained the cabinet and the members of the faculty.

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**Elite Social Club**

The Elite Social Club has for the ensuing year the following officers:

President ..... John C. Lormans  
Vice President ..... Leedom Jones  
Secretary ..... Frank A. Johnson  
Treasurer ..... Bernard Finney  
Chaplin ..... Herbert Walden  
Sponsor ..... Mr. A. A. Gaskins

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**The Athletic Association**

The Athletic association was organized October 30, 1930, under the sponsorship of Miss Sadie Marie Walker and Mr. Allen Gaskins, for the purpose of increasing the interest of the students in athletics. The following officers were elected:

President ..... John C. Goode  
Vice President ..... Leedom Jones  
Secretary ..... Geneva Nelson  
Assistant Secretary ..... Lovey Basey

The following committee was appointed by the president to make a set of rules for the association: Wallace Lester, Page Walker, Dorothy Hill, Richard White, Attie Wilson, Anna Claytor, Helen Walker, Nathaniel Buford.

The cheer leaders elected were Emmett Campbell and Avey A. Caesar.

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Farmer: What have you been doing this morning, Tom?

Tom: I have been feeding the hogs.

**Kampus Komics****Leap in and Limp Out**

On the campus of C. I. I. one is confronted with the usual "Struggle Buggy," better and more popularly known as the high school flivver. One may truthfully and rightfully think of the phrase when entering this flivver, "Leap in, Limp Out." The alternation may mean either of two things. If one takes a chance and leaps in the flivver the chances are that the chassis or one or more wheels of this particular flivver will disengage themselves from the other parts and the latest passenger will be found limping out of the wreckage; or it may mean that those already in the car will put up such a force of resistance that the newcomer being unable to stand the fury and competition, will limp out of the car a sad but wiser man.

Another interesting figure about this flivver of W. C.'s is that it has four wheels AND NO BRAKES.

We Wonder Why—

They call John Goode "Peck."

They call Leedom Jones "Snake."

They call Lillian Willis "Bill."

Richard Hebron doesn't wear rubber heels.

Keith Diggs is so crazy about Prof. Gaskins.

Bertie B. uses so much rouge.

Tidline calls himself "Old Boy."

M. E. H. is so familiar with K. W.

L. P. attends prayer meeting every Friday night.

The teachers don't know any letter of the alphabet except F.

The most extraordinary picture of the year—

Nat Buford in "I Ain't Got Nobody and Nobody Cares for Me."

Frank Johnson in "Tell 'Em About Me."

The teachers in "Working You for No Reason at All."

Leedom Jones and Frank Johnson in "Touchdown."

M. S. and J. P. in "I Need Some Height."

Eager young man (who has called up a bored one): "I can't wait any longer, dear. I really had to 'phone. Will you marry me?"

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Blackwell, Bertha  
Calloway, George  
Cambell, Alma  
Carr, T. John  
Carr, May, Ada  
Edmondson, Cecil  
Edmondson, Leberta  
Eubanks, Nina  
Faulkner, James  
Ford, Alberta  
Ford, Gladys  
Harriston, Geraldine  
Hawkins, Carrie  
Helem, Coolidge  
Henderson, Clarence  
Johnson, Edith  
Johnson, Rudolph  
McDaniel, Cora  
McDaniel, Ethel  
McDaniel, Mary  
McNorton, Alma  
Sweeney, Heywood  
Sweeney, Ulysses  
Thompson, Virginia  
Tyler, Thelma

Perfect attendance for third grade:

Alexander, William  
Blackwell, Floyd  
Clark, Alma  
Johnson, Boyd  
Lester, Charlie

Perfect attendance fourth grade:

Alexander, Edith  
Dooley, Charlie  
Dooley, Geraldine  
Ford, John  
Franklin, Gladys  
Matthews, Virginia  
Taliver, William  
Walder, Samuel  
Walker, Yvonne

Perfect attendance for fifth and sixth grades:

Blackwell, Geraldine  
Cambell, Julia  
Conner, Marian  
Cousins, Margaret  
Crowder, Eva  
Holmes, B. Mary  
Johnson, Richard  
Lester, E. John  
Lester, William  
Morgan, Elizabeth  
Reynolds, Walter

The Hill school has a share in the Dental Clinic held in the county by Dr. Fred Morton.

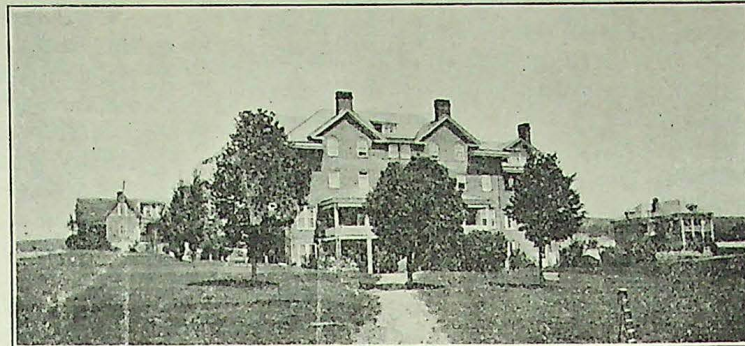
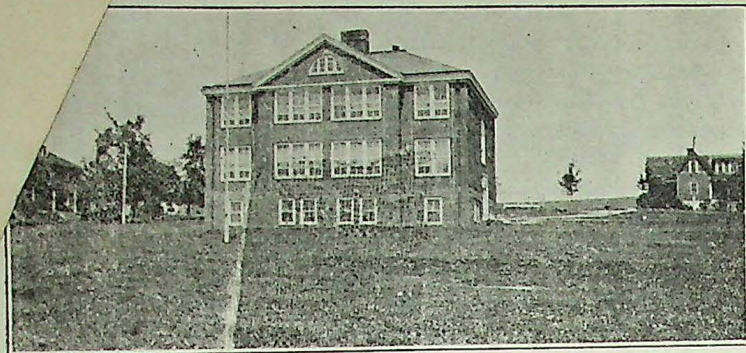
A Hallowe'en party was enjoyed by the children. Many of the girls wore appropriate costumes. The smaller ones were thrilled to the highest with the masks.

It was a real pleasure to have our tactful and efficient Mrs. Helen Pinckney with us again after several years absence.

Mrs. A. M. Walker thinks she has the most interesting third and fourth grade to be found.

Something in the atmosphere keeps





the Hill corp-general enthusiastic and co-operative.

To keep the Hill school represented as a hundred percent school as far as dental work is concerned, sales are being held by the fifth and sixth grades.

The members of the fifth and sixth grades are planning to present a play for Thanksgiving entitled, "The Magic Thanksgiving Pie."

Cast:

The Mother ..... Elizabeth Morgan  
 Poor lame girl ..... Virginia Clark  
 Magician ..... Mask Campbell  
 Fairies .....  
 Julia Campbell, Aileen McDaniel, Virginia Thompson, Louise Gray, Margaret Cousins, Geraldine Blackwell, Pauline Johnson, Juanita Johnson.

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### Story

#### Caught Unprepared by the Teacher

A few nights ago I put up my book and went to a dance, thinking I would have time enough in the morning to get my lessons. I stayed out nearly all night. The clock was striking four when I eased in bed. As soon as I hit the sheets I was fast asleep. It seemed as if I had only been in bed a few seconds when the old bell was ringing like the bell of liberty, for it was class time and there I was, no sleep, no breakfast, and no lessons. With all my swiftness I got over to the classroom about ten minutes late. When I entered my class the students looked as if it was the first time they had seen their classmate. The teacher too seemed cross, for she spoke with a snappy tone.

"Jones, why are you late this morning?"

"Well, Miss Teacher, it was this way, the fire went out and I had to make one and that is why I am so late."

With a flash of the eye over the classroom she looked at me again.

"You may read your paper next."

Knowing all the time that I didn't have the paper, I went to the front. I began looking through my dirty notebook for

the paper, turning page after page for about a minute. Finally I confessed that I did not write the paper. The teacher looked at me with those big eyes and uttered: "Take your seat you lazy bum, you remain after class is excused."

When the class was excused I began to get cute and saucy, but this did not last long for in a few minutes she had me standing in the corner on one foot. The thing that made me feel bad was that other classes came in and made fun of me standing in the corner. After making me stand on one foot, I had to wash the blackboard, sweep the floor and then write "I must not try to bluff my teacher" two thousand times.

Well, after this I was too angry to eat dinner so I pouted all the evening. The evening passed very slowly, but at last I heard the sound of the gong for supper and I was the first one to get to the dining room. Well, one time in my life I was treated royal, for I was placed at a little white table in the middle of the dining room alone. It was neatly decorated with silver and a large bunch of flowers in the center. The matron honored me by having me sing a solo, then the bell was tapped for eating. The waitress was kinder that day than ever. The first thing she brought in was a glass of ice water and some toothpicks. Well, I waited there for a time taking a sip of water now and then and smelling the good old beans and cornbread. Oh, well, I said to myself, I am getting an extra dinner today, why not wait at ease, and I waited there until the bell was tapped to leave the dining room.

Boys, if you want to get along with your teachers, prepare your lessons.

By Leedom Jones.

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