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★ NEWS ★

**APEX - FUQUAY - VARINA**

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**DEDICATIONS**

J. W. dedicates her love to L. B.  
G. C. is waiting for C. B. to straighten up and fly right.  
J. R. is waiting for skinny legs and all B. McD. to give in.  
C. A. is coming on strong with J. C.  
C. C. just can't forget J. C.  
E. R. dedicates "For Your Precious Love" to V. T. Boxing lessons for E. R. and three cheers for V. F.  
P. H. dedicates to D. G. "I'll Always Love You."  
J. M. and G. T. wanted for admiring S. R. & B. R.  
B. H. dedicates to J. F. "We're A Winner."  
S. L. dedicates to J. G. "If I Could Build My Whole World Around You."  
L. L. dedicates to J. S. "Take A Piece of My Heart."  
L. W. dedicates to O. C. "Cover Me."  
The senior boy dedicates to P. T. "With A Child's Heart."  
J. W. dedicates to C. H. "Prove It."  
"Skinny Legs and All" dedicated to the Hot Rodders from E. R., B. McD., M. B.  
G. H. dedicates to M. J. "Baby I've Got Him."  
D. McL. dedicates to H. McG. "We're Gonna Make It."  
J. B. dedicates "Come See About Me" to all sophomore girls.  
Happy birthday to Gracie Powell, Jan. 8.  
A. M. dedicates to M. O'N. "Your Precious Love."  
K. H. dedicates "A Piece of My Heart" to D. C.  
T. E. dedicates to W. P. "Make Me Yours."  
L. H. dedicates "A Lasting Love" to J. J.  
B. McD dedicates "I'm In Love" to P. H.  
N. L. dedicates "A Piece of My Heart" to V. K.  
The school is an institution for boys and girls to acquire

an education, it is a place of work and little play. It should be a place of quietness and respect by the students. Sometimes students misinterpret the purpose of a school. At times students look upon the school as being a place to socialize. Students think that just because they participate in extra curricular activities they should be given credit, for class work. That is not performed because they are in this meeting or that meeting during that particular class hour. They shouldn't let these activities interfere with their school work. Students should take pride in letting their class work come first. A well organized school shouldn't have students walking in the halls during class hours.  
These are some of the ways a well organized high school should operate.

**Did You Know That?**

The platypus is a mammal. These mammals are unique because they lay eggs, whereas all other mammals bear their young alive. This animal has a bill like a duck, a tail like a beaver, and takes to water like a fish.  
The armadillo always gives birth to quadruplets.

**The Patrol News**

The Apex Consolidated High School Patrols gathered in Room 7 for a meeting brought together to discuss the Patrol Ball which will be held March 3. Suggestions were made as to how the members would raise money for the ball.  
The officers are: Danderlyn Johnson - Captain; Christian Brantley - Co-Captain; Grace Powell - Lieutenant.  
The club colors are blue and white.

**Just Imagine**

G. McM. with big hips.  
D. J. short, and with a boyfriend.  
H. M. handsome and well mannered.  
G. C. shy and bashful.  
L. E. with a small head.  
L. M. loud and boisterous.  
D. L. making it out with a Bison (F. B.)  
M. H. with easy bake oven.  
G. P. breaking up with J. H.  
P. H. not being a African Witch Doctor.  
L. B. going with C. W.  
P. T. related to Mario Thomas.  
P. H. sleeping with a teddy bear.  
M. C. having a tric-trac.  
J. H. with a Barbie doll.  
A. B. without any teeth.  
D. F. not being studious.  
M. E. with her hair cut.  
C. B. with big legs.  
T. H. coming to school on time.  
A. G. with a boyfriend.  
M. H. in a mini-skirt.  
R. R. in pants.  
N. L. with an Afro.  
W. F. acting sensible.  
J. W. being able to sing.  
G. McM. with body measurements of 36-21-36.  
The pentagon having 6 sides.

**Apex School News**

The First Grade Class, Section 1D, at Apex Consolidated School is very busy getting ready for the long winter season. In the science class, the students are learning scientific facts about the winter months; while in art, they are doing creative drawings which relate to the season. They are also learning about the proper clothing to wear and how to guard their health during the cold wintry months. Learning is fun for these first graders who have Mrs. M. H. Goodson for their teacher.

**Sophomore Poll**

In a recent poll the students of the sophomore class of Apex Consolidated School gave their views and opinions on several questions asked them by reporter Flora Hatley.

**QUESTION**  
1. If you could do one thing to make your school a better one, what would it be?

**OPINIONS:**  
Deborah Lockley - "Encourage all students to make better grades, stay in school and take their work more seriously."  
Jerry Council - "Better conduct and discipline for the Student Body."  
Glenda McMasters - "Encourage the students to become more studious and develop an intelligent way in which to carry themselves."

**QUESTION**  
2. Do you thing sex education should be taught in your school?

**OPINIONS:**  
Marilyn Hinton - "Yes, because some parents don't tell their children about sex and therefore they are ignorant about the facts of life."  
Jeanie Jeffreys - "Yes, because most sex education that students have they hear from other students and they have the wrong concept about it. If schools offer a class in sex education it will give the students a chance to learn the real facts."

**Third Graders Take Trip**

The three sections of the Third Grade Class, of the Apex Consolidated School visited The Morehead Planetarium, in Chapel Hill on Jan. 4.

This trip was planned in order for the children to get a better understanding of the unit Off to the Moon, in their Science Class.

The presentation of the Star of Bethlehem made it possible for the children to get an idea of how people lived addressed long ago in comparison to today. The narrator explained the position of the stars and what Astronomers knew about the sky. He stated that the Star could have been a Nova, the passing of the planets or other astrologic happenings that we know about today.

The classes sponsored by Mrs. Ligon, Alston, and Sanders, with Mrs. Howard as aid. The children enjoyed a very interesting presentation of the Star of Bethlehem.

**Community Friendship**

Sunday, Jan. 14, the regular worship service will be held at the Christian Chapel Church beginning at 11:15 a. m. with Rev. Leon White, the pastor, in charge. All friends and visitors are welcome to worship with us. Rev. White is an interesting speaker. His sermons are always informative and inspiring. The senior choir will render music. On Sunday afternoon Rev. White will be the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harris.

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**Christian Home Church**

Rev. Randolph Burwell, a 16-year old Minister, was in charge of the 2 p. m. service at the Christian Home Church of Apex, Sunday, Jan. 7.

Master Randolph is the son of the Rev. J. M. Burwell of Norfolk, Va., who is the regular pastor of the church, and Mrs. Mabel Burwell of Norfolk, Va. His text was taken from John 14:1-14. His sermon was centered around the subject "In The Beginning of Everything."

**WANTED**

P. C. for S. D.  
D. N. for P. A.  
B. B. for C. L.  
J. N. for running 250 mph down heartbreaker's Avenue.  
M. L. H. wanted by S. G. for parking on school grounds.  
J. A. wanted by M. S. for dating J. L.  
D. G. wants D. F. for parking in a no parking zone.  
C. L. wants D. H. for his lover.  
J. M. wants P. H. to love.  
C. C. wants L. G. for a stand by.  
C. H. wants someone to love.  
G. S. wants the boy with the skinny head.  
L. C. wants a girl with lots of style.  
L. S. wants anyone that will have her.  
K. B. wants I.O.A.A. for having four names.  
B. C. wants a yard dog for M. A.  
T. H. wants a girl with skinny legs.  
P. M. wants K. B. and B. C. for overloading her car.  
R. S. wants S. A. to get better grades in Algebra.  
More vacation time for J. A. so she can spend it all with her "Aggie."  
Wanted sophomores that know a little in Algebra.  
Reliable girls wanted, report to V. T., S. R., B. R., and D. L.  
W. McM. for putting M. S. out of the picture.

**PERSONALS**

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Bailey over the weekend were Mr. James and Melvin Bailey, Mrs. Marie Hicks, and Mrs. Annie Smith all relatives of Mr. Bailey. The visit was enjoyable. Mrs. Bailey is a member of the high school faculty.  
The first "Pre - semester Dance" ever held at Apex Consolidated High School, will be held Friday night Jan. 12, at 7:30 p. m. For a night of Fun and Frolic come on out.

**Fire Destroys Home**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walden of Friendship was destroyed by fire on Jan. 4. The only part of the house left undamaged was the kitchen. The cause of the fire is believed to have been from the fuse box. The family is now living at the residence of Mrs. Ruby McMasters.

**"Psyched" Herself Tells How She Slimmed Down**

MEMPHIS - A local teenager has revealed her secret for losing 30 pounds and going from size 13 to size seven; a little armchair psychology.

"I think I psyched myself into thinking I wasn't fat," said formerly overweight Linda Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Walton.

The 18-year-old young miss disclosed her diet "recipe" in a Seventeen magazine beauty feature, entitled "We lost 409 Pounds."

So long "as I wasn't admitting" being fat, "I never did anything about it," she said.  
Now that she's slimmed down, sports--swimming and volleyball -- are a major leisure time interest. The teenager is a member of the CYO, local Red Cross chapter and the school volleyball team and choir.

Standing 5 foot one inch, the beauty, who had a role in her school's senior play, feels that emphasizing "good healthy" food" is more important than counting calories.

She also enjoys reading and movies.



1967 DEBUTANTES - Pictured are the girls presented at the Annual Debutante Ball held at the National Guard Armory in Clinton recently. From left to right: Trudy Tatum, Anna White, Barbara Melvin, Alice Paulding, Cathy McCoy, Vernell Robinson, Marion Chavious, Wanda Ezzell, Mable Faison (Miss Debutante), Belinda Godwin, Sylvia Beamon, Linda Taylor, Velma Butler, Joann Chavis, Kathleen Faison and Callie Berry (scholarship winner). Not pictured are Linda Boone, Carlotta Boykin, Belvia Melvin, Joyce McKnight and Maggie Underwood. The Debutante Ball is sponsored by the Swan Club of Clinton.

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**Bethune-Cookman Cagers Averaging 100.3**

The Bethune-Cookman College Wildcats undefeated in regular season play is setting a pace of 100.3 per game this season. Lead by 6'8" forward, Johnny Allen from Delray, who was named to the NAIA All American Team and is averaging 30.2 per game, the Wildcats have piled up 602 points against six opponents to date. Allen's 180 points total gives him the lead in the Wildcats scoring department and he has also pulled down 84 rebounds. Allen's best game this season was against Port Valley State College, where he scored 41 points. Second high scorer for the Wildcats is John Beach from Philadelphia, who has compiled 143 points for a 23.7 per game average.  
This month Wildcats schedule include Florida Memorial, January 6th; Savannah State, January 8th; Albany State, Jan.

13th; Alabama State, Jan. 15th; and Edward Waters, Jan. 17th at home and will hit the road to take on St. Leo College, Jan. 9th; Florida Institute, Jan. 11th; Edward Waters College, Jan. 19th; and Albany State, Jan. 24th. Head Coach Jack McClarien says, "The team looks like a sure bet to be a-

mong the leaders in the SIAC Conference at the end of the season, if I can keep the guys healthy"

Two of his top ball handlers, Jerome Hamler and Owen Harris have been out since the first game of the season with injuries, however, they have recovered and are expected to see action in the next game.

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