

Basket-Ball Flourishes

As soon as the old Community Building was fitted up for basket-ball, there immediately sprang up a very live interest in that fine and manly sport. A number of young men who had played before got together, and under the leadership of Mr. R. P. Rees, a former all-American College player, a team was organized.

The first game was played on the evening of January 8, the opposing team being the Concord Y. M. C. A. The lineup was as follows:

Concord—Marvin Long, Left Forward; Edward Dellinger, Right Forward; Earl Dellinger, Right Guard; M. Yachelson, Jr., Left Guard; Hugh Goodman, Center; Robert Bell, Center; Robert Dick, Right Guard; Dewey Sappenfield, Left Forward.

Badin—Mack Arnette, Left Forward; C. B. Guilbert, Right Forward; Joe Lee, Right Guard; King, Left Guard; R. P. Rees, Center; Tom Vann, Right Guard; Austin, Left Guard.

From start to finish, the game was closely contested, and intensely exciting. The playing of the Badin boys was remarkable, considering the fact that they had never played together as a team before that evening. While the score of 38 to 33 was in favor of the Concord boys, yet it was close enough to be, if not satisfactory to us all, at least not discouraging.

The teamwork of the Concord boys was naturally very fine, showing long training and playing together.

Here is the weak spot in the Badin team: the individual playing was splendid, but teamwork is yet to be developed. It will be developed, and then we will have one of the best teams in the State.

Badin Athletic Association suffered a defeat in a match game of basket-ball from the Kannapolis Y. M. C. A., Monday evening, the twentieth. However, Badin is young in the field, and she will do better, and a guaranty is assured if the Badin "fans" will lend their assistance. We will be compelled to hand it to "Canned Apples" as to their excellent teamwork, which it has taken five years to build. Badin, with a month's experience, will be able to seal the apples with an ironclad band.

Kannapolis, 64; Badin, 37.

The basket-ball game was followed by a Box Supper by Class No. 9 of the Methodist Sunday School. A very enjoyable double feature evening was enjoyed, and the financial proceeds were quite satisfactory.



CHURCH NOTICES



The Baptist Church

Pastor J. M. Arnette will preach a series of sermons on Sunday evenings during February, on the general subject: "Portraits from God's Picture Book." The special subjects will be as follows:

February 2, 7.30 p. m.—"The Picture Book."

February 9, 7.30 p. m.—"Rahab, from the Red Light."

February 16, 7.30 p. m.—"Shorty Zaccheus."

February 23, 7.30 p. m.—"Matthew, the Gold Getter."

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these evening services, and all other services of the church.

The kaiser is now whipped, and steel can be secured, and early spring will see the walls of the splendid new church begin to rise once again. Every friend of the church is asked to aid in this noble enterprise with prayers and cash.

Badin Presbyterian Church

With the coming of the New Year, and all the opportunities it affords, let us return to the House of God to worship. A warm welcome awaits everyone to worship with us in the Community Building.

As the new Pastor, I am anxious to serve everyone, irrespective of church affiliation. I would be glad to meet not only Presbyterians, but especially those who do not now attend church. Your attention is called to the following services: Sunday School at 10 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. A cordial invitation to all to attend these services is given. "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good, for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel."

T. GREENLEE TATE, *Pastor*

Badin Methodist Church

Man is born into the world with a religious impulse. Dear reader, if you are not attending religious services, unless providentially hindered, you are in danger of atrophy of your religious nature. Inactivity produces weakness. I make an urgent appeal to the man or woman who is not in the habit of at-

tending church and Sunday School in Badin, to be just as zealous in seeking to feed their religious impulse as they are in seeking their daily bread. You are cordially invited to worship with us, in the Badin Theater. Sunday School each Sunday at 9.45 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. All the Methodist people in Badin, holding their membership elsewhere, are kindly requested to identify themselves with the Methodist Church here.

J. E. B. HOUSER, *Pastor*

Wanted

for THE BULLETIN: Pictures, snapshots of Badin people and scenes, and also news items. Hand them to the editor, or drop them in THE BULLETIN Box in front of the Postoffice.

The French Houses

The remaining of the French apartment houses goes briskly forward, on the color plans devised by Mr. Birch Burdette Long, an artist and architect from New York. These color schemes have been very skillfully worked out to harmonize with the colors of the soil and surroundings of each house. The effect is very happy, and oftentimes beautiful, tending to bring out the really pretty architectural features of the exterior of those quaint and picturesque houses.

Thanks to the Company and to Mr. Long's artistry, the appearance of our town will be greatly improved.

Guess!

Lately we had occasion to hire that elusive article, known in common parlance as a cook. On being asked for a reference, she produced a large roll of paper, on which was boldly lettered the following:

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Can you decode this?

Correct answer in next issue.

Mrs. J. R. Manly, after spending a few weeks with her parents, at Mount Olive, N. C., has returned to Badin.