

rings around some people we have seen perform, Marie Ross and Beulah Johnson being the prize winners.

Bernie Gomo and Virgin Butner won the balloon race.

Mr. Dunham can smoke here for some time, and all because he can run; and as he is a regular attendant at Sunday School, it is fair to suppose there will be nothing doing in that line hereafter. Rev. Houser came in second, and received a handsome fountain pen.

The prizes were very generously donated by our merchants and Drs. Cox, Adkins, and Campbell; and on behalf of the Sunday School I take this occasion to thank them.

—ISABEL K. COFFMAN AND COMMITTEE

### Garden Contest

The flower and vegetable garden contest is rapidly coming to a successful finish. It is very gratifying to notice the improvement this year over last, both in the number of gardens (flower and vegetable) and also in the quality of them. Announcement of the winners will be made in the next issue of the BULLETIN. Among those whom we find running neck to neck at the finish are: J. W. Reed, 32 Kirk Place (Vegetables and Flowers); W. F. Bandy, 128 Maple (Vegetables); Rev. Houser, 54 Willow (Vegetables and Flowers); W. W. Boyette, 90 Falls Road (Vegetables); B. B. McElhany, 35 Maple (Vegetables); G. S. Arthur, 30 Kirk Place (Vegetables and Flowers); W. G. Dotson, 44 Henderson (Vegetables); Will Smith, 28 Kirk Place (Vegetables); H. S. Beers, 48 Henderson (Vegetables); S. J. Horton, 35 Boyden (Vegetables); Dr. B. T. Atkins, 89 Spruce (Flowers); F. F. Manly, 87 Spruce (Flowers); C. E. Smith, 193 Spruce (Flowers); R. Z. Kidd, Spruce (Flowers).

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the kindness shown, also the beautiful floral offerings, at the death of our infant son.

—MR. AND MRS. G. C. SCOTT

### A Profitable Garden

Mr. W. W. Boyte, who lives at 90 Falls Road, reports that his garden has yielded him up to August 20 about fifty dollars value in cash and vegetables—not to speak of the pleasure he has had in attending to it. It has supplied two

families with fresh vegetables; also the raw material for canning twenty-nine quarts of beans, three quarts of kraut, thirteen quarts of tomatoes, eight quarts of cucumbers, and twenty-eight quarts of pickles. Mr. Boyte has sold vegetables to the amount of \$16.15, and has one bushel of potatoes and a half bushel of onions still on hand.

That's a fine showing. How many others have done as well?

### The Judge Yearns for Badin

Judge Garrett says: "Am surely lonesome and homesick for you all and Badin. The environment and associates here are indeed pleasant, but as time and distance have softened the family rolling pin, the nightly chorus of Giersch's 'dawgs' and the adamantine fiber of the kindling and stove wood, I could surely sit in the shade of the sheltering gourd vine, and be content."

### Badin Bakery in New Dress

The remodeling of the Badin Bakery is going forward. The repainting of walls and ceiling, the new cases and fixtures, and the pretty tiled floor give a delightfully fresh and clean appearance to this attractive shop.

### A Distinguished Visitor

Dr. Carter of Baltimore, Assistant Surgeon-General, United States Public Health Service, and Dr. T. H. D. Griffiths, also of the National Public Health Service, spent several days at Badin recently, testing the waters of the lake for the malaria-bearing mosquito. Our pond was found to be comparatively free from the pests.

Dr. Carter is a most interesting personality, and an acknowledged authority on all matters of sanitation. It was due chiefly to him that the Canal Zone was made habitable and healthful, and during the late war he was the chief consultant of Dr. Gorgas, Surgeon-General of the United States.

### Get the Happiness Habit

Men and women should make it a part of their daily work to put as much joy and as little bitterness as possible into the lives of those about them. It is a joy indeed to come into contact with sweet-spirited men and women—people who care for their fellows and com-

panions. There is plenty of room for improvement. Get the habit. It is the little things that count: and if they are on the side of helpfulness, the world would be changed ere the influence causing it could be recognized.—*Exchange.*

### Welcome to Our City

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dorsey, July 24, a son, 6¾ lbs.—James Rainey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lefler, July 26, a boy, 7½ lbs.—Harold Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pegram, July 30, a boy, 7½ lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, a boy, 7¾ lbs., August 15.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Summerset, 6½-lb. boy, August 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Burrows, July 20, boy, 9 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Richie, girl.

### Concert by Colored Musicians

On the evening of August 4, a very interesting concert was given in the Theater by the Colored Jazz Orchestra and Glee Club of Badin. Some of the old Jubilee songs were sung, and these were perhaps the best feature of the program. There were also vocal and instrumental solos and duets, and an Uncle Remus monolog.

The performance was very creditable to the people of the colored village, and we wish the orchestra and musicians the greatest success.

The proceeds will be used to help purchase uniforms for the colored band.

### Aluminum Fuel Tanks for NC-4

The fuel tanks of the NC-4, the first naval aircraft to make a flight across the Atlantic, were made of aluminum, and were built at our New Kensington plant.

All three planes, the NC-1, NC-3, and NC-4, were equipped with the same kind of tanks.—*Aluminum Bulletin*, Massena, N. Y.

### Oh!

When I first went to see her,  
I showed a timid heart,  
And, even when the lights were low  
We sat this far apart.

But as our love grew stronger,  
And we learned its joy and bliss,  
We knocked out all the spaces,  
And sat up close like this.