

# A. H. S. SPORTS



## BULLDOG BARKS

### Tridders Guests At Davidson

Accepting an invitation from officials of Davidson College, Jack Stevens, Bill Furr, and "Buck" Mabry, three of the season's star football players, journeyed to Davidson last week-end. Approximately 40 boys from all parts of the state were guests of the college. The trip was entertained at a dance on Saturday night.

### They Missed Their Bait

When it was announced last Wednesday that there would be no school, Coach Canipe said regular basketball practice would be held as usual.

Some of the boys, trying to be early birds, came to practice before time. After throwing snow balls and playing around, they decided to get Coach for once. Some three or four large sized snowballs were rolled up and carried up on top of the walk-way that connects the gymnasium to the school building. After the boys had been in the snow for some time, Coach came in through the front door of the gymnasium and the snowballs were useless.

### Which Did They Play, Barium or "Burn-em"?

After the loss of the midweek football game this season with Barium Springs, some old gentlemen came up to Mr. Gehring and aid, "Too much Burn'em Spring." This statement remained fixed to firmly in Mr. Gehring's mind that when Albemarle journeyed over to Barium the other night for a basketball game, he stopped a man in Statesville and asked him which road led to "Burn'em Spring."

### Almond Leads Scoring With 97

So far this season high scorer for boys is Keith Almond, with 97 points, followed by Skin Mauldin, with 87.

For the girls, Hannelore Burleson leads with 69 points, and Helen Russell is a close second with 68.

Victory was really appreciated by both teams Friday night, when they won over the "Spiders" of Concord. The girls were especially pleased because Concord's "Spiderettes" had not lost a game until they met Albemarle girls. Now the "Spiderettes" are begging the girls' team to please beat Statesville (the only team that stands in their way for the championship!).

### Notes From The Girls' Gym

After riding all over the city of Winston-Salem, the girls' basketball team finally decided to stop at the Palace Cafe, in order to get royal food. But instead of royal food they got "raw" hamburgers.

Part of the girls, not being able to eat hamburgers, stopped at the Dixie Diner and learned how to divide a glass of water into four parts. (If you care to know, ask some of the squad and Miss Milling.)

Anne Gilliam, in such a hurry to see the beginning of the boys' game at Childrens Home, dashed out of the dressing room and was quickly informed that her sweater was on backwards. "Things done by half are never done right."

Get some of you don't even know that our co-captains for the girls' team are Josephine Whitley and Ramelle Burleson. Hallel Lowder's rabbit's foot has seemed to bring good luck, because the two times it has been worn the games were won. (Is it the rabbit's foot or the faith that is put in it?) Hazel Starmon's fly tackle in the game the other night didn't prove successful because she discovered two braided knees the next day.

### More Notes From Same

Anyone that says Coach Canipe is bashful is crazy! Going to the Barium Springs game with his car load of girls, he really showed them he could sing, and you should hear him whistle in two tones!

Helen Russell, star forward, was talking backwards after the game Friday night. She kept wanting to play the slot-machine (which was really a nickelodeon) and when the water came up to get her order for ice cream, Helen asked, "What kind do you want?" The waiter, wanting to be polite, meekly answered, "What kind have you got?" Well, er—Helen didn't get her ice cream.

## EAST or WEST

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## Three Trophies Won By Netters Are On Display In Library

The three trophies captured by Bulldog netters in the first annual South Piedmont conference spring tennis tournament held at the Monroe Country Club in May of last year are on display in the library.

These trophies are gold frames of tennis players mounted on black bases. They were won by Bill Mann in the boys' singles, Josephine Whitley in the girls' singles, and Hazel Mauldin and Wilma Morton in the girls' doubles. This was the first year of the tournament, and Albemarle won three of the four titles.

One of these champions, only one, Josephine Whitley, will be back to defend her title. Bill Mann is now a freshman at Carolina, Wilma Morton is at W. C. N. C., and Hazel Mauldin is working.

## "Smiling Jack" To Take Over Tennis

With this announcement we make known an addition to the coaching staff in the person of "Smiling" Jack Tiltonson, who will replace Eddie Gehring as tennis coach. During the past two years tennis teams have enjoyed unusual success under Mr. Gehring's mentorship. Mr. Tiltonson is well qualified to lead over the post, however, having varied varsity tennis at Davidson.

## Football Players Receive Letters

Referring to them as the "best team in the history of Albemarle high school", Coach Clyde Canipe presented football letters and certificates of award to 18 members of the squad at an assembly program just after the holidays.

Commenting on the past season, during which the team compiled a record of four victories against two defeats in conference competition, Mr. Canipe stated that he had been proud of the performances of three players in particular: Hazel Lowder, who played in every quarter of the entire season, and Bill Furr and Dick Foreman, who played 33 of the 36 quarters.

Members of the squad who participated in at least 18 quarters and were thereby eligible for mementoes were Bill Furr, Buck Mabry, Creel Lowder, Bob Young, and Lafayette Blackwell, all backs, and the following linemen: Max Morton, Dick Foreman, Max Fesperman, Ted Wallace, Ernest Knotts, Jack Castevens, Thomas Hatley, and Bob Morrow, Fred Albright, Lewis Morgan, Wade Denning, Royce Wilson, and Jimmy Peck.

Commenting briefly on the future, Mr. Canipe stated that seven of the present squad would be lost by graduation, while eleven would be eligible for further competition.

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## Bulldogs Head Into Home Stretch With Record of Two Against Four

### Bulldogs Divide Pair With Lexington High

When the Bulldogs meet Spencer tonight in a doubleheader, they will be beginning the home stretch of the season with a conference record of two wins against six losses.

The girls' team has been slightly more successful, with a record of three wins against five losses. While neither of these records is too impressive, it must be remembered that the Bulldogs have been thrown against three of the leading teams of the loop, and that after tonight they will begin what is by far the easier portion of their schedule.

In non-conference competition the boys have been successful in winning three out of four games played. Foes which they conquered include Presbyterian Junior college, Harding high and Basin in a return game with the Golden Rams of Harding.

In a doubleheader against the Indians of Lexington high Tuesday night, the Bulldogs divided the pair, with Albemarle girls winning their one-sided contest, 39-10. With almost any combination of forwards which Miss Holt chose to start almost at will. The half-time score was 24-0.

The boys' game was one of the best seen in the local gym this year, as the rampaging Indians were hand-picked for a 21-20 victory. Bill Furr had another of his 'big nights' to lead the Bulldog scoring with 6, while the Indians were paced by McGinn with 8. The Lexington boys jumped to an early lead with several long shots and they were never headed. They led 24-13 at the half.

The old Orphan Jinx seemed to catch the Bulldogs as they dropped a doubleheader to the Barium Springs team in the Barium gym last Friday night. The Barium lads and lassies had captured a doubleheader from the Bulldogs earlier in the season, and again it seemed that the Bulldogs could not cope with their deception and speed.

The local boys lost by a 32-50 score with Lewis of Barium high scorer of the night. The Barium



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## Teachers Learn From Examinations, Too

Some of the teachers discovered some very interesting facts while looking over their examination papers for the past semester.

Miss Milling tells of the following boners made by her science class:

The attractive force one body has for another is called love. If a barometer is falling rapidly, a thermometer is approaching. Some of Miss Holt's physical ed. students seem to have gotten a bit mixed up. Someone put a "coggie" wheel instead of a cart wheel, and a "chees" pass instead of a chest pass.

Mr. Gehring learned that: An important event during Andrew Jackson's administration was that his nickname was "Stonewall" Jackson.

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girls took their end of the doubleheader 43-24, with Coppedge of Barium leading the scoring with 23.

The crowning achievement of the season as far as local rivalry is concerned was the doubleheader triumph over the Concord Spiders Tuesday, January 30.

The Albemarle girls really turned on the power to bowl over a previously unbeaten Spider sextet 33-29. Rachel Barleson and Helen Russell tied for top scoring honors with eleven each, while Bassinger and Privett led the Spiderettes with 10 each.

The boys had little trouble in disposing of the Concord team for the second time this season, winning 31-21. Keith Almond made over half of the Albemarle scores, running up a total of 19 out of 31. Skin Mauldin was next with 5.

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