



## SEATON AND TEAM LOOK TOWARD CONFERENCE TOURNEY

First looks are often deceiving and one could not find a better example of this adage than the record of Montreat-Anderson's basketball team. Although the record of our Cavaliers shows 3 wins against 14 losses, it fails to reveal the desire and determination displayed by the team. Coach Seaton maintains that this year's team is one we can be proud of. Though lacking experience, the team has not let up all year long, giving 100% every time they're on the court.

Coach Seaton does sight the need for a big man: "We have fine outside shooting but we have a hard

time fighting on the boards. For example, Stewart or Fairfax will lob in a 20-footer, then the other much taller team will feed into their big man for a 3-footer. The other team continues shooting the high percentage shot. Finally the law of averages catches up with us. In one stretch of five games we were shooting well over 50%, yet we lost each of the games because we didn't have the big men inside."

Next year the coach will be looking for a big man. Besides the post position, the coach feels very confident: "Most of the team will be back. Rookard, Stewart, and Hood

have gained much needed experience. The team will lose Mac Hester, Don Blanton, and Allen Fairfax.

"I observed a tremendous change in Allen this year. He went from a mediocre player to an outstanding one by sheer hustle. Most of the big four year schools in the area are recruiting him. He'll be a good one."

As the season draws to an end Coach Seaton and the team look with anxiousness towards the Conference Tourney.