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News of Baldwin and Other Schools

BALDWIN WINS PRACTICE TILT

Methodists, Rochester Bow To Superior Playing Of School Athletes

The Baldwin basketball team was victorious last week in two practice tilts, the first of which was Thursday night with the Methodist church team and second was played at Rochester, Friday night. Coach George Johnson's cagers found more difficulty in downing the Methodists 29-16, than they encountered with Rochester who was defeated 24-13.

Considerable improvement was shown by the team in many departments of the game but need of practice to develop team work, accurate passing and basket shooting was seen by those who

watched the two games. During short periods in each of the two encounters the Maroon cagers worked at top speed in great form but at other times the play was ragged and uninteresting. Those games, with the Northville match played Tuesday, finished the pre-Christmas training and following the holidays the team will enter the heavy portion of the schedule including many S. F. A. A. league matches. Royal Oak is the first team Birmingham meets, the game being played Jan. 3, at Royal Oak.

Take Lead From Methodists
In the contest with the Methodists the Baldwinites struck a lead late in the first quarter. A wide margin was established during the second period but the church quintet cut it down by a determined rally and the score stood at 15-11 in the high school team's favor at the end of the first half.

During the second half Coach Johnson's crew piled 14 points to the Methodists' five, setting the final record at 29-16. The team's play was much better in the last

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half on the part of the Maroon team, especially in the third period. Only three points were added to the score by the school five in the fourth quarter. Westerly left forward, was the outstanding player on the church team, while Grooms, helped considerably.

In the match at Rochester, Birmingham again gained an early lead the score reaching 14-6 at the half. In the third period Rochester stepped out and cut the margin to 16-11 at the end of the third period. The Baldwinites opened the final quarter with a spurt which added eight points to the score at the quarter mark. During this period some of the best play of the season was displayed. With a few exceptions the passing was also greatly improved throughout the games.

In both these contests, Cox, center, was the high scorer. In the first he accounted for 11 points and in the second, 7. So far he has been more dependable than any of his teammates but has been aided in scoring considerably by accurate passing from the forwards. Cooney, left forward, in the Methodist contest, made a creditable showing by scoring seven points, while H. Schwartz, right forward, did equally well in the Rochester game, tallying six points. Captain Thomson ranked third in scoring honors in each game. His passing, so far, and not his basket shooting has been outstanding. The guards showed much better defensive play in the second contest than was exhibited in the Methodist game.

REPORT GIVEN ON FINANCES

School Bank Fund Shows Substantial Balance Of \$2,583.20

The school bank fund shows a balance of \$2,583.20, according to the report of Mrs. Olga Gilchrist, announced today.

The fund is composed of the contributions of the organizations of the school. It was devised to furnish a definite place to deposit the money and to eliminate confusion when the treasurers of school clubs were changed. Mrs. Gilchrist, who is an instructor in the commercial department, was given charge of the fund.

The money of each organization may be drawn out and used for the organization's activity when the activity has been authorized by the class sponsors and the principal of the school, Mrs. Gilchrist said.

WASHINGTONITES TO FETE ALUMNI

Seniors Plan Dance For 50 Former Members Of School Group

Plans are being made today by the Senior Washington group of Baldwin High School to hold a party Dec. 27 in honor of the alumni group members. The affair, according to a decision reached at a meeting of the club will be held at the high school.

HI-Y CLUB COLLECTS GIFTS FOR THE NEEDY

Final plans for gifts to needy were made by the Hi-Y club at its meeting last Thursday. Morgan Carter was placed in charge of preparations to be made. George Cooney and Robert Nettleton were in charge of the discussion, "Vocational Guidance." The meeting this noon is under the direction of George Winborn and Nelson Wolfman who will talk on college.

More School News on Page 3, this section.

32 BALDWIN GIRLS IN BASKETBALL

Large Squad Reports To Coach McLarty; Prospects For Season Bright

Thirty-two girls of Baldwin High School are practicing today for basketball, both inter-class and varsity.

Under the instruction of Coach Helen McLarty, these girls are divided into four teams, whose captains are Avis Gravin, Esther Kist Margaret Pullin and Gail Woodward. This is due to afford more competition for the school team, it is reported.

VACATION STARTS TOMORROW

Students of Birmingham school whose Christmas vacation begins tomorrow, are planning today for holiday festivities. The vacation, beginning Friday continues until school resumes Jan. 3. Many parties and other activities are included in the events with which the high school students will fill their time.

GOODFELLOWS

The IIA class decided at a meeting Monday noon to donate to the high school students with which the high school students will fill their time.

"BROTHER JOSIAH"

An uproarious three-act comedy will be presented tonight in the Adams Freshman class. It is the story of the interruption of a Fifth avenue lion-party by the host's farmer brother. The cast is as follows:

- Joseph Armstrong, a Wealthy Farmer
- Joseph Hildner, Jr., Richard Ellerby
- Benjamin Butler Armstrong, Josiah's son
- William LeBlanc, a Wealthy Broker
- Herbert Nigg, Jr.
- Henry Nicksome, a Young Author
- David Wygant
- Hyacinth Constance, W. Wygant's Confidential Man
- Howard Senteny
- Edwin Deer
- James Carnahan
- Dorothy Anderson
- Catherine Carr
- Edith Gaskill

Schools Become 'Shock Absorbers' With Activities, Vliet Declares

Other items besides the decreased purchasing power of the dollar lives, and the increased school enrollment should be considered in studying the higher school costs in recent years. Clarence Vliet, superintendent of schools, said this week.

"In reflecting on increased school costs in recent years consideration should be given to other items besides the decreased purchasing power of the dollar and the increased school enrollment. These and similar items do not tell the whole story."

"Our schools have become veritable 'shock absorbers' in that they have been forced to assume many activities far remote from the early conception of school functions," he said.

"They have developed into sensitive instruments recording our social and economic tendencies, increased school enrollment, changing habits, tastes and needs. Step by step they have added to their scholastic labors varying functions, a partial enumeration of which will serve to illustrate

GRID SEASON FIGURES GIVEN

Review Shows Baldwin Scored 158 Points To 78 For Opponents

A review today of the football season just past reveals the unusual fact that no player was ineligible at any time during the season. George F. Johnson, athletic director at the Baldwin High School said.

The average scholarship standing of the members of the grid squad was 88.75, Mr. Johnson has found. Forty-five men were out for the sport during the entire season, he says.

A final record shows that Birmingham completed the schedule of S. F. A. A. league games with an average of .666, having won three and lost two. Eleven opponents were scheduled for the Baldwinites, six of which were won, two tied and three lost.

The total points recorded by Birmingham was 158 while the opponents accounted for 78, records show.

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Christmas Greeting
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from Birmingham's Youngest Bank

The officers and directors of the Birmingham Savings Bank wish to extend to the people of this community their sincere thanks for the degree to which they have contributed toward the remarkable growth of this institution during its brief existence.

May the good cheer of the season come to you in full measure. May the New Year be one of greater happiness and broader accomplishments than you have ever before experienced.

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Shirts \$1.25 to \$7.50	Scarfs \$1.25 to \$5	Gloves \$1.75 to \$6.50	Hose 25c to \$1.50	Pajamas \$1.65 to \$6.50	Bath Robes \$6 to \$16.50	Handkerchiefs 25c to \$1.00	Belts and Buckles \$1 to \$3	Stud and Link Sets \$4.35 and \$6	Auto Robes \$9 to \$19.75	Wardrobe Trunks \$25 to \$75

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