

THE BEAUTIFUL NEW BAMA THEATRE

The people of Tuscaloosa and Greene Counties are asking just now—what is the New Bama Theatre in Tuscaloosa going to look like?

Prof. Navino Natalino, Italian artist in charge of decoration, is proud of the Davanzatti affect achieved in the foyer, the mezzanine floor, cosmetics room, the smoking room and vestibule. The auditorium is constructed to produce an "atmospheric setting" for its audience, and will be that of a garden on the Mediterranean. One of the features of the designed interior will be the "open air" affect achieved with the sky blue ceiling, twinkling stars and floating clouds. This network of stars will glow with the utmost of reality by reason that an authorized astronomer was consulted as to proper position of the stars in the sky.

Murals set into arches along the walls will add to the atmospheric setting as will the auxili-

ary vines, trees, flowers and the miniature scenes. Lighting mechanisms will complete the illusions of distance and the open air theatre. The protruding balconies along the side walls give the affect of a georgious Spanish garden.

The Bama's modern, designed heating and cooling system will change the air in the theatre every two and a half minutes, so the air will always be fresh, clean and comfortable.

The sound equipment is the latest Western Electric Mirrorphonic type. The seats, (there will be 1230) are especially designed for the size house assuring the utmost in seating comfort. When the new Bama Theatre opens its doors to the public Tuesday, April 12th., the people of this county and surrounding counties will readily agree that Tuscaloosa has just as beautiful and modern a theatre as is to be found any place in the country. They will easily understand why it has already been given the name of "The Wonder Spot of Tuscaloosa".