

### Many Improvements Made In Buildings and Equipment At Baldwin and Barnum Schools During Present Summer

Students in Baldwin and Barnum schools are going to find many changes in the various rooms and equipment at the two buildings when school sessions resume in September.

Here is what Superintendent Dwight B. Ireland reports on the situation:

The following projects have been authorized during the past year and are now in process of being completed.

**The Foods Laboratory in Baldwin high school was obsolete in every sense. The arrangement of hot plates in a square for cooking purposes, the idea of preparing small samplings of food, and the formal teaching that accompanied the old system have been replaced by unit kitchens which permit girls to work in situations comparable to their home kitchens.**

**New Unit Kitchens**  
The new unit kitchens in Hill school provide light attractive quarters for the six unit kitchen. Each unit will be provided with cabinets, sinks, ranges with heat-controlled ovens, table and chairs, linens, dishes, and silverware. Girls will work in groups of four to six in each unit kitchen.

The entire room has been redecorated. A light acoustical treatment of the ceiling, cream walls with grayish-white woodwork, and installation of artificial lighting as well as adequate natural lighting will provide a room quite in contrast to the room in the basement of Baldwin high school with old equipment, inadequate natural and artificial lighting, cream walls, and a ceiling littered with plumbing and heating pipes.

**Clothing Laboratory**  
Adjacent to the Foods Laboratory will be the new Clothing Laboratory. It will have a new ceiling of acoustical materials, an abundance of natural and artificial lights, and new decorations to match the Foods Laboratory.

Since the storage of materials for fine arts was in the room which is being converted into a Clothing Laboratory, it was necessary to design a new cabinet for the art room to provide adequate storage space. This cabinet has been carefully designed by the art instructor to provide adequate space for all supplies including an asbestos lined compartment for ceramics equipment.

In keeping with the remodeled rooms of the second floor of Hill school, the ceiling of the corridor has been treated with acoustical materials, and the walls will be newly decorated.

**Suite of Central Offices**  
The decentralization of offices in Baldwin high school has resulted in inefficiencies which the new plan of offices will overcome. All records will be centralized in one place, the principal will be accessible to all offices, and visitors and pupils will report to one place for information and assistance. These offices include:

**Assistant Principal**—The assistant principal will be adjacent to the outer office. This will enable him to deal with attendance problems in the outer office as well as provide adequate space for all attendance records and reports. In the absence of the principal the assistant principal will be in immediate contact with the central office.

**Counselor for Girls**—The counselor for girls will be near the central office for referrals, and all guidance records will be accessible to the central office.

**Counselor for Boys**—The advantages of having the counselor for boys near the central office are the same as listed for the counselor for girls.

**Reception Room**—A separate reception room for the assistant principal and guidance counselors will relieve the general office of much congestion and will make these offices immediately accessible to all parents and pupils. This room will also be provided with a conference table which can be used by the Student Congress.

**A New Health Suite**  
Accommodations in Baldwin high school for a child who becomes ill in school have been very inadequate. The new suite will provide the following:

**Nurse's Office**—The nurse for the city schools will have her office in this suite.

**Sick Room**—A room will be provided with lavatory to accommodate any person who becomes ill in Baldwin high school. This room has natural light, fresh air and is very adequate for this purpose.

**Storage Room**—Adequate space will be provided for the storage of medical equipment and supplies, pamphlets, and other materials needed by the nurse.

**New Book Room**  
On the basement level a new book room has been constructed which will provide adequate storage space for all books owned by the board of education and used in Baldwin high school. All workbooks and supplies sold to students will be stored in this room and a teacher will be scheduled for regular hours in this room to charge but the books and take care of sales. This will remove all congestion from the first floor corridor.

The social studies room on the first floor will have the old book room added to it. This will provide a social studies room of delightful size, and storage cabinets for all maps, globes and equipment for the social studies department. This equipment has cluttered up the social studies rooms in the past, and has not been adequately protected. The new cabinet will enable the head of the social studies department to keep an inventory of equipment and order more wisely the equipment needed.

**Gymnasium Floor**  
Every person who has attended a school function in the Baldwin high school gymnasium has realized the need for a new floor. The nail-cerete under the present floor no longer retains the nails and they work up through the wooden floor and become hazards. The floor is also in bad condition due to constant patching and repair. It will be a distinct advantage to all gym classes, basketball, and social affairs to have this new floor installed during the summer of 1944.

Although the contract has not been given to date for bleachers of a folding type for the lack of the gymnasium in Baldwin high school, prices are being obtained and the installation will be made if at all possible. Portable bleachers are hazardous, hinder cleaning, are noisy, and quite undesirable. If new folding bleachers can be obtained, they will add a great deal to the efficiency and general appearance of the gymnasium.

The original wooden support for the track has decayed. The track is deteriorating very rapidly because of this, especially in the curbs. A cement curbing will preserve the track in good condition.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in the County, on the 28th day of July A. D. 1944.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of William F. Graham, Deceased.

W. F. Graham, administrator of said estate having filed in said Court his final account and petition for the appointment and allowance thereof, determination of the heirs of said deceased, settlement of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said administrator.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of August A. D. 1944 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks, to be published on the 10th day of the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in the County of Oakland.

W. ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate.

OLIVER H. KIRK, Atty. in Law, 318 1/2 Bldg., Birmingham, Michigan 18-19-70

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1 cup diced celery	3 hard-cooked eggs
1 green pepper, chopped	Mayonnaise
Salt and pepper	

Add French dressing to macaroni while still slightly warm. Let stand until cool. Add onion, green pepper, relish, and two of the eggs, sliced. Mix lightly with mayonnaise enough to moisten (1 1/2 cups). Season with salt and pepper. Pack in paper container. Garnish with sliced hard-cooked egg, and chill. Serves from five to six.

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