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Baldwin Library Adds Many New, Colorful Novels

By Lindo Moore

If there's any bug worse than the one that gives you building fever, we haven't met it. You can spot the poor victim every time . . . the guy with Architectural Forum under his arm and the glassy look in his eye. He's thinking about building his "Dream House." Or maybe remodelling a little old house in the country.

The antidote for this case (if any) is the new book at Baldwin Library called "Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House," by Eric Hodgins. This is the hilariously gloomy story of the Blandings and their experiences. The Blandings may be fictional, as is the site of their home, but their trials and tribulations are founded on solid fact. A delightful book for anyone who has ever entertained even the shadow of an idea of building a house.

Other recent books just added to the Public Library shelves include:

Mr. Adam, by Pat Frank. Gorgeously zany tale about the tribulations of the one potent man left in a world whose male population was incapable of producing babies—the aftermath of the explosion of an atom-bomb experimental laboratory.

England in 1800

Journey to Accompong, by Katherine Dunham. A famous dancer's interest in anthropology led her to an obscure corner of Jamaica in a search for primitive dance rhythms.

The Angelic Avengers, by Pierre Andrezel. A Jane Austen-ish atmosphere in the first part of this absorbing novel of 19th century England gradually changes to one of suspense and terror.

Vinland the Good, by Nevil Shute. Written as a movie script, this fictional account of the discovery of the New World by a party of Vikings, makes excellent reading.

Ferdinand and Isabella, by Herman Kester. Historical novel. Isabella emerges as a strong willed passionate woman who knew what she wanted and went after it.

Also Some "Whodunits"

Lydia Bailey, by Kenneth Roberts. The action of this colorful novel ranges from Boston to Tripoli and back to Haiti where the lively heroine is trapped in the great slave revolt of the early 19th century.

Anna Zenger, by Kent Cooper. Historical novel based on the life of Zenger, the first newspaper publisher in America to fight for freedom of the press. Cooper's theory that Zenger's wife, Anna, about whom little is known, was the actual power behind the newspaper results in a very interesting novel.

Some whodunits for the fans:

The Swan Sang Once, by Marjorie Carleton. They were newly married—and each wanted to kill the other.

Punch With Care, by Phoebe Atwood Taylor. An Asey Mayo opus.

It Ain't Hay, by David Dodge. Action filled yarn about the "reefer" racket.

'All-Men' Cooking Class Is Offered at Community House

In the hope that the new craft shop at the Community House will serve all groups of Birmingham residents, special evening classes for men and for mixed couples are being organized and registrations are being accepted for silver work, ceramics and for an "all-men" cooking class.

There are still some vacancies for men in a mixed beginner's contract bridge class.

The classes will begin as soon as the construction work on the shop is completed. Any men interested in joining these groups is requested to call the Community House for additional information.

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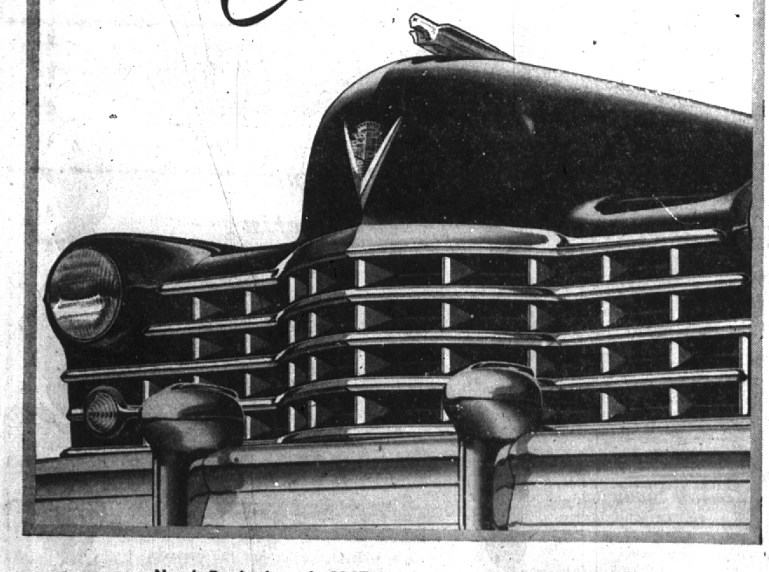

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JUNIOR HOUSE LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Pontiac Cigarette	48	16
Permalac Corp.	41	23
Accurate Foundry	42	22
Thurber & Ladd Service	34	30
Thornton & Grooms	33	31
Kaiser-Fraser	29	35
Birmingham Ford	29	35
Walnut Lake Service	28	36
Milk's Auto Supply	26	38
Chuckle Snack Bar	25	39
Oak Cleaners	25	39
Sugden & Bird	19	45

Weekly High
Ind. High (1)—J. Bennell, 225.
Ind. High (3)—M. Thompson, 604.
Team High (1)—Kaiser-Fraser, 883.
Team High (3)—Kaiser-Fraser, 2653.

BIRMINGHAM MERCHANTS LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Coca Cola	47	17
Birmingham Fruit	44	20
Birmingham Recreation	44	20
Fleetwing	42	22
Sacks	42	22
Faultless Mfg. Co.	39	25
Goebels	31	33
Adams	31	33
Scruhs	21	43
Lion Cafe	21	43
Lion Cubs	17	47
Lake Jewelers	13	51

Weekly High
Team (3)—Coca Cola, 2721.
Team (1)—Scruhs, 593.
Ind. (3)—J. Gundry, 616
Ind. (1)—J. Smith, 258.

LADIES HOUSE LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Strom's	49	23
Joy Shop	46	26
Triangle Engineering	45	27
Atkins Book & Gift Shop	43	29
McNeills Jewelry	42	30
Birmingham Movers	39	33
Sugden & Bird	34	36
William's Boot Shop	34	36
William's Boy & Girl Shop	27	45
Mel's Beauty Salon	25	47
Milk's Auto Supply	23	49
Barr's Shoes	21	51

Weekly High
Ind. (1)—M. Smith, 241.
Ind. (3)—M. Smith, 656.
Team (1)—William's Boot, 854.
Team (3)—William's Boot, 2314.

LADIES "ALIBI" LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Maxwell Shoe	52	16
Nels Dairy Dairy	48	20
Mayhelle's	41	27
H-W Controller Corp.	40	28
Ingrid's Style Shop	39	29
Community Service	35	33
S. O. Wylie Bell's	32	36
Arler's	31	37
Gibralter Insulation	30	38
Alger Tool & Gauge	25	43
Fern's Beauty Shop	22	46
Ellwood Electric	13	55

INTER-CHURCH LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Colts	43	21
Raiders	40	24
Mustangs	38	26
Aggies	35	29
Hooligans	33	31
Jeeps	33	31
Sad Sacks	33	31
Cyclones	32	32
Wildcats	30	34
Sea-hombers	27	37
Paddlefoot	27	37
Vagabond	27	37
Blue-Bowl-Bees	27	37
G-Men	23	41

Weekly High
Ind. (1)—W. Heil, 216.
Ind. (3)—C. Whipple, 546.
Team (1)—G-Men, 756.
Team (3)—Hooligans, 2274.

NEWS COPY must be in The Eccentric editorial offices by 9 a. m. each Wednesday for publication that week. However, early Deadline for CLUB NEWS remains at noon Mondays. adv. tf

LEGAL NOTICE
To The Members of the Birmingham Community House Association

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Birmingham Community House Association will be held at the Birmingham Community House in the City of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan, Monday, February 3, 1947 at 8:00 P.M.

EDWIN J. ANDERSON, President
ELIZABETH H. BOOTH, Secretary
44-45

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—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 said County on the 17th day of January A.D. 1947.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Austin R. Parks, Deceased.

Edgar A. Parks, brother of said deceased having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to the petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 17th day of February A.D. 1947 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.

MR. EDGAR A. PARKS,
356 Pierce St.,
Birmingham, Michigan
44-45-46

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—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 said County on the 14th day of January A.D. 1947.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Carrie M. O'Neal, Deceased.

Edwin A. O'Neal, husband of said deceased, having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Charles B. Randall or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 17th day of February A.D. 1947 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.

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Latest Results in City Cage League

In three games packed with thrills to the very last minutes of play, Mortimer's-Birmingham Fruit defeated Stroup's-Thurber-Ladd 26 to 25; Rotary Club emerged victorious over American Legion Post No. 14 by the score of 42 to 33, and Exchange Club sank the Lion's Club 28 to 21 in City Basketball League contests.

Larry Mahoney netted a foul throw in the last fifteen seconds of play to give the boys from Mortimer's-Birmingham Fruit victory. Kelley with 10 and Billingsley with 14 points were high scorers for their teams.

Al Larsen with 14, Bob Moody with 12, and Connie Adams with 10 points paced Rotary to a win over American Legion. Frank Wangberg played brilliantly for the Legion and shared scoring honors with Earl Mudge; both boys netting 14 points each.

Carl Blauman for the Exchange Club and Boyd Larsen for Lions stood out in a game that saw the lead change three times.

Games next Monday at Baldwin High School feature: American Legion vs. Stroup's-Thurber-Ladd at 7 p.m.; Mortimer's-Birmingham Fruit vs. Lion's Club at 8 p.m.; Exchange Club vs. Rotary Club at 9 p.m.

Local Girl Injured

Florence Holder, 19, daughter of Harold W. Holder, 6278 Adams, sustained injury to her upper jaw when a car driven by Earl R. Yingling of Pontiac collided with her father's car in front of the Yellow Truck & Coach company at 1:15 p.m. last Thursday.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS
Oakland Avenue

Notice is hereby given that a meeting will be held in the Commission Room of the Municipal Building on Monday, January 27, 1947, at 8 o'clock P.M. to hear suggestions and objections to the proposed closing and vacation of Oakland Avenue from Adams to Worth. This notice is published in accordance with the following resolution adopted by the City Commission on January 6, 1947.

"Moved by Commissioner Allen, "Supported by Commissioner Moody,

"Whereas a petition has been received by this commission requesting that Oakland Avenue be closed and vacated from Adams to Worth,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that a public hearing be held on Monday, January 27th, 1947 to determine the necessity and desirability of such closing and that due notice be given, and publication made in the same manner as required in Section 3 of Chapter XI of the Charter, together with such other notice as is customarily given."

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—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 said County on the 13th day of January A.D. 1947.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Nestor L. Wiasi, Deceased.

Willard P. Wiasi, brother of said deceased having filed in said court a petition that the administration of said estate be granted to the petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the tenth day of February A.D., 1947 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.

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St. James Boys Club Elects New Officers

The Boys' Club of St. James Church, in an election Sunday, Jan. 19, elected the following officers; president, William De Loria, 543 E. Lincoln; vice president, Robert Mansfield, and secretary, John Mansfield, both of 1469 Pierce.

The following were also elected to the activities committee (one boy for each age group): Richard Dickinson, 1030 Covington, (nine-year-olds); Payson Chapman, 720 Dorchester (ten-year-olds); Carl Luckenbach, 424 Willits (eleven-year-olds); William Leckie, 774 East Lincoln (twelve-year-olds); John Burton, 370 Townsend, (thirteen-year-olds). This group is planning club activities.

The Boys' Club is an established part of the church program. It has fifty-three members and meets once a week. The program is supervised by David R. Ketelhut.

Experimenters have found that some varieties of hybrid corn produce as much as 35% more corn oil—an essential ingredient used in shortening, soap, paint and printing ink.

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