

### Camp Amateur Nite Enjoyed by Guests

Many Birminghamites and summer resort guests in the vicinity of Camp Nissokone on beautiful Lake Van Etten near Osceola attended the campers amateur nite and saw and heard Tom Crater of Wadlington road take first place in the 25-act show with his piano solo "Yesterday". In fact, all first three places were shared by local boys in the performance that ranged from three-person skits to individual card tricks. Second place was awarded to Tom Bell of 215 Elm and Tom McNaughton of 2251 Yorkshire whose duet rendering of "Home on the Range" brought a good round of applause and was quite pleasing to the local populace. Bob Ketchum of 746 Sufferd made it a clean sweep by taking third prize with his piano selection of "Away to the Chase".

### To Direct Southern Oakland County's Red Feather Drive

Gar A. Sweeney, chairman of the forthcoming Red Feather drive, has announced the appointment of Roy A. Dodd as vice chairman of the Southern Oakland County Community Chest campaign of 1948. Dodd, a resident of Huntington Woods, has participated in previous Community Chest campaigns. He will serve as assistant to Sweeney in the over-all direction of the Southern County Red Feather drive.

### More People Hurt, Fewer Killed in May Car Mishaps

The traffic toll on Michigan highways during the month of May included 114 persons killed and 3,477 injured in 11,061 accidents, according to the monthly statistical report of the Michigan State Police. Compared with May of last year, there were eight fewer deaths, a nine per cent increase in injuries and a six per cent increase in accidents. These figures follow the trend in recent months. About one-third of the fatal accidents involved speeding violations. Other frequent violations resulting in deaths were improper passing, driving on the wrong side of the road, disregard of traffic signs and signals, and unlawful turning.

### Water Ballet

After four weeks of practice, members of the Cranbrook Theatre School water ballet will swim to music at the Cranbrook pool on Friday evening at 8 p.m. Practicing the triangle formation, Helen Davies, Nancy Wannberger, Marilyn Moeber (center row) Rhoda Smiley, Alice Shaw, and (top) Rima Nielsen. Additional class members under the direction of Miss Helen Davies are Marjorie School, Ann Averill and Pam Scularo. The standard strokes, rolls and dolphins are to be executed in unison. Parents and friends are invited to this exhibition.

### Have You Met . . .

The new neighbors from Royal Oak? They are Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Cherry and their children Jimmy, Sue and Billy now living at 2688 Yorkshire, Mr. Cherry is with Turner Brothers in Ferndale.

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**STORE CLOSED JULY 17 TO AUG. 16**

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Chryslers Win with Four-Hit Pitching  
By Bob Berres  
The Birmingham Chrysler defeated Villars Market a week ago Tuesday evening 6-3, behind the four hit pitching of Dick Blauman and Jack York.

The feat was even more remarkable due to the fact that the Village Market team had a collective batting average of better than .360 starting the fall game. The holding of Jim Ferns, Chrysler shortstop, was a potent factor in the decision. He handled five difficult chances including a one-hand stab of Bill Stewart's liner in the third and a snap throw to first to double Jack Parry off a Chrysler hitting star was Dick Costigan, speedy left fielder, who collected a double and triple in three official trips; driving in two runs.

Five Pitching Performance  
Dick Blauman turned in another fine pitching performance until he tired the eighth inning. He finally retired in the ninth after giving up a single and three runs. Jack York stepped up and put out the fire retiring the next two batters, one more run scoring on a fly.

The Chryslers jumped off to a two-run lead in the first inning when Jack Parry tripled and John Kalmanek's long fly for a three base error.

August 1 Is Named As Final Date for La Scala Entrants  
Young singers of Birmingham and vicinity will be interested in the announcement made this week through the Detroit office of the Philadelphia La Scala Opera Company. It states that the closing date for filing applications for the fourth annual \$2,000 scholarship contest, sponsored by the Grinnell Music Foundation, will close August 1.

While there have already been many requests for applications, there are still plenty of openings for young singers between the ages of 18 and 32 years. Preliminary contests are being planned for August, should applicants warrant it, with the winner to be in the Masonic Auditorium, Detroit, Sept. 10-12.

Oakland Hills Has Busy Season Planned  
On Saturday night, July 17, Oakland Hills Country Club will be the scene of a splash party with aquatic formation and entertainment in the pool. After dinner there will be dancing on the veranda to the music of Gene Ford and his Singing Swing Orchestra.

A ladies bridge luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, July 21, with Mrs. Clarence F. Kramer as chairman. She will be assisted by Mrs. William B. Edwards, Mrs. Alvin H. Knorr, Mrs. Harry B. Stillman and Mrs. Damon S. Gall. Starting on Saturday, July 24, there will be a series of dinner dances at the club.

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Comptroller of the Currency, under Section  
5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.)

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	2,085,000.40
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	3,891,070.33
Other bonds and political subdivisions	2,598,198.09
Other securities, including debentures	549,965.85
Corporate stocks (including \$15,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	15,000.00
Loans and discounts (including 1,760.81 overdrafts)	4,684,319.10
Bank premises owned (including 100.00 furniture and fixtures)	229,129.98
Other assets	20,778.48
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>13,116,588.83</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,706,192.64
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,256,648.40
Deposits of United States Government (United States postal savings)	205,393.21
Deposits of individuals and political subdivisions	1,094,926.80
Other liabilities, including cashier's checks	154,484.23
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>12,411,645.28</b>
Other liabilities	10,000.11
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>12,421,645.39</b>
<b>CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	
Common stock, total par value	250,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Reserves (and retirement account)	100,000.00
Stock	78,833.97
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>678,833.97</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>13,116,588.83</b>
<b>MEMORANDA</b>	
Assets pledged to secure liabilities and for other purposes	408,000.00
State of Michigan, County of Oakland, do hereby certify that the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.	
Witness my hand and the seal of said County, this 15th day of July, 1948.	
U. S. Notary Public.	