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## Story Tellers Meet at Baldwin Library

Miss Jeanne Lloyd, librarian, announces that the regular meeting of the Birmingham Chapter of the National Story Tellers League will meet this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting, which will be open to the public, will be held in Baldwin Library. Mrs. Rowland Quinn will lead the meeting. Persons interested in telling stories for either children, adults or family circles, and those who desire to develop a better form of delivery and greater assurance in addressing small groups are especially invited.

## Learning How to Relax



Ball balancing, a "laziness" exercise taught by Mrs. Wasja Enoch in her relaxation class is being demonstrated above by Mrs. J. Wimbocker, Mrs. F. Patton and Mrs. M. Chalk.

Mrs. Enoch who teaches the Dor-Jacob method which she studied in Austria, has offered her class to Birmingham women for the past eight years. Although sponsored by the education committee of Adams school, the class is open to the public and enrollment is being handled by Mrs. Walter Patton.

From 8:30 to 9:30 every Wednesday in the Adams school gym, members of the class learn that breathing is not merely taking air into the lungs and that through a large variety of "laziness" exercises which include massage, rolling, dancing, rhythmic movements and just plain walking, that there is a release from nervous tension as well as improvement of circulation and posture.

## Claud Dock Installs New Kiwanis Slate

Claud Dock was the presiding officer at the Kiwanis Club installation held last Tuesday evening in the Community House. Dock, a personal friend of Joe France, founder of the Kiwanis in Detroit, 35 years ago, is known to be one of the few men who can answer practically any question one may ask about Kiwanis and its activities. He is a past international trustee of Kiwanis International. The newly installed officers are Tom Ward, president; Edgar Pugh, first vice-president; Jim Sterling, second vice-president; Len Carnick, treasurer and Bill Thorburn, secretary. Directors for the coming year are Fred Arzi, Don Chaffee, Kenneth Hoover, Sherman LaMeasure, Roy Rauch, Clarence Clobert, Dr. Wilbur Whitman and Ernie Miller. Miller, retiring president of the club, has been one of its most active members since its inception. The local club held its Charter night, May 25, 1948, and since that time has progressed steadily under his guidance. The club's theme for the coming year has been chosen as "Aggressive citizenship, our individual responsibility."

## Ergasterion Club Plans Radio Series

At 4:30 on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 16, Ergasterion of Cranbrook and the Cranbrook Summer Theatre will combine forces to present the first of a series of great stories over WCAR, Pontiac. Scheduled for that date is a double program which will include two Edgar Allan Poe thrillers "The Tell-Tale Heart" and "Manuscript Found in a Bottle." The director of the series is Carl G. Wonnberger, head of the English department at Cranbrook, the Theatre School and of Ergasterion. In this week's Poe stories will be William McGowan who will head the cast of Tell-Tale Heart, and William Tolfree, who will take the lead in Manuscript. Participating will be Cynthia Creighton, Imogene Porrie, Tom Hawley, Bruce Williams, John Roberts, John Lewis, Jon Desenberg, Jan Simpson, Bob Sukanik, MIT Matter, Peter Meloney, Bob Beyers and Charles Vager. Next in order in the Ergasterion radio series will be Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer," which will be given over WCAR on Sunday, Jan. 23. In succeeding weeks Sheridan's "The Rivals" and the thriller "The Monkey's Paw" will continue the series.

## We Heard It Said By:

Max Chas. Shain, commenting upon the Tax Institute being held at Lansing today by the League of Women Voters of the state, said that the only phase of taxation not being covered at the meeting is the taxation of strength.

## Oil Heat Clinic

There should be no heating problems at the Community House, especially if they burn oil there. The Standard Oil company is ending a three-day oil burner clinic which has been attended by about 150 employees from this area.

## Have You Met . . .

The associate from Chisley, Ill.? They are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Birchard and daughter, Pamela who are now making their home at 1950 Holland. Mr. Birchard is a body engineer with the Kaiser-Frazier Corporation.

## What Your School Board Is Doing

Regular meeting of the Board of Education Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at 8:00 P.M. Diplomas of graduation were approved for forty-nine Baldwin students. Resignation of Mrs. Eva Sherbino accepted. Additional fire equipment for

the Field House in the amount of \$237.00 approved. Bids for the sale of Navin property were tabled until later. Music survey by Michigan State College was approved. Accounts payable, pay rolls and transfer of funds to other accounts in the amount of \$89,415.98 approved. New purchases in the amount of \$2,218.33 authorized.



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## RESOURCES

Cash on Hand and Due from Other Banks	\$12,793,566.03	
United States Gov't Obligations, Direct and/or Fully Guaranteed	45,550,800.00	\$58,344,366.03
Other Securities		9,348,838.14
Loans and Discounts		12,649,809.44
Real Estate Mortgages		3,420,042.03
F.H.A. Insured Mortgages		2,128,433.18
Banking Houses and Sires		213,258.92
Furniture and Fixtures		135,519.70
Prepaid Expenses		40,629.16
Income Accrued Receivable		230,476.61
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>		<b>\$86,711,373.23</b>

## LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 1,200,000.00
Surplus	1,250,000.00
Undivided Profits	542,103.17
Interest and Expense Accrued Payable	66,381.12
Other Liabilities	252,765.90
Deposits—Commercial, Bank and Savings	\$73,142,783.64
United States Government Deposits	771,975.07
State of Michigan Deposits	570,487.96
Other Public Funds	3,884,897.70
Cashier's, Certified and Dividend Checks Outstanding	3,029,978.67
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$86,711,373.23</b>

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