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LITERARY SOCIETIES

Winona

The W. L. S. met Friday evening and enjoyed an interesting program. Four of the girls from the 7th year, Lena Cleveland, Amanda Ladderoute, Angeline Walker and Esther Blodgett, appeared for the first time as debaters and all showed excellent preparation. There were songs, recitations, and pen pictures; then business and adjournment.

Excelsiors

The Excelsiors enjoyed a very interesting program on Friday evening in the auditorium. Following is the program rendered: Recitation, Robert Chamberlin; dialogue, Joe Bonner and Roy Sansaver; cornet solo, Frank Corbett; recitation, Lodi Callahan; do as you are told, by the members; the question, "Resolved, That all Japanese should be excluded from the United States," was debated by Cruz McDaniels for the affirmative and Charles Eder for the negative. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Following the program a short business meeting was held, after which our advisory member, Miss Hendrix, gave us a talk on loyalty. After rehearsing some new yells the society adjourned.

Nonpareils Entertain

The Nonpareils were hostesses in the gymnasium on Saturday night and lived up to their well known reputation as splendid entertainers. Long streamers of of purple and gold with dozens of pennants of all kinds made the old room look very festive. A program consisting of a piano solo by Uintah Kirk, an edition of the society paper, the "Jolly-Up," read by Effie Davis, and several songs by the Peerless N. L. S. Quartet, was exceedingly well received. Then followed various games and some lively music by an orchestra composed of local talent. A bounteous three-course luncheon was served by the younger girls of the society and before any of the guests realized it the happy evening was ended and it was time for goodnights to be said. The Nonpareil girls and Miss White, their advisor, deserve all of the many compliments which were overheard as the guests were taking their leave.

Reliance

The Reliance Literary Society met on January 21st as usual. As there was not much business to transact Allan Shepard presented a few yells and songs. Loulin Brewer was a visitor and gave a very good talk to the members. Following is the program that was rendered: Song, members; My trip to Chemawa, Daniel Lawrence; reading, Laurence Davis; pen pictures, Lloyd Clements; My favorite study, Peter Lloyd; Loyalty to Society, Frank Peratrovich; What the society has done for me, Fred Wilder. The advisory member then gave a few remarks and the society adjourned.

Y. M. AND Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The Y.M.C.A. met in the Mitchell Hall reading room on the evening of the 23rd for the purpose of electing cabinet officers for the following year. The elections were as follows: President, Fred Wilder; vice-president, Cruz McDaniels; secretary, William Frazier; treasurer, Arthur Johnson; sergeant-at-arms, Irving Hendrix; reporter, Logan S. Fann. The following were elected chairmen of committees: Missionary, Frank Corbett; program, Logan Fann; social, Edwin Liljegren; music, George Lekanoff; visiting, Clarence Adams. Newman Rock was elected song leader and Clarence Adams organist. These officers take their seats the first meeting in February. After singing a few songs and repeating the watchwork the association adjourned.

The girls of the Y. W. C. A. were delightfully surprised when the members of the Y. M. C. A. cabinet walked into their meeting Sunday afternoon as visitors. There has been some rivalry between these two organizations as to which one rendered the better discussion meetings, and Sunday, after the program, the boys remarked that "you have to hand it to the girls for having a well prepared, interesting meeting." The topic of the afternoon was "A Girl's Religion," led by Anna Holst, and the following topics were carefully prepared and well given: Ideals of character for a christian girl, Esther Paul; Truth as a ideal, Millie Bennett; Obedience as an ideal, Edna Hill; Unselfishness as an ideal, Mable Blodgett; Is it necessary to have a creed? Maude Potts; Does religion make any difference in a girl's life? Veltha Frazier; What is the Place of the Church in a Girl's Religion, Nancy Matheson. A selection by the Y. W. chorus and a duet by Maude Potts and Emma Carlson were the special musical numbers for the afternoon.

The Protestant Sunday School has contributed \$12.-37 for the Armenian Relief Fund. It is hoped that this may reach the \$20.00 mark before it is forwarded to headquarters.