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## LITERARY SOCIETIES

### Nonpareil

The Nonpareil Literary Society held their meeting in room 7 at the usual hour. After a short business meeting, and the receiving of names of new pupils for membership, the Society gave its annual Hallowe'en program, as follows: Opening Song, members; origin of Hallowe'en, Mattie Gregioroff; recitation, Theresa Escholt; song, Oxinia Hendrickson and Dolly Flynn; continued ghost story, members; stunts, Cecelia Smith and Eva Martin; song, Florence George and Flossie Skultka; recitation, Joyce Simmons; Debate, "Resolved, That there are Ghosts," members.

### Winona

Each Winona answered to roll call with her nickname at the regular meeting on Friday evening. The program was begun by the usual society chorus, Harriet Hill and Madeline Wilder recited, Anna LaRance and Louise Gardipe gave an amusing dialogue, Minna Bruce read a prophecy, Catherine Madsen told a story of a band of gypsies, and Elsie Redstone published the Winona War Whoop. Vocal duets and trios varied the program.

Guests for the evening were Addie Merrill, Nonpareil, and Josephine Weaver, Enterprise. Both girls gave encouraging talks before leaving.

The new members were given the Winona pledge. A short business session was held and adjournment was made to the old Winona.

### Excelsior

The Excelsiors held their meeting on Friday, Nov. 3, 1922, in the Laboratory. The house was called to order by President Orsen. The roll was called and each answered with a quotation, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following program was given: Song, society; Duet, Roy Courville and Peter Rassmussen; speech, Albert Orsen; recitation, Ernest Hill; Autoharp solo, Robert Peratrovich; The Jack-O-Lantern, Eugene Bondry; short story, Eli Karabelnikoff; pen pictures, John Pesterkoff.

After the program old and new business was discussed and dispensed with. The visiting committees gave their reports and after several snappy songs and yells we adjourned.

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

The Senior Y.M.C.A. sent two delegates, James Brooks and Albert Orsen, to the County Hi Y Confer-

ence at Silverton recently. They reported a fine conference, many inspirational talks and lots of good fellowship.

The Climbers Club had an unusually snappy meeting last Wednesday night, the most important feature of which was a debate on the question, "Resolved, That a high school education is of more value than an industrial education." Royal Holst, John Edleman, John Long and John Petellin were the debaters.

"Standing Room Only" is the regular thing at the meetings of the senior Y.W.C.A. this year. The meeting last Sunday was led by Harriet Hill, using the topic, "The Responsibility of a Y.W.C.A. Member." Cecelia Smith, Minnie Patawa, Oka Paulina and Viola Beyers made interesting talks on different phases of this topic.

On last Friday afternoon, eight girls of the Y.W.C.A. went to Salem, where they sang several selections at the Annual Praise meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary Society. The girls appeared in Indian costume and after the program assisted in serving to the one hundred or more women who were in attendance. The girls who went were Rose Gray, Carrie Anderson, Maude Potts, Addie Merrill, Cecile Smith, Grace Peterson, Lucy Verney and Anna Brendible.

## LIBRARY NOTES

The young readers at the library are very appreciative of the nice bookmarks received from the printing department a short time ago, and are putting them to good use.

We wish to thank Mrs. Brickell and Miss Skipton for their gifts of the Geographic Magazines. We hope to have them bound into volumes and placed upon the shelves for the use of the pupils in the geography and history classes.

The current magazines may be had by asking for them at the desk. Some interesting topics in the November issues:

Popular Mechanics: College near the Arctic Circle opened by Alaskans. How far can a locomotive jump? Airplanes and Automobiles and Wireless. Innumerable interesting accounts of achievements and inventions.

Popular Science: Radio, automobiles, new inventions. In these two magazines are shop notes which may be found helpful to our young mechanics. Both are profusely illustrated.

Mentor: "From Capetown to Cairo;" "Picturesque Mexico;" "The Story of Spectacles;" "The Origin of the Peace Pipe." This magazine is beautifully illustrated.

Ladies Home Journal: "Makers of American Literature—Edwards and Franklin;" "Booth Tarkington at Home;" "My Musical Life," by Walter Damorsch; "The Vanishing American," a new serial by Zane Grey. "Fair Harbor" by Joseph C. Lincoln; "Dusty Star," by Olaf Baker; "Old and New Dishes for Thanksgiving."

"The Outlook" and "Literary Digest" are weekly magazines and contain excellent articles on timely subjects, reviews, and the best cartoons gleaned from papers published in different parts of the world.