

**SHOP TALK**

**SHOE SHOP**

Second semester finds four new students in the shoe shop. They are Franklin Spearson, Ralph Scott, Lloyd Sanders and Clyde Sampson.

Besides repair of countless pairs of shoes, we like the leather tooling projects.

**INDUSTRIAL ARTS**

The 7th, 8th and 9th grade boys of the industrial arts shop have just completed a semester of wood working in which they studied the proper care and use of hand tools. They have made bench hooks, what-not shelves, shoe shine boxes and various other articles useful in the home.

**BOYS' DEPARTMENT**

The little men in Mitchell hall are enjoying exploring the many possibilities of the monkey bars that have been set up under the play shed. With this new set-up the boys can have fun even if it does rain every day.

The sixth grade boys enjoyed a day at the Salem Y.M.C.A. on January 6, 1951. They played a game of basketball which ended in a score of 11-14 in favor of Chemawa. After the game the boys enjoyed a swim in the swimming pool.

McNary hall started the New Year with a pajama party in the reading room. Chuck Reed and Dick Thorpe made the walls rumble to the tune of "Fire Ball Boogie." It was mostly "fire" but everyone enjoyed it. Refreshments were served and we noticed that "Slim" Spearson made the rounds at least four times.

Have you noticed the "New Look" on some of the McNary hall Greats? We admire the curly locks on three of our delicate young gentlemen, namely: Rodney Davis, Ray "Cupie" Pete, and "Goldie Locks" Belgarde. My! My!

The "Chemawa Spirits," McNary hall's outstanding entry in the Salem Church League, have been playing each week. Coach Stan Ashcut is very proud of his charges and hopes to bring them through the season with a perfect record. Much of this credit is due to the exceptional work of Horace Ironpipe and Ray Pete.

One of the greatest advances made by the McNary hall students this year was when Dick Thorpe and his room-mate Robert Kirk scrubbed their room. They usually hire a certain boy from Brewer hall to do the work. Of course, we are not mentioning any names, but one is closely related to him—how about it, Dick?

During the second semester the boys will study drafting and applied arts. They will spend one hour each day in the shop. There are two divisions of the 7th grade, one division in the eighth, and one in the ninth.

**AUTO SHOP**

The boys in the auto shop are concentrating on the better points of a well organized, clean shop. In the past we have not quite met these requirements. Mr. Speed has been stressing the fact that cleanliness goes with the job and customers also demand neatness in an auto shop. Clean tools in their proper places will add to the efficiency of any worker and the tools will last longer.

The shop has just completed the overhaul of the power plant's pickup and "Tuba" is quite pleased. Now we are putting a new motor and a new two-speed differential in the large school bus.

**CARPENTRY**

The carpenter shop boys have been busy, as all the buildings need some repair. The grade school class rooms all have had new bulletin boards and book shelves put up. All of the carpenter boys had a hand in doing this work. Now we are learning how to read the "framing square." It is used for cutting the following kinds of rafters: common, jack, hip, valley and others. This work is very interesting, as it is possible to make a circle with a framing square.

Three new students entered the class at the beginning of the second semester. They are Lawrence Head, Everett Jones and Leonard Hahn. These boys are all freshmen. The boys seem interested in their work and interested in learning the safety rules for running all the power machines.

**ELECTRIC SHOP**

The electricians, Robert Kirk, Alfred Hawk and Delmar Hickox, under the guidance of their teacher, Mr. Lester Bolton, have been able to keep the lights burning in spite of the storms. Rain and wind storms have caused a few wires to come

**DOWN ON THE FARM**

The senior farm boys have a project of rebuilding one of the old farm cats into a tractor, designed by Mr. Noel and the senior boys. This project was started about a month ago.

The boys in the other classes have various assignments to jobs about the farm, some work at the dairy, some at Pigville, others take charge of the meat cutting and some work in the shop repairing the broken machinery and with that comes the learning of how to handle tools, sharpen them, and care for them.

The senior ag boys have classes from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Junior boys' classes are from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. The 10A class meets at 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., while the 10B's have class in the p.m. from 1:00 to 2:00. All the ag classes are taught by Mr. O'Brien.

The boys have turned out some nice leather work. Among the articles made are belts, wallets, key cases, and comb cases.

**SPORTS**

League basketball play for Chemawa's Indians began on December 8. Our league games have not turned out so well as we wished them to, due to some spotty playing and a few bad breaks. This is our season's record to date:

Chemawa 42.....	Gates 47
Chemawa 34.....	Jefferson 35
Chemawa 39.....	Sublimity 57
Chemawa 40.....	Mill City 47
Chemawa 50.....	E. U. B. 54
Chemawa 65.....	Salem Sophs 47
Chemawa 51.....	Detroit 31
Chemawa 29.....	Gervais 31
Chemawa 43.....	O. S. D. 32
Season's record: Won 3 - Lost 6.	
League record: Won 2 - Lost 5.	

down and darken parts of the campus but no serious damage was done. Radio repair is very interesting, if only we had more time to work at it.