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## HOME LIVING

### WINONA HALL NEWS

Winona Hall has nice shining floors and everything is spic and span, the different Units are competing for points for the Unit award.

Unit No. VIII is to be congratulated for winning the award for the second time in November. They chose to have a party and invited some guests from McNary and Brewer Hall for their party.

We hope that some time during the year all the units will be able to win.

Several of the older McBride Hall girls have been invited over to dance in our recreation room with our girls. The girls all would like for this to be continued thru out the year as they all enjoyed it.

Our new Supt., Mr. Holm, and Mrs. Holm are both welcomed by the Winona Hall girls and we hope they like it here and stay a long time.

Two of our councilors had to return home because of illness in the families. Nancy Butler to Siletz, Oregon and Emma Mae Phillips to New Mexico. Lucetta Hahn, Peggy Washington and Mary Ella Williams are taking over their duties.

We have some improvements in the dormitory, we have a planter with lovely plants for the piano, our dining room chairs will soon have new covers on the seats of a very pretty green plastic material. We

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also have pretty new plaid bed spreads.

On Dec. 4 we all returned to the "olden days" we had no lights from supper time to bed time except lanterns and candles. Eleanor Foster played the piano and the girls gathered in the living room and sang songs and Christmas carols.

Nancy Samuels and Priscilla Jerry were welcomed back to Winona Hall. We are glad to see our Senior class growing larger.

Forty-seven of the Winona Hall girls made up the Pep Squad and Cheer Leaders that went to the Jamboree at Willamette U. on Monday night. We think we have the best Pep Squad and cheer leaders we have had in a long time even though we did not win anything.—Mary Lane, Ida Jean McCash.

### McNARY HALL

"And the lights went out"—that was the night of December 4th when we had the big blow. It was really a big night in McNary Hall—by the way, Farrell, did you find your shoe yet? Some of the boys could not even find their beds for they had been moved in the dark.

Mr. Hudson, adviser, called a meeting in the reading room and then things were quieter. Mitchell and his band of sheep started up in room 51; Mitchell and Frank strumming on the guitars while Jim Coburn led the boys in singing. It really sounded nice in the dark.

Many of the radios were blown out so the electricians gathered them all up and are having them repaired in Salem.

About nine o'clock all were sleepy so in spite of the blackout the boys crawled into bed and when they awoke in the morning the transformer had been repaired and all the buildings had lights again.—Parker Williamson.

### McBRIDE HALL

McBride Hall now has one hundred girls.

Our house officers are: Christine Thompson, president, has the fourth

## SPORTS

Your cheer-leading gang is composed of members from the senior, junior, sophomore and freshman classes. Every member is new to the experience of leading a large student body like Chemawa.

Practice has been the main aim of this group and they even give over their Sunday evenings for this.

At this year's Jamboree our pep squad looked as nice as we have ever seen them. White blouses and dark skirts really made a good background for our cheer-leaders. Our leaders were clad in red and white skirts and sweaters—the girls wore headbands and feathers. The boys wore roaches.

The leading was peppy and precise but our team did not place in the judging. With a year's experience behind them they should go far in the finals at next year's jamboree.

grade group; Caroline Millett, vice president, has the seventh grade group; LaVenia Johnson, secretary, has the sixth grade; Marie Barr, first, second and third grade group. Shirley Johnley has eighth grade group and Marilyn Luke has the fifth grade.

Our matrons are Mrs. Reifel, Mrs. Ott and Miss White. We like our matrons and help them all we can.

We were very sorry when we returned this year and found that Mrs. Ashcutt was no longer to be our matron. She had resigned. We miss her very much.

On alternate Monday nights we have programs put on by different groups and movies on our 8mm movie machine. So far the movies we have seen are comedies and travel pictures. The one about Lake Louise and Banff in Canada was very beautiful.

We usually have our house meeting on Monday night, after our program.

On Tuesday nights we go to the gym with the Winona hall girls for intramural games. The seventh and eighth grade girls like to go play games.—Christine Thompson.