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HOME LIVING

WINONA HALL

Girls of Winona and McBride are happy that Miss Challis has returned to be our adviser once again. Welcome Miss Challis!

The girls have been co-operating in the heat and light saving program. When they leave for school each morning, every radiator and light is turned off.

The girls of Winona enjoyed the Senior Christmas program which consisted of a Christmas eve play, singing and a poem read by Anna Mae Sharp called "The Soldier in Korea Version of the Night Before Christmas." Eleanor Foster was in charge of the program and did the announcing. After the program, treats and gifts were distributed and Santa Claus visited us.

Over the Christmas holiday Viola and Violet Lane and Delma Gird were visitors. It is always nice to see former students again.

Winona hall girls are grateful to Miss Challis for the pretty card and money she sent us for our Christmas present. We got a new picture and a lamp for the living room with the money and they are so pretty that all the girls are enjoying them.

Mrs. Lane has returned to the boys building. We surely enjoyed her stay with us and hope that she can come again.

Mary Lane in charge and Mable Bedoni are competing for this

month's Unit award—may the best unit win!

The 10B girls have switched with the 10 A girls in the kitchen. Good luck 10B. — Oh, those early morning calls!!

The girls are already cleaning the dormitory and rooms with the idea of having the best room for Open House which is always on Feb. 22.

Gladys Hellon and Nancy Butler have returned after being called home because of illness in the family.

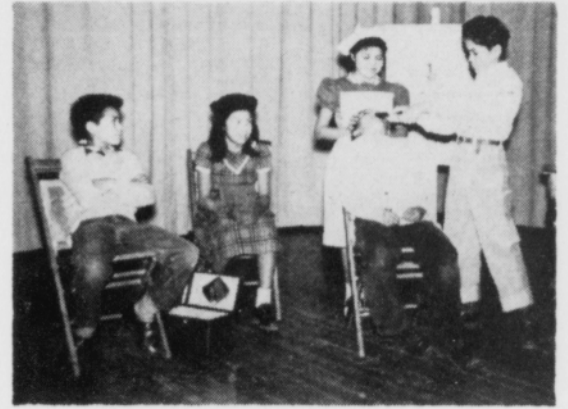
Mrs. Sharman and Mrs. Hauser have left to be with their husbands. The new employees we welcome in their places are Mrs. Sword in Home Ec and Mrs. Martha Maurean in the dining hall.

To welcome Miss Challis back to Chemawa, the girls had a reception for her on Sunday night. We had a program at 7:00 put on by Units I, II, and VIII. There were plays, skits, Indian dances and a very entertaining program. After the program, punch and cookies were served in the candle-lighted dinette. Other invited guests were Mrs. Brannon, Miss Runyan, Miss Koske, and Mrs. Howard who were in the reception line to meet and greet all Winona girls. Eleanor Foster was the hostess for the evening. It was very nice.—Nancy Butler and Christine Millett, reporters for Winona hall.

McBRIDE HALL

We are all happy to have Miss Challis back with us and we hope that she doesn't have to be called back again. When Miss Challis went away to help care for her sister we all missed her and wished she would come back and work here and I guess our prayers were answered.

For Christmas McBride received a lot of games and toys for the little girls. The older girls got records for dancing and we all enjoy them. For our play room we got new lamp shades and one new lamp. We had a lot of visitors at Christmas. Mr. LaVatta thought our dear old Santa was very nice. We are always



The program we had was about health. There were two plays about "Children Be Careful" and "Dr. Jerk Pulls a Tooth." We sang some songs and some boys did some acrobatic stunts. Cynthia was the announcer. We all tried to talk loudly. I hope everyone liked it.—Sharon Wheeler, 4th Grade.

sorry to see Mr. Santa Claus taken apart and put away each year.

During the rush before Christmas some of the girls were called home very suddenly. We were all sorry for Caroline and Judy Millett, Lavenia and Erma Johnson and Isabelle Phillips and Joan Phillips. They have all returned now and we hope that there will be no more leaving or unhappiness.—Christine Thompson, news reporter.

BREWER HALL

Junior High (7 and 8) Basketball

Our Junior High School basketball teams have played several games this season. The A team has won two and lost one game and the B team has won its two contests.

Our squads played Keizer before Christmas. The A's lost their game 11 to 12. Cass Andrews made ten points and Lafayette Jerry made a free throw. It was a good game all the way through. The B's won their game 14 to 4. High point man was Gary Smith with eight. Billy Patterson tallied four points and Billy Ives scored one field goal for two points.

We played Keizer here early in January. The A's won their game by a score of 32 to 18. Keizer was behind 16 to 19 in the third quarter but couldn't keep up in the fourth. Cass Andrews made eight points,