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Left to right: Laberta Swartz, Nick Polty, Barbara Bekes, Tommy Shorty, Bernice Gurtler.

NAVAJO YOUTH CONFERENCE

It was a pleasure for me to be one of the representatives to the Navajo Youth Conference which was held at Shiprock, New Mexico.

We left Chemawa on the morning of November 30, in the company of Mr. Tom Wright, our faculty sponsor. There were five of us who made the trip, Barbara Bekes, Tommy Shorty, and Laberta Swartz, as the three Navajo representatives, and Nick Polty and Bernice Gurtler, who were the Alaskan delegates.

We spent three days and two nights on the trip down. We had a lot of fun and saw a lot of new and wonderful things. Mr. Wright was real good to put up with all our silly questions and continual chatter. At Shiprock, we attended the sessions of the conference and were able to meet a lot of students and make some new friends. One of the things with which we were impressed, was the strong emphasis upon the importance of a good education and the desire of all students for the improvement of standards of living for their people.

On our return trip we had an opportunity to visit Intermountain School, the largest Indian school in the United States. We returned to Chemawa on December 8.

All of us felt that it had been a real exciting and informative experience.

Bernice Gurtler

Pep Club Wins First Place Trophy

FIRST SEMESTER HONOR ROLL 1964-65

Chemawa is proud of its students who made the honor roll. Through perseverance and hard work, the following have made a grade point average of 3.0 or above:

11th Grade — Diana Shorty, Cecilia Joseph, Raymond Blackgoat, Barbara Bekes, Robert Arthur, Jane Griest, Florence Mitchell, Effie Curley, Edith Kaigelak.

10th Grade — Harrison Amadelook, Mark Hirasuka, Eugene Makarin, Ilarion Merculieff, Mary Shelden, Jane Lind, Tommy Shorty, Phyllis Young, Peter Nevak, Tom Benally, Henry Lanlord, Elary Gromoff, Terry Lind, Wilson Manutoli, Anderson James, Marie Chikoyak, Minnie Onalik.

9th Grade — Bernard Benedict, Mark Morry, John Sharkey, Eve Soplu, Sheila Aga, Lucille Killbear, Alice Laws, Bobby Amarok, George Manygoats, Carroll Levshakoff, Paul Derendoff, Donna Frank, Fanny Koso, Allen Miller.

8th Grade — Joseph Bruno, David Chee, Evelyn Henry, Amos Casamero, Lulu Stanley.

7th Grade — Alice James.

McNARY CANTEEN

If it's candy you want, we usually have it.

McNary Hall has a canteen operated by the house council treasurer. Sometimes we run out of candy and when this happens we buy more from the wholesale house.

The canteen is open from 9:15 to 9:45 p.m. each evening, and when business is good we sell over ten boxes of candy bars.

The profits are put into the McNary Hall Fund where it will be kept to be used for future needs of the dormitory.

I enjoy working in the canteen because it gives me experience in handling money and making change.

Cyrus Savetilik
(manager of the canteen)

The Dallas gym, the scene of the Marion County "B" League Jamboree, was packed with students representing their schools. Chemawa cheerleaders, Marian Amos, Kathy Inga, Gladys Wells, Gloria David and Marlene Fred, led the Chemawa Pep club to first place. The beautiful trophy is once more on our campus. The Chemawa Braves won over Perrydale in their basketball game so the evening was an extremely happy one for everyone in red and white. Sportsmanship, originality, and appearance were judged. The large gym was a colorful place with the 12 pep sections dressed in their school colors.



Chemawa's Winning Group in Action.

BLOOD DONOR PROGRAM AT CHEMAWA

Chemawa and the surrounding community donated 40 pints of blood to the American Red Cross. Mr. Charles Holmes, shop teacher, acted as the coordinator between the school and the Red Cross. Blood drawn from Chemawa personnel forms a common blood pool for Chemawa and immediate families, unless individual people designate their blood to a specific person in need.