

SOCIETIES

Y. W. C. A.

The Young Men's Christian Association held their meeting in the association room last Wednesday evening. President Williams conducted the meeting. The meeting opened by a word of prayer from Walter Haight. Mr. Haight gave a report of the Ninth Annual Convention that was held at McMinnville. Some important business was transacted and the meeting, which was well attended, closed with a song and prayer.

Romona.

The members of the Romona Literary Society met in the usual place of meeting last Thursday evening. The house was called to order by the president, and the secretary then called the roll.

We then proceeded to elect new officers which are as follows: President, Annie Johnson; Vice-President, Virginia Garry; Secretary, Martha Andy; Treasurer, Alvina Dale; Sergeant-at-Arms, Jennie Lake; Reporter, Viola Brown; Program Committee, Louise Mose. Viola Brown and Lela Jackson. The new officers were asked to speak a few words, and three new members were admitted to the society. We then adjourned.

Excelsiors

The Excelsior Literary Society held an election meeting last Thursday evening and the following officers were elected: Ella Brewer, President; Helen Dillstrom, Vice-President; Margaret Lowry, Recording Secretary; Joe Dillstrom, Sergeant-at-Arms; Dora Clausen, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; and Helen Harnden, Treasurer.

You must not think that the Excelsiors have just been re-organized this year because you have not read of their weekly

meetings in the paper for some time. The reasons for this are many, but it is safe not to give any out for the mere attempt to do so will surely result in failure.

Since it is the custom of this society to hold an inaugural evening the following week of an election, we may be able to publish next week interesting speeches from the old and new officers, provided we can secure competent stenographers for the evening.

Reliance

The Reliance Literary Society met at its regular place Thursday evening and found business "piled high". First, after opening we found John Taylor, John Brown, James Olney, John Mason, Thomas Philips and Peter LaMoose, who were desirous of becoming members of our society. They were balloted on and elected. The rest of the evening was taken up in the election of officers for the coming term. The following officers were elected: President, John Brown, Vice-President, James Olney; Secretary, Frank Rosenburg; Sergeant-at-Arms, Simon Mathews; Reporter, John Mason.

The Reliance is composed of the best material below the seventh grade and as one can see in our officers' roster some of them are locally noted on Chemawa's gridiron. The same applies to members as well as our officers.

William Ingram was out from the Asylum farm Sunday.

In less than five minutes after the morning work whistle had blown Mr. Gordon's report was in the disciplinarian's office that his detail of six boys were all present. This promptness deserves mention, others had better take example.