


Literary Societies



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Top row—E. Trandem, R. Erickson, Conner, Howard, Mikkleson, Peterson.
Second row—Mellor, S. Erickson, Aakre, Mugaas, Suchomel, Knutson, Norbon.
Third row—Flaskerud, Ramse, Wardeberg, H. Johnson, Spears, Elton, T. Olson, Phillip.

 THE Northwest School has five literary societies; two for the girls and three for the boys. The societies have their meetings every other Monday evening, at which time programs are given.

Of the two girls societies, the Home Economics Club was organized first, and the Maria Sanford Club in 1920, when the increase in enrollment necessitated another organization. The big event of the season for the girls is the declamatory contest which takes place between the two societies Commencement Week.

Of the boys societies, the Pioneer was organized first in 1910, the Lincoln in 1915, and the Agrarian in 1919. The boys devote much of their time to debate and oratory. The annual inter-society debate held January 10 resulted in a tie between the Pioneer and Lincoln societies.

The programs put on by each society are planned and carried out by the students with the help of their advisers, and include literary and musical numbers as well as demonstrations of various kinds.