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In accordance with the Smith-Hughes Act, North Hall is being used as a practice house for the Home Economics seniors. There are seven seniors this year; this semester four are working in the practice house and three are doing practice teaching in Old Town. Next semester three will be working in the house and four will be teaching in Old Town. The family also includes the four home economics teachers, making eleven in all.

Rent, heat, and light are all paid into the university as at any other dwelling.

The girls pay the same board as they would if living at a dormitory but it is paid to the practice house. Each of the four girls who is working at the house has her own work to do. One is housekeeper; another is cook; the third assistant cook and the fourth is general helper.

The housekeeper does all the ordering, buying and planning of meals for the family and pays the bills.

The cook and assistant cook work together in cooking the meals planned.

The general helper has cleaning, some laundrying to do and helps the cooks when help is needed.

This work is conducted under the direction of Miss Beach and is given as a regular college course in Household Administration with a credit of three hours. Only the seniors in Home Economics are permitted to register for it.

The house is not fully equipped as yet but everything is running smoothly. On October 17, there is to be a formal house opening at North Hall and there will be several other occasions throughout the year so that everyone will be given the opportunity to visit the Practice House and see just what has been done.