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A CLOSE GAME

The basketball game between Chemawa and Pacific College in the school gymnasium last Friday evening was a very close and exciting game, first one side leading and then the other. At the end of the first half the score stood 16 to 16. The work of both teams during the second half was probably the most strenuous witnessed on our floor this season, each team realizing that only by the best of team work and quickest movement would they be able to win. Chemawa would secure more tries at the basket, but the ball failed to land, while the visitors seemed to be able on account of their height, to score.

The game ended with a score of 26 to 28 in favor of the visitors. The next game will be played this afternoon at 3:30 with the Mt. Angel team. This will be the second game of the season with this team. We lost the first game by one basket. The visitors are big husky fellows and a strong team. The games mentioned above are the only ones lost this year.

Chemawa is represented by: Robert Service, center; Reginald Downie, forward; Russell Adams, forward; Frank Peratrovich, guard; Frank Chamberlin, guard.

DETAIL AS PER CALENDAR

Chaperon girls to Salem, Saturday, Feb. 3, Mrs. McCrosson. Chaperon girls walking, Sunday, Feb. 4, Mrs. Teabo and Miss Hodgson. Visiting committees for societies, Feb. 7, Winona, Mrs. Woods and Mr. Blessing; Nonpareil, Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. Pendergrass; Reliance, Mrs. Smith and Mr. Kershner; Excelsior, Mrs. Evans and Mr. Sanders.

LOCAL LORE

The rain thus far this year is eleven inches below normal.

Chemawa students are deep into examinations this week, as it is the end of the first semester.

Mrs. Wedge delivered a lecture to the young ladies of McBride Hall on Friday evening in their assembly room. It was an instructive, motherly talk, and the girls eagerly drank in every word she said.

Dr. and Mrs. Wedge and Miss Wedge and Reverend Father Gall were guests of Superintendent and Mrs. Hall at tea on Sunday evening.

The Sunday evening services were conducted as usual with a musical program. Dr. Wedge delivered one of his strongest sermons, which was a treat to all.

The school orchestra of ten pieces, under instruction and leadership of our Mr. Turney, produces music of a professional nature. The number rendered on Sunday evening was especially fine.

Mr. Brown's orchestra furnished the music for the bi-monthly social in the gym on Saturday night. The young men of the musical organizations at Chemawa are very unselfish in giving pleasure to the student body.

All four of the school societies met on Wednesday evening as usual. Considerable interest is being manifested and much good to all concerned is secured. Lack of space this week forbids a detailed account of the proceedings.

Dr. Leo J. Frachtenberg, well-known representative of the American Bureau of Ethnology, has returned from Portland to Washington, D. C. The Doctor and his wife resided at Chemawa for a year or two while the former was carrying on research work in Oregon and Washington. They have many friends here.

Miss Edna R. Potz, of Washington, D. C., appointed to the position of trained nurse at this school, arrived on Saturday and entered upon duty the same day. Miss Potz is a graduate of the Garfield Hospital of Washington and is taking hold of the hospital work here with energy and ability.

The tennis enthusiasts have been taking advantage of the good weather the past two weeks. The school court was used every day after school. Tennis is a favorite sport of Miss Ruth Wedge and the Chemawa players have been glad to have her take part in the daily contests of singles and doubles.

The railroad company has finally concluded to construct a new culvert under the railroad track in order to lower the grade and permit the water in the lake below the barns to drain off through the new ditch now being dug through the farm for over a mile in length. It is thought the land now covered with water will be reclaimed for agricultural purposes.

Mrs. Edward Jaquins, better known to the Indian Service people as Lylah Hall, left Wednesday eve of last week on the Shasta Limited for Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Jaquins have been at Chemawa since Supt. Hall took charge of the school in July and it was hoped that they would decide to make Oregon their home. Business interests called Mr. Jaquins south just before the holidays, and now it seems to their best interests to return to their former home, Los Angeles. This estimable and talented young couple made many friends at Chemawa. They entered heartily into the business and social life of the school and will be greatly missed by all.