

THE 37th ANNIVERSARY OF CHEMAWA

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well doing. His loyalty to Chemawa is unswerving.

Mr. F. W. Mitchell was called upon and begged to be excused on account of the lateness of the hour. Mr. Mitchell has been at Chemawa for a number of years and is identified with its progress.

Mrs. M. M. Estabrook paid a high tribute to the student body, that their ability was marked and that they need not take second place with any race—in art and general efficiency—for Chemawa pupils who attend the Business College and High School in Salem are invariably leading their classes. Splendid reports are being received, not only in regard to academic work, but in general deportment. What those students can do others may do. Mrs. Estabrook paid a high compliment to Chemawa. Her address was good.

Mr. Smith made a "get together" talk which aroused loyalty and enthusiasm. He spoke of how he loved his old school at Carlisle and urged the students at Chemawa to stand by their school; he urged them to make the best of their advantages and succeed here at Chemawa, for unless they are a success in school they are very likely not to be a success thereafter. His talk was strong and to the point.

Mrs. Hall said that Chemawa was not composed of the employees of the past, nor the employees of the present, nor the students of the present, that the men and women, her alumni, whom she has sent out from her doors equipped to fight life's battles, and those whom she will continue to send out in the future, constitute the real living Chemawa. She urged that we all stand loyally together, the Chemawa of the past, Chemawa of the present, Chemawa of the future, for one grand, big, living Chemawa.

The meeting closed with spontaneous and rousing school yells and songs by the alumni, who were seated in a body in the front seats of the auditorium, each member wearing their class colors as well as the Chemawa red and white.

The string quartet delighted the audience with a special number. This quartet is the pride of Chemawa and its music is always fine and of a high grade.

Especially chosen songs had been prepared by the choir, but on account of the length of the program were postponed for next Sunday evening.

This closed the 37th anniversary of the Chemawa Indian School, and right proud are pupils and employees of the work being done in all departments.

A WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY PAGEANT

The entertainment given in the school auditorium on Washington's Birthday by the ninth grade pupils was successful throughout and afforded much pleasure and enjoyment to a large audience. The play was well staged and drilled. The costumes were beautiful and represented the style worn during the colonial period very minutely.

Reginald Downie, as Washington Irving, spoke his lines distinctly and with splendid emphasis, his appearance was very dignified, portraying the character of Irving splendidly. The solos by Russell and Mae

Adams were given with much feeling and pathos and were appreciated by the audience. Frank Peratrovich as Billy, the colored servant, made the hit of the evening. His interpretation of the part was fine, using the negro dialect perfectly, and was a signal for laughter every time he made his appearance on the stage. Miss Marie Roberts, teacher of the ninth grade, drilled the production, and with the class, deserves much credit for its pleasing presentation. In fact, each member of the class did his part exceptionally well and it is hardly fair to make particular mention of any one. The following was the cast:

PROGRAM

Taking place in the Library at Sunnyside, Washington Irving's house at Irvington-on-Hudson, on February 22, 1859.
(Washington Irving - - - Reginald Downie)

CHARACTERS IN THE PAGEANT**SCENE I**

(At the Washington home in Virginia, February 22, 1747)

George Washington, aged 15	-	-	Fred Karluc
Mrs. Washington, his mother	-	-	Leona John
Lord Fairfax, an English nobleman	-	-	Robert Service
A Colored Servant	-	-	Ada Carson

SCENE II

(A room in Washington's headquarters at Valley Forge, February 22, 1778)

General Washington, Commander of the armies of the United States	-	-	Frank Chamberlin
Col. Fitzgerald, one of Washington's aides	-	-	Russell Adams
Dr. Craik of the medical staff of the army	-	-	Earl Nuckolls
Mr. Byran Fairfax of Belvoir	-	-	Robert Service
The Marquis De Lafayette	-	-	John Beyers
Billy, Washington's mulatto servant	-	-	Frank Peratrovich
Two Soldiers	-	-	Ernest Webster, Lawrence Frazier
Mrs. Washington, wife of the General	-	-	Martha Sprague
Mrs. Greene, wife of General Greene	-	-	Mamie Fisk
Mrs. Knox, wife of General Knox	-	-	Mae Adams
Mary, a child	-	-	Marie Shaishnikoff
Col. Hamilton	-	-	Clarence Adams

SCENE III

(A room at Mt. Vernon, February 22 1779)

George Washington, ex-president of the United States	-	-	Frank Chamberlin
Maj. Lewis, Washington's nephew	-	-	Chas. Eder
Col. Lear	-	-	Oscar John
George Washington Lafayette, son of Marquis De Lafayette	-	-	William Lewis
Billy, the servant	-	-	Frank Peratrovich
Mrs. Washington	-	-	Martha Sprague
Elenor Park Custis, her granddaughter	-	-	Marie Shaishnikoff

MUSICAL NUMBERS

Song—Young America We're Strong for You	Class
Omaha Tribal Song—Far off I Hear a Lover's Flute	Cadman
	Russell Adams
Iroquois Tribal Song—The White Dawn is Stealing	Cadman
	Mae Adams
Blackfoot Tribal Song—Indian Lullaby	Nevin
	Mae Adams
Omaha Tribal Song—From the Land of the Sky Blue Water	Cadman
	Russell Adams
Song—America	Class

Piano Accompanist, Miss Gertrude Brewer