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GAME AT AMERICAN LAKE

Before a crowd of about 10,000 people the Chemawa team was defeated at Camp Lewis on Saturday by the 91st Division team 49-0. Chemawa was out-weighted between 15 and 20 pounds per man and the slippery field added to the handicap against them. The team played hard and fought well, but were unable to stop the rushes of the big fullback, Craig, who weighs more than 200 pounds, or the runs of the smaller McKay behind good interference.

Most of Chemawa's plays were smothered before they got started, but several times during the game they made "first down" and a number of forward passes were successful. Crane and Watts were injured early in the game, and Crane was replaced by Gartiez in the second half.

All the men played hard and the playing of Nuckolls at right end deserves special mention.

It was the opinion of all who saw the game that Chemawa played hard and pluckily, but that the 91st Division team was a team of veterans picked from 46,000 men—heavy, fast and experienced. It was a stronger team than that which defeated Multnomah.

The Chemawa team did not have the "pep" and dash which characterized their playing against the 4th Engineers, due probably to the hard trip and a slippery field.

The 91st Division team is now probably the strongest team in the whole Pacific West and it is therefore no disgrace to be beaten by them.

WRITES FROM NEW YORK

Supt. Hall is just in receipt of a letter from William Andrews, a former Chemawa student who is now in the navy and assigned to duty on the U. S. S. New Orleans, and at the time the letter was written was in New York harbor. The letter follows:

Just a line to tell you of our program last Friday. We called the affair "The New Orleans Smoker." On the evening of last Friday the crew of the U. S. S. New Orleans had as guests the crew of the U. S. S. San Diego. The "smoker" was carefully planned and successfully carried out, and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all. First on the program was a number of boxing bouts, refereed by Sam Lind of New York

fame. A couple of the matches were thrillers.

The hearty co-operation of the committee on arrangements, the commissary department, and the cooks and baker boys, made possible the excellent refreshments which were enjoyed by all. We had movies, and music by the New Orleans jazz band, and Joe Reason, our all-around entertainer, kept every-one roaring with his ballads and jokes, making an especial hit with the touching little ballad entitled, "Taint no Disgrace to Run When You Git Skeered." Chief Yeoman Laurie took the crowd by storm with his famous song hit, "At the Yiddishers' Ball," which was a scream from start to finish. Other entertaining features added to our program and made it of intense interest. This was the most enjoyable time I've had since I left Chemawa.

It was a "smoker" all right—the blue fog hid the stars.

Y. M. C. A.

Logan Fann led a lively and interesting meeting last Sunday. His topic was, "The Golden Rule." The leaders have made rapid improvement in their talks and the members are taking an active part in the song services. Some interesting topics and good, lively leaders have been selected for the remainder of the school term. Russell Adams will lead next Sunday. His topic will be, "A Young Man and His Church."

JOINT SOCIAL

On Thursday evening last, the members of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. gathered in the old chapel in the academic building and participated in their first joint social of the year. The evening was spent in playing games of various kinds and a general good time was had all round. Mr. and Mrs. Hood deserve credit for the success of the evening.

The chapel has not been utilized since the completion of the new auditorium, but is now being furnished and will be used as a general meeting place for the two organizations.

Mr. John F. Brown, assistant carpenter, has received notice of his transfer as carpenter to the Spokane Agency, Washington.