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Mrs. Armstrong of Idaho is visiting her sister, Miss Skipton, for a period.

Mr. Loos, who has been absent for several months, is due to arrive at Chemawa on Thursday.

On Friday evening Superintendent and Mrs. Hall were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Turney.

Harry Busby, a graduate of Chemawa a few years ago, writes us from Tensed, Idaho, to the effect that he is farming in that section. He was a student of agriculture while at Chemawa. He is getting along nicely, we are pleased to state.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Thomas, of Portland, accompanied by Nick Hatch, spent the week-end at Chemawa. Mrs. Thomas was formerly Marie Shaishnikoff and is a member of the class of '18. They were warmly welcomed by their many friends.

In chapel on Sunday evening Supt. Hall drew special attention to the loyalty to Chemawa of graduates and ex-students. It is a fine thing for both students and school when the Superintendent can utter words of a character that he voiced Sunday evening.

Mrs. Loos was given three rousing raps' by the student body assembled Saturday evening for the annual Hallowe'en party, for the beautiful decorations which she so artistically arranged. An evening of much enjoyment was spent by all, including an unusual number of the faculty.

There was a joint meeting Sunday evening on part of the Willamette Y. M. C. A. and the Chemawa Association in the school auditorium. Willamette Association led the meeting and our boys gained much through the enthusiastic and capable way in which the visitors handled the program.

The Sigma Phi Delta Society managed the sale of ice cream cones, coffee, doughnuts and buns at the Saturday evening party in order to secure a Christmas fund for use in purchasing remembrances for the smaller children. Appreciation is due Mrs. Brewer and her girls for the ice cream and doughnuts and Mr. Chapman for the buns.

The first monthly employes' party of the year took place in the Teachers' Club building last Thursday (Hallowe'en) evening. A double committee handled the affair and it was a pronounced success. The Hallowe'en motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. Nearly all of the guests were masked. There were witches, ghosts, goblins, and his majesty, Satan himself, assembled to enjoy the fun. It was a joyous evening and well planned, thanks to the double committee composed of Miss Skipton, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Coddington, Mr. James, Mr. Daly and Mr. Bent.

A party of twenty-one pupils from Kodiak, Alaska, arrived Monday night. Another party of fourteen will reach Chemawa tomorrow. This probably will be the last crowd to enter school this year.

We notice by the Portland papers that Miss Ruth Brewer, of Chemawa, is still receiving honors, having recently been selected as one of the associate editors of The Oregon Countryman published at O. A. C.

Russell Adams, one of Chemawa's old stand-bys, returned to school last week. He served in the navy during the war and made a good many trips to France. He will take a course in Salem Business College this year.

It is not known at present what effect the coal strike will have upon Chemawa. Our coal is received from a non-union mine near Centralia, Washington, but it is understood that the miners are holding back on account of so many union miners in the vicinity.

Rev. Father Gall held special Catholic services on Saturday morning last. He was accompanied by other priests from St. Benedict's Monastery to assist in receiving confessions from the large number of students of the Catholic faith. No one could be more interested and faithful than Father Gall. With such a large number to attend his services the chapel is crowded each Sunday.

The Y. M. C. A. entertained the Y. W.'s at a Hallowe'en party in the old auditorium last Thursday evening. Miss Eakin and Miss Judd were the leading spirits in the well-planned program of games for the evening. Our students always look forward to parties planned by Miss Eakin and this gathering was fully up to the high standard maintained.

As usual Supt. Hall was in charge of the chapel exercises on last Sunday evening. The orchestra played "The Tower of London" overture by Isenman, the choir sang "Rejoice! Rejoice! The Lost is Found" by Bristow, and Supt. Hall gave one of his excellent talks to the students. The singing of the entire student body is improving right along and this adds to the enjoyment of these evenings to no small degree.

A disappointed crowd, probably 250 in all, of Chemawa rooters, returned from the much-advertised football game on Saturday at Willamette field, after witnessing Chemawa go down to defeat before the University team. Owing to injuries on part of several of the strong players in previous games, necessitating their absence, new men had to be used which materially weakened the line as well as the back field and rendered the Willamette victory possible. Much enthusiasm was shown by adherents of both schools and the proper spirit exhibited throughout the contest. It was a clean game and the best team won.