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The carpenters are repairing the building in which our office is located

Supt. and Mrs. Hall spent a day or so in Portland this week on business.

A basketball game is scheduled for Chemawa next Saturday night. Chemawa Vs. American Legion of Mill City.

Since Christmas the truck crew have had a busy time of it carrying off decorative material from the various buildings.

Miss Stonebrink, teacher, spent her holiday vacation with her people in Portland. She returned by auto last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sampson of Portland were holiday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woods, at Chemawa. Both families returned to Portland to see the New Year ushered in.

Nick Hatch visited with us during the holidays. Nick is attending the Benson Polytechnic Institute in Portland and stands exceedingly well with both his instructors and fellow students. He is making good and we are proud of him.

Last Sunday evening after the chapel exercises Supt. and Mrs. Hall entertained the members of the orchestra and choir and a few other guests. Delicious refreshments were served and the evening passed in a manner most delightful to all.

The basketball squad is now hard at work in training and getting ready for a strenuous season. Games will be played every week for the next two and a-half months. Prepare yourselves for some lively times here before spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Larsen and daughter, Vivian, passed New Years and a few additional days as the guests of Chemawa friends. Mr. Larsen holds a position in the service as clerk at the Siletz Agency. They returned home yesterday.

Silas Moon passed the Christmas holidays at Chemawa, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Downie. Silas is an ex-student of our school and a credit to it and himself as well. He is hard working and by his respectability has won many friends.

During the holiday week Mrs. Vandagriff, Mrs. Cox and Miss White were hostesses to a number of Chemawa ladies. The reception room at the Teachers' Club building was the place where the ladies were entertained and care had been taken to make the rooms most attractive in every way. Most dainty and tempting refreshments were served and in every way the afternoon was most enjoyably passed. The guests were profuse in their expressions of praise and gratitude to their gracious hostesses.

Mrs. Woods reports having a fine detail of girls at the laundry. She says that they not only do their work well, but do it quickly.

The chapel services last Sunday evening were up to the usual high standard. The orchestra played "Devotion" by Mackie-Beyer, Maude Craig sang "In Time of Roses," the choir sang "The Light of the World" by Brackett, and Supt. Hall gave a splendid talk on grit and courage, ably setting forth the necessity of the student for these qualities if he is to succeed. Like all former talks he has given the students, it was replete with good advice and was also most interesting from a philosophical standpoint.

A few days ago Mr. and Mrs. Henderson went to Portland and started to return home on Sunday evening, when nearly to Oregon City they learned that the road just north of that city was flooded. They returned to Portland and took a new start for home, via the west side of the Willamette river to Oregon City. To shorten a long story, they joy rided about the country between Portland and Chemawa until 3 o'clock on Monday morning when they arrived home. As the weather was bad and the roads, too, they reported not to have enjoyed their "night out."

On Friday evening of last week a costume party was given in the big gym and the scene was one that would have gladdened the heart of a "movie" camera man. Many expensive and elaborate as well as comic costumes were in evidence and all sorts of personages were impersonated, covering a range from beggars to royalty. Miss Swanson took the ladies' first prize for costume as an "old time" girl, while Albert Spearson won the gentleman's prize as a "colonial gentleman." The party was in every way a grand success and assisted materially in making the week memorable.

JUNIORS HONOR SENIORS

The dinner given on New Year's day in the domestic science department by the Juniors to the Seniors, an honor given each year to the senior class, eclipsed any effort heretofore attempted by any class in recent years. Covers were laid for twenty-eight including the chief officers of the Juniors. Everything in connection with this dinner was faultless. The menu consisting of a six-course dinner, the dining room and table decorations, the serving and cooking, all were apparently perfect. The Junior girls, under the efficient coaching of Mrs. Brickell, out-did themselves on this occasion. While this dinner was not given as a demonstration yet it did demonstrate unusual ability on part of the girls in domestic science training. The toasts made by Albert Spearson, president of the Junior class, and others were direct and spicy.