

**ACADEMIC NOTES**

Within a day or two the third division of the fourth and the fifth grades will be climbing the stairs to— which room has not yet been determined. This change will leave only the primary department and the fourth grade on the first floor.

Miss Mallory, who was chosen by the B division for a five-minute talk in assembly, provided a substitute by giving the pupils the pleasure of hearing three records on her Edison. The selections were well chosen and the hearty applause that greeted each number showed the childrens' appreciation of good music.

The boys in the carpenter shop are repairing a table and making benches for some of the small folks in the first grade. This will take care of the six pupils in this grade for whom we have no desks small enough for comfortable seating. The 77 boys and 49 girls who attend school all day in the primary grades fill this department to overflowing and make the problem of providing desks and places to put them look like a great big question mark.

At a recent teachers' meeting the prevocational and primary teachers made a division of their forces for the production of the three entertainments scheduled for their departments during the year. The fourth and sixth grades, under the direction of Miss Lamb and Mr. Griffiths, will give the Thanksgiving entertainment on Wednesday, November 29. The second and fourth grades, under the direction of Miss Judd and Miss Mallory, will stand responsible for the Christmas entertainment and the third and fifth grades, directed by Miss Stanley and Miss Gunn, will produce the entertainment for Washington's Birthday, February 21.

**ALUMNI AND EX-STUDENT NOTES**

Henry Darnell, '11, is now located in Portland in the advertising business under the firm name of "Darnell & Ball." While here Henry was a member of the printing force and was one of the real live wires of the school.

Emma Shepard, class of 1913, is a linotype operator on the leading newspaper at Santa Monica, California. While here Emma was very active in musical circles and traveled with the school band on its concerts as a vocal soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hatch, nee Hattie Martin, of the classes of '13 and '21 respectively, are living at Unalaska, Alaska, where Nick has a position as an electrical engineer.

Mr. Charles E. Larsen is the chief clerk at the Siletz Indian agency. While here Mr. Larsen was a very prominent athlete and musician. In later years he conducted the school band with much success and was also disciplinarian.

Silas Moon has followed his trade as blacksmith continually since leaving school and is now the head blacksmith for one of the largest logging firms on the Columbia River. "Cy" was a real football player and had a reputation throughout the northwest.

Gordon Hobucket, '08, who was a member of our teaching staff for several years, is now financial clerk at the Taholah Indian Agency at Hoquiam, Washington. Gordon is one of our loyal alumnus who makes it a point to visit his alma mater at least once each year.

James Evans, class of 1913, is the postmaster at Metlakatla, Alaska. While here "Jimmy" took an active part in all lines of the school work and was liked by all. He was one of the best clarinetists the school ever turned out and now plays with the famous Metlakatla Band.

Willie Reddie, class of '14, left here as cellist of the Indian String Quartet, tutored by Mr. Turney and sent East as a Chemawa product. Until disbanded by the war draft the quartet made good on the big eastern lyceum and chatauqua circuits. Since the war Willie has been in musical work of the highest order. He will be in the Northwest for a short time this winter and promises to visit Chemawa. He is reputed to be the world's best Indian cellist.

**ITEMS FROM THE TRADES**

The painters have finished the two school rooms at the academic building and also a considerable amount of other work.

The tailors, shoe and harness-makers are rather cold in their shops, but conditions are somewhat improved for the tailors since they put up a stove.

The carpenters are as busy as ever with repairs and a house moving job also. The porch at the rear of the domestic science has had a share of attention recently.

The plumbers are on the run trying to stop leaks and maintain service over the plant. Many of our radiators are old and are inclined to leak, but that, too, will be corrected in time. Again we request patience.

Our new heating system is undergoing adjustment. Please be patient and we will soon have it working properly. It seems rather strange to the engineers to have no coal to haul in and ashes to take out, but they say that they are not grieving about it.

The recent rains have made the harvesting of potatoes difficult, owing to the fact that the potato digger cannot be used and the boys have to use forks to dig by hand. We are hoping that a few bright days will put the ground in shape so the digger can be used again.

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