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HOLIDAY ATHLETICS

Hoo Ray! During the week all the old scores have been settled. Nobody hurt and everybody feeling fine. The old fighting spirit of our ancestors came to life, hatchets were dug up and the old scalping knife took on an edge. Each contest that was staged for the week was hotly contested.

The boxing and wrestling events were mostly given decisions as draws. It showed a marked improvement in this branch of our athletics.

Monday's card showed the contests between Seniors-Sophomores vs. Juniors-Freshmen. The basketball game between the boys' teams resulted in a score of 31 to 15. The Senior-Sophomore game between the girls' teams was won by the Sophomores, 19 to 3. The tug-of-war was won by the Juniors and Freshmen.

Tuesday—Alaska vs. States in contests. The boxing and wrestling events were of a fast caliber and most all events got a draw.

The basketball game resulted in a victory for the States. The game was a fast one from the start.

The girls' game was the second between the Seniors and Sophomores, the Sophomores winning by a score of 13 to 3.

Wednesday's schedule gave the afternoon to the Reliance vs. Excelsiors. The basketball game was won by the Reliance. The Excelsiors won the tug-of-war.

Friday our Varsity had a try-out with the Anderson and Brown basketball team of the City Commercial League. We won by a score of 20 to 13.

LOCAL

Mr. Griffith and Mrs. Baker, teachers, have both been called to their homes on account of family affairs, their resignations taking effect December 31st.

The hospital patients desire to thank the Y.W.C.A. girls for the box so generously filled with dolls, toys, picture books and other articles dear to children. A phonograph carried over on Christmas and donated by the school will fill many an hour to cheer the bed patients.

Anna Sexton, now Mrs. Rolly-Inman, of Manly, Iowa, writes that she has a little daughter, Helen Marie, three months old. Her husband is a movie operator and is doing well.

A stag party at the carpenter shop on Thursday last in the shape of a big dinner given by Mr. Mason to his large detail of carpenter boys was a big event. The young men certainly did justice to the spread and wish to thank their instructor for his thoughtfulness.

A feature connected with the birth of the New Year at Chemawa that will long be remembered by those in attendance was a breakfast at the home of Supt. and Mrs. Hall. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Petri and Mr. and Mrs. Turney. It was a most delicious breakfast and host and hostess were, as they always are, charming in every way. The guests found it delightfully auspicious as a commencement of the New Year.

Chemawa certainly appreciates the interest which Prof. Paul Petri and his estimable wife take in our school. They are both high-class musical artists and stand at the head of their profession in the city of Portland. The complimentary recital given to our pupils and others on Sunday evening in our auditorium will long be remembered by all who were fortunate to be present. Professor and Mrs. Petri are old friends of Mr. and Mrs. Turney and visit them frequently.

Probably the most finished all-round entertainment given at Chemawa for a long time was that presented last Friday evening in the auditorium by the primary students under direction of Miss Alice Judd, teacher. The entire production, representing "A Joke on Santa Claus," by Edith Tillotson, was perfectly acted. The singing, impersonation and Christmas cheer injected into the play was a delight to the audience and started our Christmas holidays out with a fine spirit. Indeed, we cannot commend the children nor Miss Judd too highly. Miss Eakin presided at the piano.

On New Year's Eve the Juniors gave a dinner in the domestic science quarters in honor of the Seniors. This was really one of the important social events of our holiday festivities. There are nearly fifty members in the Junior class and not all were present, but of course all of the girls who belong to the class and who are "well up" in domestic science work were present and took active parts in making the dinner the big success it proved to be. A fine, pleasing program of a musical and literary character was rendered and gave great pleasure to all. The president of the Senior class, Roy Courville, made a fitting response to the Juniors in which he voiced the appreciation and thanks of the Seniors for the honor shown them and the perfectly stunning good time they had enjoyed.