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THINKING

If you think you are beaten, you are;
If you think you dare not, you don't;
If you would like to win, but think you can't,
It's almost a cinch, you won't.

If you think you'll lose, you're lost;
For out of the world we find
Success begins with a fellow's will;
It's all in the state of mind.

If you think you're outclassed, you are;
You've got to think high to rise;
You've got to be sure of yourself before
You can ever win a prize.

Life's battles don't always go
To the stronger or faster man;
But sooner or later the man who wins,
Is the man who thinks he can.

LIBRARY NOTES

Karl Muller presented the library with three scout books last week. He had enjoyed them and wanted others to have the same pleasure. It was certainly a nice way of showing his appreciation of our library.

Another young reader, George Thomas, who may be found at the library almost every evening, bought a Sunday paper and carefully preserved it for the reading table. Such thought on the part of these two boys shows a fine spirit.

The library is well patronized these afternoons and evenings. Many happy girls and boys gather around the tables, some looking up references for their school work, others spending a pleasant hour with a favorite book or magazine. Thus splendid habits are being formed.

Y. M. AND Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Rev. W. J. Large, Presbyterian Sunday School Missionary for Oregon, was a visitor at Chemawa on Sunday. He was especially interested in our two Teacher Training Classes and the thorough work they are doing.

On Wednesday evening the I. T. C. boys folded up the chairs in the "Y" room and enjoyed an hour of noise and hilarious games. If you doubt the good time they had, ask any one of the sixty small boys who were present.

At the last meeting of the Climbers' Club, Roderick Hill was elected president; Jesse Morgan, vice-president; John Long, secretary; John Edelman, treasurer; "Chignic" Lowell, yell leader; and Guy and Wallace Scott, sergeants-at-arms. These boys will hold office during the remainder of the school year.

The Y. W. C. A. entertained the Y. M. C. A. at a very delightful party last Thursday evening. Conversational stunts and a well-prepared program provided entertainment for the evening. Delicious refreshments were served by the Y. W. girls.

The Y. W. C. A. had one of the best discussion meetings of the year, last Sunday, developed on the topic of "Habit." All the girls on the program gave excellent, well-prepared talks. The Y. M. C. A. discussed the same topic on Sunday evening, and the boys made excellent campus application of it. Roy Courville sang a very pleasing solo, and John Dexter played the Slavonic Cradle Song very beautifully on his violin.

U. OF O. FROSH DEFEATED

Our varsity put the skids under the U. of O. freshmen here last Friday night and defeated them 28 to 25 in the snappiest and hardest fought game seen here this season.

Stellar passing and better checking, coupled with the fight-to-the-finish spirit and the grim determination to hang on to the end, we dare say, was what won the game.

There was no real star on the varsity, yet every man was a shining light in his position and those who seemed to go groggy early in the previous game stood the grind to the end.

George and Buchert were our high point men, with twelve and ten points respectively, while Phinney and DePoe annexed two apiece. Abraham has played a good defensive game all season and this one was no exception. He held his man to two baskets and time after time intercepted Frosh passes.

Just a week previous our team lost to the freshmen by a large score at Eugene and came home mum as the old town clock, but determined they would turn the tables in the game here. Every man went into the game with a determined spirit and resolved never to "quit." They played, and played it fair, and won.

BASKETBALL NOTES

Several of our hoopers took the opportunity to drive over to Mount Angel last week to see the college team in action and came home fully realizing that they will be stepping into fast company when they meet Mount Angel this Saturday.

Saturday afternoon the varsity will meet the strong Mount Angel College team at Mount Angel. This will be the first basketball game in which the two institutions have met for several seasons and it will mean another feather in our hat if we win the game, as the collegians have won from all comers so far this season.

Our team played well last Friday against the U. of O. freshmen, yet there is much room for improvement and much stress will be laid on the passing and basketshooting this week in preparation for the Mount Angel game. The slow passing and nervousness in shooting which was much in evidence in our last game will have to be overcome if we expect to win from the collegians.