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AN ENJOYABLE OCCASION

The Excelsior open session program given last Friday night was well rendered throughout and entertaining, but the feature of the evening was a debate, which showed much concise preparation. The boys handled the subject well; they knew what they aimed to say and expressed themselves strongly. These debates are good for our students and the writer would like to hear a debate between two societies. The following is the entire program.

1. Processional - - - - - Orchestra
2. Opening Song - - - - - Society
3. Address - - - - - President Courville
4. Cornet Duet—I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls *Balfe*
CHARLES DEPOE
ALPHEUS NORWEST
5. Recitation—Excelsior - - - Robert Chamberlin
6. Vocal Solo—Land of Mine - - - *MacDermid*
ROY COURVILLE
7. Violin Solo—Berceuse Slav - - - *Neruda*
JOHN DEXTER
8. Recitation—They Say I Always Tell - Julian Smith
9. Waltz—Marguerite - - - - - *Gounod*
ORCHESTRA
10. Recitation—Joe Bowers - - - Frank Johnson

DEBATE

Question—Resolved, That the Present Immigration Laws of the United States Should be More Restricted.

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| Affirmative | Negative |
| Eli Karabelnikoff | Ernest Hill |
| Jessie Morgan | Robert Peratrovich |
| 12. Auto Harp Solo - - - - - Robert Peratrovich | |

JERRY'S JOB

CAST

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| Mr. Morton, head of the Inter-Colonial Construction Company - - - - - | Albert Orsen |
| Mr. Hamilton, his partner - - - - - | Frank Johnson |
| Jenkins, a draughtsman - - - - - | Merton Porter |
| Tommy, an office boy but a poor one - - - - - | John Petellin |
| Jerry, a boy scout who needs a job - - - - - | George Chya |
| 13. Closing Song - - - - - | Society |
| 14. Recessional - - - - - | Orchestra |

SENIORS ENTERTAIN

The senior Valentine party given last Saturday evening was a complete social success in every way.

The invited guests, together with the class, numbered about seventy persons. The gym was beautifully decorated with the class colors, gold and red; red hearts dangled on the intricately arranged streamers throughout the big hall. A very laughable farce program, representing the class in regular session, preceded a number of guessing contests and numerous unique diversions, and the entire evening was devoted to social pleasures. There was not a dull moment for any of the guests or others.

At an appointed time the president, Roy Courville, announced that it was in order for a procession to be formed, headed by the Superintendent and wife, and all repaired to the domestic science dining hall for the banquet. Our beautiful domestic science dining room never looked prettier. Mrs. Brickell and her junior class prepared the splendid dinner which was served by the juniors faultlessly. During the banquet, between courses, the seniors very ingeniously installed the incoming officers who were to serve during the last semester. The function throughout was a great success.

WEDDING BELLS

Mr. George W. Bent, and Miss Ora Scholder were married on Thursday, Feb. 8, 1923, at Vancouver, Washington. This very popular couple surprised all Chemawa except a few of their closest friends. They slipped away on Wednesday, Mr. Bent on a pretext of attending a Boy Scout convention and Miss Scholder to do some shopping in the city, one going by auto stage and the other on the Southern Pacific. However, on Thursday they telephoned immediately after the ceremony apprising us of their marriage. Upon their return Friday noon they were met by a delegation of friends, hundreds of them, together with the brass band. Supt. and Mrs. Hall gave them a reception at their home the same evening, providing an opportunity for their many friends to greet them. Wedding cakes were in evidence which the bride and groom joyfully cut; also a huge bride's bouquet of orchid roses and maiden hair fern was presented to the bride, a compliment from the F. E. U.

Mr. Bent is our disciplinarian and Miss Scholder small boys' matron. Both are most estimable people and very popular at Chemawa. Mr. Bent is from Oklahoma, while Miss Scholder is from San Diego county, California.

The best wishes and congratulations from all Chemawa go out to Mr. and Mrs. Bent.

On Saturday evening our girls' team will drive to Stayton, where they will play the high school girls. Both team and coach are working hard to perfect plays and combinations that they expect to use in this game.