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Mrs. Kayes, matron at the Small Boys' Home, has been on the sick list recently.

Billy Williams, Moses George and John Edleman are the latest arrivals in the senior class.

It is reported that Bandmaster DePoe's organization provided excellent music for the social last Saturday evening.

Roy Courville, of the class of '23, and John Michel, of the class of '24, and George Berry of the class of '21 were recent campus visitors.

There are enrolled at Chemawa 541 girls and 467 boys, making a total of 1008 students now attending our school. And there are many others knocking at our door for admission.

Solomon Fleury, Henry Bowker and Royal Saux are Mr. Bent's "main stays" in Mitchell Hall, while Tom Anayah and James Anderson marshal the forces at the Small Boys' Home.

On Monday evening the first lyceum attraction in the history of Chemawa appeared here in our auditorium in persons of Mr. and Mrs. Beek. They are versatile and gave a pleasing entertainment.

The Junior Class organized and elected the following-officers last week: President, George Meachem; vice-president, Earl Crofoot; secretary, Francis Ross; treasurers, Frances Culbertson and William Wall; sergeant-at-arms, Helen Peratovich; cheer leader, Susie Grounds; yell leader, Lawrence Crofoot.

The Excelsiors held their first meeting of school year on Friday, September 30. The meeting was called mainly for the purpose of electing new officers. The following members were elected: President, Clifford McLeod; vice-president, Charles DePoe; secretary, Francis Ross; treasurer, Solomon Fleury; yell-leader, Reginald DePoe.

The first inter-class football game of the season was played Sunday afternoon a week when the Freshmen defeated the Sophomores to a score of 13-6. Alexander was the star for the Sophomores, while Eastman Kipp won the laurels for the Freshies. The Sophomore boys were somewhat handicapped by some of their members being away with the band.

Last Sunday the Protestant Sunday school classes organized with fifteen volunteer teachers. Students in Sunday school teacher training are taking a two-year course of American Standardized "Teachings of the Life of Christ." Y. W. C. A. girls had their annual treasure hunt last Sunday afternoon. About sixty-five girls attended the meeting. Messages and best wishes were read which were written by the members and some of the alumni last spring. Election of officers will be held Sunday.

We note that Raymond Haldane, who is now attending Willamette University, has been selected as a member of the University Glee Club. It is expected that this club will make a trip to California during the present school year. We are not in the least surprised that Raymond was chosen a member of the glee club—it would have surprised us had he not been.

The Home Economics Club held their first meeting on October 6, 1927, in the domestic art department. The following officers were elected: President, Vera Korter; vice-president, Vina Smith; secretary, Ivy Dupuis; treasurer, Matilda Turcotte; song leader, Pearl Buckles. This club is composed of the junior and senior girls in the home economics department.

Supt. Lipps was in charge during our chapel exercises last Sunday evening and he made a most able and interesting talk—an inspiring talk on the possibilities of Chemawa and her students. Miss Grace Peterson, who graduated last June and who chanced to be here on a visit, sang a pleasing number, and in addition the orchestra and choir each contributed a number on the program.

Last Sunday evening Miss Uinta Kirk gave a dinner at which she was hostess for her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Turney. The occasion proved most delightful in every way. Next Friday Miss Kirk will leave for Juneau, Alaska, where she will become the bride of Mr. Earle Hunter, Jr., a young business man of the northern metropolis. A host of friends join The American in wishing this estimable young couple unstinted happiness and success throughout a long life.

The Y. M. C. A. is a world-wide organization. We are fortunate to have an organization of this kind on our own campus, and should be recognized more than we have been the last few years. The Chemawa Y. M. meets once each week, with discussion of boys' problems and entertaining programs by members. Topics for discussion are the ones that seem to the association most important, for example: "Building of character," "clean sportsmanship," "clean speech." These are only a few of the many topics that are brought up for discussion.

The Nonpareil Literary Society held their first meeting in the school auditorium on Friday evening Oct. the 8th. The main purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for the first semester and the following were elected: President, Cleo Plasteur; vice-president, Lila Crofoot; secretary, Zelma Johnson; treasurer, Martha Packineau; corresponding secretary, Spyna Howard; sergeant-at-arms, Matilda Larson and Grace Munson; first editor, Alfreda Kipp; second editor, Pearl Buckles; critic, Rose Smith; song leaders, Oxenia Hendrickson and Carmen Chamberlin. After a short business meeting and a few "peppy" songs lead by the new song leaders the society adjourned.