

# CHEMAWA AMERICAN

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### LOCAL

A group of students from one of our neighboring schools paid us a visit last Thursday and appeared greatly impressed with all that they saw here—favorably, too.

Mrs. Steward and Miss French, our domestic science teachers, were recent visitors in Portland, going down especially to attend a class demonstration at the Polytechnic high school.

Mr. Teter, our dairyman, has a good proposition for any boy who desires to get into what is known as "club work" in raising calves. It will pay some of our boys to see what he has to offer.

The majority of our academic teachers went to Monmouth last Saturday morning to attend a teachers' conference. This was a move sponsored by Principal Mote, and one much appreciated by all of our teachers.

Miss Edna R. Voss, executive secretary of the division of schools and hospitals of the Presbyterian Board of National Missions, arrived at Chemawa last Saturday evening from New York for a short official visit with Miss Eakin, our local missionary.

Dr. Laughlin of Willamette University brought his class out to the school last Friday afternoon and all were escorted about our campus and through various departments. It was a real pleasure for all of us to entertain visitors from Willamette. They were most welcome.

Mrs. Katie Mason got quite badly burned last week at her post of duty at the laundry. In opening up a valve steam and hot water struck her feet and scalded them somewhat. She was taken to the hospital for treatment and is now around again on duty. Few things hurt more than a burn.

To observe "Child Health Week," the Fourth Grade students have been working on a health project, "Our Health Rules." Everyone is cordially invited to visit Room 5, Grade Building, during this week to see exhibits of health posters and other work which has been prepared by the fourth graders in the study of this project.

On the suggestion of Supt. Lipps, Supt. Babcock of Umatilla Agency offered a junior clerkship to Miss Evaline Iyall and she left here last week to accept the position. She was a member of our 1927 graduating class and since then attended a business college in Olympia, Wash., near her home, and recently she has been enrolled at the Capital Business College of Salem. She should be well qualified for the situation that she has accepted and it is the earnest hope of all of her Chemawa friends that she will make good.

We cannot recall a more pleasing event of a social nature at the school than the Junior Prom staged in the gym last Saturday evening. The Juniors were honoring the Seniors and they certainly proved themselves to the "manner born." The gym was beautifully decorated and not a single item that in any way would add to the pleasure of their guests had been overlooked by the Juniors. There were favors and prizes for distribution at intervals, and mirth and good will abounded on all sides. Fred Sandberg, manager for the Junior Class, was the leading spirit of the evening, and we compliment him and the class, as well as their advisor, Mr. Carl Turner, on the splendid deportment of the evening. At the close of the evening most delicious refreshments were served. Truly it was a fine party.

Saturday, April 26, an invitation was received for the Friendly Indian Club of our school to attend a powwow to be held at Camp Collins at the foothills of the Cascade Mountains. About 150 boys were there. Mr. Bent with fourteen boys who are members of the club made the trip. It was a real trip, real sport and real eats. Despite the fact that this bunch were up with the crowing rooster on Saturday morning, all eyes were wide open taking in everything—even the sway-backed horse there was seen. Games were first in order, and in this way all Indians got acquainted. Some boy from Portland questioned whether we were all real Indians—a few freckles and blue eyes among us gave room for doubt, but we classed them as "white Indians." Our Indians were the center of attraction. Our ceremonies were held on the beach along the Sandy river. We were given the place of honor in the inner circle. Here we gave the ritual of the Friendly Indians. The boys did themselves proud and many comments were given as to their good behavior and the white boys were told they could profit by what they had seen of our boys' conduct.

### THE BAND CONCERT

Last Sunday evening the band, under the direction of Mr. Hermann A. Kunkel, played a most pleasing concert in our auditorium before the entire student body. In order to diversify the program some vocal numbers were added. The entire program was not only pleasing, but it was in every way creditable, and proved an instrumental and vocal treat. There is a noticeable improvement in the work of the band in every appearance they make and this proves that they are in earnest in their endeavors. The school is behind Mr. Kunkel and his bandboys. We give the program of Sunday evening, as follows:

- March—"Allegiance" - - - - - Shutt
- Band
- Vocal Solo—"Invictus" - - - - - Huhn
- Raymond Haldane
- Indian Love Call from "Rose Marie" - - - - - Friml-Kunkel
- Band
- Vocal—"The World is Waiting for the Sunrise" - - - - - Seitz
- Girls' Octette
- (a) "Neapolitan Nights" - - - - - Zamecnik
- (b) "The Perfect Song"—Musical Theme of the Pepsodent hour, Featuring "Amos 'n' Andy" - - - - - Breil
- Band
- Vocal—"Kentucky Babe" - - - - - Geibel
- A Chorus of Boys
- "Gems from H. M. S. Pinafore" - - - - - Sullivan
- Band