

talks and are checked up on their health habits. While the pupils are in the nutrition class they are having special meals in the diet kitchen under direct supervision of the girls in charge.

LOCAL

Last Saturday our people enjoyed a fine "movie"—Will Rogers in "Connecticut Yankee."

Supt. and Mrs. Ryan spent a recent week-end in Portland, combining business and pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Service of Toledo, Oregon, were visitors at the school last week, Mr. Service being here on business.

McBride Hall is going strong, with 8 "A" and "A-plus" for monthly inspection. And there are three companies who still have all of their points for the month.

George T. Barrett, formerly a student of Chemawa, but now enrolled for higher education at Mt. Angel, was a visitor at the school last Thursday, the guest of Mr. Berry.

A splendid Thanksgiving dinner was served at the Employes' Club at noon last Thursday. Many of the employes entertained guests, while a few of them dined elsewhere with friends.

John Copeland and Coquelle Thompson, former Chemawa students, were recent week-end visitors at Chemawa. The latter is now soon to graduate from the Oregon State College.

The Junior class division of the short hand class are required to take six letters from dictation this semester. Every student is given a chance to write, and dictate to the class, a business letter of his own origination.

The school has received a shipment of reindeer from Alaska. This meat is shipped from Alaska frozen and must be used very soon after arrival in order to be in the best of condition. All will welcome this variation in meat.

A week ago last Sunday there was a meeting of our Indian people of this section to consider their claims against the government. The meeting was quite well attended and according to report some real progress was made.

Irving Shepard came up from Portland to pass Thanksgiving at Chemawa, his boyhood home. Mr. Shepard is expecting to enroll at the Oregon State College at the beginning of the next semester, where he will take special work with Indian Service requirements in view.

Since our last issue Mr. Vosburgh and his band boys have given a concert in the auditorium for the pleasure of those connected with the school. There is nothing like band music to "pep up" a school and we would like to hear the band as often as possible. The concert in question was pleasing to all.

It rejoices us, and will make many others happy, to learn that Mr. Larsen, who was the victim of a serious auto accident in October and who is still in the general hospital in Corvallis, is doing splendidly on his road to recovery. He is now able to walk about to some extent and is beginning to show his old-time

independence and spirit.

On Wednesday evening before Thanksgiving a program fitting the occasion was given in the auditorium, to the pleasure of all. Readings, vocal and instrumental music, and a couple of most interesting plays made up the program. To Miss Cruise, who had the program in charge, her assistants, and the students who participated, thanks for a pleasant evening are due in large measure.

Messrs. Harold L. Shilling and G. C. Burrel, day school representative and construction foreman, respectively, of Klamath Agency, were visitors at Chemawa last week and were taken around our plant by Supt. Ryan. While here they were visiting and interviewing students from their section who are enrolled at this school. Both are affable gentlemen and we will be pleased to welcome them at Chemawa at all times.

From The Indian Leader of Haskell Institute we learn that R. G. Downie and party from the Flandreau school, South Dakota, were recent visitors at Haskell, where they were cordially received and made welcome. Mr. Downie recently transferred from Chemawa to Flandreau, where he and his family are getting along nicely. On his recent trip Mr. Downie had been with a party from Flandreau who appeared in concert in Manhattan, Kansas.

Owing to the very chilly weather Supt. Ryan wisely called off chapel last Sunday evening. On the Sunday evening previous, owing to the absence of Supt. Ryan, Mr. Christy, our principal, was in charge of our chapel. Mr. Christy took occasion to give a brief discourse on the origin of schools—they being the outcome of necessity. He also spoke of the matter of loyalty to the institution of learning in which one may be enrolled. The choir sang a Thanksgiving anthem and the orchestra played a special number.

Chemawa people, from the youngest to the oldest, had much for which to be grateful on Thanksgiving Day. First of all it was a beautiful day, a trifle cool, but lovely. The students were served a wonderful turkey dinner at noon and, according to a custom for many years past, the orchestra played during the meal. Quite a delegation of our employes were present and many of the students enjoyed having their parents and other relatives, or friends, dine with them. Thanks to Mrs. Larsen and her assistants, the spacious dining hall presented a lovely appearance, while Chef Boyce certainly is to be complimented on having carried out his part of the program in a wonderfully satisfactory manner.

ESCORTS

Sun., Dec. 6—McBride	- - -	Mrs. Sanders
		Mr. Sanders
Winona	- - -	Mrs. Hauser
		Mr. Ross
Hawley	- - -	Miss Terry
		Miss White
Sun., Dec. 13—McBride	- - -	Miss Earlougher
		Mr. Allen
Winona	- - -	Mrs. Middleton
		Mr. Hicks
Hawley	- - -	Mr. Ratzburg
		Miss Olney