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LOCAL

Edith Swan and Thelma Doore visited here from Portland last week.

It looks good to see Mr. Francisco back at work again at the S. P. station.

Pete Paquette, graduate of the class of '32, has discontinued his attendance of Williamette and intends to enroll at the Eyerly Air school.

The field east of the auditorium is a place of activity now. At off hours one may see none other than Mr. S. H. Gilliam, who has been bitten by the "golf bug."

Scouts and campfire girls are giving a carnival and dance Hallowe'en night. You are asked to save your pennies, nickels, dimes and come, bringing your friends.

Initiations are the order of the day. The Girl's music club staged one on Monday night, putting it's neophytes through their paces in grand style. Refreshments were served.

Tuesday afternoon the Y. W. C. A. held a very interesting meeting. Short talks were given on sentences taken from the Girl Reserves' code. The code was completely discussed.

Reid and Randolf David of Chiloquin, Oregon, former students of Chemawa who have been attending the Livestock Show in Portland, spent Saturday afternoon here visiting friends.

The commercial department which formerly occupied room 8 in the main school building, has been moved to the grade school building. They now have two nice rooms, one for typing and the other for classes.

Thursday noon, a luncheon was given and served by Alice Ladderoute and Oletta Goodbird at the domestic science building. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Mr. Turner, Miss Funke and Mr. Shishkin.

Last Sunday evening Miss Lemly and Mrs. Wilcox were dinner guests at the practice house. The girls at the practice house say that they greatly enjoy giving dinners and appreciate their instructor, Miss Newell.

Seventy-five woman members of the State Board of the Congregational Church of Salem were guests of Miss Eakin on Oct. 14. They visited the different departments of the school to secure information for their study of the Indian during the year.

Last Monday the students were reseated in the dining hall. Mrs. Larsen, with the aid of Miss Patterson and Mr. Bent and with the cooperation of the students, avoided most of the inconvenience usually accompanying reseating. It is expected that they will reseat again after Thanksgiving for the benefit of the football players.

A group of girls met with Mr. Bent for the purpose of organizing a girls' orchestra. The orchestra will be under the leadership of Charles Depoe. After these musicians have become better organized they will be available for student entertainments and dances.

Mr. O. D. Adams of the state extension department met with the Chemawa shop instructors on Monday night for the purpose of organizing a class in the "conference method" of teaching. Practically all of our shop men have indicated their willingness to join the class.

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Henderson of Spokane, Wash., visited our trader, "R. G.," and his wife over the week-end. Doctor Henderson who is connected with the Bureau of Animal Industry at Spokane was in the employ of the government many years ago here at Chemawa.

Christine Muller, a graduate of the class of 1932, is spending the winter on Kodiak Island in Alaska. She sent her greetings to the Y. W. C. A. Word was received from Emma Redd, who is a nurse in a government hospital in Poplar, Montana. Agnes Scott is assistant matron in the same hospital. Both girls were graduated in 1932.

The plumbers are disturbing the usual peace and quite of the Print Shop with their activities. We hope soon to hear the welcome pounding of returning steam in our radiators and to feel again a little warmth in these arctic regions. Our plumbers claim to be the only "one trip" plumbers in captivity, so by press time we may be thawed out again.

Mrs. James has a large class in Indian Art. Some of the girls are doing very nice bead work, others are weaving and painting baskets and as the thunderbird design is in demand, lamp shades are being decorated with it. Nellie Hughes is again in Mrs. James' class and is greatly interested in sand painting a tray that promises to be a beautiful piece of work.

The Girls' Dramatic club organized Monday night, October 17. The selection of new officers were: President, Melba Arnoux; vice-president, Ester Hillman; secretary, Irene Thomas; treasurer, Oma Woodcock; reporter, Ruby Dean; program, Marie La France. For one endless day fifteen new members tolerated unspeakable misery for the sake of initiation.

At chapel Sunday evening Supt. Ryan spoke a few moments about student conduct and order, dwelling especially on the bad practice of holding impromptu socials after meals in front of Cramton hall. The orchestra played Mercedes by Laurendeau, the choir sang Oregon, My Oregon by Murtaugh and the student body sang a number of hymns and the school song.

On Friday evening, October 14, the girls' sextet were most enthusiastically received at the United Artisans' Lodge in Salem. Following the program a social hour was enjoyed. On Friday evening, October 28, the sextet will give an entire program for the Parent Teachers Association at Mountain Vein Community hall in Polk county. The girls are now very busy learning a new repertoire. Members of the sextet at the present time are: Alice Slater, Melba Arnoux, first sopranos; Marie La France, Alice Bachman, second sopranos; Dora La France, Oleta Goodbird, altos.