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EXTRA! EXTRA! CHEMAWA INDIAN CELEBRATION

EMPLOYEES, STUDENTS, BUSY WITH PROGRAMS

Pageant Depicting Indian Life To Be Colorful

Plans are rapidly being completed for the Chemawa Indian Celebration for May 31 and June 1, when the Chemawa faculty and students will welcome the former students, parents, and friends for a two day celebration of Indian activities and renewing of old acquaintances.

The purpose of this celebration is to afford a homecoming for former students, to give the students and parents an opportunity to get acquainted with our school and its activities and shops, to acquaint strangers with the real meanings of the Indian customs, and to display and encourage Indian Crafts which will be displayed by all of the tribes of the Northwest during these two days.

One of the entertaining features of the event is to be the Indian Pageant presented by a great majority of the Chemawa students in Indian costume. This pageant will show the life and customs of the Indians, their songs and dances, and their music and legends in a great outdoor spectacle of color and harmony.

During the celebration, the graduation exercise for the class of 1937 will be held, so that the parents, friends, and relatives will be able to witness their receiving of diplomas and certificates as a mark of their achievement here in Chemawa.

Indian tribal dances and games are being scheduled as a part of the program, and all of the committees making these arrangements are endeavoring to make the celebration one that will be enjoyed and remembered by all.

STUDENTS AND FACULTY CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THE CHEMAWA CELEBRATION AT CHEMAWA, OREGON, MAY 31 AND JUNE 1

Founder of Chemawa



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EMPLOYEES DIVULGE PLANS FOR CELEBRATION AT SUNDAY CHAPEL

On April 21, Chapel was in charge of a committee of employees who presented the plans and arrangements that are being made by the employee's committees for the two day Chemawa Indian Celebration to be held here on Monday and Tuesday, May 31, and June 1. James Gerard, a commercial student, represented the student body and introduced the first speaker, Miss Dajnowski.

Miss Dajnowski, a member of the prize committee, told of her committee's plans for the awards to be made for events and exhibits during the celebration. One of the prizes that attracted everyone's attention will be a fifteen dollar merchandise prize to be offered by the local Henderson Store as one of the awards.

Miss Lundquist represented the pageant committee by giving an account of plans for the Indian outdoor pageant which will be given on the night of May 31, and which will include a cast of over

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'HEAP BIG POW-WOW' SET FOR MAY 31 AND JUNE 1

Vivid Tales To Bring Back Nostalgia In These Two Full Days Of Merriment And Entertainment

"Chemawa Indian Celebration" is the official name chosen for the annual celebration to be held at Chemawa each year during Commencement week. This is a splendid time for old-timers to gather at their school to renew acquaintances and to make new ones, and to keep in touch with the progress and development of Chemawa.

The success of the celebration held last year on the occasion of Chemawa's Birthday was so great that many more visitors over the 300 accommodated last year are expected to be here during the two days of activities. For that reason, and because we have so many more students to house, it will be necessary for some of our guests to bring their own bedding to use while here.

One of the unique features planned for this year is an Indian Village, with families living in their tepees. If you have a tepee, bring it, or if you know where the school may borrow one for the occasion we would be more than glad to have you get in touch with us about it.

The Alumni Breakfast will be a highlight for those graduates who are present. The sixty who were present last year will remember it as something they will not want to miss this time. Can't you help swell this number to one hundred and sixty?

Graduates, ex-students, friends, all are welcome for the good times anticipated on May 31st and June 1st. Just fill out the card enclosed and mail it back to us. No stamp is required. An extra card is enclosed for you to pass along to someone who has not received an invitation.