

VOCATIONS

During the Xmas vacation the painters have been pretty busy as Terry Cochran and Leroy Wilder gave the interior of the eye treatment room a lustrous coat of cream paint.

Melvin Wounded Eye put the finishing touches to a filing cabinet for Mr. Lawe.

Since Xmas vacation the barbers have been very busy cutting the long hair that accumulated during that time.

Clarence Christian and his helpers have been giving their shop a thorough cleaning and it looks much better.

All the carpenter boys are busy making bed side tables and reading lamps.

Looks like they are getting set for a long winter.

Adam Bigsprings was elected foreman this week by his fellow bakers.

Glenn Black is rapidly improving in his ability to make and decorate cakes.

Since Xmas vacation is over the tailor shop has been a very busy place.

The rotators have all been busy mending overalls for the small boys from Brewer hall.

Al Bighorn and Raymond Track are busy overhauling one of our Ford V8s. They are installing new oil rings and grinding valves.

Dan Bigsmoke and Vernie Wilson, two new boys, are learning how to wash and grease cars properly.

The Senior commercial group is busy composing themes to be handed in before the end of the quarter. The themes are to be of any variety and some very interesting ones are being handed in.

The Freshmen and Sophomore cooking class have just finished learning how to prepare and serve breakfast. The next thing they will learn is planning, preparing and serving a luncheon.

The older grade girls are selecting designs for print dresses. All are anxious to make their first dress. Good luck girls.

Mrs. Cronk's Home Relations class are studying all about small children, and the care of small children. They are having the opportunity as Mrs. Cronk has arranged for some small children to come over every afternoon for them to watch and study.

All of Mrs. James sewing classes are making doctors operating gowns at this present time.

The seniors are frantically working to finish their bed spreads, so they can make print dresses for themselves. All have designs completed for bed spreads. They will be busy for about three or four weeks yet.

G-3 sewing girls are very busy. This seems to be their schedule: Monday is their day of fancy work for instance, embroidering luncheon sets and crotcheting. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday are the days for regular work; at the present they are making themselves each a house dress. Thursday is their day for mending their own clothes.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Nelson, formally known as Lena Layton, a former Chemawa student, was a visitor on the campus last week.

New Year's Day. Winona hall building had an open house. Everybody was invited to inspect the girls' rooms.

Holiday guests of Chemawa were Mavis Whitelaw and Onalee Normandin of Portland.

In the Protestant Church new teachers have been selected to teach Sunday School to the younger children for the month of January.

Miss Marguerite Arcasa spent her Christmas vacation here at Chemawa, with her cousin, Margaret Arcasa.

Cramton Hall was very beautifully decorated for Christmas. They had a Christmas tree in the middle and the tables around the tree.

The Chemawa American recently received news of the death of Mrs. R. L. Frost of Fairbanks, Alaska. Employees and students who were here previous to 1929 will remember Mrs. Frost who was the wife of one of the teachers on the campus.

The Chemawa school was honored by two very distinguished visitors on the campus, December 15, Mr. Paul L. Fickinger, Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs in Washington D. C., and Dr. Lynn Fullerton, Medical Director of the Pacific Northwest of Spokane, Washington.

Recently a personal letter from Mr. Jackson was delivered and read to the student body. He expressed his appreciation of the Alaskan students' parents and their attitude toward him when he paid them a short visit, "They were indeed polite and courteous to me," he stated.

On December 29, Miss Evelyn Pierce visited the Chemawa school while on a business trip concerning the Indian Educational loans and scholarship awards for Indian students. She is the assistant to Mrs. Bronson of the Indian Office who is connected with the education loans and scholarships of the Salem Indian School.

Supt. Paul T. Jackson departed a week before Christmas on his trip into Alaska. He is expected to return soon.

The students that spent their Christmas vacation here were very happy indeed to see the others return to the school campus looking very happy.

The employees were deeply impressed by the perfect arrangement and neat appearance of the rooms.

The Freshmen class called a meeting on January 6, to discuss plans for their picture to be in the annual.

Christmas Program

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all at the school auditorium during an Amateur Hour Program. There was at least thirty-six participants. The program ranged from piano to trombone, solos, recitals, tap and war dancing, acrobatics, and blues singing. It was a genuine Amateur Hour. Major Bowes couldn't surpass it. The two weeks vacation was a two weeks spent in gaiety and leisure.

The students, employees, and visitors danced away the old year, 1937, and greeted 1938 with a great deal of hilarity, confetti and nondescript noise. The dance continued on after midnight with old-time tunes and dancing.

These memorable two weeks must have rated a gilded page in the little book of memory,