

COMMENCEMENT

Commencement Week, 1949, was a memorable time in the lives of the seventeen Seniors who referred to themselves as the "Forty-niners."

Commencement day was bright and sunny. Many parents and relatives came to the campus to witness the final program. The auditorium was filled with visitors and campus folk Friday morning at 10:00 when the Seniors received their last words of advice and encouragement as Chemawa students and were presented their diplomas by Supt. Kelley in an impressive ceremony.

The class colors were green and gold, the motto, "Find a Way or Make One," and the class flower was the yellow rose. Caps and gowns were worn for the first time in Chemawa's history for Commencement. The caps and gowns were royal blue in color and the caps were adorned with a tassel of red and white, Chemawa's school colors.

The "Forty-niners," an ambitious group, plan with few exceptions to continue their school work. Frieda Bent and Florence Ingawanup have been accepted as commercial students at Haskell Institute; Delores Racehorse will take nurse training at Kiowa Hospital in Lawton, Oklahoma; Vernon Lone and Victor Jackson will attend Pacific college at Newberg; John Crane will take auto mechanics training at Haskell; and Phyllis Miller plans to attend art school in Portland. Others intend either to enroll in colleges or other schools near their homes, do advanced vocational study, or do work in line with their training here.

Class Night was held on Wednesday evening, May 4; Baccalaureate services, Sunday night, May 8; Awards Program, Wednesday afternoon, May 11; and Commencement, Friday morning, May 13.

BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

Processional: "Pomp and Circumstance".....	Elgar
<small>Instrumental Ensemble</small>	
Invocation.....	Rev. Fr. Ervin Vandehey
"Trust in the Lord".....	Davis
<small>Janice Rambeau</small>	
"Sanctus".....	Schubert
<small>Girls' Chorus</small>	
Sermon: "Your Future With God and Country".....	
<small>The Rev. Joseph J. Neuville Catholic Central High School, Portland, Oregon</small>	
"Panis Angelicus".....	Franck
<small>Girls' Chorus</small>	
Benediction.....	Rev. Allen C. Wilcox
Recessional: "Pomp and Circumstance".....	Elgar
<small>Instrumental Ensemble</small>	

CLASS NIGHT

"Welcome".....	Vernon Lane
Class Song (Tune, "Blue Moon").....	Class
Class Poem, "School Daze".....	Jimmy Parker
Song, "Forever and Ever".....	Trio
<small>Florence, Ernestine, Barney</small>	
Class Prophecy.....	Frieda Bent
"High School Days".....	All
Class Will.....	Delores Racehorse
Harmonica Solo.....	William Belgarde
Presentation of School Hatchet.....	Juniors and Seniors
<small>Florence Ingawanup for Seniors Don Rambeau for Juniors</small>	
Song, "Heart Breaker".....	Phyllis and Frieda
School Song, "Red and White".....	All
Class History.....	John Crane
Farewell Song, "Now Is the Hour".....	Class

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Processional: Coronation March.....	Scott
<small>School Band</small>	
Invocation.....	Rev. Allen C. Wilcox
Salutatory: "Help Us to Help Ourselves".....	Frieda Bent
"Send Out Thy Light".....	Gounod
<small>Mixed Chorus</small>	
Salutatory: "We Live In One World".....	Victor Jackson
Introduction.....	R. M. Kelley
<small>Superintendent</small>	
Address: "What Future for Democracy?".....	Dr. Robert D. Gregg
<small>Dean, College of Liberal Arts, Willamette University</small>	
"Gay Is the Rose".....	Canadian Folk Song
<small>Girls' Chorus</small>	
Valedictory: "Today We Begin Tomorrow".....	Florence Ingawanup
Presentation of the Class of 1949.....	Nell V. Brannon
<small>Principal</small>	
Awarding of Diplomas and Certificates.....	R. M. Kelley
"Wings".....	Hosmer
<small>Mixed Chorus</small>	
Benediction.....	Rev. Fr. Ervin Vandehey
Recessional: Coronation March.....	Scott
<small>School Band</small>	