

Memorial Day—A Time for Remembering Ancestors and Friends

In the early days of the school, students were buried in the Chemawa Cemetery due to infectious diseases, financial conditions that prohibited parents from sending for the bodies, and students decisions to be buried at the school they considered home.

In memory of these students and their families we respectfully publish the names of the these students and the hundred more whose spirits rest here.

IN MEMORIAM—On Memorial Day We Remember Classmates and Students . . .

Charles Wells
March 12, 1925
Andy Rukivishkoff
Oct. 25, 1924
Fred Shaughnessy
Dec. 26, 1924
Florence Snyder
Feb. 21, 1924
Abraham Polty
Feb. 3, 1924
Martha Francis
Jan. 25, 1923
William Druck
May 26, 1923
Mable Osuk
April 30, 1923
Katie Dahlgren
March 16, 1923
Vincent Marcell
1922
Lawrence Larsen
Oct. 13, 1922

Daniel Hoslen
Jan. 13, 1892
W. Beckwith
(marble headstone)
Dec. 10, 1892
Perkins
March 1, 1891
Walter E. Sanders
(marble headstone)
Sept. 29
Annie Sanders
(marble headstone)
Sept. 29, 1911
Arthur Pattie
(marble headstone)
John Pattie
(marble headstone)
John Ketchikoff
Feb. 25, 1912
Nettie Payne
Jan. 8, 1913
John Craig
April 18, 1914
Paul Dirks
April 18, 1914
Joseph Teabo
1914
Henry Neketi
Sept. 11, 1914
David Brown
Nov. 4, 1914
Pelca Nelson
Nov. 27, 1914
George
June 5, 1915
Eddie Temple
Jan. 12, 1898
Magie Wiggins
Jan. 7, 1897
Lena Safford
March 6, 1897
Maggie Chesaw
April 10, 1895
Rosa Shurcliff
May 8, 1895
Freddie Wasson
May 14, 1895
David Sisk
Nov. 5, 1895
George Charles
1915
Elmer Mitchell
Feb. 24, 1903
Edward Fields
July 16, 1916
Adolf Sednor
Oct. 25, 1916
Jennie Dick
Dec. 28, 1916
Lycondra Squartzoff
Jan. 6, 1918
Wilford Eton
June 14, 1921
Annie Davis
May 14, 1920
Lena Johnson
(marble headstone)
Jan. 22, 1920
Helen Johnson
Nov. 2, 1920
George Churchill
July 1, 1920
Freda Lilijergen
April 21, 1920
Victor Davis
Dec. 19, 1918
Mary Buchert
Nov. 2, 1918
Ceelia Davis
Nov. 1, 1918
Ninnie Davis
Oct. 30, 1918
Raymond Wilson
Oct. 27, 1918
Alex Marks
(marble headstone)
Oct. 25, 1918
Gertrude Hostler
Oct. 20, 1918
Lucy Bennett
Oct. 25, 1918
Mary Murphy
Oct. 28, 1918

August Woods
Jan. 1892
William Stokes

Nettie Freddie
Jan. 2, 1892
Sophie Santagie
April 14, 1888
Frank Howard

Ellen Price
April 7, 1884
Angle Adams
1888
Hattie Ben

Jennie Dick
Dec. 28, 1918
Lillie Dow
June 29, 1901
Lucinda Wilson
May 2, 1904
Leslie Farrows
(marble headstone)
Jan. 12, 1905
Viola Jones
Jan. 13, 1905
Tillie Nappo
Feb. 25, 1905
Louise Newton
March 10, 1905
Seth Vanpelt
June 15, 1095
Berdie LaFlambeuse
July 20, 1905
Mary Smokalem
August 8, 1905
Adolph Olafson
Dec. 25, 1905
Della Haight
May 16, 1906
Joseph Towersap
June 1, 1906
Rosie Burns
June 19, 1906
James Flemming
Sept. 1, 1906
Lawrence Segmore

Junior Piute
March 2, 1890
Daniel Boon

Walter Burrell
Sept. 2, 1887
Charlotte Adams
March 31, 1887
Ellen Abraham
June 2, 1887
Phillip Star
Dec. 28, 1886
Charles Lawrey
July 5, 1886
Mincy Adams

Julia Lapp
Feb. 5, 1886
James George
June 5, 1886
Charley Walton
March 21, 1905
Sarah Smith
Nov. 24, 1906
Nellie Sanderson
Jan. 11, 1907
Louis Scott
Feb. 14, 1907
Elmer Burt
March 24, 1907
Walter Burt
April 2, 1907
Charley Feister
April 22, 1907
Berry Jeff
May 1, 1907
Oscar Bowie
June 21, 1907
Jennie Schulzhagen
July 4, 1907
Annie Jensen
July 4, 1907
John Miles
Oct. 29, 1907
Charles Bittles
March 1, 1908
Dora Sutherland
Jan. 2, 1892
George Underville
Jan. 2, 1892
Ida Watson
Dec. 14, 1891
Rose Maxwell

Isaac Lachapelle

Mitchell Charley
June 22, 1891
Lucy Ross
June 22, 1891
Minnie Guthrn
Nov. 22, 1890
Estelle Flannery
Oct. 7, 1890
Riley Billings
April 20, 1890
Ebenegar Phillips
July 9, 1909
Jimmy Joe
July 4, 1909
Sadie Durkee
July 17, 1909
Andrew Bittles
Sept. 8, 1909
Charles Bardwell
Sept. 20, 1909
Ellen Woods
Nov. 16, 1909
Milton Godowa
(marble headstone)
Dec. 8, 1909
Andrew J. Bagnell
(marble headstone)
Feb. 12, 1900
Helen Dillstrom
Dec. 19, 1909
Thomas Davis
March 3, 1910
Harry Joe
March 26, 1910
Clarence Bardwell
Oct. 14, 1910
Graham Hickox
April 19, 1911

Grace Flanders
March 3, 1927
Tillie Franklin
Feb. 4, 1922
Cora Kennedy

Joseph Cimino
August 31, 1923
(marble headstone)
Harry Archambeau
Sept. 29, 1931
James Davis
Sept. 21, 1939
Liberty Shelton
August 17, 1926
Warren Ashils(?)
Jan. 21, 1925
Martha King
1944
Jeanette Kohler

Dan Odenzoff

Lyle Young

Edna Gabriel

Edward Billinger

Maggie Borg

Mark Van Tassel
August 1, 1914
Charles Van Tassel
April 26, 1913
Frank Walters
Jan. 23, 1905
Henry Wiggins
April 30, 1901
Elmy Evans
May 14, 1900
George Wilcox
April 10, 1900
Walter Dow
March 6, 1900
Bibia Ayalla
Jan. 23, 1900
Henry Cameron
Sept. 7, 1899
Jessie Simmons
April 25, 1899
Sara Kuhn
Nov. 23, 1899
Arthur Mitchell
April 30, 1901
Francis Waydelick
May 24, 1901
Lucinda Riggs
June 2, 1901
Della Dow
June 29, 1901
Charles McFarland
July 19, 1901
Elijah Brown
Aug. 20, 1901
George Lagon
April 6, 1902
Edna Baldwin
May 14, 1904
Charles Koepf
May 24, 1902
Matilda Romer
July 14, 1902
John Dixon
July 15, 1902
Charles Hicks
March 24, 1902
Albert Ero
April 27, 1903
Ephraim Moore
May 20, 1903
Alice Hayes
June 15, 1903
Bertha Meeker
Feb. 6, 1904
Ada Baldwin
Sept. 3, 1898
Nora Frai
July 15, 1888
Margaret Thomas

Dulcie Howard
March 28, 1918
Joseph Bearchief
Oct. 23, 1918
Blanche Moore
Oct. 23, 1918
Edith Potter
Oct. 20, 1918
Calvin Davis
Oct. 19, 1918
Caroline Quimby
Oct. 22, 1918
Ivan Anderson
Oct. 18, 1918
Jack Vielle
Oct. 16, 1918
Alex Emanoff
Oct. 14, 1918
Teranty Merculief
June 18, 1918
Benny M
Nov. 13, 1918
Mary Pais
1928
Viella Hurley
Dec. 12, 1927
Vera Jombose
August 9, 1927
Johny Brown
May 23, 1927
Pauline McBiel
April 14, 1927
Bessie Dick
Jan 21, 1927
Fred Nystrum
Dec. 22, 1927
John Jackson
March 29, 1925
Albert Uttecht
June 6, 1925
Harry McCluskey
June 4, 1923
William McCluskey
May 9, 1925
Dan Lavadure
March 31, 1925
Moses Woods
Feb. 1892

Bishop Waldschmidt Confirms Students and Thanks Students for Opportunity

"This is more than a graduation, more than a regular service; rather it's a rite of passage, an initiation into life. We don't know the trials ahead. It could get discouraging, but today you have accepted the Spirit as a force who will help you in every struggle and challenge ahead."

"Behold I am with you all days...even until the end of the world," said Bishop Paul Welschmidt during the special Confirmation liturgy held at Chemawa on May 1, honoring five Chemawa students.

Students who underwent this special ceremony and rite of passage were: Gordon "Michael" Allen; Emerson "Paul" Stiffarm; Lana "Tekakawitha" Doney; Audry "Alexandria" Jones; and Joanne "Anne" Lane.

In the 104 year history of the school, this is only the third time that this prestigious ceremony has been held here. The last ceremony took place last year.

Chemawa Confirmation candidates worked with Sister Laurita for 13 weeks as the major preparation for this service. They also worked with the musicians for three weeks.

"The gifts that you receive tonight are ones you will use the rest of your life. You have earned the right to use these gifts as responsible members of the Church."

Liturgical music for the service was provided by Ms. La Croix, Mrs. Ernstrom, Ms. Isaacson, and Mr. Hal Beyers. Ms. La Croix presented a special slide show depicting the students of Chemawa as a Communion meditation.



Bishop Waldschmidt Congratulates Joanne Lane

Bishop Welschmidt thanked the Chemawa community for inviting him for his first trip here. He hopes to return next year.

The evening concluded with a reception and refreshments provided by Sister Laurita and the Frey family of Frey's Thriftway stores.



Audry Jones, Joanne Lane, Lana Doney, Emerson Stiffarm and Gordon Allen Share new gifts in Confirmation

OHOYO Sponsors Indian Womens' Self Help Workshop June 17-10 at Chemawa

All female Chemawa students and Indian staff members are invited to attend a special four day Indian Womens' Self-Help conference to be held here on campus June 7-10.

The theme, "Holding Up the Sky and Other Daily Tasks" was chosen to reaffirm the many responsibilities that Indian women assume in their daily lives and to offer them opportunities to share their experiences with other Indian women in meeting those challenges.

Co-sponsored by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Chemawa Indian School, and the Oregon Indian Education Association the conference will bring together Indian women from all ages and backgrounds into a setting where each may share the multitude of talents, gifts and ideas that make growing possible.

Workshops will reaffirm the many leadership skills that Indian

women already possess in working with their families, tribes, and communities.

The conference will focus on four sections:

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT: Areas to be addressed include self-esteem, suicide prevention, handling loneliness, successful child development, problems of women with imprisoned mates, and the role of spirituality in daily and community life.

EDUCATION/EMPLOYMENT/ENTREPRENUERSHIP: areas here deal with "how to" of going into business for oneself, finding a job, educational opportunities, training availability, finding other Indian women who will act as support persons, and putting together those job-skills for the market.

POLITICAL STRATEGIES: Sessions in this section will deal with candicy and the election process; role of women in tribal government, and how to become politically active.

WOMEN IN ART: This section concentrates on visual and literary art, creative writing workshops, poetry readings, and marketing art and art exhibits.

Registration for the conference is only \$50. This fee covers dorm room, meals served by the kitchen staff, and conference materials.

Interested students who are really serious about attending this workshop and need to make arrangements about staying in town for the conference should see Ms. LaCroix for more information.

Staff members who are interested in attending need to make arrangements with supervisors and submit the registration fee as soon as possible to Ms. LaCroix. Space is available on a first come, first service basis.

SALLY RICHEY HONORED

Sally Ritchey, April's staff of the month, was excited and pleased when she was called up to receive her award as Employee of the month.

Ritchey first came to Chemawa in 1973. During here 11 years here she has taught music, English, personal finance, been an assistant librarian, assistant personnel director, the student enterprise coordinator, and overall substitute teacher.

When not wearing Chemawa's many hats, Sally enjoys playing the piano for various civic programs, cake and interior decorating, and dancing.

Her future goals are to complete her degree in counselling and work in that field.

Ritchey was born and raised in Illinois. She has three children.



SALLY OF ALL TRADES: From personnel officer, to music teacher, to all around substitute Sally Richey was named Employee of the Month for her willingness to accept any job asked of her. Sally has indeed proved she can be all things to all people. Ed John, vice principal, extends congratulations.