

EMPLOYEES' PARTY.

The employes' social gathering (group one) took place last Friday evening in the spacious parlors of Miss Troutman's building. The evening was a success socially and the merry laughter of the delighted groups was constantly heard during the various contests. The management of the entertainment was excellent, as was evidenced by the easy disposition of each pleasant feature. In the contest of Authors, Statesmen, and Musicians an opportunity was offered to three classes of authority in this pleasant diversion.

Miss Royer and Mr. Fickle divided the honor of securing first prize, which was finally awarded to Miss Royer; Mr. Woods winning the booby prize. The very clever arrangement of the gallery of Fine Arts would cause the old masters to feel interested—that master work of women's rights was admirably executed, as was also the loan exhibit and the Lovers' Dissapointment.

The Marble Bust was a rare treat of the old school of Italian sculpture and one could imagine himself for a moment at the Cour of the Caesars. At the close of this game Mrs. Smith carried off the honors of the first prize, while Mr. Mitchell received with joy the booby prize, which he joyfully waved to the merriment of all.

The reception committee, departing from the conventional, appeared in Colonial costume of the period of 1776. It was a pleasant surprise to meet Mr. Gillett as General Washington, with Mrs. Chalcraft and Mrs. Brace as Colonial ladies. The costuming was pleasingly correct and had an air of Colonial grandeur. The piano and cornet duets by Miss Brewer and Mr. Larsen were a delight to all who heard them. During

the evening the assemblage was was delightfully entertained by our distinguished visitor, Supervisor Gill, who told us in his entertaining manner the original story of Mary's little lamb, and exhibited a small piece of its fleece. This bit of folk history will forever be a record of this gathering.

The history of Mary's Lamb will be found in another column of the Chemawa American. The refreshment hour was profitably spent, as the ice cream was delicious and the "Lady Fingers" were so sweet, as they always are, that not to eat them caused a pang. It was only when the lights winked that the gathering was notified that time doth fly, and with many regrets everybody said "good-night."

Too much praise cannot be given Mr. Brace for his efficient services as chairman of the executive committee. All are now looking forward with pleasant anticipation for the appointed date to arrive when employes of group two will give their entertainment.

CHALLENGE.

We, the smiling five basketball team, do hereby challenge the all star-team of the school for a game on the first open date, providing that we get the necessary authority. Manager Lynch, Capt. Clements. Line-up: Duffy, F; Daffy, F; Crow, C; Stub, G; Dub, G; Jud, sub.

Mr. Smith gave us a good talk on last Saturday night. We hope it will "stick."

The city of the eighth grade not having chosen any name, the mayor appointed a committee for that purpose. He chose the following members: Willie Basset, Nick Hatch and Mary Botes. We will look forward for a pretty name to be chosen by the committee.