

Society News

Oct. 9—The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. reception in honor of the new students. It will be remembered by everyone as a very interesting event.

Oct. 16—The annual out-door picnic, with the huge bonfire. Games and contests and tug-of-war were very exciting.

Nov. 27—Thanksgiving Day program, followed by a school party and ball, which were held in the new Dining Hall. They were all very interesting and enjoyable.

Get-together Dinner in December

On the evening of December 20, the student body and faculty met in the new dining hall for a final get-together dinner before the holiday vacation. The occasion was also a leave-taking reception to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bengtson, who had recently withdrawn from the Northwest school faculty to become assistant secretary-of-state at St. Paul.

The dining room was beautifully decorated in holiday colors and a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree was placed near the fire place. Superintendent Selvig acted as toast-master. Responses were made by Arthur Rud, '23; William Johnson, '22; Eldred Lindahl, '21; Miss Ward and Mr. McCall.

Rufus Logan, '21, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Bengtson a beautiful electric parlor lamp, the gift of the student body, and in a well-worded speech, expressed the appreciation of the students for the unselfish labor of the preceptor in their behalf. Superintendent Selvig enlarged upon the valuable service to the institutions that Mr. Bengtson had given since he joined the school faculty seven years ago. Mr. Bengtson responded with an address that touched all present, telling of his love for the school and the cherished friendships he had formed.

Jan. 15—Another party at the Dining Hall, 'nuff said; also one at Senior Hall, where interesting games and contests were the chief diversions, with popcorn and everything.

Feb. 19—On Saturday evening, February 19th, the faculty rendered a varied program of entertainment for the students of the school. A school room scene was enacted. Following this, a very interesting chalk talk by Mr. Foker. Miss Bruem, Mr. McCall and Mr. Peck amused the students with the one-act farce, "Courtship Under Difficulties." Miss Nolan and Miss Kneeshaw delighted the students with a vaudeville skit.

March 17.—A program dance was given on St. Patrick's Day. The evening was well spent.