

hither. There is far more offered the boy here at Chemawa than we have space at this time to mention.

The girls have an opportunity, aside from courses in the academic department, to study dressmaking, domestic science, and everything in the way of cooking and housekeeping; nursing, too, is a branch of study in which our girls excell and it is a very popular course with them. All of those features which tend to fit girls for future usefulness, and which insure home-making qualifications, are here for the asking.

All of the things which we have mentioned are true—thousands who have at one time been enrolled at Chemawa will testify to the truth of our assertions. Think them over.

OUR SOCIAL SIDE.

That which affords rest and relaxation for one person might constitute service for another—what may be recreation for one need not of necessity provide recreation for another. It is necessary that each one shall have something provided (either by himself or by another) for his amusement or recreation. We all see the necessity of this, for if it were not a necessity we would not have within us the capacity to be entertained, amused or interested in the various phases of life by which we are surrounded.

Well and good! If it is granted, and it should be, that recreation is a real need, especially for young people, the next thing to consider is what shall constitute our entertainment. Having settled upon our form of recreation our consideration is the ways and means of controlling the same and keeping all within proper bounds. The matter of control is simply one of wisdom and is beneficial to all, so both old and young should assist in keeping their recreation on most decorous lines.

Here at Chemawa we believe that we have solved the matter of recreation to the satisfaction and well-being of all. We, young and old, recognize the fact that the school at Chemawa was established for the accomplishment of serious and worthy ends. We are doing all within our power to help ourselves and our school, and to justify the government in the steps taken in our behalf. But we have our periods of fun—lots of them.

We have fine and orderly dances in the big gymnasium every Friday night, at present. Our societies of the academic department are also of interest to all. We have our society parties during the season. We have games of every kinds in the way of athletics, each in its proper season. We are a lot of good-natured but serious minded people; we know for what we are here and we are doing our very best, or mighty near it. But just the same we are having good times and lots of fun in "dear old Chemawa."