

Since our last issue Mr. Nelson R. Rainville of Adams, Oregon, was a visitor at Chemawa. He was accompanied here by his daughter, Margaret, who re-entered school.

Everybody on the grounds was conscious of a change in the band one morning recently when the organization began playing a stirring march. The secret of the change lay in the fact that the new band instruments ordered sometime back by Supt. Wadsworth had arrived. The drum solos can now be heard for miles. Pay attention when the band plays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dillstrom returned to Chemawa a week or so ago and Mr. Dillstrom is at present employed here. He holds the position made vacant by Mr. Pugh's departure for California. Henry will domicile his family in a cottage a quarter of a mile east of the school. Many friends are pleased to see these people living in the vicinity.

Since our last issue Dr. McGaw of Portland, Father Pryor of Mt. Angel, Dr. Clements of Salem, and Rev. E. C. Alford of Salem, have addressed those in attendance of the general chapel services on Sunday evenings. All gave fine discourses. The last Sunday of October had been designated "Tuberculosis Day" by the commissioner of Indian Affairs, to be observed throughout the service, and in conformity with the general trend of things Supt. Wadsworth secured Dr. Clements of Salem to make an address on Tuberculosis.

The address proved very instructive.

We know whereof we speak when we mention the fact that the small boy is becoming interested in Turkey—one which feathers, not fez.

On every hand the noise of the saw and hammer and the slap of the paint brush can be heard nowadays at Chemawa. The very air is laden with the spirit of improvement—you breathe it—at Chemawa.

Potato digging has occupied many of those connected with the agricultural department at Chemawa of late. We are told that the crop is prime in every way. Potatoes that are produced at Chemawa are hard to beat and everybody knows it. Try one!

We received a letter recently from Jasper Grant, who a few years ago was enrolled at Chemawa, but who at the present time is living at Arcata, California. Jasper reported all well with himself and declared his intention, if possible, soon to return to Chemawa. His sister has been seriously ill of late and this has interfered with Jasper's plans.

The American regrets very much to inform its readers that Mr. Chas. E. Larsen is no longer identified with Chemawa, except in good will. He has accepted the position of clerk at Jones Academy in Oklahoma and departed for that place on Nov. 7. This is the school where Mr. Chalcraft is superintendent. Many friends throughout the country will join us in wishing Mr. Larsen unbounded success in his new field.