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### S. P. LOCAL TRAINS.

(North Bound)

No. 10—7:36 a. m., arrives at Portland 9:50 a. m.

No. 18—2:12 p. m., arrives at Portland 4:35 p. m.

No. 20—7:56 p. m., arrives at Portland 10:15 p. m.

(South Bound)

No. 19—At 10:54 a. m.

No. 17—At 4:09 p. m.

No. 9—At 8:10 p. m.

### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

For the benefit of those who may desire to communicate with members of the executive council of "The Society of American Indians" we are pleased to publish a list of the officers. Address all communications to various parties to the "Barrister Building, Washington, D. C.," in care of the society. The list follows: Sherman Coolidge, President, Fari-bault, Minn.

Thomas L. Sloan, first vice-president.

Chas. E. Dagenett, vice-president on membership.

Mrs. L. C. Kellogg, vice-president on education.

Dennison Wheelock, vice-president on legislation.

Arthur C. Parker, secretary-treasurer.

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## CHRISTMAS

### THE HOLIDAY SEASON AT CHEMAWA

Christmas with the people at Chemawa was certainly an enjoyable season of rejoicing and "Good Will Toward Men." On Monday evening, December 23, we had an entertainment in the chapel which may be said to have opened our holiday season. This was a cantata entitled "The Neglected Program," by about twenty pupils, which was well given and thoroughly appreciated.

On December 24, Christmas Eve, the entire population of Chemawa gathered in the big gym for the distribution of presents. Two trees were beautifully decorated and the whole atmosphere of the place was suggestive of the home of Santa Claus. Many beautiful presents were distributed and everyone present received a gift of some nature. The scene was enlivened by the blowing of horns and other noise-producers by the smaller boys.

At ten o'clock on Christmas Day all assembled in chapel, where a program suitable to the occasion was rendered. Everything which occurred at this meeting was in accordance with the Christmas spirit.

At noon a fine chicken dinner was served in the students' big dining-room. In accordance with an old-time custom at Chemawa many of the