

crawfisher of the camp. She caught more than fifty in one evening.

We picked Tuesday morning until 10:30 and it started to rain, so we left the hop-field and went back to camp. It rained the rest of the day and also on Wednesday. We had good weather thereafter and most of the girls picked pretty hard.

In the evening we would sit around the bonfire and sing songs. The Chinese people would come up to our camp every evening and they would sing songs for us.

Messrs. McNary and Stoltz paid visits to our bonfires. Mr. McNary's favorite songs were "Napanee" and "Silver Bell."

Lyda Bauer, Maggie Johnson and Amanda Liljegren were noted as the best pickers of the school girls. There were more than fifty different families in the field including the Chinese people.

On Wednesday, Sept. 17th, all of the girls returned from the hop-field. We all enjoyed ourselves and had a good time. We thank our good Superintendent for giving us the opportunity to work out and earn a little money for ourselves during our vacation days.

I live in the extreme north-western part of Washington, a little below Cape Flattery in a little village called Quileute. Most of the people took up the Christian religion just as soon as our white brothers found us. This was some thirty years ago.

The country is quite warm in summer and has an abundance of rain, but little snow in winter. The people are not wealthy. Their only time of making money is in the summer when the harvesting is being done, and when fish are running. Fishing depends upon the condition of weather and tides.

A few years ago they used to go into the sea in open canoes to fish, but the encroachment of civilization ruined the business. Launches have taken the place of canoes. It is the same way with traveling. Wagons and horses have taken the place of old Indian custom of going about on foot.

#### 7th

All the students of Chemawa went to the Oregon State Fair, which was held in Salem. They report a delightful day.

The seventh grade class of the first division was glad to have Clyde Fields enter its ranks. We now have only two vacant seats in the room.

#### 6th

Chemawa is a school which raises an abundance of fruit, apples, pears, prunes, cherries, strawberries, blackberries, and loganberries. After the school closed in June the girls canned strawberries and loganberries. Before we came back from hop-picking a majority of the small girls