

OUR BUDGET OF LORE

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE

Mr. Eugene Geffe, our premier clarinetist, has accepted a chair in the orchestra, and is certainly making good.

We have our semi-monthly dances and picture shows on the same plan as last year. These features are all high-class in every way. The pupils enjoy these privileges to the fullest.

Our band continues to improve and is doing mighty good work for so early in the season. Mr Loos, bandmaster, will likely have an entertaining organization of more than ordinary merit by next spring.

Mr. J. B. Johnson, of Colfax, Wash., made our school a visit recently. We are indebted to this worthy gentleman for many calls in the past. He is always welcome. We know of no person outside of the service who has taken so keen an interest in the work carried on at Chemawa as has Mr. Johnson.

On October the 26th it was the pleasure of quite a number of Chemawa people to have Mr. Mordaunt Goodnough, the able and well-known piano virtuoso, come up from Portland and visit for a few hours. Mr. Goodnough cannot get away from his duties in Portland to visit us often, but he is always welcome when he does come.

Mr. Pendergrass went on his annual hunting trip to Southern Oregon during the latter part of October. He reported having enjoyed his usual good luck. Members of the employes' mess rejoiced in the fact that he brought a fine two-year-old buck with him for their consumption. Thank you, Mr. Pendergrass.

Since our last issue of The American Father Gall, of Mt. Angel, Mr. F. S. Gilbert, of Salem, and Dr. Geo. D. Pratt, of Portland, made splendid addresses at our assembly services in the auditorium on Sunday evenings. On one Sunday evening the band gave us a program which was very pleasing. The program played on this occasion will be found on another page.

The Protestants, gathered in the chapel on Tuesday evening for their regular Bible study, were honored by a visit from Miss Matthews, missionary to Japan, and Miss Fox traveling secretary of the Young Woman's Christian Association. Miss Fox is an annual visitor and was lovingly welcomed by old friends. It is a rare privilege to meet Miss Matthews face to face and to hear her tell in her charming manner her experiences in Japan.