

Elmer Zimmerman raffled off a couple of riding bridles during the holidays. They were of his own make and would have been a credit to any harness-maker.

A week before Christmas a party of our people went to Portland to purchase the Christmas presents for the school. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Loos, Mrs. Frachtenberg, Miss White and Miss Sprague. Good Bargains were secured and good selections made.

Bandmaster Loos and his boys have amply demonstrated of late their ability to render in a finished style high-grade music of the better class. A week or two ago they played a splendid concert at Gervais and followed it up with a fine concert at home a night or so later. Long live the band!

During the holiday season Miss Phyllis Cooper was stricken down with appendicitis. She was hurriedly conveyed to The Salem Hospital, where she submitted to an operation, which proved successful. She is now considered out of danger and getting along nicely, we are pleased to state.

At the Employes' Mess on Christmas Day every preparation had been made for a fine dinner. Splendidly set and heavily laden tables, sustaining only the choicest of seasonable delicacies, in rooms tastefully decorated, certainly caught the popular fancy. Mrs. Pugh and her many assistants, to whom credit is due, have the thanks of all.

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## ATHLETICS

### BRIEF SUMMING UP BY MR. SMITH *Disciplinarian*

The basketball team is making a very good showing at this early stage of the season. Chemawa opened the season with an easy victory over Philomath College, on the home floor.

The College boys were simply out-classed in every department of the game. Capt. Jim and Downie smothered the College guards by their fast playing and basket-throwing. McDonald and Chamberlin easily out-played the visiting forwards, while Service at center was all over the floor. After playing ten minutes in the second half, the score was 32 to 6; Capt. Jim then sent in four second-team players. The new men did not work well, as they made only two points while the visitors made eleven points. The game closed with a 34 to 17 score.

Our boys found very worthy opponents in the O. A. C. quintet. The Aggies play the Intercollegiate game, while we play the A. A. U. This change in the game was a handicap which we could not overcome until the opening of the second half. However, the lead was too much