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HOPING TO HEAR FROM YOU

We have reason to believe that faculty, students and friends of Chemawa do not understand the policy of the "American" with reference to the publication of items of interest concerning students, ex students, alumni and faculty. The paper is of interest principally to the above mentioned persons, and it is the privilege of all these friends to send in items for publication. Since your attention has been called to this fact, we hope to receive a number of communications giving items of general interest to readers of the "American" which cannot be learned in any other way. Let us hear from you.

PUPILS' NEWS ITEMS

The seventh grade is now working problems in interest.

Dr. Cashatt speaks well of Catherine Reed, a vocational nurse.

Lottie Wilson, a vocational domestic science girl, is doing excellent work in the sewing room.

Some of our horses need the side calks on their hind shoes, so we are turning out some side calks.

The gardeners are taking their lessons from the teacher of agriculture now. The boys like him very well.

Harriet Verney and Edith Starr are getting along nicely at the hospital in training as vocational nurses.

Ivan Anderson is putting glass sides in the bushel boxes which were designed by the seventh grade. The class will use the boxes for experiments in agriculture.

The farmers have seeded ten acres more in vetch and oats for hay. The 25 acres on the south side of the ranch and the new place near the Pacific Highway are to be ploughed and seeded next.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES

Miss Skipton speaks highly of the work done by Delia Courchane in the dining room.

Mr. Ball is very much pleased with the way his pre-vocational class in blacksmithing have taken hold of their work.

George Hillman is doing unusually well in blacksmithing, while Robert O'Brien is showing great progress in wagon-making.

The carpenter shop is a busy place. It is a pleasure to go through and see the new furniture that is being made. A good many mission chairs and settees have been completed and are ready to be stained, while a large number are under way.

CHAPERONES FOR COMING WEEK

Chaperone girls to town, Saturday, the 20th, Mrs. Culbertson.

Chaperone girls walking, Sunday, the 21st, Miss Scholder and Mrs. Culbertson.

Visiting committees for societies, January 24th: Winona, Miss Skipton, Mr. Smith; Nonpariel, Miss Taylor, Mr. Brown; Reliance, Miss Peters, Miss Brewer; Excelsior, Mrs. Estabrook, Mr. Woods.

HELPFUL LECTURES

Dr. Arthur P. Wedge, of Boston, Mass., in company with his wife and daughter, Miss Ruth, arrived on Thursday last for a visit to Chemawa. The Doctor is the special representative of the Society for Propagating the Gospel Among the Indians of North America, and has made several tours throughout the Indian Service, visiting Indian schools, and is no stranger here.

He addressed the student body and faculty in the school auditorium Sunday night and also commenced his series of lectures on Citizenship, involving the subjects of "Unity," "Dependence," and "Service," on Monday and Tuesday evenings. These helpful talks to our students are being received with great interest and appreciation. It is a joy to witness the beaming faces as they eagerly listen to the interesting and profitable words.

LOCALS

Mr. Brace has been called to Portland several times lately on official business,

The illustrated lecture last evening on "Service," by Dr. Wedge, was a great treat for the pupils. The Doctor talks to the students so directly and understandingly that he holds their undivided attention.

A visit to the various industrial departments each morning finds the vocational and prevocational classes assembled in the space set aside for lecture work, deep in the study of the various subjects. Our pupils take considerable interest in this instruction and are gaining information of much value.

A five-course luncheon was served by the Domestic Science vocational class on Tuesday in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Wedge and Miss Wedge. Other guests were Supt. and Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Estabrook. Rose Simmons received the guests and Leona John served the luncheon, which was well prepared and daintily served.