

LOCAL

Moving pictures on Friday night.

This is demonstration week in the various departments.

The farm, garden and dairy details are busy putting in potatoes this week.

The grading of the gutter along the curb in front of the campus is nearly completed.

Our baseball team will play a return game with Salem High School in Salem on Wednesday afternoon.

About one hundred boys were sent down to the lake on Tuesday to weed the onions in order to do the work up in a hurry.

The annual demonstration exhibit of the 7th and 8th vocational classes will be given in the Domestic Science department today.

A track team try-out was held last evening and considering all contestants to be young and inexperienced a splendid showing was made.

Wild strawberries have made their appearance in this vicinity and are quite abundant. Many students and employes have been "berrying."

Dr. Hailman has made an inspection of the eyes of practically all pupils in the school and now is at work giving treatment to those who require it.

Clyde Fields, who is now employed in a logging camp near Silverton, paid Chemawa friends a visit last Sunday. He expects to be with us during commencement.

Stanley Sutton, a former Chemawa student, paid his friends at the school a visit since our last issue. He is now employed at Tacoma, Wash., and is getting along nicely.

It would seem that there are more pests in the shape of worms and aphides to destroy growing crops this year than ever before. It is said that our entire crop of petite prunes, which was exceedingly heavy, is entirely destroyed by the black aphides. A force of boys are spraying this week. This is the second time to go over the prune trees.

THE JUNIOR RED CROSS "DRIVE"

The much advertised Junior Red Cross "drive" social was held in the school gym on Saturday night under the auspices of the Nonpareil Literary Society of girls, Mrs. McCrosson director. To say that it was a success expresses it but mildly, for socially as well as financially it more than met expectations.

The splendid enthusiasm of the girls must have been contagious for when the doors opened at 7:30 to admit the crowd pocketbooks did likewise.

The clever campus posters and a bait of "A banner to the dormitory registering the greatest percent of memberships at the close of the drive," sent the children scurrying to one of the five recruiting booths, which were presided over by efficient and attractive Nonpareil recruiting agents and the unique little 10c pennant which had served as an admittance ticket, after having been duly punched was surrendered with 15c to gain the full Junior Membership and the coveted R. C. button.

Buttons soon bloomed like roses on gown and coat lapel where jolly couples and groups, made hungry by the tempting array of sandwiches, buns, biscuits, jelly and coffee, stormed the cafe presided over by a realistic chef in "Cream of Wheat" costume. She marshalled her corp of able assistants and saw to it that her coffee and biscuits were served "piping hot" in spite of the fact that the crowd was far greater and richer than had been anticipated. Attractive tables here and on the stage at the east of the gym, where ever-changing crowds purchased quantities of ice cream cones and orangeade, were shaded by full-sized trees, bearing mature simulated oranges and blossoms, thus converting the gymnasium into a veritable orange grove.

The "sporting" element were to be found trying their luck, "five shots for a nickle tickets," at the shooting gallery. A large canvass decorated with sunflowers had many-numbered centers as targets. Every successful shot was amply rewarded with a of stick candy.

The grand march was led by the presidents of the Winona and Reliance societies. The second couple being the same representatives of the Excelsiors and Nonpareils.

Every new number was eagerly awaited, for a well-executed poster announcement was displayed by a Nonpareil harlequin, who manipulated her megaphone with all the assurance possible.

Attractive prizes were awarded the lucky couples winning prizes during the evening. Orange-shaded electric light bulbs furnished pleasant lighting for various numbers.

The crowd showed its appreciation of the thoroughly good time furnished it by leaving with the tired but happy girls \$147.65. When the comparatively small expenses were met their net gain was \$130.92, or enough to make the student body 100 per cent Junior A. R. C. on a basis of 500 members; a donation to Mrs. Brewer of \$2.50 for food for her R. C. chicks, and a banner to Brewer Hall students who won the contest, having a registration of 95 per cent. A fund of \$34.75 furnished from joint contributions by the Excelsior and Winona societies gives Chemawa a paid-up Junior A. R. C. membership of 640.