

LOCAL

Ground has been broken for the new office.

Pruning of the orchard is going rapidly forward.

Mrs. Paul Gary is visiting with her parents at Chemawa.

The horse yard at the barn has been graded and is now in fine condition.

The Willamette Glee Club concert netted about eighty-five dollars, half of which was put in the Y. M. C. A. fund.

Miss Cecelia Brunette, assistant clerk, received promotion to a like position at Pine Ridge, S. Dakota. She leaves tomorrow.

Mr. Turner advises that we have apples sufficient to last only two weeks longer. The students have had a great feast this winter.

Doctor Baker, Indian Service dentist, has examined the teeth of our students and out of the six hundred and more he finds about one hundred and fifty who require no attention.

Our varsity basketball team plays the O. A. C. team on our floor tonight at 6:30, after which game the girls' team will play the Salem High School team. We look for the fastest game of the year with the O. A. C. team. Next week our boys have three games, one at Portland, one at Forest Grove, and one at Vancouver. The Oregonian and other Portland papers speak very highly of our work during this season.

Chapel services were of the usual interesting character last Sunday evening. The orchestra played a grand selection from the opera "Maritana" by Wallace, Maud Craig sang "Alone With God" by Abbott, Gus Gartiez gave a good reading of "Pasquale Passes" by Daly, and the choir sang "Lead Me Gently Home, Father" by Thompson. Supt. Hall was in charge and at the conclusion of the exercises he gave a splendid talk to the students in which he touched upon many features of youthful life that were both interesting and vitally important.

Not many days ago our people were shocked to hear that Dr. Chas. M. Buchanan, for a quarter of a century superintendent at Tulalip, Wash., was dead. None of us had known of his illness until the news of his demise reached us. From meager reports to us it seems that the death was caused, indirectly perhaps, by an ulcerated tooth. Perhaps blood poisoning followed other complications. We have been told that the Doctor had gone to Seattle for medical aid and that his death occurred while there. He was a highly gifted man, a good companion, splendidly educated, and loyal to trust always. In his death his charges will have suffered a great loss and he will long be remembered by people of every walk of life, both in and out of the service. Peace to his ashes!

Miss Skipton had as her guests for Sunday dinner Superintendent and Mrs. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Turney.

Several of the Chemawa people attended Lombardi Ltd. at the Salem Opera House on Monday eve. Miss Hamilton, who took one of the important parts, is from Marshfield and is well known to our employes.

Mrs. Hall entertained informally Tuesday afternoon at a well and daintily appointed tea. She had as her guests about twelve of the ladies of the campus, also Miss Alice Knapp and Miss Malone lately returned from Honolulu and Miss Knapp of Denver Colorado.

LITERARY SOCIETIES

Winona

Mrs. Canfield and Mrs. Loos visited the Winonas on Friday evening and gave the girls some excellent advice. Annie Miller gave an unusually good little address on "What a Literary Society Should Mean to a Girl." Jessie Cleveland gave an impromptu talk on "The Most Important Thing I have Learned at Chemawa;" Madrona Mann had some well-prepared jokes and conundrums; Louise Silverthorn gave a mandolin solo; Edna Hill, Ruby White, Agnes Belgarde and Clara Morais gave recitations. There were several other good numbers on the program which closed with some "Winona-Jazz" songs.

Nonpareil

The Nonpareil Society was highly entertained by the freshies and sixth grades on Friday night. A well-prepared program had been arranged in which songs, declamations, pen pictures, jokes and impromptu talks featured. Those who took part were Harriet Lewis, Mary Damon, Mary Belgarde, Ida Brown, Lizzie Conner, Alice Cayton, Josephine Woods, Mary Motanic, Maude Potts and Felicia Hostler. It was a profitable meeting for all.

Excelsior

At the Excelsior Literary Society meeting on Friday night considerable business was disposed of, after which Current Events were given by Alfred Gurtler; Violin solo by Jacop Mynuk; Monologue, Stanley Sutton, and songs by the quartette. Mr. Iliff, official visitor, and Miss Hendrix, advisor, both gave very helpful talks. After a few yells the meeting adjourned.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE NOTES

Our class took a hike to the woods last week and had a little picnic. A good time was spent in the woods.

The ten weeks' detail expired on Saturday last. We feel that it was a very profitable ten weeks as well as very pleasant.

The third year vocational class is in receipt of a beautiful doily presented by Mrs. Bradley. The class appreciates it very much and desire to thank her for the gift.

The Senior boys had a little stag party in the domestic science dining-room after the Glee Club entertainment the other night and the girls had the pleasure of washing their dishes the next morning.