

**ACADEMIC NOTES**

The Chemawa students at Salem High are reporting "All is well." Their happy faces proclaim the message even before their lips have spoken it. Grades of 1 or 2 in tests require close application to studies, but the boys and girls think the reward is commensurate.

The carpenters and painters have finished their work in room 10. This is now one of the best classrooms in our academic building, the freshly painted walls, convenient arrangement for ventilation and light make it a very attractive room. Miss Connolly and her classes are now occupying the room. The painting crew of boys deserve special mention for cleaning the glass in the large steel sash. It was no small task, and the boys left the glass shining.

One of the delightful things in connection with Mr. Coon's visit to Chemawa was his addresses to the school assemblies on Wednesday. In a brief talk he gave to the teachers and pupils glimpses of what is being done at other schools he visits, and in each division he told the story of the A, B, C, he found written in the sidewalks of a certain city which, he learned, the citizens interpreted to mean, "Always Be Careful." The story was so well told that it made a profound impression and the slogan A, B, C, is frequently heard in the classrooms.

**ALUMNI AND EX-STUDENT NOTES**

Opal Pearson, class of '21, is a senior this year in the Klamath Falls high school.

Frank Peratrovich, class of '16, will finish his course at the Capital Business College this fall.

Katherine Loftus, '21, and Elizabeth Churchill, '22, are seniors this year at the Ketchikan high school in Alaska.

Paul Liphart, '15, has enlisted in the ranks of the "tooth pullers" at the North Pacific Dental College in Portland.

Jones Spencer, '22, is attending the Toppenish, Washington, high school and is turning out with the football squad.

Leroy Nuckolls, class of '21, is a senior at the Chico high school this year. "Nucks" is starring in all branches of athletics there.

Fred Wilder, honor student and winner of the "Albert prize" at the Salem high school last year, expects to enter Stanford University next semester.

Jacob "Teel" Mynuck is the star end on the Montesano, Washington, high school football team. Some of his friends had a chance to see him in action when his team played at Vancouver last week.

Clarence Edwards, '21, and Francis John, ex-student, are now attending Broadway High School at

Seattle and are starring on the football team. Clarence has made quite an athletic record at Broadway and was elected captain of this year's track team.

Irving Shepard, class of '16, star center on one of the best basketball teams Chemawa ever produced, is now putting in his second year at Willamette University. "Shep" won his letter as first baseman on the varsity baseball team at W. U. last spring.

Arthur Johnson, better known as "Jack," is attending the Chico State College in California. Jack was our main stay in the center position on our football team while in school here and was hard to beat. After leaving here he attended the Chico high school.

Eleanor Hauk, class of '19, who was a member of our teaching force last year, and Frank Johnson, class of '12, are now attending the University of Oregon at Eugene. Frank, who was compelled to discontinue his work at the University three years ago on account of illness, is now in his junior year.

Rose Gray, Joyce Simmons, Wallace Morgan, Frank Sookum James, Alex Petellin, Stanley Orton, and Laurie Davis, all members of the class of '22, are juniors at the Salem high school. Edwin Lilljegen, who is starring on the high school football team, and is captain elect of the basketball team, is a senior and will graduate in June.

**ITEMS FROM THE TRADES**

The engineers promise to have our new power plant under steam on Sunday next. That is welcome news to all of us.

The dairy crew are preparing more pasture land and will soon have another piece of ground fenced on the lake for the pasturage of young stock. We have some excellent young stock that is coming on.

The rain has held back the potato harvest, but we hope to get the remainder of the crop out shortly. We are fortunate in having "heaps" of pumpkins. Take a look down in the garden and you will see them.

The new cement porch at the Small Boys' Home is moving forward to completion. This is a much needed improvement and will add to both appearance and comfort. In addition to the porch there is to be a concrete pavement around the building also. The walks that have been replaced and other walks repaired have added greatly to the convenience and utility of Chemawa. The plumbers are at present installing the plumbing fixtures in the new cottage recently completed. This department is deserving of a great deal of credit for the large amount of good work accomplished this fall.

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