

LOCAL

During chapel exercises last Sunday evening, Dennis Knauff gave a recitation.

Miss Prudence Freeman, of Tacoma, Wash., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mason during the past few days.

Milton ("Pete") Lipps will be a member of the Salem high school graduating class this year. Good for "Pete!"

Last Saturday Mrs. Wilson, son Vern and daughter Marjorie, together with Mrs. Lipps and her son "Pete," journeyed to Portland and spent the day.

Members of our senior class are very anxious to have a good pre-publication sale of this year's "Annual." Price 50c. Now, "plank down your coin."

As announced by Supt. Lipps during chapel last Sunday evening the company rating the highest last week for boys was B, and C company received the honors for the girls.

Our orchestra rendered a program at North Howell last Friday evening and made good with a plus. Miss Cleo Plasteur was on the program as a reader, and Sergie Bozeroff was also of the party and gave a recitation.

The Oregon Journal of last Sunday ran a half-tone of Miss Flora Dexter, together with an article regarding her attendance at the State Normal School at Monmouth and of her life in Northern Alaska, also touching upon her aims for the future. It was a most interesting "mention" in every way.

Mr. Kunkel and his band boys more than made good last Friday when they played in Salem for a session of the convention of the Christian Endeavor Association. Representatives from all over the state were in attendance and our band was acclaimed by all. It was another case of Chemawa to the fore.

A most enthusiastic group of boys attended the concert of our string quartet last Monday evening. There were present in addition to the group above-mentioned, Mrs. Lipps, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, Miss Gunn, Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Larsen, Mrs. Turney, Mr. Shepard, "Bud" James, Mr. Odon, Miss Lundquist, Miss Roddy, and Miss Freeman of Tacoma, and Mr. P. F. Thomas and Mr. Steinbaugh, the latter two being from Salem.

Last Saturday Supt. Lipps, accompanied by Mr. Peairs and Mr. Proffitt, respectively from the Indian Office and Interior Department at Washington, D. C., were business visitors in Portland. In the afternoon they returned to Chemawa, where the latter two gentlemen were joined by Mr. Holtz on their trip on south. Chemawa enjoyed having these able and affable gentlemen as guests and regretted that their visit was so brief.

The time for retribution is close at hand for any of our students who may have been guilty of simply "drifting" during the recent months of school. Next week is the time for the final exams at Chemawa. It will probably be a case of history repeating itself again—a small percentage will fail. It is nearly always so. Let us hope for the best.

In The Oregonian editorial columns of last Sunday's edition was an article, the data of which was furnished by Mr. Henry Sicade, educated and prominent Indian business man of Tacoma, Wash. The article dwelt with the origin and meaning of the Indian name, "Puyallup," meaning always to give, or succor.

Vern Wilson, who will be a member of the class graduated from the Salem High School this year, has been selected by the faculty to appear on the graduating program. Considering the large number to be graduated and the very few selected to appear on this particular program we consider that Vern has had quite an honor bestowed upon him. He will appear as a violin soloist.

Supt. Lipps gave a splendid talk last Sunday evening to our students assembled in the auditorium for chapel exercises. He went to considerable pains to explain the new ideas and plans which are developing in the minds of all, both in government circles and out, and made it very clear just what will be expected of our young people in the future. Everything indicates that henceforth there are to be no drones in the hive—a good idea. In addition to the address of Supt. Lipps, John Dexter gave a most pleasing violin solo and responded to a recall, and the orchestra and choir contributed numbers.

During the past week Chemawa was host to three very able and affable gentlemen who occupy positions of importance with the government, Mr. H. B. Peairs, general superintendent of Indian education; Mr. M. M. Proffitt, specialist in industrial education, and Mr. John H. Holtz, supervisor of Indian education. The two first-named gentlemen have their headquarters in Washington, D. C., while Mr. Holtz is located at the Sacramento Indian Agency, California. Chemawa people were all pleased with the visit paid us by these gentlemen and appreciated their kindly attitude in all matters claiming their attention. One evening during their visit Supt. and Mrs. Lipps entertained them informally. On this occasion the Chemawa String Quartet played for the visitors. In addition to the officials honored there were present, Dr. Sisco, Mrs. Wilson and her son and daughter, Vern and Marjorie, Mrs. Brickell, host and hostess, Supt. and Mrs. Lipps, and family. It was in every way an unforgettable occasion and the evening passed all too quickly. Delicious refreshments were served and thus terminated a most enjoyable occasion for all.