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THE SOURCE OF POWER

Chemawa can point with pride to quite a considerable number of graduates and ex-students, men and women, who, by persistent effort, have raised themselves to positions above the average in their chosen line of work. Some may ask by what means have they achieved this success? We wish at the outset to hazard a guess that good character is the secret of their success. Hence the leading purpose of all people, young or old, should be the possession of a good character.

Many people think that the mere possession of money means success—that rich men's sons and daughters alone can trod the road of success. If one keeps his eyes open he will soon see the fallacy of this idea, for it is far from the truth. Many of the poor boys of our country have made of themselves the best and noblest of men.

Let us emphasize the fact that our students may become wealthy or they may never acquire riches, in either event they can do more real good in the world by their virtues than by any money they may possess. Their studies in school, their reading, their aim in life, should all work towards the grand object of acquiring genuine manhood and womanhood which is founded alone on the elements of character, without which there can be no true success. Character is power.

GIRLS ADOPT POINT SYSTEM

The point system which recognizes student efficiency and encourages individual effort and responsibility has been adopted by the Chemawa girls.

Each student is awarded a thousand points. Deductions from the thousand points are as follows:

- 1. Late for breakfast formation 5 points
- 2. Late for dinner formation 1 point
- 3. Late for supper formation 2 points
- 4. Bed check 10 points
- 5. Cut class 10 points
- 6. Cut work 10 points
- 7. Absence from church 10 points
- 8. General formation 10 points
- 9. Impudence, disobedience 15 points

Points taken off during a period of two weeks will deprive a girl of town and social function privileges for that period of time.

Companies are given 1,000 points and an individual's demerits are deducted from the company's points.

The three highest rating companies, one from each hall for the month, will have the privilege of entertaining their friends at a dancing party, or of going to a movie, or of visiting places of interest in near-by towns.

ESCORTS

Sun., Oct. 11—McBride	- -	Mrs. Middleton Mr. Hicks
Winona	-	Mr. Ratzburg Miss Peterson
Hawley	- -	Mrs. Walker Mr. Berry
Sat., Oct. 17—To Salem	- -	Mrs. Melovidoff
Sun., Oct. 18—McBride	- -	Mr. James Mrs. James
Winona	- -	Mr. Larsen Miss Black
Hawley	- - -	Miss Estep Miss Cornick

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cooper were recent visitors at Chemawa. Some years ago they were employed here, but at present they are in the service at Warmspring, where Mr. Cooper is principal of the school.

Supt. Ryan was in charge of our chapel exercises last Sunday evening. He called on Principal Christy, who read the President's proclamation on Fire Prevention Week, and made certain announcements relative to our school and its workings. Joe White gave a vocal number with Miss Estep at the piano, and Henrietta Blackeslee played a violin obligato for the soloist. The orchestra played a pleasing selection.

Robert N. Service of Toledo, Oregon, paid Chemawa a visit recently. He was known as "Bunney" in his schooldays at this school and he still answers to this name. He is a respectable and progressive citizen and is getting along nicely. On his visit here "Bunney" was accompanied by his father-in-law, Frank Carson, also of Toledo. Mr. Carson has been given the task of looking after the Indian wards of the government who live in the Siletz country and he was at Chemawa for a conference with the authorities here. (As we were going to press we were shocked to learn that Mr. Carson died very suddenly last Sunday at his home in Toledo.)