

Helbing is the Assistant Supervisor in charge of this district, which was formerly under the supervision of Miss Dorothy Ellis. This was Miss Helbing's first visit and we hope she enjoyed being here as much as we enjoyed having her. Her visit was far too short, but she has promised to return in April and stay longer. The second section of the 9th grade served an informal luncheon on Friday, Dec. 4, in Miss Helbing's honor.

MITCHELL HALL

The Cookie Club met on Friday evening and Mrs. Wilcox read stories from the Scout book—the little fellows enjoyed it. Emma Redd made the cookies for the boys.

Miss Whipper is helping on half days and we like her.

Many of the Mitchell Hall boys are working for their athletic tickets. Some have earned them.

Spelling matches between 5th and 6th grade boys have been of interest to all. Wilson Bobb is the champion speller. Eddie Case isn't far behind, nor is Joe Saluskin.

COMMERCIAL REPORT

Our new shorthand books, which we received last week, are highly favored by the class and surely are an aid to us in that subject.

We have been working on letters and advertisements for the last two days and really think that we are getting some place. We all know that business is business in a business way so we aim to do our best. Come on, class, no more fooling. Let's get to work.

"Chuck" DePoe still leads the class. Watch out, "Chuck," we're coming up.

PAINT SHOP

For the past two weeks the boys in the paint shop have been busy giving the old superintendent's cottage two coats of paint in the interior, and also redecorating the butler's pantry.

The newcomers have been kept busy in the past, painting and varnishing small articles that are brought in daily from the carpenter shop.

When work is not rushed some of the boys are painting and decorating some of the rooms in the older boys' building.

ENGINEERING NEWS ITEMS

Since Thanksgiving Day the engineers and electricians have been working on a variety of projects. Berger, McKay, Ignace and Rickard completed the electrical work in the beauty parlor, and this week will finish the rewiring of the heating plant.

Colgrove brothers are busy laying brick at the heating plant and at the new telephone exchange room.

The entire engineering force completed in record time a disagreeable job, the No. 3 boiler.

CARPENTER SHOP NOTES

The Christmas spirit has invaded the shop, spurring on the production of certain projects.

We are building the doors and windows in the shop for the garage. These are nearly completed.

Leonard Vivette has just finished a very nicely-designed end table. He is now building a barber pole for the barber shop.

New glass door bulletin boards are now in the various dormitories.

JUNIORS' PHYSICAL TRAINING REPORT

We have all been training for basketball and hope to make some high scores for our class. Our first game is to be played on December 21st.

Alice Ladderoute has been elected captain and she surely makes a good one. Come on, "Cap," we're with you.

We all enjoy our gym classes and are glad when Tuesdays and Thursdays come around.

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

Troop 2, Nov. 19: Held our meeting in usual place. Checked on nature study books and practiced on knots. Adjourned.

Nov. 24: On Tuesday evening the Scouts went on a hike, chaperoned by Miss Lundquist. They returned at supper time and had a surprise supper awaiting them at the superintendent's cottage. We then enjoyed a few games and adjourned.

HAWLEY HALL ITEMS

Girls at Hawley hall who do not have funds are working hard to earn their season tickets for the athletic sports.

Frances Goff was agreeably surprised last week when her father and sisters came for a brief visit. We are always glad to welcome the parents of our girls to Hawley Hall.

McBRIDE HALL NOTES

Louise Belleque is leaving school on account of her health. All students wish her well and hope for her speedy return to Chemawa.

McBride girls are practising on a program for Christmas.

MISCELLANEA

The production and mending class is exceptionally busy before the holidays.

The plasterers and painters are busy now doing some much-needed repairing at the practice house.

Two full dress suits were made in the tailor shop out of old coats. They were used in the operetta last Friday and Saturday nights and they looked like the real thing.

The girls in Mrs. Kirk's class have just finished caps for the cooks, and uniforms for the beauty parlor girls. The girls are still quite busy on gym suits.

Miss Funk has indicated that she will give three permanent waves for two dollars each to the first three persons to make appointments after reading this notice. Miss Funk is a licensed and experienced operator and the girls studying beauty culture are greatly interested.

The first week of December the boys repaired 159 pairs of shoes. Last Thursday after working hours Mr. and Mrs. Decorah gave the shoe shop boys a big "Set 'em up," which the boys all enjoyed very much. We give thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Decorah for their kindness.—SHOE SHOP BOYS.