

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Has any one seen Elvira Parrish's pretty new ring?

Beautiful bright sunny days for our Xmas shopping.

The office force are hard at work on the Annual Estimate.

Bids will be opened tomorrow for lumber, cements, etc.

The Choir is practicing Mozarts Twelfth Mass for Christmas.

Victor Graham is assisting Miss Reason with her quarterly report.

Mr. DePoe who has been suffering with a sick tooth is feeling better.

The flowers in the girls' rooms give a very pretty effect to the rooms.

Minerva McDaniel's room in the Girls' Home has a very roomlike appearance.

Canon Reyes has one of the neatest and cleanest kept rooms in the Large Boys' Home.

Mrs. Carthrea, little Helen and Miss Irene Campbell spent Thursday in Salem.

A game is being arranged to be played with Multnomah at Portland on Christmas day.

Society meetings last week were postponed from Thursday to Friday evening on account of cold rooms.

Mr. Campbell and Dr. Clark talked to the girls in chapel on Wednesday evening, dividing the hour up between them.

Mrs. Anna M. Sherrard nurse of Puyallup was transferred to Chemawa and arrived and entered upon her duties Monday, vice Miss Harold who was temporarily filling the position.

Eva Ingle who was one of Chemawa's old and reliable pupils died recently at her home in California. She had married Mr. Alma Phillips, and had a comfortable and happy home. Her many friends will be very sorry to hear of Eva's death as she was a great favorite at this school and filled the position of the first assistant in the matron's department, very efficiently.

## An Interrupted Voyage.

It certainly was a voyage interrupted when Mr. Campbell dropped down Eugene Geife and Bob Frank on Monday evening in Portland, when they were to sail the next day before the mast in a tramp Swedish steamer bound for England. These two misguided young men took their future into their own hands and ran away from Uncle Sam's bounty and chance for an education. After working in various places in Northern Oregon and Western Washington they drifted to Portland and when found were reduced to a dime and free lunches at questionable resorts. They were "on their uppers" and a rather forlorn looking pair when returned to the school. They are now "meditating" what they will do with the profits of the months work.

## Our Societies.

The Societies, at their meeting last week showed much improvement in the interest of those present and also in attendance. That is right. Let the good work go on.

The Girls' Band Of Mercy met in the Girls' Home. The society was called to order by the president. As many of the members were absent during the first part of the meeting the program was short.

The Deweys.—In the absence of the president, the vice-president called the meeting to order. Owing to the unsettled condition of the society, Mr. Allen was asked to take the chair for the evening. The first in order was the election of a new president, James Wannassy being elected. There was a spirited discussion on both affirmative and negative sides of the question, Resolved: "That Industrial Training is more beneficial than Literary societies Training." was decided in favor of the negative. While the judges were making their decision, the question was thrown open to the house. Mr. Williams and Mr. Allen spoke upon the subject taking up neither side, but emphasized that no real line of distinction could very well be drawn between the two that both go hand in hand and that both are essential for the upbuilding of man.