

CHEWAWA, OREGON.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

To Keep a True Lent.

Is this a fast—to keep
The ladder lean,
And clean
From fat of veals and sheep?
Is it to quit the dish
Of flesh, yet still
To fill
The platter high with fish?
Is it to fast an hour—
Or ragged to go—
Or show
A showiest bank, and surt?
Not 'tis a fast to dole
Thy meal of wheat,
And meat,
Unto the hungry woe.
It is to fast from strife,
From odd debate
And hate—
To circumscribe thy life,
To show a heart contrite,
To starve thy sin,
Not him;
And that's to keep thy Lent.

—Robt. Herdick.

How High Birds Fly.

A Strasbury assistant says he has seen an eagle at the height of 3,000 yards, and again a pair of storks and a buzzard 900 yards above the sea level. On March 10, 1880, some aeronauts observed a lark flying at a height of 1,000 yards. On July 18, 1888, another balloon met a couple of snaws at an altitude of 1,400 yards. These however, are exceptions. Birds are hardly ever seen above a height of 1,000 yards even above 400 yards they are not frequent.

—Kx.

The Timid Man.

The shrinking man, the man who apologizes for being in the world, who never dares to act independently, but waits for somebody to give him a push or a lift, never gets very far in the world. Modesty is a desirable trait, but a man who is over-modest, who is always getting out of sight and apologizing, is a man whom every body despises, and nobody respects. The world admires the man who dares to look it in the face, who stands erect and defies obstacles.

—[Ex.]

CHEWAWA, ORE.,

FEB. 23, 1902.

TO THE INDIAN WORKERS
OF THE FOURTH DISTRICT:

We have performed our duty and located the Institute at Newport, Oregon. We hope that every school and agency will send a strong delegation to the Institute and that all employees in the District will unite in making it a grand success. Please advise us to probable attendance.

The excellent two months' summer school conducted by the ablest educators of this State and Coast will be a prominent feature at Newport, and one, which, Indian School employees, will no doubt take advantage of.

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