

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Welcome sunshine.

Mrs. Brewer is anxiously well.

Frank Denker is visiting the school.

Commencement next week. Oh, My!

Mrs. Mitchell is a little kinder the weather.

We have had several masses of radishes already.

Dr. A. Hight of Salem visited friends at school Sunday.

The harnessmakers force is rather small in the city-pond.

We believe that Chemawa has the finest garden in the state.

Work on our cement walks has been resumed. That's good.

Thomas Young is getting to be a professional first baseman.

Messrs. Brewer and Teala visited the printing office Monday.

Cherry trees are in full bloom and we have a few of them.

Mr. H. G. Henderson is very proud of his new telephone.

Mrs. Carthou enjoys riding on her wheel these lively days.

Ed Hunter is visiting his brother and sisters at Clatsop.

Lucretia Best left Monday for her home in Washington to recuperate.

Mr. Westley with his force of gardeners are planting potatoes now.

The blacksmiths are finishing the last heavy wagon box of the season.

Mr. Brewer and his detail of boys are putting the yards in excellent order.

The wagonmakers have finished a fine table for the large boys' reading room.

Our hedges this year are doing nicely and add much to the appearance of the school.

If we would be as prompt as John Allen is in reporting to duty we would need no books.

Col. Huber visited the school Wednesday and lectured on the "Independence of

China."

The engineering force are digging a ditch from the industrial building to the main sewer.

The old wood pile has been cleaned up by Mr. Brewer's force and burned in the boiler room.

Henry John is an earnest little worker in the harness shop and is striving to learn his trade.

The blacksmiths have taken a tumble to themselves and moved the lawn north-west of the shop.

The cement sidewalk leading to the Superintendent's cottage has been extended to the girls sidewalk.

The electricians have finished putting in the electric lights in the new Girls' and Industrial buildings.

Jimmie Jack was working faithfully in the carpenter shop this morning making a hammer handle.

It has been deliciously cool all this spring nearly yesterday. How we sympathize with our dear Phoenix friends!

School will continue as usual until the end of June, notwithstanding commencement is held a month earlier.

Adolph Farrow has completed the finest single express harness that has been turned out in the shop for a long time.

We are glad to learn that John Walcott, a former Chemawa pupil, is making such great progress in his athletic work.

Sam and William Williams and Charles Billy have moved the lawn west of the office which adds much to its appearance.

Andrew Plead has purchased a bicycle and does not get much rest as it has already made several flying trips to the city.

The large boys' home is the proud possessor of a beautiful up-to-date reading room which will be kept full of beneficial reading matter.

The printers are prepared to do any kind of job work now as the new paper cutter has arrived and is put up and ready for use.