

Local and Personal.

December, and some are still with us!

Miss Gertrude Drewar is **plighting** for the Choir.

New pupils are arriving by nearly every train.

Already the signs of Christmas are in the air.

One little boy calls it the "Domestic Signs Dept."

Mrs. Westfall has a very cheerful looking school room.

Mr. Wilson is again on duty, but looks a little "peaked" yet.

Simon Jefferson and Ben Garrison have been killed in the tailor apprentices.

A carload of beds came in yesterday to meet the growing needs of our school.

Irene Campbell has resumed her music lessons at the Conservatory of Music in Salem.

Hobert Campbell spent the Thanksgiving vacation with his parents returning to Eugene on Sunday.

Wm. Hodgett has returned to take special lessons in cutting under Mr. Overman's able instruction.

The members of the Prescilla art club under Mrs. Clouffer's instruction are doing some pretty work.

Miss Eva Woods who is attending the Sisters' school in Salem, spent Thanksgiving with her parents at Chemsawa.

Chemsawans, take a look at the advertisements on cover pages and when in Salem, shopping, patronize them.

If pianists will do any good Chemsawa's Band will advance to still a higher class than it has been in in the past.

It poured down rain on Wednesday night but there was a big turnout to hear Mr. Overman's talk on talloring.

Jessie Symington is giving unusual satisfaction as a table waiter at the mess dining room, so quiet, attentive and orderly.

Miss O'Hers was very glad to see Mattie Haller, a pupil of Puppling when Miss O'Hers was an employee at that school.

We are all glad to see Charles Larson back again and the melodious sound of his cornet will soon be heard at Chemsawa.

Lena Young made some beautiful pumpkin and mince pies. If they taste as good as they look we would like to sample them.

Miss Dolson has some good readers in the mixed grade. They read with greater expression than many of the pupils in higher grades.

Who had a taste of those potato chips made by the Domestic sewing girls, under Mrs. Cooper's instruction? They were excellent.

Wasn't Fernin Wilson the cutest thing at the entertainment on Monday? He richly deserved the enthusiastic encore he received.

The matron reports 1420 manufactured articles turned over to her for distribution from the sewing room during the month of November.

Messrs. Calow and Farrow are hard at work between times remodeling Batchelor's Hall for occupation. It will be Batchelor's Hall no longer.

The painters have completed redecorating the kitchen and dining room of the Teachers' club and the rooms now present a cheery appearance.

Our football team will play the Infantry team of Vancouver Barracks on December 13th and the Multnomah Club team of Portland on December 20th.

Tommy Potter made his debut at the monthly entertainment on Monday night. His knees were a little shaky but Tommy spoke out like a little man.

It is a pleasure to go into the First Grade and see the busy interested little people there. Miss Bowman's energy is not wasted as the proficiency of her class proves.

Mr. Cooper went to the bank the other day and not knowing anyone in Salem was identified by telephone. He was described as "tall and looking like a preacher."—"Is he, alright."