

General News.

Isn't it lovely to have examination over with?

Mr. Caisse made a trip to Portland first of the week.

Herbert Campbell returned to Chemawa on Saturday evening.

The tailors are making a nice suit for Dr. C. T. Smith, of Salem.

About 300 little chicks were hatched in the poultry yard this spring.

Miss O'Here has her hands full these days, but is so pleasant about it.

Mrs. Caisse went to Tacoma last Sunday evening on a visit to friends and relatives.

Superintendent Potter was a welcome visitor at choir practices on Wednesday night.

The third grade has just got through taking the 4th grade's examination in arithmetic.

Mr. Wilson and his grade deserves much credit for doing such good work on the lawn by the school building.

Mr. Westly and the gardeners picked about 90 gallons of strawberries Friday afternoon, and will pick again next Tuesday.

Mrs. Cloutier and Mrs. Campbell went to Salem on Saturday morning and made some interesting purchases for Commencement.

A merchant in Salem remarked on Saturday that all of Chemawa must be in town. There were quite a goodly number of us there any way.

School uniforms are occupying the attention of the tailors this week. The goods were late in arriving but the tailors are regaining some of the lost time by their fast work.

Quite a little picnic was held by Chemawans who were waiting for the train in town on Saturday. We sat under the big oak tree by the bridge above the station and had such a lovely time. Mrs. French entertained the whole crowd with some excellent stories.

Work was started on Mr. Henderson's new building last Tuesday.

Mrs. Adam Missler, of Turner, Oregon, made Chemawa a pleasant call on Thursday.

Some boys sneaked out of Sunday School last Sunday morning. Did it make you feel any happier boys, or give you more self-respect?

Gertrude Brewer arrived from Tacoma Wednesday on a visit to her mother. She will preside at the piano during commencement at the Newburg school.

The farmers are building a fence along the railroad near the cemetery. When this piece of fence is completed the entire school grounds will be enclosed by a good, substantial fence.

We had a fine choir rehearsal on Wednesday night. The rich bass of Mr. Cope and Mr. Woods, with the tenor of Mr. Donald Campbell added very much to the sight and harmony of the choir.

Mrs. Hirsch, of Salem, came out on the 5 o'clock train on Sunday to call on Mr. Campbell, and left on the 6. It was entirely too short a visit, and all of Mrs. Hirsch's friends hope she will stay longer next time.

Miss Bowman told us a good story on Sunday morning about two men who were caught in a storm while in a boat and wanted to drop their oars and pray. She showed us why sometimes it is necessary for us to keep on rowing.

Mr. Campbell is much better, and was out on Saturday. Dr. Pierce, our faithful physician, has been unremitting in his care and attention. It is pretty hard to keep sick long when one has such a kind, cheerful doctor in attendance.

Mr. Brunk, of Eda, who is an extensive cattle raiser and dealer, paid the Chemawa herd quite a compliment when he said he had traveled all over the State and nowhere had he ever seen such a fine lot of short-horn cattle, all uniform in color as we have at Chemawa. Our cows and horses are hard to beat and are well taken care of.