

Indian Band.

The Chemawa Indian band entertained a fair sized audience at the Opera House last night, and to say that the hearers were pleased is expressing it mildly. The little dusky fellows under the instruction of Prof. H. N. Stoudenmeyer, handle the most difficult music with ease. It is a peculiar, yet pleasing combination, the American vim and dash on marches and the soft, pathetic music on the classical selections, for which the Latin people are noted. The band has made wonderful progress during the last year and is without question the best on the coast. They were free with encores and readily responded to the hearty recalls.

Oscar L. Norton, the Indian tenor soloist, sang "Only a Soldier Boy," and responded with "Take Me Back to Old Kentucky," and the audience was not satisfied until he appeared for the third time and sang, "Nearer My God to Thee." He has a

splendid voice, of wide range and capable of the most difficult work.

Manuel Robles, the little Filipino mascot of the second Oregon, received a warm welcome with his native solo, "Violetta," and responded with another quaint melody in the same tongue.

Cenon Reyes Fencaliro, another native Filipino, recited "The Flag We Love," in remarkably good English, and was called back.

Superintendent T. W. Potter, of the school, made a few remarks calling attention to the great works being accomplished by the school. He said the present tour of the band was not for the purpose of making money, but to let the people know what the school was doing.

The band certainly deserves crowded houses through the valley. They are a gentlemanly lot of young men and a credit to any institution — Albany Herald.

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