

The oat crop promises a large yield this year. The fall oats and wheat are now turning yellow and will soon be ready to harvest.

The boys all deserve credit for their faithful work in the hay field, among the foremost of whom are Frank Charles, Louis King, Moses Rath, Levi Senter, Joe Larose, Henry Vincent, Fred Blodgett, Wm. Branau and the horse and fork handler, Barney Vincent.

The hay crop is unusually good this year. Clover never was better. The 20 acres in clover will yield about four tons to the acre. Four acres of vetches and rye will go about 10 tons. Twenty acres of timothy and other mixed grasses will range about two tons to the acre. There will also be 10 or 15 tons of grain hay.

The farmers have been clearing more land to add to the farm, which will help in the increase of the different crops for next year. The farmer states that it is his intention to put in more timothy this fall and more clover next spring, and to open more ground for cultivation in the fall and winter. The increase in the dairy herd will demand the increased acreage in hay.

The baseball team and band went to Oregon City Monday morning to attend the Chautauqua. The band will furnish music for the occasion and the ball team are scheduled to play a series of games.

In last Tuesday's ball game at the Chautauqua Chemawa defeated the Woodmen by a score of 21 to 6. Wednesday's game between Schiller and Oregon City stood 12 to 10 in favor of Schiller. Thursday's game, Chemawa 7, Vancouver 6.

C. P. Matthewson, formerly Indian agent at the Omaha and Winnebago reservation, was recently appointed bonded school superintendent of Indian schools upon that reservation. The last Congress failed to appropriate money to pay the salary of an agent at this reservation, and the appointment of Mr. Matthewson as superintendent is the policy generally adopted under similar circumstances.

During the month of June the gardener sent to the school kitchen, 60 bushels of radishes, 201 bushels of lettuce, 187 bushels of green onions, and 547 gallons raw berries, besides various quantities of other vegetables. This being the first year that the straw berry plants have been in bearing they did not make as good a showing as they will do in future. From July 1st, to July 14th, the kitchen received from the garden, 200 gal. raspberries, 26 bushels turnips, 20 bushels of lettuce and 18 bushels of new potatoes.

The dairyman's report for the last quarter shows that seven cows and six calves have been added to the herd during the last quarter, making a total of 30 head. This is, probably without a single exception, the finest herd of cows in Oregon and some of the most prominent stockmen on the coast who have visited the dairy department have expressed their admiration in glowing terms of the fine stock. The cows are all graded and thoroughbred Durhams. Mr. Godwin may well feel proud of his department.

Chautauqua is annually held in a beautiful place near Oregon City, and not so very far from Portland, called Gladstone Park. For a past number of years Chemawa has always looked forward to this and, of course the directors of Chautauqua have always been anxious for the Chemawa people to be present, especially the band and baseball boys. But how would the boys feel without Mr. Brewer? He has been there as many times as the boys have and certainly knows how to care for them. No one thought that he would be present to take charge until a telegram came announcing that he would and then the boys felt better. We were all glad to know that Mr. Brewer so kindly consented to be present at Chautauqua and to lend his valuable assistance in performing our part of the work there. Being there so many times he knows the workings of it all and that this way his services are so valuable. Chemawa wishes to thank Mr. Brewer in no small measure and hope in the future his genial face will be seen among the many present at the Park.