

News of The Week.

The boys have started drilling.

Mr. Hilb spent Sunday at the metropolis.

Rev. St. Piere conducted services in the chapel Sunday evening.

The garden boys are digging potatoes this week. About 20 acres remain to be dug.

A number of our people went to see "Sis Hopkins" at the opera house in Salem, Thursday evening.

Johnny Benson and Joseph Lane were fixing the windows in the printing office Wednesday morning.

The boys and girls of Miss Miller's grade can be heard practising a song these days and it sounds very well.

The boys and girls from Siskiyou County, Cal., express themselves as being well satisfied with Chemawa.

Edward Sam writes that he is employed at the Fort Simcoe school as teamster. He desires the AMERICAN sent to him.

Fay Charles and Edith Dedrick arrived last Friday evening, and their friends were all very glad to see them back.

Henry Davenport and Bishby Lawson returned to school on Monday evening. They have been at Siletz visiting their friends.

Mrs. W. R. Hunt, of San Francisco, and Mrs. R. Haller, of Siletz, were visiting their friend, Mrs. Williams, at Chemawa last Tuesday.

Alice Williams surprised her friends by her fine debating Monday night in the Nonpareil Society. She gave some excellent arguments in favor of "city life."

Albert Payne a former Chemawa boy, played with the Ilwaco football team against Astoria recently, the score being 30 to 0 for Ilwaco. The papers, in mentioning the game, speak very highly of lbert's playing as a fullback.

Herbert Campbell saw Mr. Brewer at the football game in Seattle Saturday. Mr. Brewer is looking very well and evinces his old time interests in ball games.

Recently, while examining the prune trees, Mr. Westly discovered that some of them were wormy about the roots. A large force of boys were at once put to work with knives digging them out and the work will continue until the worms are entirely exterminated.

Mrs. Campbell brought home some beautiful Indian baskets which she bought from the Indians of Siskiyou County, California. These Indians are expert basket makers and should be encouraged in their work. They are poor and can find little work to do.

In a letter to Mr. Hilb, M. L. Scott, at one time blacksmith at Chemawa, states that he has opened a blacksmith shop of his own at Fort Klamath and is building himself a new residence. He recently returned from a ten days hunt, during which time he killed six deer.

In the childrens' dining room, during the past week, the table girls have all done well, the difference in appearance of the tables being so little that it is hard to say which has been best. The following tables have not failed once to be done up on time: One and two, five and six, first row, five and six, second row. The hospital girls also deserve great credit for the neat work done in the hospital kitchen.

The stage going from the Fort to Yreka met with an accident Sunday morning, in which fortunately none were seriously hurt. In descending the mountain on the Yreka side, the brake refused to work and at the turn near Hold-up Rock the stage upset. The passengers were almost all Indian youths on their way to the Chemawa school. Only two were hurt, Sam Gardner who parted with some epidermis from his face and whose shoulder was wrenched, and Mr. Graves who received in the face a slight cut.—Fort Jones (Cal.) Farmer.