

## The Chemawa American

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Are you a novel reader? Those who are continually reading cheap novels lack concentration and application.

"When you work, work hard; when you play, play hard", said our President. Do not waste your energy; do not be sluggish, but be energetic and quick in everything that you do.

"Willful wastes makes woeful want." That boy who deliberately destroys anything aside, from the property loss, is forming habits that will stick to him through life to his great disadvantage and detriment.

Question for the Farm boys to answer. Which is easier on the horses—Four thousand pounds of freight on the wagon, or a load of three thousand pounds of freight and fifteen hundred pounds of boys?

It is a great thing, that the line to Chemawa is paying so well. It will induce the owners of the road to make still larger investments here. They are preparing other plans now. Nothing succeeds like success.—Salem Statesman.

The band is continuing its hard practicing, and those who have heard them say that the improvement in the last few days is very marked. Weather permitting the band will give its first concert on Sunday at three o'clock.

Mr Henry Sicade of Tacoma is a man of means and of exceptional business ability. Mr. Sicade is a Puyallup Indian and received his education at Chemawa before the school was moved from Forest Grove. He was one of the first pupils of the school.

Frank Carson, who was one of Chemawa's early pupils, is now living at Toledo, Oregon and his blacksmith shop is as well equipped as any in Western Oregon and he has a very large list of customers. He cares for nearly all of the work to be done in that vicinity. In a few days his two daughters will be enrolled as pupils of Chemawa.

Mr. W. H. Lewis of Wrangle, Alaska arrived at the school yesterday. Mr. Lewis was one of the first pupils of the school, graduating in its first graduating class in the year 1885. Both he and his wife were members of the class. Mrs. Lewis was a Snonomish Indian from Washington. Mr. Lewis' present home is at Wrangle, where he is in business. He was very much surprised at the Chemawa of to-day.

The printer boys appeal to all loyal Chemawans to send in the news. We want to give you the news up-to-date, and in order to do this, we must have the co-operation of everybody. Write news; get out of a rut. The pupils' items that came over from the school house this week contained 117 items, which treated only of three subjects. Don't all think of the same thing, but try to write some news that nobody else will think of. The head of departments must not feel badly if there is no news concerning their department. Send in good live news, and we will print it.