

BREVITIES

John Peazzoni will be with us in a few days.

Mrs. M. Moran spent several days at the school this week.

Haynes Bateman writes for transportation from Fort Jones, Cal.

The farmers were glad to see a new mower delivered to the Commissary this week.

Mr. Cooper who has been sick for the past week is improving and will soon be back to his duty.

Our new engineer Mr. Moran is getting every thing in splended condition in the power house.

The turkey and the necessary accompaniments, such as cranberries, etc., have been ordered by the office for Chemawa's students.

We were sorry to learn of little Henry Matthews' death. Henry returned home with his mother a short time ago. He was a good boy and a general favorite.

We are glad to hear words of praise from Fortunato Jayme's teacher at Willamette University, but then, it is only what we expect to hear of our Chemawa graduates.

Miss Fannie Newcomb returned to Chemawa from California last week. That Miss Newcomb has gained eight pounds in a week speaks volumes for Chemawa's climate.

Mr. Brewer sent a funny post card to Mr. Campbell from Castle Rock. It had on it the picture of a calf on a piece of fly paper and said "I'm stuck on this place." In view of the fact that Mr. Brewer was detained there by the flood, every body laughed at the card.

On account of her health Miss Frances Newcomb has been obliged to give up her studies at San Jose, California Normal School and has returned to Chemawa to be with her mother.

The girls in the Small Girls' home have organized a branch of the Y. W. C. A. The officers are: President, Belle Dillstrom; Vice President, Ella Fleming; Secretary, Helen Dillstrom; Treasurer, Nellie Shepard.

We enjoyed the talk of Miss Kauffman on Sunday night. She came to the school with the Rev. Mr. Winan, and talked to us of China and mission work there. She lived in China five years at a mission school and her account of her work was very interesting.

Mrs. Hilb's many friends at Chemawa were surprised to see her step off the train the other day from the South. She has accepted a matroncy position at Pullup School, but stopped off enroute to her new position. She reports Mr. Hilb enjoying life at Los Angeles.

Superintendent Chalcraft after visiting Lapwai and sending a party of children to the school from there intended to go to Yakima country. At this writing it is hard to tell where he is as all communication between eastern Washington and Chemawa is cut off by the unprecedented flood of the present time.

The small boys display considerable talent in the evening entertainments which they have once a week in their sitting room. The program consists of recitations, vocal and instrumental music, reading and athletic feats. Henry Darnell is a favorite soloist. The Indian songs by Wilbur Martin and William Morgan are always appreciated. At our next entertainment we will have a spelling match.