

## LOCALS

Miss Ethel Parrish was a Sunday visitor at Chemawa.

The cinder path to the new bakery is a great improvement.

Miss Brown is the manager of the employes cafe this month.

Quite a number of Chemawans were in town shopping Saturday.

How many pupils can repeat the salute to the flag correctly?

Who is going to get the prize for the best Indian legend? Let every body try.

We hear that Miss Irene Campbell is making very good music on the mandolin.

Sam McCush, who has been suffering from a sprained hand, is back to school again.

A car load of oats and a car load of soap arrived last week for our use at the school.

Les Evans returned to school last Friday bringing with him his brother Edward, from Siletz.

Mike Telkie arrived at the school last Friday. Mike comes from the northern part of the Colville Reservation.

In the language of mother goose we are having "misty, moisty weather." It is a trifle cold, but when one's nose the Oregon rains are never noticed. The native Oregonian prefers rain to any other weather,—especially slushy snow and ice.

Sarah Peirce returned last week in order to take a post graduate course in nursing. She brought with her a brother of Ben Moore, from Happy Camp.

Arthur Bell arrived last week from Siletz. Arthur is a brother of Chester who was a pupil of Chemawa some years ago.

No Mr. Santa Claws, we do not want you to come to Chemawa in an automobile. We insist upon the old time sleigh and reindeers.

Everybody is busy getting ready for Christmas. The odor of mince meat and fruit cake is plainly in evidence. Now look out for Santa Claws.

We note in the Native American that away down south in sunny Arizona they are talking about early frost and the brilliant hues that the trees have assumed.

Thos. Mullings is practicing some new songs. He will be able to please his friends with his singing if he learns them well, as he has a very true voice, and enjoys singing.

Two little girls, Ruth Liphart and Alice McPherson, are studying music under Miss Dohse. Faithfulness in practicing will decide who will be ahead at the end of the year.

From a letter received from Mr. Brewer, who is at his home in Tacoma, we are glad to know that he is improving in health and will be back and on duty by the first of the New Year.

The work on Chemawa's new hospital is rapidly nearing completion. The carpenter and plastering work is virtually done, and the painters and plumbers have the finishing touches to put on before the work will be completely done and the building turned over for our use. It is a handsome structure and with a trained nurse and a resident physician, Chemawa will be equipped to take care of those who are indisposed.