

## Athletics

Just one week prior the OAC girls were defeated by the girls from Chemawa 21 to 4. Last night the tables were turned and in a game that greatly surprised the OAC supporters, Chemawa was defeated, by the team they had previously vanquished, by the score of 9 to 6.

Chemawa's fast team was simply lost on our floor and although they had many splendid opportunities they could not roll up the score. Both teams were evenly matched and the game was hard fought throughout.

The game was a little rough at times, both teams being very anxious to win. Seventeen fouls were called, nine on Chemawa, and eight on OAC. Two baskets were thrown by Chemawa in the first half and one in the second. OAC threw three baskets in the first half but was unable to throw any in the second. Two points were made by OAC on fouls and one extra point was awarded them by the umpire.

The Indian girls played good consistent ball as did the OAC team. For Chemawa the work of their guards is especially commendable. They were always with their opponents and caused them no little worry. Their forwards only permitted the OAC team to throw three baskets.

### Line up.

O. A. C.		Chemawa
Moore	C.	N. Mann
Edwards	F.	Souvier
Harrington	F.	Henry
Scoggin	G.	H. Mann
Starr.	G.	Edwards
Subs, Pablo, Harnden.		

The Chemawa girls were accompanied by Miss Mann, Mr. Poland, Coach, and

Miss Campbell, chaperon and manager.  
—O. A. C. Barometer.

James Finley is getting to be good five-mile runner and we hope he will make good.

The engineers are now wondering when the blacksmiths are going to play that game of basketball with them.

George Horne is training for the five-mile relay race. He says he will try to be in the race if he makes good time.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team of Chemawa will go to Portland Saturday to play a game with the Albina team.

### DISPATCHES.

SILVER LAKE, OR., March 13.—A. A. Dorris, Klamath Marsh cattie man, was in Silver Lake on business early this week. He reports that many Indians are dying on the Klamath Reservation, there having been six funerals in one week recently, and in all about 50 have died this winter, quite a large percentage out of 1000, which is about the number of Indians on this reservation.—Portland Telegram.

Washington, March 17.—In an effort to afford greater protection to the American bison which is rapidly becoming extinct, Senator Dixon today introduced a bill proposing the purchase of 20 square miles of land, now a part of the Flathead Indian reservation in Montana. The American Bison Society promises to place a head of pure stock on the track for breeding purposes. The bill provides for an appropriation of \$40,000, \$30,000 to be paid the Indians as an indemnity, and \$10,000 to be used in the construction of a fence. The last census showed 2,047 bison in existence, 1,720 of which are in captivity.—Ex.