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WHY MANY FAIL.

Boys and girls of Chemawa, do not let people point to you as "failures." The expression is common that "so and so is a failure" in life. Of course the unexpected may happen and give the appearance of failure to what will ultimately prove a success. Of such cases we are not speaking, but of what is promised by the conduct the youngsters who come under our notice day by day.

The boy or girl who "does things," shows energy, ambition, the right spirit in whatever position he or she may be placed, will grow to be men and women respected by all and a credit to themselves as certainly as night follows the day. But the youngster who is always tardy and slow in starting whatever task is allotted him, or who shirks all he can when face to face with duty, bids fair to develop into nothing worth while and in all probability will never rise to be anything but a drone among his fellows.

The opportunity is offered everyone to be honest, to be industrious, to a

credit to himself—it is an inheritance to be accepted or cast aside. He who accepts it is wise, but he who refuses the gift is a fool and his life can serve no better purpose than to illustrate to others the folly of such a course.

LOCALS

Mrs. Moran's father dropped off at Chemawa this week for a short visit.

The first baseball game of the season will be played tomorrow when the Chemawa team will cross bats with the Salem High on our diamond at 3 p. m.

Miss Caroline P. Koester, of San Bernardino, Cal., has arrived and entered upon her duties as clerk at Chemawa, vice Miss Frances Howard, who was filling the position temporarily.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. S. E. Kuhn, the mother of Mr. Mann, reached the school on the 21st. Mrs. Kuhn's home was at Bonanza, Oregon, but she was visiting her daughters at Florence, Or., when she was taken suddenly sick. The remains were brought to Salem and interred in the I. O. O. F. cemetery on Thursday of this week. Many of the employes and pupils attended the funeral. The floral offerings were many.

CARD OF THANKS.

To those who so kindly assisted us during our sad bereavement and in the burial of our mother, Mrs. S. E. Kuhn, we desire to extend our heart-felt thanks.

H. E. MANN,
MRS. GRACE DRISCOLL,
MRS. MAUD POOL.