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### OUR GROUNDS.

Chemawa's lawn is now a tower of beauty. From one end to the other it is covered with a profusion of rose blooms. This is a condition which prevails the year round, so great and varied is our collection of roses. Chemawa has several thousand choice roses that will bloom from now until 1909 is heralded into being. More than 100 different varieties among them is found the following:

Caroline Testout, Safrano, LaFrance, Papa Gontier, Duchess DeBrabant, Perle des Jardins, Rainbow, Gloire DeLyonnaise, Paul Neyron, Pink Maman Cochet, American Beauty, Madam Gabriel Luizet, Sunset, Bon Silene, Homer, Improved Homer, Marie Van Houtte, President Carnot, Grover Cleveland, Jean LeBund, John Keyes, Ruby Gold, Madam Philip Kuntz, Madam De St. Joseph, Devonensis, Liberty, Hermosa, LeVele 'Ore, Marechal Neil, Reine Marie Henrietta, William A. Richardson, Niphetic, La Marque, Ramblers, Cloth of Gold, Gold of Ophir, Glory of Blazenwood and White Maman Cochet.

### STEREOPTICON LECTURE

Last Tuesday evening Mr. Hatt of Salem favored the student body with a stereopticon lecture in the school chapel which was quite interesting; it also gave us a faint idea of the Oriental countries. The initial view was that of the song, "Doxology," which was followed by different views of steamships and the Pacific Ocean from San Francisco to China. Then view after view gave us a little idea of the queer customs of the Chinese people. Some of them were rather pitiful scenes, especially the one about a chinaman who had formed a habit of smoking opium. He being a wealthy gentleman when he began smoking the deadly stuff, but in a course of a few years his health being ruined, he died without money. The closing number of the program was the song, "America." The student body was well pleased and thanked Mr. Hatt for giving us the lecture.

### Academic

We are all very glad to see Agnes Driscoll enter our class. We all wish her success.

Thos. McCully is teaching reading and spelling to the Fifth Normal this week.

The Juniors sang a few songs last Tuesday morning.

Hugh Jackson is now janitor in the academic building.

Mrs. Campbell, principal teacher, gave a few lessons in elocution to the pupils of the sixth normal grade.

Miller Collins, an ex-Chemawa student visited the school, having arrived from Portland yesterday morning and left here this morning.