

PUPILS' ITEMS

John Swartz is visiting his father, this week.

Violet Bourner has gone to her home in Eastern Oregon.

Most all the classes have finished their examinations this week.

Mr. Van Tassel measured some of the wood in the wood yard on Tuesday.

Mr. Westley and his gardeners are very busy this week cultivating the corn.

A number of the pupils were in Salem on Saturday, the last day of the Cherry Fair.

The details of the sewing room, dining hall and laundry changed on Monday of this week.

Mr. Swartz was given an extra large force of boys this week on account of the haying.

Thomas Case, Oscar Case and Alfred Lott left Chemawa on Saturday last for their homes in Alaska.

Joe Charles and Milton George are the cooks for the band and ball team at chautauqua this year.

Galucia Nelson and Buford Spencer left on Monday for the ranches of Messrs. Long and Ford, where they will work at haying.

Mr. Swartz has started the haying season at Chemawa and the first field to get a taste of the mower's cycle was that behind the bakery.

A new dish-washing machine is being installed in the dining hall this week.

It will be run by electricity and will be a great help to the girls, who in the past have washed all dishes by hand.

There was great hurrying around the grounds on Monday when the band and baseball team were preparing to leave in the afternoon of that day for Gladstone Park, Oregon, where they will furnish music and sport for the Willamette Valley Chautauqua, an annual event held at that place.

CUTTING TABLE CLIPPINGS.

Three years ago, on the 9th day of July, 1907, Alex Cajete arrived at Chemawa and entered the tailor shop and became a member of the school band, immediately identifying himself with that organization of the school. And from that time until the present he has been prominent in all the features of our school life. We regret that he leaves us to go to Chautauqua with the band, but our loss is a gain for our musical organization. For he can blow some on his clarinet.

The band boys are very fortunate in being able to attend this annual gathering at Gladstone Park, as its educational features are very helpful to any boy looking for help of this kind. It would be a very good idea for each to provide himself with paper and pencil and write his impressions of each lecture and lecturer, that he listens to and send the results to the Chemawa American for publication. It will be a great help to the boy because he will impress upon his mind ideas that present themselves, and preparing an article will make those impressions permanent and become a benefit in many ways.

The tailor shop hopes that each one of its apprentices will furnish a news letter each day, and as we have three bright members in the party we look for some results.

TAILOR SHOP.