

LOCALS

Willie Bains is now in charge of the bears and their quarters.

Mrs. Saunders has been enjoying her annual vacation this month.

Nine new pupils from Ft. Shaw, Montana, were enrolled last week.

David Rabbi, a former pupil of Chemawa, returned to school on Saturday.

Harry Jones, of this year's graduating class, is employed in Portland at present.

The gardeners have whitewashed all of the young fruit trees since the last issue.

Fred Bain, Frank Patrovitch and Fred Grant have been working on a ranch near Waconda.

Messrs. Frye and Swaboda and their families have returned from "Newport by the Pacific."

Mr. Herbert J. Campbell came up from Portland recently for a visit with the "home folk."

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Henderson have just arrived home from an outing at Wilhoit Springs.

The farmers baled hay down at the Jones ranch last week and are now baling at the Mudge place.

Two carloads of freight were hauled to the commissary last week by a force of boys under Mr. Saunders.

Of late Ed. Ainsworth has been working at plumbing in Salem, his employer being Mr. Theodore M. Barr.

The apples are so abundant this year that the pupils have them three times a day. The pears are plentiful also.

Dr. Fulkerson, wife and child, have been absent recently. They are spending their vacation in Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. Westley has given out the information that the prune and drying season will begin on about the 26th of this month.

Hon. S. M. Brossius, Washington, D. C., representative of the Indian Rights Association, made a visit to Chemawa last week.

Information has been received to the effect that Misses Dollie Case, Mary Loftus and Eleanor Lynch all reached their home in Wrangell, Alaska, without mishap and are having a good time with relatives and friends.

We acknowledge the courtesy of Dr. Buchanan, Superintendent of Tulalip Indian School, in sending us the various programs of their commencement. The musical and literary programs were of unusual merit; the drama, "Hiawatha," must have been interesting; the sports exciting; but we expect that the "Water Carnival" eclipsed all the other features.

Mr. F. W. Dudley, father of Mrs. Thos. Gordon whose husband was at one time an employe at Chemawa, visited us recently. He is a very pleasant gentleman and we were all glad that he stopped over to see the school. His home is in Cheyenne and he was traveling that way after having visited New York, New Orleans and Los Angeles in turn.

Washington, Aug. 15.—It was decided that profits accruing to the government from the sale of timber upon Indian lands shall be applied to the enlargement and betterment of the present system of government schools.