



LOCALS

New pupils are beginning to arrive now and old ones are returning also.

Many Chemawa people attended Barnum and Bailey's circus in Salem on August 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Fickle and Mrs. Stevenson returned to Chemawa on Aug. 27, from Newport where they spent their annual outing.

Before leaving for the hop yards the boys sawed, split and stacked as much wood as would be needed in the school during their absence.

Miss Alice Chalcraft and Mr. Larsen have been furnishing the music for Sunday school and chapel service, and Miss Dohse playing the marches.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders returned to school on the 27 of August from Newport where they spent a few days' outing and reported having had a good time.

Two crowds of boys are out camping now. One is at Jones' yard and one at Yerk's. The kitchen and dairy boys go out every morning and pick until it is time to return to the school to do their work.

Before the prune picking and drying season began, the gardeners picked and stored away in the root house, all of the bartlett pears. The pear crop is very large this year there being about 250 bushels.

The Sunday before leaving for the hop fields, the pupils heard an excellent sermon delivered in the chapel by Mr. Goode, a friend of Chemawa, and who, about five years ago, conducted the Sunday services here.

All of the August vacationers have returned, and now the September ones are enjoying theirs.

Mr. Ben Harris after spending several days' visit here with us left on the 6th instant for his home at Eureka, Calif., taking with him his son and daughter, Dewey and Olive, also Caroline Wright and Harry Stone.

While at Perdue, Ore., out hunting with his father last month, Eddie Mann killed a deer. Mr. Mann killed four. Mr. Van Tassell was with the party, but failed to report the number of games he shot and missed.

Misses Gertrude, Sara and Ruth returned to school with their mother, Mrs. Brewer, on the 24th ult., from their home at Puyallup, Wash., where Mrs. Brewer spent her annual vacation. Sara will attend Salem high school, being her second year.

Mr. Westley reports that there are about 250 bushels of pears, 1,500 bushels of apples and 1,000 bushels of prunes gathered from the Chemawa orchard this year. Our fruit crop this year is very poor, owing to the unfavorable weather during spring.

Mr. Ruthyn Turney is now spending his vacation in California where he has engagements to give concerts at several places during this time. Chemawa is very fortunate for having Mr. Turney in its roll of employes for beside he is a very capable printer, he is also a well reputed artist and the boys and girls of Chemawa are afforded the best opportunity to learn orchestral instruments under an able instructor. This coming school year he plans to have a string quartet and also a mandolin club. Last year we enjoyed his music entertainments and this year we expect to hear them again.