

LOCALS

Miss Juana Holmes, of Portland, has been the guest of Miss Skipton during the week.

Now that we have a rod and gun club we shall soon become used to the smell of burned powder. Probably the price of "blue rocks" will advance now. It will be lots of fun, anyway.

James Minesinger returned to Chemawa a few days ago from Sherman county, Oregon. He has been away about two years, during a part of which period he worked at blacksmithing.

Maude Lowry arrived at the school yesterday morning from her home in Greenville, Calif. Maude has been home for more than a year and her friends at Chemawa are delighted to have her return.

At the meeting of the Chemawa "mess," called on Tuesday evening, Miss Faris was chosen for manager during December, to succeed Miss Troutman, who watched over the destinies of the "mess" during November.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders attended the presentation of a musical comedy, "The Kissing Girl," in Salem on Monday evening. They reported a small attendance at the play and nothing startling about the attraction.

Haines DeWitt, having completed the house for Mr. Joseph Teabo, in Grande Ronde, returned to Chemawa on Monday. Haines expects to leave shortly for his home in Klawack, Alaska, where he has assurance of lots of work at his trade.

Henry Darnell, of the senior class, gave

the Monday morning chapel talk. His subject, "A Plant Wonder" related to the cactus which Burbank, of California, has made possible for use. The talk, which was well delivered, was an agreeable and interesting one.

Tomorrow will be the date of the last game of football for Chemawa this season. The best of the brawn and brains of the Chemawa Reds and Winged Cs will be in competition for gridiron honors. It will be a contest well worth seeing. Let's all be there. Both teams are confident. Who will get the laurel wreath?

Employees of the school, and others, met Nov. 29 and organized the "Chemawa Rod and Gun Club." Reuben Saunders was elected President and Dr. C. D. Fulkerson Secretary and Treasurer. There will be a "shoot" Dec. 3. The following gentlemen are charter members of the Club: Van Tassel, Mann, Fickle, Fulkerson, Mitchell, Teabo, P. Chalcraft, Campbell, Doherty, Mudge, Carrow and Saunders.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN'S STOVE

In 1742, Benjamin Franklin constructed what may be considered the first stove. As a matter of fact it was more a modification of the old fire places which were in use before that time, but it was the beginning of all the heating apparatus which we have today. In the first place, it was a portable affair and had the advantages of being moved into any room where the heat was desired.

When the old Philadelphians had company they could, with little trouble, open up the best room in the house and carry the stove into it, instead of sitting around the fireplace in the everybody living rooms. Furthermore, this new stove of Franklin's would give more heat and burn less fuel because the fresh air admitted to it was warmed in entering. It was an open stove with andirons, upon which the fuel rested, very much like the old-time heating devices.—Boston Courier.