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The boy who quits a job because the work is too hard and makes him tired is no good, and will some day be hitting the road making occasional stopovers at kitchen doors, asking for a "bite to eat" and permission to sleep in somebody's barn. Life beyond the school grounds is not made up of sociables and easy half-day jobs, and the young man who would succeed must prepare for a hard all-day struggle with Mr. Toil. The Young-Man-Afraid-of-the-Pitchfork will not do. The Old-Man-in-the-Tower saw an example that will illustrate the case, a few days ago. Two strong, able bodied young men, known as tramps, called at two different places on the school grounds for something to eat. Probably they told pitiful tales of their search for employment, but at the same time, there is a big demand for men all through the valley. The truth of the matter was that they were too lazy to freeze on to the business end of a pitchfork.

Haskell Institute is enjoying a period of prosperity as far as new buildings are concerned. Haskell is the most favorably located of any school in the service, being in the midst of several Indian reservations, and under the able management of Supt. Peairs has accomplished and will continue to accomplish great good for the Indian.

Intelligence has been received of the death of Mathiew Seattle, grandson of Chief Seattle after whom the city of Seattle was named. He was a young man of ability and intelligence and would have some day made a mark in the world had death not called him hence.

From present indications the Indian Institute to be held at Tacoma will be well attended. Chemawa will be represented by a large delegation if all go who have signified their intention of attending. A good live program has been provided and those who pay heed and go with the intention of study as well as pleasure, will derive good from the gathering.

The Carlisle Indian school band is filling an engagement at the Pan-American Exposition. The band is in excellent shape and among its members are some of the leading musicians of the United States. Among others we notice Mr. Moses Shongo a cornetist of ability who was a few years since an employe at Chemawa.

Several complaints by letter has been received from subscribers as to why they have not received their paper. The fact that we have not been publishing for two months we trust will be an acceptable excuse. In the future if you do not receive your paper regularly, drop us a postal card and the over-sight will be remedied.

For almost two months the AMERICAN has been having a vacation and it will now again make its appearance at weekly intervals. At the close of the school year, it was announced that its appearance would be in a new form and we have endeavored to make the improvement which will be added from time to time, in quality and quantity.