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LOYALTY

During a recent chapel service Supt. Hall addressed the students on the subject of "Loyalty" and his remarks seemed so pertinent to us that we are glad to be allowed to publish them. The fabric of "Loyalty" begins at the cradle and ends with the grave. Without "Loyalty" there is no real friendship, no family love and pride, no national patriotism, and life itself would be lacking one of the noblest sentiments of humanity. Among other things Supt. Hall said:

It is well for our students to become so thoroughly saturated with the understanding of loyalty to the best that is in themselves, as well as to their school, that they not only show it in their actions but live it. An institution can be likened to a big business or corporation, for without every cog fitting in its place there is more or less inharmony and a consequent lessening of efficiency, and without efficiency in all departments the students are not securing that for which the school stands. If you are hired by a man or company you are expected to put forth your best efforts and work for his or their best interests and stand by him or them. Just so in your school work. This great government will have invested in each student by the time he graduates something like \$3,000 in money, actually paid out for current expenses. Don't you think each student should have sufficient self-respect and loyalty to show his appreciation by doing his very best toward earning this money—in striving to get all he can of the wonderful advantages offered here?

I think if I was hired by a man and accepted his money, I would work for him loyally, I would give every bit of my service working for his interests. This is what this great U. S. Government expects of the students of this school, to do efficient work, to secure an education which is handed them and thereby make the investment a profitable one for the Government, as well as for the student, to make good citizens, which cannot be done without an education. Whenever you hear a student speak disparagingly of his school, of which he is a part, put it down then and there that he is speaking against himself. So long as you are a part of a school, a firm or corporation, stand

up for its interests, for its ideals; one can hardly imagine a person speaking disloyally of an institution or concern to which they belong and from which they secure so much. I think no one would do this if they realized that they are one of the little cogs which make the institution. So if the school or institution is wrong they are wrong. Loyalty, all things considered, is of more value than any other quality toward the success of any concern; it cannot harm and always strengthens the institution, as well as the individual.

My thought in this little "sermonette" is that the propensity of people to condemn or criticize that which gives them bread and butter needs to be educated out of itself and that we can reasonably demand honest, efficient, loyal application from every one connected with our school. As the attitude of the student is today toward his school, it will be tomorrow toward his Government.

THE SANDWICH

Lord Sandwich, who died, and the ham sandwich, and the sandwich men on the street, and Sandwich, Mass., are all bound up together, observes the Boston Transcript. The papers already have told how the sandwich, an article of food, got its name from the fourth Earl Sandwich, because he was such an inveterate card player that he could not take time to eat his meals and when at the card table had bread brought to him with meat between the slices. But Lord Sandwich was called Lord Sandwich because the first Earl Sandwich, back in 1660, chose to take his title from the ancient town of Sandwich, in Kent.

When some people came to New England in 1639 and started a village down on the cape near the sea, they bethought themselves of Sandwich in old England which lay just that way and called their village Sandwich.

That accounts for Sandwich and Lord Sandwich and the sandwiches. And the sandwich man is just a poor wretch with an advertising board hung on each side of him, the human meat (or bone) in the middle, just as it was in Lord Sandwich's hasty meal at the card table. So all the sandwiches are present and account for.