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Think twice before you speak once.
The smartest people in the world do more
thinking than talking.

In order to have success it is necessary
for all to pull together. This is important
in an Indian School as elsewhere.

Don't be crowded out. Those depart-
ments who fail to give the news to the
man-in-the-tower can't expect to be re-
membered in the columns of the Ameri-
can.

March out of chapel orderly, boys and
girls. Keep step and time with the music.
Boys, don't slouch." Hold up your
heads. Keep your shoulders back and
learn how to walk like a man.

A street car line these days would be a
great convenience to the school and a pay-
ing investment for the car company. We
venture the assertion that should the line
be extended from the Fair Grounds to the
school that it would be the best paying
line in Salem.

When it is known that our Printer force of
Indian boys is composed entirely of "devils"
we know that our readers will forgive any
typographical errors which may appear in
these columns. We do not always expect
to be in the above class, so please be pa-
tient with us.

Never say I can't, but say, I'll try.

The question has been asked how many
boys and girls are subscribers to the Ameri-
can? Ask yourself the question, Am I a
subscriber? If not, subscribe. There is
nothing in the columns of the American
that will hurt you and you may see some-
thing that will be very helpful to you.

Boys and girls there are two things that
you must cultivate if you want to be happy.
A contented mind and a thankful heart.
This is a bit of advice that Rev. Mr. Bur-
dett gave us in his talk on Thanksgiving
day, and it impressed itself indelibly upon
the minds of his listeners. It is the key
note to happiness.

Boys and girls when you go to the assem-
bly room on Sunday morning bear in
mind that you are there for the purpose of
worshiping God and hearing his word.
Conduct yourselves accordingly. If there
are a few so ignorant as not to know how
to behave in Sunday School, by your exam-
ple teach them.

Our young men and women should not
forget to keep ever before them the idea
that their education is mainly an Indus-
trial one. That they are striving to fit
themselves to make a success in life and
that they can not do this without some
good Industrial vocation. Learn to labor
and to stick-to-it. That is what will win.

Be careful boys and girls in the use of
good English. Cultivate the habit of us-
ing nothing but the best at all times.
Never use slang. The other day we asked
a boy to carry a box to the girls' quarters.
He asked, Shall I "pack" that? Again a
boy is scolded and should he tell another
boy about it, he frequently says, I was
"Jobbed" for doing that. We might give
many more examples, but the above is
enough. Don't do it. Cultivate the habit
now of using clean and pure English.