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The Industrial Problem.

"There is no good Indian, but a working Indian" is the motto adopted by the Industrial Department of our National Association. But how to make every Indian work and how to find the opportunity and the means of the means to fit, are problems which may well engage the attention of every thoughtful friend the Indian has. Indeed, the industrial problem, is the fundamental one, for honest, profitable labor serves both body and soul.—[The Indian Friend.]

"There is no good man, but a working man" would be a wider application of the same true principle. Work elevates, lifts, and sustains.

The Record acknowledges the receipt of a handsome announcement of the 15th commencement of the Indian Industrial School, Carlisle, Pa., to be held on the 19th, 21st and 23rd, inst. It is in the form of a four-page booklet, with purple cover, on which is the following, printed in white ink, the two sides matted, representing the class colors: "Carlisle Indian School Commencement, 1902."

It contains the names of the members of the graduating class—there were 13 in number — a halftone picture of the class in

group form, the program of exercises, a few points on the history and purpose of the school, statistical information, and the evening song, "God Bless Them Who Help Themselves," is the school motto, and "Not at the Summit, but on the Way," the class motto. Enclosed is the booklet in a separate sheet containing announcements for commencement week, and the printing of both was performed by the Indian apprentices, some of whom belong to the graduating class. The workmanship is excellent and demonstrates skillful instruction in the printing department.

The institution is now in its twenty-fourth year, having been opened for the reception of inmates October, 30, 1878. The main purpose of the school is, and always has been, to give the Indian Youth the ability and courage to enter the business world and to take care of themselves individually. The Board returns thanks to Col. H. K. Pratt, Superintendent, whose compliments accompany the booklet and expresses to him, ever-faithful services to his office in support helpful instruction to those of the Indian race.—[Reformatory Record.]

Don't wait for opportunities, seek them.—[T.E.]

Work has been commenced on the 1500 brick dormitory at the United States Indian Training School near this city; there is a growing institution, and there are already about 700 persons on the ground, students and officers.—[Heraldman.]

Applegate Will Remain.

Washington, March 5.—Deputy Commissioner Williamson and ex-Superintendent Howland today at the Indian office were told the bonded superintendent at the Klappan reservation. Both were told that at the end of the year Agent Applegate would be continued in charge of the agency, only his title will be changed to agent to Superintendent. The salary will be the same as before.