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### Smile Whenever You Can

Whenever things don't go to suit you,

And the world seems upside down,

Don't waste your time in fretting,

But drive away that frown:

Since life is oft perplexing,

'Tis the wisest plan

To bear all trials bravely,

And smile whenever you can.

Why should you dread tomorrow,

And despoil today?

For when you borrow trouble,

You have always to pay.

It is a good old maxim,

Which often should be preached,

Don't go over the bridge

Until the bridge is reached.

You may be spared such sighing,

If you should keep in mind

The thought that good and evil

Are always here combined,

There must be something wanting;

And though you roll in wealth,

You may miss from out your casket

That precious jewel—health.

Though you're strong and sturdy,

And you may have an empty purse,

[And earth has many trials

Which I consider worse:]

And whether joy or sorrow

Fill your mortal span,

'Twill make your pathway brighter

To smile whenever you can.

SELF-RESPECT to some extent is a matter of cleanliness.

ONE WILL never regret the hours spent in useful studying.

He is a very fortunate man who is MASTER of several trades. When one fails him he can turn to another and achieve success in that special line, but a man who is "Jack" of all trades and master of none, will make a failure of life. It is better to learn one occupation than to have a limited knowledge of many. The boys in this school should think of these things, and when they once enter a shop, "stick" to that department until they become expert. It will pay you in the end. The world which you will sooner or later have to meet will want skilled workmen and only such can expect to get positions and hold them.

Now, we will just imagine that the following are the three distinct classes of government in our school. We will take first the Small Boys' Home, as the constitutional monarchy, which is now ruled by a queen, and the Middle Size Boys' Home, as monarchy, ruled by king and Mitchell Hall, as a republic as it is ruled by its boys. We think that a republic is the best form of government on earth. Its people are supposed to be of a higher intellectual class than any other nation, brave and obedient. Well, then we, the boys of Mitchell Hall in order to form a more perfect self-government, establish justice with our boys, insure a peaceful and clean building, secure the blessing of a good name, and promote good habits and actions, should help each other and above all obey our officers.