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TO PARENTS.

We copy the following excellent and timely advice from the June number of the "Reconstructed Farmer."

Parents, we were, in days passed, blessed as we supposed, in a system of domestic laborers, and with that system we were thoroughly acquainted, being educated in it from our infancy.

Through this system of labor our every habit was formed, it being the chief source of revenue to our social and domestic comfort.

A new era has dawned upon us; that labor and social system has been destroyed, and with it the slave of January, 1865, is really a legislator for us, instead of his former master who may possess the highest order of statesmanship.

We know we have many causes for complaint, but do this with a calm and considerate view of our situation, and rather rejoice that these trials came in our day instead of our children's time, for we can raise them to the new situation without much inconvenience to them.

To do this we must educate them differently, not only in the school-room, but in the entire social and domestic circle. We hope you will not later from this that we are opposed to a classic education. Our object should be to instill in our children the idea that to give them a finished education is simply to prepare them for future usefulness in the various pursuits of life.

When we were rich in slaves we sent our sons (those of the best intellect) to college, and after going through this course we put them to some profession, and generally they did not succeed.

The reason was, their fathers owned in the negro a sufficient patrimony to live on, and consequently no exertion was made by them.

On the other hand, those who were not so well provided for, if they wished to acquire a profession toiled hard, and generally succeeded, for they were dependent on their profession for livelihood.

We have a sufficiency of professional men to last this generation, consequently educate your sons to develop by science the hidden resources of the agricultural, mineral and manufacturing interests of this country.

It is said that parents and guardians did not endeavor to make their sons and wards finished scholars, they might as well be benefactors to their race by that science which is so much needed to a complete development of the hidden wealth of the soil.

It was this, as we fear it will be considered at present, stooping too low to come to the soil and there, with patient practice, demonstrate that farming is a science, by letting us know what properties are wanting in this, that, and the other soil to make it productive of good crops.

Suppose that the educated class of this country for the last quarter of a century had made the same effort to develop the agricultural, mechanical, mineral and manufacturing interests, they have to dupe their countrymen politically; would they have failed? All must confess they might have conferred the greatest of blessings on their country if their talents had been directed in the proper channel.

Teach your children, "by precept and example," that to work in the farm, in the machine shop, or at any laudable pursuit, is honorable. Teach your fair and virtuous daughters that it is not unbecoming "beauty, wit and grace" to learn all the duties of housewifery. Those who have been disappointed of a luxurious living must not depend, but must join in an honorable effort to raise once more, and by all means, stimulate their children to do so.

No longer look on the past, but forward, hoping, that while your pathway through life is rugged, your children may enjoy a bright future.

STOUT COURSHIP.

The Stout are, perhaps, mentally, morally and physically the best body of Indians on the Plains. As wives, their women are faithful; and if a woman becomes lewd, they take her on the prairie. That is to say, they take her out of the village, make her down on the ground, where she is left for three nights, subject to outrage by the roughs of the tribe, who can kill her they wish. She is, after this, made to carry wood, water, and do hard labor in the tribe, and is disgraced forever. Polygamy is practiced in the tribe, but not extensively. A man may have as many wives as he can keep, but he must buy them. The universal price of a wife is a pony, or for a white man, American horses. A squaw once bought becomes the immediate property of the purchaser, but he must catch her. Men have bought wives and never been able to catch them. Most of them, however, are quite willing to be caught.

An Indian, several years ago, took a fancy to an officer's horse, and tried every way to get with the animal. Finally the Indian offered his sister, a beautiful girl in exchange for the horse. Fearing he would steal or maim the animal, and not wishing to offend him, the officer gave the Indian the horse, but declined to receive the girl in return. The young lady, however, was informed she was sold, and so the matter ended. After waiting a long time for her school, she returned, and she was told she had been sold to the officer, and she was to be his wife. She was told, and she was to be his wife. She was told, and she was to be his wife.

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up telegraph posts right in front of his

house, and to stretch the wire. His excellent neighbors thought they had him on that occasion, and said: "Well, old fellow, what do you think of telegraph now?" He was concerned but did not care. Drawing himself up on an iron table, he said: "Gentlemen, when I was in the Legislature I gave this subject my very attentive consideration, and I said, then, as I say now, that it may do for letters and small bundles, but it will never take a cotton ball, never!"

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