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FARMERS' BOYS

[illegible] dress of [illegible] "the best" on present. That [illegible] time they should most [illegible] the home place where [illegible] teaches the boys should learn [illegible] Lovely, and being [illegible] Sisters, in the [illegible] By begin[illegible] attractive ways, [illegible] them [illegible] soon results in the [illegible] boys company abroad, [illegible] sisters should [illegible] attractive to [illegible] them. [illegible] things should their speech [illegible] and their dress and person [illegible] boys of today are the [illegible] whatever they [illegible] home education [illegible] a great measure, will [illegible] character they give to the [illegible] boys they are destined to [illegible] world. A sister's [illegible] should always say: "All that [illegible] and pure shall [illegible] character, my conversa[illegible] and my presence, for the boys [illegible] are taking lessons of [illegible] which will be repeated to future [illegible] generations." If boys grow up to [illegible] noble hearted, pure minded men, [illegible] from homes made pleasant and happy by such mothers and sisters [illegible] that they spring.

That homely old saying, "Just as the twig is bent the tree's inclined," has no truer application than in regard to the treatment young boys receive from their sisters, especially boys reared in the isolation of farm life. In towns and villages they are less dependent on home associations, and, in a measure, less [illegible] by them, but on large farms, particularly in our western States, where neighbors are far apart, there is no other resource, no other nursery or school for the children of social and domestic virtues. As the boys find the women of their own households, so will they be very likely to judge of woman-kind at large. These lessons begin very early in life, too.

A man who is now living, a man of years, a man of the world, remembers thoughts he had on this subject when but a mere child, and says the memory of the scene connected with them can never be blotted from his mind while life lasts. His mother was busy in the kitchen and could not have him there; he had no brother; his sisters, older than himself, would not let him join their plays, and he went out and stood alone to think, ankle deep in snow on the farm house doorstep. The great cheerless yard before him was a broad, blank sheet of snow; every rail on the fence was white, great drifted heaps were lying in the fence corners, the old tree at the north end of the barn had all its arms full of snow, and the barn itself, and the straw stack with its peaked top, and the patient cattle standing so still in the yard, all looked like so many icebergs frozen fast in the midst of a frozen sea. The long rows of corn set up in shocks in the field below the barn, with their tasselled heads and their snowy blankets but half covering their dusky forms, seemed like troops of savages suddenly checked in their march, and now standing in sullen silence with their backs to the storm. Dismal and dreary enough everything looked to the little boy. His father had gone down to the black woods to chop, and now and then came up a ringing echo of his axe that sounded like music in the cold purple ears of his son. He could not go to his father for the depth of snow that lay between them; his mother had driven him out of her way, she was a notable housekeeper, he heard the cheerful voices and merry laughter of his sisters who had called him cruel names and sent him from them because he was a boy, and he stood, with the snowflakes melting into his tears, wondering how God would punish women and girls who were so wicked to little boys.

"Girls," he says, "who treat their brothers as I was habitually treated, crush out the tenderest, the noblest, and most kindly feelings of our nature, feelings that seldom spring up again. [illegible] are too often superseded by a rash and selfish temper and a selfishness equally fatal, which blighted their first pure and generous emotions."

Little sisters, therefore, have [illegible] forming the character [illegible] suspicious [illegible] "girls" [illegible] sex, [illegible] sentiments [illegible] selfishness [illegible] and [illegible] "girls" [illegible] sets the privileges and pursuits that were denied to them [illegible] would be much better [illegible] "girls" [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] and