

The Farmers' Column.

Educating Farmers.

It is now universally admitted, at least by all sensible persons, that farmers require a specific course of education—one adapted to their calling and calculated to fit them for its pursuits—as much as lawyers or doctors or clergymen. Not that farming is a matter of theory merely; it must be learned by practice as much as any mechanical trade; but mere hand work will not make an intelligent farmer, nor can it, as a general thing, make a successful one. Farming is both a science and an art. The science cannot be learned simply by tilling the soil, nor can the art be learned from books.

It is by overlooking this combination that some practical farmers on the one hand have decried agricultural education, and on the other hand scientific farmers have shown such a poor fist at practical farming. Study and practice, knowledge and apprenticeship must go together to ensure the highest success.

In this connection we make a significant extract from an "Address to the Agricultural Organizations in the United States, prepared by the National Agricultural Association, at Nashville, Oct. 3rd, 1871," which was read at the recent Convention at Washington, D. C.:

"The history of the last quarter of a century records nothing of more importance to the world at large than the rapid and wide-spread uplifting of the business of agriculture from a condition wherein neither knowledge nor skill were requisite, but only brute force, to that wherein a wider range of knowledge and a higher skill may find ample employment, than is demanded in any other calling. This is no vain boast, but a fact standing out in bold relief and challenging the attention of every thoughtful student of the present times. The history of this uprising, though brief, is brimfull of interest and instruction. It is not the result of any one discovery, though many discoveries have contributed thereto; nor the product of any one invention, though many inventions have aided. Like all great results, it is the product of many combined forces; the effect of many far-reaching causes. Fully to understand, or rightly to appreciate this great uplifting, it is necessary to reckon the number and measure the extent of the agencies operating to produce it. To enumerate these were almost to catalogue the arts and sciences, while to detail their operations were to write the history of the times; either is much beyond our purpose It suffices to say that agriculture has come to be recognized as a science and an art second to none other known to man. And, henceforth, the man who aspires to the foremost place as an agriculturist, must needs acquaint himself with a wide range of sciences, and master the principles of many arts. In other words, the farmer now needs his schools and his colleges as much as the lawyer and the physician—schools and colleges, too, of equal grade and wider compass. This is the meaning of the movement that, in the world of education, marks the present from all other times. Industrial schools and colleges have arisen during the present century in every civilized country throughout Christendom. Results so widespread, and yet so uniform, can only flow from a force deep-seated, far-reaching and irresistible. That force is the uprising of the industrial classes."

Washington as a Farmer.

The farm of General Washington, at Mount Vernon, contained ten thousand acres of land in one body—equal to about fifteen square miles. It was divided into farms of convenient size, at the distance of two, three and five miles from the Mansion House. He visited these farms every day, in pleasant weather, and was constantly engaged in making experiments for the improvement of agriculture. Some idea of the extent of his farming operations may be formed from the following facts: In 1787 he had five hundred and eighty acres in grass; sowed six hundred bushels of oats; seven hundred acres with wheat—and as much more in corn, barley, potatoes, beans, peas, &c., and one hundred and fifty with turnips. His stock consisted of one hundred and forty horses; one hundred and twelve cows; two hundred and thirty-six working oxen, heifers and steers, and five hundred sheep. He constantly employed two hundred and fifty hands, and kept twenty-four plows going during the whole year, when the earth and the state of the weather would permit. In 1780 he slaughtered one hundred and fifty hogs for the use of his own family, and provisions for his negroes, for whose comfort he had great regard.

"It's This Old Hoss."

An anecdote of Judge David Davis, the Reform party candidate for President, may bear repeating at this time.

The time is '58, and an important trial was in progress before the DeWitt county court in the town of Clinton. Leonard Swett, the notorious criminal lawyer, was making one of his powerful and impressive appeals, and one of those great speeches once heard will never be forgotten.

One fellow on a back seat became so excited that he brought down his cowhide boots frequently like the charge of a cavalry squadron, at the same time uttering stentorian yells of approbation. This did not suit the Judge, who, rising in his seat, shrilly interrogated:

"Who is making that noise?"

A six-footer from Creek Nation arose, and shouted:

"It's this old hoss!"

"Sheriff," shrilly squealed the Judge, "take that old hoss and lock him up in your stable for four hours."

And "the old hoss" was marched to jail, where he remained for four hours for contempt of court, and to learn not to be so demonstrative in future.

65,000 cochineal insects make a pound.

THE BUSTLE.

The Georgia People's Press has some lines on seeing a lady with a fashionable protuberance They have the true spirit of Swift. The following is the conclusion:

When Nature first produced the Fair,
'Mong other things, it was her care
(As the fair form in beauty grew)
To shape the back both straight and true;
Except, indeed, when in a whim,
Some uncouth dwarf, or monster grim,
She favors with a swelled sack,
Perched high in honor on the back!
But in these days of wond'rous light
Taste rises, in her power and might,
And disapproving Nature's plan,
She forms a bag of wool or bran,
And where she thinks a hump should be,
Straight, in that place, a hump you'll see;
The names with which the humps abound
Are full of sense as well as sound—
Nothing more dignified, I'm sure,
Than Bishop, Bustle, or Tourneur!
And if some sour, old-fashioned dame
Should tartly ask—"what's in a name?"
We'd answer—"that I cannot scan;
But, ma'am, the thing is full of bran!"
Now listen to me, lady dear,
A word I'd whisper in your ear;
Why be so partial to one spot—
Why hump one place and others not?
If in the hump such beauty lies,
As a true friend, I'd you advise
To raise the hump on every place,
And then you'd be all over grace!
Then, if we beauties wish to find,
We need not always look behind!!!

A CAREFUL OBSERVER.

About a Widow.

A writer contributes to the Chester (Pa.) Republican an article on "Tony Weller's Widow," from which we extract the following:

Another very courtable widow was a young lady of Washington, Pa. She became engaged to a young man named Robert ——, in 1846. Her father, however, objected to this match with one of his clerks, and when the young girl received a tempting proposal, from a wealthy suitor, the paternal influence soon effected a marriage, despite the previous engagement. In less than three months her husband was killed by a kick from a horse. Robert was a second time a suitor, but delayed the important question until fifteen months elapsed, when, to his horror, she informed him that she was engaged. In a short time thereafter she was married. Two years elapsed, when the married couple moved to Syracuse, N. Y., where among the victims of the cholera, when the pestilence swept that city, was the second husband. Robert again sought her hand, and when a year had elapsed, was on the eve of a declaration, when lo! he received an invitation to her wedding.

Her late husband's business was found in such a state that to avoid immense losses she married her husband's partner. Shortly after she removed with her third husband to Detroit, Michigan. A few years elapsed when herself and husband were on a steamer that was wrecked near Buffalo. The husband perished, and the wife escaped solely through the exertion of a friend who was on board. His gallantry inspired such sentiments in her breast that she married her preserver a few months after her third widowhood. The happy pair removed to Pittsburgh, where the husband was engaged in mercantile business. Thither Robert, still cherishing his first love, followed. One day as he was passing the door of the husband's store, he saw a terrible commotion. Rushing in, he beheld the mangled corpse of that gentleman on the floor. A tierce of rice, being hoisted to an upper story had fallen through the traps, killing him instantly. Anxiously Robert inquired if any one had been sent to inform his wife, and was told that the book-keeper had just gone. Robert started for Allegany city, where the deceased had resided, at the top of his speed. The book-keeper was just ahead of him, and from past experience knowing the value of prompt action, and apprehending that the clerk had designs on the widow, he ran for dear life, side by side. The race continued until they reached Hand street, when the clerk was obliged to stop to pay the tolls, while Robert, a commutor, passed over without stopping. Reaching the house first Robert told the heart-rending news, and almost in the same breath made a proposal of marriage. He was accepted. True to her promise, after a year of mourning, she became his wife. As all her husbands had died wealthy Robert was comfortably fixed, after all. This case is a remarkable example of what "pluck and perseverance" will do for a man, while at the same time it teaches a lesson on the danger of delay.

Couldn't See It.

The worthy gentleman who rules the rising generation of boys in a certain town in Tennessee, had occasion recently to correct a little boy named Johnny. Now Johnny had what is called the sulks, because he was whipped, and in order to convince him that he was justly punished, his teacher made the following argument:

"Now, Johnny, suppose you were riding a big horse to water, and had a keen switch in your hand, and all at once the horse were to stop and refuse to go farther, what would you do?"

John stifled up his sobs for a moment, and looking up through his tears, innocently replied, "I'd cluck to him, sir."

"But, Johnny, suppose he wouldn't go for your clucking, what then?"

"I'd get down and lead him, sir."

"And what if he were obstinate, and would not let you lead him?"

"Why, I'd take off his bridle and turn him loose, and walk home, sir."

"You may go to your seat, Johnny."

Johnny could not be made to see the necessity for using the switch.

☞ While a rather affected young lady was confiding to her admirer how etherial her appetite was, and the sensitive delicateness of her organization, the too matter-of-fact help bawled, "Say? will you have yer biled pork and beans now or wait till yer feller's gone?" The "fell" has been gone ever since.

☞ Two female students at Leipsig recently had a duel. They fought with swords, one of the combatants losing an eye and the other a part of her nose.

☞ At a recent bull fight in Madrid, three horses and two male performers were killed.

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Until the 21st day of May next.

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COLLECTORS,
(one from each Election District,)
AND A STANDARD KEEPER,

will be appointed on TUESDAY, the 16th day of April. The salary of the Standard Keeper has been fixed at $30 for the present year.

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Tuesday, the 21st day of May

next, otherwise they will not get into this year's Levy. All accounts presented to the Court will be required to be under oath.

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