

Education Is of Little Value if Not Used

Cheyney, Pa.—“No kind of education is of much value to society unless it can be used. The big thing in the life of a good citizen is a job, some work to do. If a man can get no work to do he may as well be ignorant as intelligent, as far as this world sees him. Every sort of work is honorable, so long as it supplies some actual human need. Therefore, a man must value and make the best use of any work he can get to do, if thinks his education and experience entitles him to,” states Leslie Pinckney Hill, principal, Cheyney Training School for Teachers.

“The boy and girl must learn this lesson well. Many jobs that they used to find very easily are now very difficult or impossible to find. The restaurant waiting, the railroad summer work, the domestic service, the shoe shining, the barbering and many other jobs of that kind are in many places going or have gone to others. What is the explanation? Too much education, or too little? Or is it purely economic? Think it over!” he says.