

The following diagram is suggested as suitable for cards on which to record this work. These cards may be made of stiff paper or thin cardboard and may be cut, ruled and written by the pupil:

Month.....		Name of Pupil.....					
Task	No.	Date	Time	Results	Tidiness or Housekeeping	Parents' Initials	School Credit

On the back of the card for guidance to the parent may be written the following:

Time required to do work—Slow, medium, rapid.

Results—Poor, fair, good, excellent.

Housekeeping	} Poor, fair, good.
or	
Tidiness while working and when finished.	

Each week the cards may be handed to the teacher, who keeps a record of the work done and gives credit for it. If the school elevates home duties in this way, the child's attitude toward them will change. He will consider them commonplace tasks no longer and will approach them with keen interest. The development of this interest instilled in early years will help to keep the youth from leaving the rural districts.