

THE GOLD LEAF

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Claimed Too Much.

Our Virginia friends are very dear to North Carolina and the people of the two States are bound together by social, industrial, patriotic and political ties, but they are disposed to claim too much. No State that gave America Washington and Jefferson and Madison and Monroe and Marshall and Lee and Stonewall Jackson needs to lay claim to more in order to assert its lasting contributions to America, but here comes the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot claiming that Virginia Dare was born in Virginia because "at the time of her birth and for many years afterwards, all that section was part of Virginia." That sounds all right but the Fayetteville Observer gives the real facts as follows: "When Virginia Dare was born (1585) the country now known as Virginia had not been discovered. The land first discovered by Raleigh's captains, Amadis and Barlow, was the beach opposite Roanoke Island and the land settled by their ships' loads was Roanoke Island, and the name of Virginia Dare was born in Jamestown, the first part of Virginia. Roanoke Island—Manteo, more specifically—was then the capital of Virginia. In other words, the place, now a part of North Carolina, where Virginia Dare was born was the first land in the present United States settled by the Englishmen, and upon it and the country up and down the coast subject to Raleigh's patent the name 'Virginia' was first bestowed. "The disappearance of Raleigh's colony and the subsequent settlement at Jamestown shifted the colonial center of gravity, but, of course, did not alter the historical fact of 1585."

Back to the Farm.

Letters from leaders in the work of ranching for immigration in the South, published elsewhere in this issue of the Southern Farm Magazine, sketching phases of the continuous movement of population seeking homes in the South, suggest that now is the time of all others to emphasize the opportunity in the South for the making of farm homes. The marvelous expansion of manufacturing in this country during the past five or six years has tended to draw population to the great centers of industry, and the opportunities of the country for a comfortable living have thereby been somewhat obscured. Now that a period of comparative inactivity has set in, it is likely that thousands of men, many of them of farm origin, will be cast about for some occupation which, though offering not as many opportunities for the handling and accumulation of actual money as does work in cities and towns, certainly assures greater independence and regularity in living. Such an occupation is the tilling of one's acres. As a matter of fact, about the most independent of occupations is the shrinkage in the value of securities of various kinds, of retrenchment in manufacturing, sending thousands of workers into temporary inability to earn wages, about the most independent and happiest man in the world is the possessor of 10 acres of fertile and unimproved soil with a house upon it and the usual outfit of stock and poultry. He may not handle much cash, but it depends upon himself largely whether the free courage of eggs is to be suspended. He may believe that living in distress may tend to lower the prices of products in the market, but he can certainly raise enough to feed himself and his family, and it doesn't make much difference whether or not he is obliged to make that old winter suit of clothing do him another season. There are hundreds of thousands of fertile 10 acres in the South waiting their men.

Farm Training Needed.

Only a short time ago a great emergency was built and the company wanted a young man who understood how to make first-class quality butter. They were willing to pay such a man \$125 per month and advance his salary as the business increased. They wrote to the president of one of our great state agricultural colleges, stating what they wanted. He saw the letter the president wrote in answer. He said: "I have looked over all my men carefully, and I am sorry to say that I do not have one that I feel warranted in recommending to fill the place." But he sent him for lawyers, doctors or preachers he could have sent them a carload on an hour's notice. Now this was casting no reflection upon the professions, for they are all needed, and we must have young men trained for filling these positions, but the point is that some of these professions may be over supplied, while our agricultural possibilities are yet in their infancy, and are just beginning to be developed.

There is something about Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup that makes it different from others, as it causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. At the same time it heals irritation and allays inflammation of the throat and lungs. It is pleasant to take. Childlike in taste, contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold at Parker's Two Drug Stores.

Moral Courage.

The One Great Need of the Moral Forces of Today.

As this is being written the weird singing and still more weird preaching of a crowd of men and women who are holding forth on the sidewalk outside come floating in through the open window. Just what they believe or what they call themselves, we do not know. "Sanctificationists" is the name generally applied by a more or less scoffing public that as a rule sees in the performance only a thing to be ridiculed or laughed at. From the cold, cruel viewpoint of the world, it is tempting to join at least mentally, in ridiculing the doctrines of this strange sect, taking them to be correctly reported by current rumor. But there is quite another aspect to the case, quite another viewpoint from which one may look for the purpose of passing judgment. One of the grandest emotions of the human heart is being finding a distorted but no less sincere expression, and he or she who will brush the externals and look only to the propelling cause behind it all may be surprised to find it all may be so different from what it seems.

It is no pleasant occupation, no alluring pastime to stand in the street in all kinds and conditions of weather and be laughed at, stared at and regarded with condescending pity by loafing listeners and passing throngs. It is a more profitable one from a monetary standpoint than it is pleasant. Solely and entirely it is a labor of love and principle that is strong and willing to suffer and endure. Because this is true, it commands attention, compels respect, compels even a certain kind of admiration; for there is nothing the world more needs, more respects or more admires than militant sincerity. In the past and in the present the human mind has been more afflicted with mental indolence and cowardice. Since this of which we are talking is a religious manifestation, let us meet a comparison along religious lines. Without meaning the slightest disrespect to the multitude of earnest and sincere worshippers of orthodox religion, we would like to ask if there are not thousands upon thousands of men, yes and women too, who attend services more or less regularly but who would never go inside a church door if going called for the moment or moral courage and physical inconvenience and discomfort that is necessarily attendant upon this sidewalk performance at which they scoff.

And no less in secular matters is the same thing true. Our views may be of the soundest, our opinions of the utmost value, our aims of commendable fervor and far between; but what of the moral courage and loyal devotion that is behind our views and our opinions? How much are we willing to endure for the sake of doing that which our conscience tells us should be done, or of making our views so plain that they will not be misunderstood? How much are we willing to suffer for beliefs that we feel are correct, but know do not meet with popular approval? What the world most needs today is moral courage and steadfast advocacy of the right as each individual sees the right.

Not that we should be overbearing or intolerant, for others have as much right to their opinions as we have to ours, but we should feel that the sins of our own are not the only sins, that fear and cowardice and selfishness rank high in the list and that sincere, courageous, active devotion to a principle or a belief commands attention and respect even from those who think that this principle or this belief is wholly wrong. The world may not understand, but those street preachers outside the windows are giving the world a lesson in its greatest need—wrong they may be, even a bit fanatical perhaps but active propagandists of the right as they see it.

Badly Filled Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease, two called it kidney trouble, the fourth, blood poison; the fifth one said it was liver trouble, but none of them helped me, so my wife advised trying Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed to cure bile, indigestion, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints. By Melville Dorsey, druggist, 50c.

Thanksgiving Proclamations of the Presidents. To Abraham Lincoln we are indebted for the establishment of our Thanksgiving day proclamation. He was the first president to designate the last Thursday in November as the day of Thanksgiving twice in succession. The first proclamation, which made the event explicitly "a day of thanksgiving and praise," was issued October 3, 1863, in the midst of the civil war. It is a literary masterpiece. Instead of being written with a review of victories at arms, it appropriately opens thus: "The year that is drawing towards its close has been filled with blessings of fruitful fields and healthful skies." Then the president passes on to speak of the war, saying that foreign nations have remained at peace with us and commending to "God's tender care all those who have become widows, orphans, mourners or sufferers in the lamentable civil strife in which we are unavoidably engaged."

For fifty-eight years, since 1815, no president had proclaimed a day of national thanksgiving. President Madison in the year mentioned proclaimed the second Thursday in April as a day of thanksgiving "for the blessings of peace, reference being made to the close of the war of 1812 by the treaty of Ghent on the preceding December 24."

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong, or when you feel that it is not in good order as is evidenced by mean headaches, nervousness, bad breath, and belching, take something at times, and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles, dyspepsia, indigestion, etc., than KODOL. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. KODOL is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take; it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold at Parker's Two Drug Stores.

"Dollar and a half for that book?" he said. "I think I'll wait till they get cheaper." "But it may be out of date then," said the bookseller. "True," was the reply. "They only live six months these days. I'd better buy it now."—Atlanta Constitution.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough grows in favor daily with young and old. Mothers should keep it on hand for children. It is prompt relief to croup. It is gently laxative, driving the poison out of the system. It is a simple remedy that gives immediate relief, guaranteed. Sold by Kerner-McNair Co.

The three wealthiest nations are the United States, Great Britain and France, the United States being more so by as much as the other two combined. We are a part of the United States but it does not seem natural.

Are you having trouble with your kidneys? There are lots of people today who wonder why they have pains across the back, why they are tired and lacking in energy and ambition. Your kidneys are wrong. They need relief without delay. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills; they are for weak back, inflammation of the bladder, backache and weak kidneys. Sold at Parker's Two Drug Stores.

Mrs. Hoyle—Have you anything laid aside for a rainy day? Mrs. Doyle—Yes, but I can find only one of my rubbers.—New York Press.

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If, as Pres. Roosevelt says, "the prosperity we now enjoy rests directly upon our national resources," it is false to say that prosperity rests upon our outrageous tariff laws and financial system, as most Republican leaders declare.—Graham Gleason.

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No need to fear coughs and colds this year as you can obtain Bees Laxative Cough Syrup now from your dealer. This is good news to mothers who fear croup and whooping cough. It is a gentle laxative that expels the poison from the system in the natural way. Cuts the phlegm and clears the head. Guaranteed. Sold by Kerner-McNair Co.

"She hasn't any friends to speak of." "No? Then what are they for?"—Pack.

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It is sometimes advisable to employ a night watchman to look after those who are as honest as the day is long.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Here's Good Advice. O. S. Woolver, one of the best known merchants of Le Rayville, N. Y., says: "If you are troubled with piles, apply Becken's Anion Salve. I used it and it cured me in 20 years ago." Cures every sore, wound, burn or abrasion. 25c. at Melville Dorsey's drug store.

With a smaller cotton crop than we have had for years, and with the world needing more cotton to supply its needs than ever before, all the farmers need to do is to keep cool and sit steady in the boat. Let farmers hold on to their cotton until they get what it is worth.—Lexington North Star.

Plenty of Money. Charlotte News. The Raleigh News and Observer rightly says, amid the present financial stringency: "There is no sense in this money famine except the scare produced by the frenzied finance method in New York, and the desire to buy stocks and cotton below the value and send the public officials into doing the bidding of the financiers and trusts." We are glad to observe that public confidence seems gradually returning. For the life of us we have been unable to see any good reason for the recently threatened panic. Confirming this view are the following figures on money circulation in the United States by years, which show clearly that the trouble is not over a lack of money:

Table with 2 columns: Year and Money Circulation. 1907: \$2,876,368,696; 1906: \$2,866,882,786; 1905: \$2,658,131,578; 1904: \$2,427,394,898; 1903: \$2,336,111,991; 1902: \$2,246,300,543; 1901: \$2,139,181,412; 1899: \$1,963,716,148; 1898: \$1,866,375,782; 1897: \$1,706,732,904; 1896: \$1,627,055,614; 1895: \$1,598,859,316.

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We may expect to hear when Congress meets that the Democrats are responsible for the panic, but it will keep the Republicans busy explaining why they have to borrow money on purpose to help the frenzied financiers.—Graham Gleason.

A Lazy Liver. May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as a savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs. A torpid liver is but an indication of an ill-nourished, enfeebled body whose organs are weary with over work. Start with the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in working order and see how quickly your liver will become active. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the deflection of other organs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipation, or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, dependent, frequent headaches, pain or distress "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, indigestion, "flatulency" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or surely than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time, or you may have only one or two. It is a general medicine, and it cures all biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to it until you are vigorous and strong. The "Discovery" is non-secret, non-alcoholic, is a gentle, active, medicinal, health-giving tonic, and it contains a full list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Its ingredients are endorsed and extolled by the most eminent medical writers of the age and are recommended to cure the disease of which it is a cure. Don't accept a substitute of unknown composition for this non-secret MEDICINE OF KNOWN COMPOSITION.

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DO NOT KNOW WHAT CAUSES SICKNESS

Modern People Have Many Names for Same Diseases, According to New Belief.

Does human health depend on one organ alone? This question is becoming widely discussed since L. T. Cooper, M.D., advanced his theory that the stomach is the true seat of life and all health dependent upon it. Mr. Cooper, who has met with remarkable success in the sale of his new medicine, believes that the stomach is responsible for most sickness, and that this organ is weak in the present generation. While discussing this theory recently, he said: "I am asked time and again to tell why my medicine has made such a record wherever I have introduced it. My answer always is, 'because it restores the stomach to a normal condition.' No one will deny that today there are more half-sick men and women than ever before. Nothing critical seems to be the matter with them. They are just half-sick most of the time. They don't know really what is the matter with them. I have talked with thousands during the past two years, and few knew indeed what their trouble was. One said nervousness, another said kidney trouble, another liver complaint, some constipation, or heart trouble or lung trouble. Many had treated, as they called it, for most of these diseases at different times. A very common complaint is 'all run down,' or 'tired all the time,' or 'no appetite.'" "I know positively that every bit of this chronic ill health is caused by stomach trouble, and nothing else. My New Discovery puts the stomach in sound condition in about six weeks. Mighty few people can do this with a sound digestion. That is why my medicine is selling at such a tremendous rate. I have convinced many thousands of people that these things are so, and the number is growing by leaps and bounds." Among more recent converts to Mr. Cooper's beliefs is Mr. Edgar L. Hinds, living at 6 Tappan Street, Everett, Mass. Mr. Hinds has this to say on the subject: "I have suffered with stomach trouble for eight years. I was not sick enough to be in bed, but just felt bad all the time. My greatest trouble was that I always felt tired, would get up in the morning feeling as tired as when I went to bed. "I had a very irregular appetite, and was troubled with dizzy spells. If I stood for any length of time, I would have a dull pain in the lower part of my back. I was nervous and felt all the time as though something terrible was going to happen. I tried many kinds of medicine, but nothing ever helped me. "I had about given up all hope of ever being in good health again, when I heard so much of Cooper and decided to try his medicine. I took one bottle of his New Discovery and was greatly surprised at the result. I gained 12 pounds in a few weeks. I can now eat anything I wish, and feel like a new man. I cheerfully recommend this medicine to all sufferers from stomach trouble." It is worth anyone's time, who is not enjoying good health, to learn of Mr. Cooper's wonderful preparations. We are selling them in large quantities.

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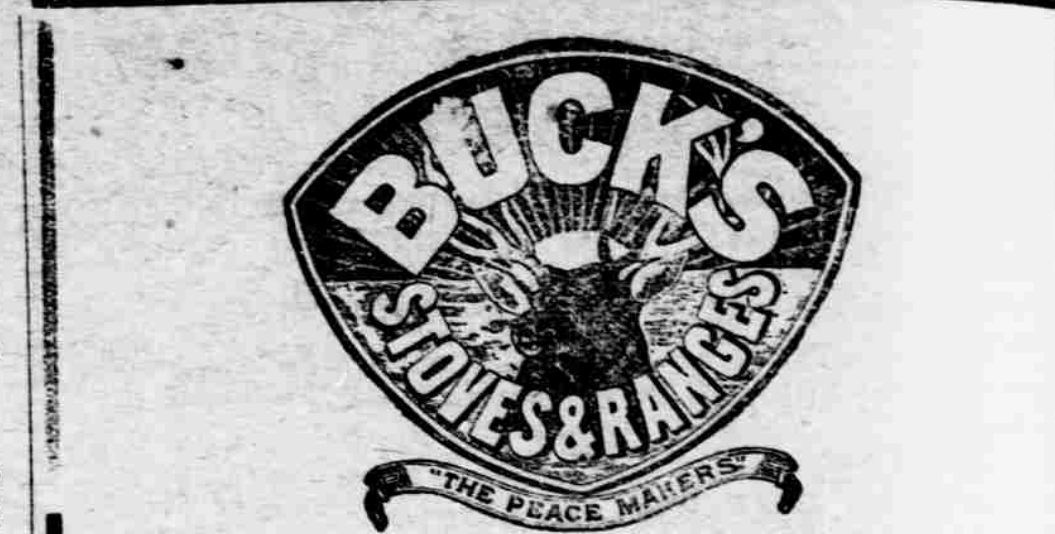
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