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HAPPINESS IN REALITY.

Was it not James Mill who said ward; where is his happiness? At that, after the first fresh experien- the best in fragments, transitory sof youth life has no solid plea- and unstable, and only found when gre to offer!-with the necessary he has touched the one moment of orollary that, as the novelty of completion. Like the stone of ensation makes the whole of its Sisyphus, which rolls back from with, after reiterated experience the mountain top so soon as it Manted the sharp edge the act of reaches it, his enjoyment dies with improve becomes then a mere act of that moment of completion; and sufferance, where patience is the satiety, alternating with feverish lighest virture and dignity under longing, can scarcely be said to he unsought pain of existence the constitute happiness.

most efficient proof of mental strength.

Like every theorem that has per been propounded, this has its mixture of truth and falsehood, Of a surety the first fresh sensations of youth give the largest mount of physical and even imalows: gnative enjoyment. Those of us who remember our early childhood here" with certain things which we give a beauty that did not exist and qualities they never had.

"Anistotle made happiness to consist in the exercise of virture ad living up to the highest 'idea it does not exceed twenty-five of Davie county and has a brothdencellence. The Cynics placed meiridea in self-control, self-abmation and "doing with" like the higher order of Buddhists. The later stoles let in free will and mele their happiness identical with good adding a poetical religisity which the Cynics missed. Epicurus crystallized the theory which had been floating about the pilosophic world before he undertok to enlighten men, and made fieslandard of virture and vice tobe measured soley by pleasure and pain. "Pain is the only evil pleasare is the only good. Virture is no end in itself to be sought; vice is no end in itself to be avoided. The motive for cultivating virture and hanishing vice arises from the consequences of each as the means of multiplying pleasures and averting pain *** But it is a great enter to suppose that in making pleasure the standard of virture, Epicurus had in view that elaborseasual appetites that we associate with the word Epicurean." And he, too, recommended the narrowleg of the desires to the power of fulfilling them; "cuttin; ones cloak according to one's cloth;" putting aside, as sares and delu sions, all "exaggerated aspirations for wealth, honors, power, &c. in all which the objects appeared most seductive from a distance, inviting man to lawless violence and treachery while in the reality they were always disappointments and generally something worse." llealso placed part of human happluess in deliverance from the delasions of fear-"Fear of death

one is contented there is no more to be desired; and when there is no more to be desired there is an

It has been well said by Dr. J. E. Simons, that the three R's are end to it." Here speaks the undisreliance, rectitude, and responsiciplined clown who places happibility, ness in self-indulgence, for the

Reliance-An unalterable purclown's reward; but the freedom pose and resolve that with all the of the soul which Lovelace exalted powers of a sound and well-trained together with his freedom in love, mind and heart, you will labor is a higher state and brings a highwith undismayed courage in your 40 er guerdon. Conceive a man a chosen sphere of life to overcome 25 slave to passion-envy, revenge, difficulties, achieve success, and avarice, hatred, unfilled ambition; secure the crown of victory. or to any form of sensual desire,

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Sunday. Mr. Smith was a native

Changes in the School Law.

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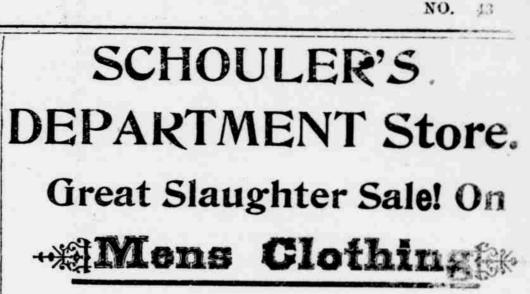
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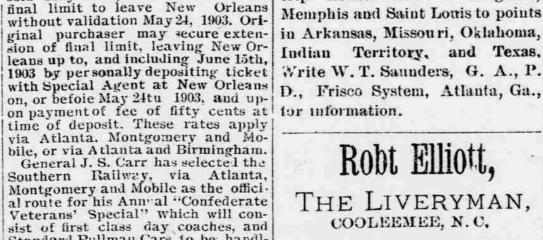
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