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THE EDITORS' LEISURE HOURS.

Points and Paragraphs of Things Present, Past and Future. Who that can contrast the conditions of life in the great cities and country or small towns would care to live in the crowded cities in such weather as we have had for the past three weeks?

The statement is made in The Outlook that within three miles from the City Hall of New York City, making allowance for the portion covered by water, there is only one city lot (25 by 100 feet) for every four families.

The best life in all this country is in this glorious Southland where there are few cities, if any, so large or overcrowded that life becomes a burden by reason of a congested population.

No doubt there are men of great strength and success in the business world to-day who may well regret the four or five years they spent at college, as some of them say, for doubtless they wasted their time.

This is a dangerous agitation which a few rich men have set a-going, and they are in danger of doing more harm by it than they will ever be able to counteract by their rich gifts and great generosity.

The Atlanta Journal in another sentence than the one quoted above well says: "When this theory of success in life gains control of the youth of the country the decay of the nation will be well on its way."

IMMORTAL NAMES.

HOW THEY WERE CHOSEN.

The American Hall of Fame. Biblical Recorder. The idea of the Hall of Fame, which was opened recently, was the thought of Cancellor McCracken, of the University of New York, and the Baltimore Sun thus tells how it was carried out:

Those judged worthy of a place in the hall are the first group selected of a total of 150, those names will eventually occupy places on the walls. A committee of 100 judges, consisting of public men, authors, college presidents, professors and eminent jurists, was authorized to select 50 names for the first group.

Only one ballot was taken by mail, each judge sending his list of 50 to the senate of New York University. The count showed that 29 persons had secured the requisite majority of 51 votes. Fifteen divisions were made of the nominees for the memorial--authors, business men, educators, inventors, missionaries and explorers, philanthropists, soldiers and sailors, preachers and theologians, scientists, engineers and architects, judges and lawyers, musicians, painters and sculptors, physicians and surgeons, and rulers and statesmen.

Washington, 97; Lincoln, 96; Webster, 96; Franklin, 94; Jefferson, 91; Clay, 74; Adams, 64; Grant, 93; Farragut, 79; Marshall, 91; Kent, 65; Story, 64; Peabody, 74; Cooper, 69; Stuart, 52; Fulton, 86; Morse, 82; Whitney, 69; Audubon, 69; Gray, 51; Edwards, 82; Mann, 67; Beecher, 64; Channing, 58; Emerson, 87; Hawthorne, 73; Irving, 83; Longfellow, 35; Lee, 68.

No selections were made from the business men, missionaries and explorers, engineers and architects, physicians, scientists and surgeons. Further selection to fill up the 50 will be made next year. After the first 50 have been selected a new selection of five names will be made every five years, beginning in 1903, and continuing until there shall be 150 Americans with appropriate busts, statues and tablets in the Hall of Fame.

Sand.

Nothing is more deceptive to the casual Northern tourist than Southern sand. Florida sand produces oranges of unequalled quality and best of garden truck. When the Seaboard Air Line was pushing its track construction through North Carolina, beyond Raleigh toward Atlanta, a French laborer, in what was then considered a hopeless desert, curiously examined the sand and discovered that it was precisely the soil from which his native country produced its finest grapes.

Lest Thou Regret.

R. K. Sevier in Tennessee Farmer. He moveth to town and leaveth the old farm. "There ain't no money in farming--too much hard work and no cash."

He seeth the merchant handling silver dollars, and forthwith concludes that the merchant hath a good time, an easy, soft snap, staying in his store all the day long out of the sunshine, and he forthwith concludes to put him up a store and live easy and grow rich upon ease and soft snap.

And so it doth soon appear to him that the mere handling of cash hath no lasting pleasure in it, and he doth find that his vexations and expenses doth multiply at a great rate. And he mourns in spirit and is full of trouble, for his cash capital is fast slipping away from him, and he wishes he was back home on the dear old farm once more.

Washington is the home of notable men in an everyday thought over the country. It does not so often occur to one that it is the city of notable women of America, whose lives are reminders of presidents, generals and statesmen.

Her home is a museum of Grant relics and she loves to live in the memories of them. Every visitor not only finds her accessible, just as was her great husband, but is permitted the enjoyment of viewing these wonderful mementoes, frequently under Mrs. Grant's personal guidance.

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NOBLE BOYS.

HOW THEY DID WELL.

Three Boys Whom Miss Willard Knew. Miss Willard, in Union Signal.

Let me tell you about three splendid boys I knew once upon a time. Their father died, and their dear mother was left to bring them up and to earn the money with which to do it.

They all married noble and true women, and to-day one of the boys is president of a college, goes to Europe every year almost, and is in demand for every good word and work; another lives in one of the most elegant houses in Evanston, and is my "beloved physician," while a third is a well-to-do wholesale grocer in Pueblo, Col., and a member of the city council.

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HARD WORK.

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The Evolution of a Third Eye.

Saturday Evening Post. The proper angle of vision and the true perspective depend upon the point from which we look at an object.

A friend was bitterly complaining to the soul that loved him best. He said: "Everything is dark before me. Nothing but disaster and defeat seems likely to come." "Wait till to-morrow and see how things look," was the wise advice.

Montaigne once said: "If I had the power of creating and endowing myself, I should make myself three-eyed." "Why a third eye?" some one inquired. He answered: "To enable me to see the cheerful side of everything."

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