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EDITOR'S LEISURE HOURS.

OBSERVATIONS OF PASSING EVENTS.

THE Raleigh Evening Times makes a most sensible plea for proficiency

in men who run stationary engines. Elsewhere in this paper is given the details of a terrible explosion at Dukes a few days Sensible Plea. ago with the result of four lives lost. The times says: "The water was out of the boller and the negro who was running the engine opened the valve and let in the water. The explosion and the undertaker did the rest." The Times makes the plea for the next Legislature to make it a penitentiary offence for an engineer who has not stood an

approved examination and obtained a license to attempt to run an engine. We heartily agree with the Times and hope to see such a law enacted-certainly a law compelling those who run engines to have such a license. Many persons have a mortal terror of going near a steam engine at all, and well they may while they are run by such incompetent persons.

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THE press of North Carolina stands to-day more firmly for morality dan ever before. Almost every newspaper which one reads makes some declaration in favor of high morals, either in ed-Standing for Morality. itorial utterances, prints from other papers or in

its own genelal policy. A majority of the North Carolina editors to-day are fearlessly outspoken on the subject of morals, and make moral excellence a part of their papers' creeds. The Southport Standard in setting forth anew its declaration as an independent paper gives this clear, silvertoned ring on morals:

"On every moral issue we shall take our stand. It is cowardly to muzzle conviction, and he who does so will not long have an honest conviction to muzzle. Of all the monstrosities despicable to behold, it is a newspaper trying to straddle the tence on questions which affect the moral welfare of the community."

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GOVERNOR AYCOCK and Hon. F. D. Winston have returned from Maine where they went at special invitation to speak on educ. The State Our Governor in Maine. heard Governor Aycock on education in North Carolina, and wished him to speak to the people of Maine. It was our pleasure to ride with Governor Aycock and Judge Winston a short distance on their way to Maine more than two weeks ago, and the Governor said they had asked him to go up there and talk just like he was talking to I's own people in North Carolina. From the tala the papers thesa. two distinguished North Carolinians have done their native State much credit in the able and eloquent addresses they have delivered. Governor Aycock was asked to speak twelve times and it is presumed that Judge Wioston spoke as many times. It has been good for them to go. The visit has done them good; their addresses have helped the people of the "Pine Tree" State, and doubtless Governor Aycock and Judge Winston have brought with them some good ideas to hand around in North Carolina.

"WHILE out gathering chinquepins yesterday afternoon within a few miles of this place, Mrs. Peter Elder received a load of shot from the hands of several boys who were out squirrel hunting

Fool-Hardy Shooting. and whom they mistook to be a squirrel, they seeing the limbs of a tree moying and not knowing that the woman was near. Mrs. Elder died from the effects of the shooting Monday morning. This is one of the most distressing accidents that has occurred in this neighborhood since the shooting of the young man Parker several years ago by another young man named Sawyer."

The foregoing item which was dated at Trinity, N. C., appeared in the News and Observer some days ago, and we reproduce it to point a moral. Only a few days before the news went out from Pitt county that a young man had been shot there in a similar way. Only a short while ago from another part of the State came the news that some one thinking he was shooting a turkey shot a man by mistage. Now, it is putting it mildly to say that such reckiess shooting is fool-hardy and ought to be condemned everywhere. If a person is hunting squirrels he has no business firing his gun into a shaking bush unless he knows what he is shooting at. Such shooting with such results, it seems to us, ought to be regarded as criminally careless and should be punished accordingly.

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UNDER this heading the Kinston Free Press recently gave utterance to n ost excellent good sense. The development of home industries and helpful enterprises should be encouraged by every "Heaven Helps Those one. And nothing so tuspires corfidence in such Who Help Themselver." things as the downright earnestness with which persons work in their locality. To sit down and theorize and ask others to come and put their efforts and money into what we think is a good thing for us and our community without putting in like investments of our own, has a tendency to excite disgust in those outside rather than to invite their sympathy and co-operation. But read what the Free Press savs :

"The development of our undeveloped natural resources is a subject that may well take the foremost place in our thoughts and efforts. On every hand opportunities for growth, in a commercial, in an industrial, and in an intellectual way, may be seen. It will take time, of course, but no effort should be spared along this line. The fact that this eastern section is such a rich agricultural region, having a climate that invites the wealth seeker to a number of different kinds of productive enterprises, is a great point that is not to be overlooked. It is proving attractive to a great number of homeseekers, and it will become more and more attractive as the years go by. But the best growth and the most enduring prosperity, like charity, begins at home. If we can get foreign capital to come in and cooperate with us in the development of our farms, in the consumption of our lumber, in the building and operating of our factories of various kinds. and in a number of other ways, so much the better for us. That will tend to insure us speedier returns and more rapid growth. But we are not to wait on these outside agencies. We must put our hands to the plow-we must decide what we want, and then 'go after it.' If we need a manufacturing plant, and see a place for one in our community, the best way to get it is to build it, small and unpretentious though it may be in its infancy."

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When troubled with constipation try | Nellie Foller, Denver-My face was

As Others See Us.

PUBLISHED BY REQUEST. Miss Carroll Wood in The Chase City Progress. Tis strange the ideas some Christians

of to-day Seem to have of the proper way Of showing respect due to the Lord While in the temple of their God. They on others will severely frown Whenever they whisper or gaze around, When in their mouths is kept a dirty

There they will sit, And chew and spit, Thinking 'tis quite the proper thing

For don't their pastor do so too?

When some good old brother is called

to pray, Often times he stops half way, Screws up his mouth and squints his Sighting the spittoon he lets the juice

fly, Though often times missing alm, Never once thinks he's partly to blame For the dirty spots that cover the floor From the pulpit to the door.
Ugh! I often wonder what they'd do,

When they get to heaven, for a chew For surely that poisonous weed Will not be found in an heavenly mead. Now, suppose the ladies when to church

And while you chew with tobacco etained lip They will, while listening, complacent-

they go,

ly dip. It's no more harm for them than you, exalted position, that this statement So let the sisters dip while the brethren chew.

sight Such a scene would bok quite right? Do you suppose He'dthink 'twas show-Ing respect
Or thoughtlessness and utter neglect? As others see, it is a disgrace

thus to defile your meeting place. Now look in the Bitle, for there you can see

The Lord says our bodies his holy templea ba. And if any man defiles it, him shall

So do you think you can go to glory With a quid stuck in the side of your settling of disputes, but not in this day

And chew and spit in that holy place? low just think shout ", won be Look at it right and I'm sure you wont ing with him. Good men in Burke Anyway, not while listening to His voted for Wm. J. Bryan. In October,

Will you show such derespect to the Pray for strength to conquer, don't be To a habit that will take you to an early grave.

No Moral Man Can Vote the Republican Ticket.

Harnett County News.

party who two years ago went before on the contrary he goes around carry- votes. If the Republican party had fluences in modern life than the unthe legislature and asked for acts pro- ing concealed weapons. The President its way that plank would not have natural straining to seem other than hibiting the sale, importation and is sworn to obey the law, but he vio- been put in the platform. A man we are. Nothing else so quickly lowmanufacture of any spirituous liquors. lates it. He is a passionate man, who writing to the New York Herald says : ers self-respect, takes the time edge off That is, they wanted some law passed cannot control himself. Roosevelt's "I am a Republican and have been for honor and blunts the conscience as the that would do away with so much of conduct in rejecting an American flag 25 years, voting the ticket, but I can- sense of being a sham, a gilled frond the liquor evil, and the Democratic presented by a young lady in Connecti- not yote for Roosevelt on account of or an unreality. It cheapers standards, party seeing that its majority wanted cut, who considered him the only hero his attitude to the South. "I will not lowers ideals, saps numbition, and takes some restrictions, passed an act that of San Juan hill, was grossly discour- vote for a man who is unjust to the the spring and joy out of living. No greatly helped the morals of our counteous. He directed his secretary to South. The nigger issue was forced man can make the most an i best of try, and now that it is not perfect and write this young lady, that he did not upon us by the Republican party and himself until he is absolutely honest too, that come men on the Democratic accept valuable presents, and yet he by men who live north of the Mason with his own soul, and until it ngly ticket are not out spoten pro nor con, was accepting passes from railroad and Dixon line. There is no national true to his highest ideals, and this is they claim that the Democrats are not companies and riding over this country Republican party, what there is was impossible while he is living a ite. sincere in their principles of prohibi- at their expense. The great American born in sectionalism and hate. I can't FEARFUL ODDS AGAINST HIM. tion. We ask the question, does any people cannot trust him, he violated understand how any Southern white one clause or sentence in the Rapub- his solemn oath to support the consti- man can walk up to the polls and vote Bedridden, alone and desting. lican platform adopted in state or tution. He recommended to Congress for this man, in company with a semicounty, give the moral forces one jot of that certain employes be placed on the barbarious nigger. If I had the choice Versailles, O. For years he was troubled to the barbarious nigger. hope, of any reform at any time now pension roll, and then retire them, between accepting the nigger and cut- led with kidney disease and neither or in the future?

and want the moral forces to lead, and velt by an executive order took \$12,000. Southern man for President, or vice the road to complete recovery." yet you vote for a party and affiliate 000 from the treasury and put it into president. We have men who can com- on earth for Liver and Kidney with a set of men whose majority is the pockets of these men without war- pare with any in this land, there is no and all form of Stormach and its and outspoken against every act done by rant of law. This was done in order to cabinet seat for them, not one to reprethe Democratic legislature. You, Mr. influence the votes of these people to sent us at the court of the great Moral Man, can you walk up to the vote the Republican ticket. He per- powers. We are political outcasts polls next November and vote the formed these acts when he expected to while the Republicas are in power. It young man overboard." May-"And Republican ticket when it is denouncing everything done by the Democrats? We admit that the best thing may yet be done, but can you hope to get anyhe be an intelligent reading man.

relief and soon cured him. He writes: that of his wife and daughter. Never but we do know that it is under strict "I now s'eep soundly every night." vote for a man who receives a nigger law. Abuse that law even slightly, Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia' Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds

He Scores The Administration. THE FRESIDENT UNSAFE.

The speech which Hon. Claude Kitchin made just before the close of the last session of Congress, in which he handled the President so vigorously, and while listening to the man of God has attracted much attention. Another young man who a few years ago was a Scotland Neck boy, recently spoke with similar force about President Roosevelt It was Mr. Thomas M. Hutham, of Hickory. He spoke in Morganton and the correspondent to the Charlotte Observer reported the speech as follows:

"Mr. Hufbam after paying a glow ing tribute to the distinguished men of Burke, past and present, and its

many enterprises. in substance said: That he came bearing a bright promise of a bright victory to the Democracy; that our opponents were rent asunder with great strife, and that the Democracy stood with a united front that all the wounds of the past had been healed and our differences adjusted. The Republicans met in conven-Take along a snuff box for a dip, you tion with cut and dried speeches and nominated Roosevelt, contrary to the wishes of the rank and file, that he was not the choice of his own party, because he was a man untit to hold this was not untrue. "I will vote the Re-Now do you think that in the Lord's publican ticket if that is not so." It is claimed that Roosevelt, though being before he public for many years, never was defeated; that this was not so; that he had been repudiated when he ran for mayor of New York. That he was a dangerous man, that once on account of a difference of opinion while a member of the police commission he proposed to resign his position to fight a duel with a man associ with him. In other days duels might have been the proper method for the and time. Yet the Republican party would shoet a man to death for differ-1896 Roosevelt said that the allver question could only be settled by Winchester rifles, which meant that we who voted for silver-65,000,000 of us. cei e a nigger in the capitol of the nadeserved to be lined up against the trop, and the convention had no right walland bullets put through our hearts. to place a white girl and a nigger side Exchange. A man who would say this is unfit to by side on its platform. Their plat- There are a thousand ways of lying. be President of the United States. A form threatens us, if we don't admit but all lead to the same end. It does

man who demands dignity and obe- the nigger on a political equality, they not matter whether you we'r lies, tell dience to the law will have to strain threaten to cut down our representa- lies, or live hes, your character is rules. his conscience to vote for him. Roose- tion in Congress and will do so, ed just the same.

nomination and election. "If there is a man who endorses can never and will never stand politi- him a line."-Chicago Daily News Rooseyelt's action in the canal matter cal equality with the nigger. thing from a party that has declared let him vote the Republican ticket. He itself straight out for the liquor men wanted to recognize Panama before it before the people of the South. Rooseand their course and too as far as pos- was duly organized, in doing this he welt is a man who cannot talk about the for the quality too rich, sour stomach is sible they are putting out liquor deal- violated all laws of conscience, moral- South without flying into a passion. likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by ers and saloon men and asking you to ity and justice. We believe in a canal, He curses and discriminates against constipation. Eat slowly and not too vote for them. Now, Mr. Moral Man, but not in the methods under which the South about political equality with freely of easily digested food. Mastican you do this? The man who says it was obtained, and therefore can de- a nigger. The trusts are fostered by cate the food thoroughly. Let five he wants moral reform and at the same nounce the vile and brutal conduct the Republican party through the protime goes up to the polls next November and votes the Republican ticket in utter disregard to the constitution life increased 33 1-3 per cent. 25,000 Chamberlain's Steinsch and Liver Tabis a hypocrite of the first type, provided and law and for that reason he is unworthy to hold this high office. On of this country. Mr. Lawson says ed. For sale by ET.Whitehead & Co. the race question our constitutional that at the last presidential election in Store Mohard A BOY'S WILD BIDE FOR LIFE. amendment was the best for our peo- 10 days the Republican party raised With family around expecting him ple. The negro question would be \$5,000,000 to carry five states. The The republicans may be he only to die, and a son riding for life, 18 asleep to-day were it not for Roosevelt. Republican party is owned by the people on earth who want office, yet miles, to get Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Lessville, Ind., endured death's agoutes from asthma; but Roosevelt sitting down and eating dinthis wonderful medicine gave instant ner with a nigger, as his equal and In the last analysis nobody knows,

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HUFHAM ON ROOSEVELT. A PASTOR'S WIFE CURED OF PELVIC GATARRIE

She Suffered for Years and Felt Her Case Was Hopeless-Cured by Pe-ru-na.

M RS. ANNA B. FLEHARTY, recent Superintendent of the W. C. T. U. headquarters, at Galesburg, Ill., was for ten years one of the leading women there. Her husband, when living, was first President of the Nebraska Wesleyan University, at Lincoln, Neb.

In a letter written from 401 Sixtyseventh street, W., Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Ficharty says the following in regard

"Having lived a very active life as wife and working partner of a busy minister, my health failed me a few years ago. I lost my husband about the same time, and gradually I seemed to lose health and spirit. My daughter is a confirmed invalid, and we both felt great need of an invigorator.

"One of my neighbors advised me to try Peruna. A bottle was immediately secured and a great change took place in my daughter's as well as in my own health. Our appetites improved very greatly, the digestion seemed much helped, and restful sleep soon improved us, so that we seemed like new women.

"I would not be without Peruna for ten times its cost." -- Mrs. Anna ing Peruna. B. Fleharty.

What used to be called female diseases writes; by the medical profession is now called "I was a terrible sufferer from female pelvic catarrh. It has been found by weakness and had the headerhe comingexperience that catarrhal diseases of the uously. I was not able to do my housepelvic organs are the cause of most cases work for myself and husband. I wrote

of female diseases. discovery. For forty years he has been cured. I think Peruna a wonderful treating diseases peculiar to women, and | medicine."-Mrs. Esther M. Milher. long ago he reached the conclusion that Congressman Thad, M. Mahon, of a woman entirely free from catarrhal Chambereburg, Pa., write: affection of these organs would not be ... I take pleasure in commen began using Peruna for these cases and found it so admirably adapted to their permanent cure that Peruna has now female disease.

Dr. Hartman bas probably cured more omer living physician. He makes these Ohio.

"This is the all important question



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A Thousand Ways of Lying.

There are men in the Republican velt ought to obey the law hunself, but Roosevelt doesn't care how the South There is no more demoralizing in-

men who were drawing salaries from ting down representation I would ac- doctors nor medicine gave him and re-No, thrice no, you are forced to say \$75 per month to \$3,000 per year. cept the latter. When the national lief. At length he tried Electric Estno, and still you say you are for reform, Congress refused to do this, but Roose- convention met no one thought of a ters. It put him on his feet in shore by E. T. Whitehead & Co , Druggiant.

> Ida-"Yes, Ernestine threw her go before the American people for the our representation is cut down we can then wrote him next day." Ida-"Ob., solve the question as in the past, we yes. She said it was her duty to drap

When the quantity of food taken is

fun in their primaries .- Durham Her-

vote for a man who receives a nigger pain results. Irregular living means in his house. He had no right to rederangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver in Constitution, Headache or Liver in Constit trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills