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EDITOR'S LEISURE HOURS.

OBSERVATIONS OF PASSING EVENTS.

In the Farmers' National Congress in Richmond last week Hon. J. Bry-

au Grimes, Secretary of State for North Carolina, delivered an able address

filed away in every office and home for the study of our great resources.

The eloquent closing paragraph was as follows: "In this summerland, the

land of boundless undeveloped wealth, of inexhaustible resources, lies the

future of this great Republic. Here in the most American part of our Union

the dawn of a new era is upon us. Here, beside the farm is being built the

factory. Around them are great forests, and iron roads, and deep rivers run

to growing ports. Good roads are being built on every hand, postal routes

will go to every man's door. A parcels post is being recognized as a neces-

sity soon to come, and everywhere telephones destroy isolation. School

houses are near every home, and church spires rise in sight of each other.

Prosperous, cultured and happy homes abound everywhere. We are rich

in all material resources, but riche t in brave men and good women. To

this home of plenty, this land of promise, our own fair, Sunny Southland,

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As there is a reward for every good and right thing, so there is a penalty

for every bad and wrong thing. The rewards to labor, honest and manly

The Penalty of Idleness. also are the penalties to idleness and incorrect

living incalculable and unnumbered. The Atlanta Sunny South in

a recent editorial article on this subject said some very wise and thought-

ful things. Following is the closing paragraph: "We are reminded of

the case of George M. Pullman, the millionaire maker of the modern sleep-

ing ear, and his spendthrift son of the same name. Pullman, senior, in

his first round with fortune, had only determination, natural ability and

good health as backers. Through sheer native force he won his battle and

established a princely fortune and an enviable reputation. How sadly

reads the son's story in contrast. From his cradle accustomed to gratifica-

tion of the lightest caprice, and, in spite of his father's strenuous teachings,

imbibing the idea that inherited wealth exempted him from a share in the

world's work, he gave himself up to diversions and a life of the grossest

idleness. Pleasures which the libertine has made odious he quaffed to de-

pletien, and died prematurely, with nothing to mark his passage through

the world but a slimy trail of scandal and dissipation. This is only one in-

stance of the harm wrought by an absence of the incentive to work. Other

parailel cases could be cited. There are the conventional exceptions, of

course, but in the main the story is tolerably consistent. Don't rail at fate

if you were born to a birthright of labor. It is the one thing that makes a

man discover unknown glories in himself and the world, and which allows

him some portion of the credit for the developing of the powers which are

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THE public is familiar with the case of Thomas Nall, a patient in the

and taken back to the institution where he soon

died. As a result of the death the four attend-

State Hospital at Raleigh, who escaped, was captured by four attendants

ants were charged with the crims of maltreating Nall and causing his

speedy death. The four attendants so charged are in Wake county juil to

be tried in the Superior Court for Nall's death. The board of directors of

the institution, at the suggestion of Governor Glenn, met some days ago in

Raleigh to make a thorough investigation concerning the treatment of pa-

tients in the State Hospital. This is entirely correct and Governor Glenn's

advice and the course of the board of directors for the institution will meet

the hearty approval of every thoughtful citizen of the State. The people

of the State support the institution, and whenever there comes any sus-

picton of mismanagement in any way, they are entitled to know the truth

about it. Not only is this true of the State Hospital at Raleigh, but it is

true of any other State institution. We are making no suggestion that

there has been mismanagement at the institution in question, for every-

thing there may have been done perfectly and in order; but the fact that

a patient died under circumstances that warranted an investigation, and

that as a result of that investigation four men are charged with his death.

is sufficient cause to make the people of North Carolina wonder if that is

the only case of maltreatment. Like winds and thunder storms, investiga-

tions purify the atmosphere, notwithstanding some people may become a

little frightened during the progress of the storm. The investigation has

closed and it is believed that when the directors make their report to-day

they will disagree with the coroner's conclusions and will endorse the man-

A Full Investigation.

agement of the institution.

LIKE FINDING MONEY.

Finding health is like finding money

-so think those who are sick. When

you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or

hest irritation, better act promptly

like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va.

He says:"I had a terrible chest trouble,

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Norfolk Virginian-Pilot, Sept. 14th.

SCOTLAND NECK, N. C., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1905.

Good Outlook for Peanuts.

The American Nut Journal in its September issue has the following concerning the local peanut market:

Practically no trading will be done in farmers' crops of peanuts until the arrival of the new crop, as all of the old crop of both Virginia and Spanish nuts ish goods in the hands of either dealers or commission men in the Norfolk market, and very small stocks even with cleaners in Petersburg, with the exception of one firm which has stock ample for its requirements. There has been a slight falling off in prices during the month, Spanish now bringing \$1.12 1-2 per bushel for farmers' grades. No. 1 Spanish shelled are quoted at 7 cents, and No. 2 at 4 cents per Sept. 11th:

The receipt of farmers' goods on the Petersburg market do not average more han a carload a week, and the receipts on the Norfolk market are correspondingly low. The weather for the past ten days has been exceedingly unfavorable for peanut growing, and the crop will be much later than was expected earlier in the season. Crops, as a rule, are looking exceedingly well, and if the cold, wet weather is not too long continued they will make very satisfactory yields. On account of unfavorable seasons many crops are very grassy, while other crops have not been properly worked on account of too much wet

Farmers' stock of Spanish has been exhausted on the Weldon, N. C. market, and it is not thought a carload could be found in the state. Prices remain firm. The prospects are that the yield in the Weldon section will be about the same as last year.

The Wilmington, N. C., market has been rather dull for several days, but a bigger demand is looked for after submerged torpedo tubes. September 1. The outlook is bright for an average crop.

St. Louis reports a very satisfactory market with but light stocks in the hands of distributors. There is a steady consumptive demand. Spanish shelled are still in urgent demand, the recent advances not materially affecting the trade for this variety.

### Be Good for Something.

self-complacent virtue which is only wounded. a strict abstention from evil, is of quality far inferior to the virtue which suppresses evil or helps another to re sist it. Virtue, in the old Latin sense, is synonymous with valor. It implies not only an espousal, but a championis not only being good, but doing good, and the better we are the more we ought to do. We believe in these lines of R. R. Bowker:

"It is bad for the ignorant and the vicious to do ill. It is worse for the educated and honest to do nothing."

CURED OF LAME BACK AFTER 15 YEARS OF SUFFERING.

"I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Champerlain's Pain Baim," says John G. Bisher, Gillam, Ind. This liniment is also without an equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale by all drugglats.

With the Japanese-Russian war ended, Anguinaldo, the erstwhile leader of the Filipino rebels, has been resurrected. The Philippine leader will not stay bought, it appears, and is endeavoring to fome at another insurrection .- Newport News Times-Herald.

Are you lacking in strength and rigor? Are you weak? Are you in pain? Do you feel all run down? T. Whitehead & Co., Scotland Neck, The blessing of health and strength Legget's drug store, Hobgood. come to all who use Hollister's Rocky-Mountain Tea. 35 cents. E. T. Whitehead & Co, Scotland Neck, Jno. N. Brown, Halifax.

Those enthusiastic crowned nabobs of Europe who are "slopping over" with congratulations to our "big stick" that they overlooked a good bit when they failed to "but in" to the peace and some souse meat and it gave me negotiations at Portsmouth.-Ashevile Citizen.

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O give me the joy of living, And some glorious work to do ! spirit of thanksgiving, With loyal heart and true; Some pathway to make brighter, Where tired teet now stray;

Some burden to make lighter

While 'tis day. has been exhausted. There are no Span- On the fields of the Master's gleaming May my heart and hands be strong; et me know life's deepest meaning, Let me sing life's sweetest song; With some faithful hearts to love me Let me nobly do my best; And at last, with heaven above me,

#### Let me rest! Admiral Togo's Ship Lost.

Following is the account of the blowing up of Admiral Togo's ship

Tokio, Japan, Sept. 12 .- 2 p. m .-The navy department announces that the battleship Mikasa has been destroyed by fire and the explosion of her magazines, causing the loss of 599 lives. including men of other ships wno went to the rescue.

The fire started from an unknown cause at midnight on Sunday night, September 10. Before the officers could be rescued the fire reached the aft magezine, which exploded, blowing a hole in the port side of the vessell below the water line and causing the ship to sink.

An investigation is now being held to determine the cause of the fire.

The Mikasa was a first-class battlesnip of 15,200 tons displacement. She was built in England and was launch ed in 1902. The battleship was 400 feet long, had a speed of over 18 knots and carried a crew of 935 officers and men. She was heavily armored and carried four 12-inch guns, four 6-inch guns, twenty 12 pounds, and a number of smaller rapid fire guns. She had four

In the battle of the Sea of Japan, the Mikasa was the heaviest loser of all the Japanese ships, having sixtythree killed and wounded. She approached nearer the Russians than any other battleship.

The Mikasa was also the flagship of Admiral Togo after the great naval battle tought off Port Arthur on August 10, 1904, on which occasion the Japanese flagship also suffered the most, but continued in the fighting The highest virtue contists of more line. On that occasion the Mikasa than merely being good. It is being had four officers and twent-nine men good for something; and good for some- killed, six officers and twenty-nine thing not to one's self alone, but to men severely wounded, and four offiothers and to God. That negative, cers and twenty-eight men slightly

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### Over-Work Weakens

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matism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady

heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

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and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar siz-es. You may have a sample bottle by mail Home of Swamp Root. free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

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