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EDITOR'S LEISURE HOURS,

OBSERVATIONS OF PASSING EVENTS.

WITH the multitude of cotton factories in North Carolina, it is rather

Carolina produces most of the cotton in the

State, but somehow the most of the cotton mills

tion whether or not the people along these lines

are taking advantage of these conveniences.

Newspaper men frequently discuss the reading

strange that so few of them are in the eastern part of the State. Eastern

are located elsewhere. Halifax county produced in 1904 about 22,000 bales

of cotton, and the estimated crop for 1905 was about 17,000 bales; but in

all this county there is but one cotton mill and that is at Roanoke Rapids.

With a good mill or two at every town the price of cotton would be a bit

better all the time in the county and the county would get the advantage

of using the money which is spent in employing operatives to spin the

cotton. It seems strange that here where there is so much cotton produced

there should be so few mills for the manufacture of it. Cannot those who

have money in the various counties in this part of the State be induced to

invest it in cotton mills? To do this would be to help materially every

community in which such mills should be located. The cotton is here, the

money is here and the only thing needed for this work is some vigorous

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the length of time these have been in operation, it is an interesting ques-

habits of the people; and they generally reach the conclusion that most of

the reading is done by the people in the cities, towns and villages. A news-

paper man was saying a few days ago that he finds many people in the

country who do not read at all, and many who do read are very indifferent

about what they read. He said he was asking a man in the country to

subscribe to his paper. The countryman said that he already was taking

one paper and he reckoned that was enough. Upon being questioned by

the newspaper man about what paper it was the countryman said he did

not just remember. And so it is. There is more of this indifference about

reading in the country than one who does not make observation would be-

lieve. Some cheap advertising sheet from the West finds its way into a

home now and then and frequently the man who gets it feels like it is

about all the paper he needs. Someone will say that such cases are rare.

Well, they are not so rare as one might suppose. Sometimes when a solici-

tor for subscribers to a paper asks a man to take his paper, he answers that he

has as many papers sent him free as he can read. But are the people in

the rural districts utilizing their opportunities for reading? Perhaps in

some places they are, but we should say that in most cases they are not.

Almost any and every man in the country can take a weekly paper—he can

SOMETIMES it becomes rather fashionable for politicians to speak of the

antagonize. It is rather a catchy phrase and no

doubt is sometimes overworked. We do not

greed for money in certain quarters by certain interests which they wish to

wish to use it in any such way; but careful observation of the spirit of the

times convinces one that the greed for money is truly a reality. And we

do not have to go to the great cities of the North, West, East, or South to

find this condition. It is all about us, even at our own doors and in many

of our homes, and is a part, sad to say, of the life of many of us. While we

do not wish to be pessimistic in our views, and while we would greatly pre-

fer to look on the bright side of everything, candor compels us to say that

the greed for money has taken a hold on many people in almost every com-

munity that is fearful to contemplate. Health, morals, religion and every-

thing else is given a secondary consideration to money. It is money,

money, money all the time. If a young man who has been away from a

community a dozen or more years, or even not so many, returns to his old

community, the chief and uppermost question concerning him is, how

much money has he made? What is he worth? Seldom, if ever, does any-

one make inquiry concerning the man's intellectual or moral development,

or whether he has done any good in the world. He is sized up, as we say,

by the money he has made. This great greed for money has grown so

strong that in many communities it is thwarting its own purpose. For

instance, some individuals become so grasping that they lose all idea of

co-operative work and want to make it all themselves, and so throttle many

a good, and safe and helpful enterprise which would do good in their com-

munity. By turning losse a little of their money to encourage and help

the enterprise they would not only make it possible for their own interests

to grow, but would help others as well. Then the greed for money often

becomes a boomerang which returns with doubled force for disadvantage

on the very persons who love the almighty dollar so well. Men ought to

be men and rise above the littleness that the gnawing greed for money

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get it without much trouble, and surely the cost of the paper is little.

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#### WHY HE FAILED.

Man Figures That He Wasted 75,- There are two kinds of people on earth 000 Hours in Fifty Years.

San Francisco Chronicle.

I am 60 years old. regularly, since I was 20, and part of

I am a failure, a mediocrity rather, Not the rich and the poor, for to count which probably is as bad, if not worse,

than an utter failure. Some times, years ago, I used to kick and blame others because I was not a brilliant success. In fact, without boasting, I should have been a success. I am quite clever, I know my business, I can sell snuff, and can hustle as hard as any one. I am a fairly faithful worker and have the experience and have had the backing. Bring each man his laughter and each Yet I have failed.

The day I was 60 years old I made some calculations based on solid, sober facts, simply to show them to my boy, who is growing up, I hope, at least, to be a bit different from his tather. I had found out several years before why Wherever you go, you will find the I had failed, and I made these calculations to make it plainer to him. Per- Are always divided in just these two haps the figures may help some other young fellow.

Plainly, as I found out after blaming everything else, I was not a fairly successful man because I wanted too much

In fact, I wasted over eight years of time out of 50 available for work in which I should have been doing something to advance or improve myself was and am moderately well fixed. It I had availed myself of that time which I wasted carelessly, and added the results to the small things that I have achieved, my family would have had a little more than my life insurance to depend on.

These are the figures that I prepared for my son : Overslept 10 minutes a day for 50

years ...... Wasted hunting lost things 20 minutes a day for 50 years.. 6,100 Talking uselessly 30 minutes a a day for 50 years..... 9,100 Waiting for cars ten minutes a

day for 50 years..... 2,440 Smoking (excess) 30 minutes a day for 45 years ..... 8,190 Telephoning(delays) 20 minutes a day for 15 years..... 1,830 Cards, billiards, pool, etc. 40 minutes a day for 40 years.. 7,280 chest as hot as the patient can bear.

Horses, dogs, babies, etc., 40 minutes a day for 50 years.. 11,150 Barrooms, 40 minutes a day for 40 years..... 9,720 Plain loafing, 45 minutes a day

for 50 years..... 16,425 Total waste in 50 years 75,285

One of Lincoln's Homes.

The old log building that from 1831 to 1836 was the home of Abraham Lincoln is fast falling into decay on the homestead, two miles from the village of Petersburg, Ill. The only attempt to keep the house from tumbling down has been to prop it up with poles at one end, not so much to pre serve the historic structure as to prevent its falling upon the horses and cattle which it now shelters. All around are piles of cobs and barnyard

John D. Hofing now owns the farm The building was once a widely known tavern, kept by Bowling and Nancy Green. There Lincoln resided in the five years he made New Salem his headquarters. The two-mile drive from Petersburg to Salem is along the banks of the picturesque Sangamon. It was at Salem that Lincoln wooed

Ann Rutledge, whose untimely death caused even his strong mind to give away temporarily. The grave in Oakwood Cemetery is visited by many tourists. It is marked by a plain granite boulder, taken from a nearby stream On the rough side is carved the name "Ann Rutledge". That is all bowels at the same time. It expels all but it tells of a story of devoted love that was interrupted by death, yet never wholly lost. The memories that branes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, never wholly lost. The memories that whooping cough, etc. Sold by E. T. cluster about that grave will never fade Lincoln always maintained that the spirit of Ann Rutledge was constantly near him and was his inspiration and support in the years that followed .-New York World.

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Just two kinds of people, no more, l

I have been at work more or less Not the sinner and saint, for 'tis well understood

the time between 10 and 20 years of The good are ball bad and the bad are half good.

> a man's wealth You must first know the state of his

conscience and health. Not the humble and proud, for in life's

little span,

man his tears.

Who puts on vain airs is not counted

Not the happy and sad, for the swiftflying years

No, the two kinds of people on earth I

Are the people who lift and the people

world's masses classes.

And oddly enough, you will find, too, I wean,

There is only one lifter to twenty who In which class are you? Are you eas

ing the load Of overtaxed lifters who toll down the road?

Or are you a leaner who lets others Your portion of labor and worry and

cara? -Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Harper's

#### Onions for Pneumonia.

rounds of many papers and a good remedy for pneumonia:

"Take six or ten onlone, according to size, chop fine, put in a large spider on a hot fire, then add the same quantity of rye meal and vinegar enough to form a thick paste. Stir thoroughly, letting simmer five or ten minutes. Then put in a cotton bag large enough to cover the lungs and apply to the

In about ten minutes apply another, and thus continue by reheating the poultices. In a few hours the patient will be out of danger.

It has been said that this remedy has never tailed to effect a cure. From three to four applications usually are all that are needed to start the perspiration freely from the chest. The rem: dy is said to have been originated by a New England physician, who achieved great success through the application

Pneumonia is a disease which calls for the constant care of a competent physician and one should be in attendance, but occasionally a simple remedy will help wonderfully in the first stages or in the absence of the family doctor.

#### Teach Your Daughter.

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stockings and mend gloves. Teach her to dress for health and com-

fort, as well as for apperance. Teach her to arrange the parlor and

Teach her to have a place for everything and to put everything in its place Teach her to say no and mean it

Teach her to love and cultivate flow-

and to say yes and stick to it Teach her to have nothing to do with intemperate young men.

Teach her to pay regard to the character of those she would associate with and not to how much money they have.-Detroit News.

"What a lovely collection of cdd cups!" exclaimed a guest, peering into years !"-Detroit Free Press.

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WOMEN SHOULD are not considered BEWARE OF allowed to run on, izes the circula-CATCHING COLD. or they are treated tion of the blood, in such a way as to only palliate the thus relieving the

symptoms, while the cold becomes more | congested mucous deep-seated and the patient finally membranes. It exens to the fact that she has a welldeveloped case of catarrh. By reason of their delicate structure membranes, no matter whether they

the lungs are frequently the seat of a are the more exposed membranes of the cold, especially if there is the slightest head and throat, or whether they line weakness of these organs. The treat- the remotest cells of the lungs. ment of catarrh of the lungs is also more difficult and discouraging than catarrh of any other organ of the body. a cold.

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