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WORK THE ROADS.

The plan to have State bonds to purchase one of the leased farms has moved the Winston Journal to protest. The ty instead of leasing it may be all right, perhaps the farm may be worth much ore than the price called for in the option. That does not make the system any more decent. It is strange that the farmers of the State do not demand that an end be put to the whole thing.

Vibile it was about it, the Journal might have said a few thing concerning the shirt making establishment at Raleigh, which makes and "does up" shirts at a price that would starve decept labor te compete with. And how about the laundry at the State's Prison that offers to do the washing for the city of Raleigh in competition with free labor?

A visit to the prison and a view of big strong men, white and black, working at sewing machines and starching and ironing collars, will cause any sensible person to see the iniquity of the whole thing. North Carolina roads are famous vict available in the State on the public roads is what an enlightened policy demands. The less robust convicts can raise food and make clothing for the road builders without competing with honest labor. It is absolutely astoundthat this evil exists within our very doors, while the farmers and laboring classes, are demanding "reforms" in matters that do not effect their well being in but a slight degree. This is what the "Journal" says;

"It looks to us like a shame that this state should be called upon for almost sixty thousand dollars more in the purchase of a farm upon which to work

Working convicts upon expensive farms is a nice way to impoverish our state treasury; it is more than that, it is a method by which sinecures may be furnished for favorites at the State's expense. But beyond that, what! Instead clan, but grew worse: He told her she

pense. But beyond that, what! Instead of these convicts being put to work at something by which the state could be helped, their time is frittered away upon experimental farms at vast cost to tax pay are.

"Why, we ask, caunot these convicts be put to work on the public roads of the state where they can accomplish something of value to the people and to the State? We are bitterly opposed to the waste of State funds and cannot regard these purchases of line farms upon which to work convicts otherwise than gard these purchases of fine farms upon which to work convicts otherwise than

"The State would get more benefit and no would we for them to send that afrey thousand dollars down to Forsyth coun-ty along with a hundred convicts to work our county roads. This would be a mat-ter of real business. It is a pity but what there were some way to sajola Treasurer Worth from issuing these bonds. It would save some good money to the State, and we are under the impression just now that the tax payers do not want to see it wasted."—Winston

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Phasphate miners from southern Florida report an increasing demand for phosphate and the riporcus working of all the mines. Shipments are double what they were a year ugo, and pripes continues to advance.

Mr. A. N. Nooll of Ashors

Yes she told them they must but ear eything about her reception, and they Griggs—Yes, but I suspected he had ulterfor motives. There as idea that he wanted me to save money so that I should be able to pay his bill.

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Messager-I'm not sure, sir, but I think it is a birthday present from your The Chinese detective force is a secret ody and the best organized in the world. They have an eye upon every man, woman or child, foreign or native in China, and, in addition, watch each other Wederly-Ob, very well; just leave the bill and I'll send a check for the amount

"We have sold many different cough medies, but none has given better stisfaction than Chamberlain's," says makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physi-Mr. Charles Holzhauer, Druggist, Newark, N. J. "It is perfectly safe and can be relied upon in all cases of coughs,

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A Kansas paper, under the head of local jottings, says: "Three or four cy-clones ripped through the village since sur last issue.

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An Spidamie of Diarrhops.

Weavior a Spell

He-I am rather is favor of the English than the American mode of spelling.

She - Yes?

He-Tes, indeed. Take "parlour," for
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Woman's Work is Never Done.

Tuken at Her Word.

They were bender all to be replaced by five or all. We realize at their make out what they were up to but by and by we discovered that their objective point was a thickest on our front center. Then it was cay to conclude that some warrior of premiusado was in that thickest dead or wounded, and that the object was in carry him off.

"Our empisis gave orders to ceans firting. He wanted these redskins to understand that Ovenhary D had too much honor to five upane wounded for much honor to five upane wounded for and too much nevery to shoot down these who would entry away the dead for burial. We lay there and let the limitans dash up with a yell, and two minutes later, as they rode off with whoops and cheers, we were all shalling with laughter. They were not after a dead or wounded hork, but what they wanted and what they got were two kegs of whisky which had been hidden there.

"Our captain didn't fittels on until too into, and then he jumped up and down and told us to blaze away. We blazed away but though we fired away \$10 worth of Uncle Sam's good cartridges, we didn't even graze a pony."—Cloveland Plain Dealer. rested her so shabbily.
Did they? Such a prominent accings

Wonders of the tiess Engles.
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Can You Indulge In Think "During the day every one should ake a few minutes' sleep, preferably directly after the noon ment," writes Edward B. Warman in The Ladles Home Journal. "The time given to it may seem too precious for one in business, but it will be more than compensated for by the mental and bodily condition that follows. Sit in an easy condition that follows. Sit in an easy chair. Lying down directly after a meal crowds the digestive organs and makes one's sleep restless instead of restful. Rest the head comfortably. Tip the chair to a pleasant angle for the body, not enough to have the weight of the body on the back. Piace the feet on a chair as high or a chair his heads than the one muon which Place the feet on a chair as high or a trifle higher than the one upon which you are sitting; cross the limbs at the ankle joints, close the hinds together by interlacing the fingers, place the fleshy part of the thumbs together in order to avoid grasping the hands too tightly and close the eyes. Having thus closed the circuit, it will be necessary to relieve yourself of all nervous and muscular tension. Think only ous and muscular tension. Think only of your slow, measured breathing and the desire for a restful sleep."

A Tart Retort.

A good story is told about former Governor George S. Houston. Houston and one of the public men now distinguished in the public life of the state had an appointment to deliver public speeches. They had to drive a long distance before dinner time and arrived at a farmhouse in time for dinner. Houston was sick. His companion had a ravenous appetits.

"Mr. Houston," said the housewife, with some indignation. "I see you ain't eating much. I know the dinner ain't much, but it is the best I could get up. I'm sorry you don't appreciate the dinner."

"My good woman, the dinner is per-fect, but I am iii. In addition to that I have got to make a speech immediate-ly, and I can't speak well after eating

"Tes," said the good housewife, with apirit, "it's just like this—an empty wagon makes the loudest noise." Hous-ton was slient. The other man ate ravenously.—Birmingham (Als.) Age-Herald.



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