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farm and garden, and various other out-door matters, he will be compelled to take it in some other form which may draw him away more effectually from his duties at the hospital.

Then, also, it must be remembered that, by the very nature of his position, the superintendent of a hospital for the insane is, in great measure, debarred from many of those social enjoyments and recreations which other medical men can enjoy; and that, in place of being tied down to an unvarying routine of duties—such as these gentlemen would so kindly prescribe for him—he is entitled to lead that kind of life which best accords with his own ideas of duty to the hospital, to society and to his own family; to enjoy liberty in the way he may feel most conducive to his health and to the welfare of those committed to his charge, and to engage in the pursuit of happiness in all those modes which may, while fulfilling strictly and conscientiously the duties of his position, enable him to realize most fully that

> "Not enjoyment, and not sorrow,
> Is our destined end or way;
> But to act that each to-morrow,
> Find us farther than to-day."

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and as the figures may be of interest to some of the readers of the ALIENIST AND NEUROLOGIST, we venture to reproduce them:

TABLE D.

Differential Temperature in states of Agitation and Calm.

(IN FIVE FEMALE LUNATICS.)

Name of Patient.	Frontal Region.				Parietal Region.				Occipital Reg'n.				Half of Head.				Mean of Entire Head.	
	Left.		Right.		Left.		Right.		Left.		Right.		Left.		Right.			
	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.	State of Agitation.	State of Calm.
Z. C.	37.3	33.6	36.9	36.5	37.0	36.5	37.3	36.6	36.9	36.2	36.8	36.3	37.06	36.43	37.00	36.14	37.03	36.45
Z. M.	37.3	36.1	37.4	36.1	36.9	36.0	37.1	36.1	36.8	35.8	34.8	35.6	37.00	35.96	37.10	35.93	37.00	35.95
S. M.	37.1	36.2	37.0	36.3	37.1	36.2	36.9	36.1	37.1	36.2	37.1	36.0	37.10	36.02	37.00	36.13	37.00	36.08
P. V.	37.4	36.7	37.2	36.5	37.3	36.8	37.1	36.7	37.3	36.5	37.1	36.2	37.30	36.46	37.10	36.46	37.20	36.56
C. A.	37.0	36.3	37.1	36.2	37.3	36.0	37.2	36 0	37.1	35.8	37.0	35.8	37.13	36.03	37.10	36.00	37.11	36.01

It is not less difficult to explain the results furnished by simple lypemania, as, accepting the hypothesis that this form is connected with a state of cerebral anæmia, it should be a natural consequence, that a lower temperature than that obtained by us would be presented. Having, on the contrary, found a temperature almost equal to that of the sane person, we may perhaps assume that the mental activity, persistent in lypemania, though not always exhibited, may give origin to a local development of heat sufficient to raise the temperature of the head to a degree equal to the normal. In confirmation of this hypothesis, the fact may be stated, that whilst the temperature of the body, taken in the axilla, gives a figure a little below the normal, we find equal to the normal, or but a little under it, that of the head, which ought to be inferior,

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