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JUBILEE ENDOWMENT.

In an early issue of the RECORD we hope to have the pleasure of announcing the completion of arrangements whereby the trustees of the Jubilee Endowment will be placed in possession of a goodly investment, the annual interest of which will be available to the management of the Hospital in carrying out the various obligations and responsibilities they have undertaken.

A kind and warm-hearted friend of the Hospital has set aside a handsome sum till such time as just the desired kind of investment can be procured. Business men know the importance of having investments for an institution like a hospital, which will yield the maximum of interest with the maximum of security. They recognize the importance of having securities of as permanent a character as possible, and those which will give the minimum of trouble in their management. It is the procuring of such an investment at the most favorable price that our generous friend is now engaged in, so that the lump sum of money which has been set aside will yield the Hospital the largest possible amount of invested funds.

When this endowment comes into th

possession of the Hospital it will mark an epoch in its history. Though it has been in active operation nearly four years it has, so far, not been in the enjoyment of a single dollar of endowment revenue or of government or municipal grant. It has been projected and maintained by the loving devotion and self sacrifice of its friends. With the establishment of an endowment fund now being made, it is both hoped and believed that other generous friends will be encouraged to emulate the wise course of providing such gifts while they are alive and can enjoy the keen pleasure of planning them and seeing the results rather than of making provision for them by will.

Where this course is impracticable however, for any reason the bequest by will should not be neglected.

Every institution of the nature of our Hospital should have a fair amount of endowment so that a certain dependable revenue can be counted upon.

Such a financial condition gives stability to the work and courage to the management.

The *Atlanta Medical and Surgical Journal* for March, in an editorial on that oft-repeated plea of murderers and other brutal criminals, the plea of "insanity," says: "Above all, let our 'experts' give testimony according to facts and not according to the side they are on." A more biting arraignment of the "expert" would be difficult to find. And if "experts" testify as they are paid—and it seems that some of them do, according to the journal quoted—what difference is there between them and its false witness sometimes called perjurer.