

Curiosities of the Congressional Directory.

[N. Y. Graphic.] The Congressional Directory, which has been ably compiled for so many years by the veteran correspondent, Ben. Perley Poore, is out for the forty-fifth Congress, and contains short sketches of the lives of the statesmen who occupy the two ends of the Capitol and much other interesting information. We learn from looking over the biographies that there are in the Senate and House of Representatives fifty-eight ex-Federal officers and fifty-seven ex-Confederate officers, although there are in the House alone twenty-five men who were engaged some way or another under the Confederacy during the rebellion. Some were Governors of their States, some Representatives or Senators in the Confederacy, others in the Legislatures of their States. Of the 365 members and Senators whose biographies are given, 239 are lawyers. There are nineteen bankers, the profession next in numbers; seventeen merchants, fifteen editors, twelve farmers and planters, twenty physicians, seven manufacturers, five officers of railroads, five school-teachers and college professors; brewers 2 (Jones, of New Hampshire and Quinn of New York), millers 2, miners 2, bricklayer 1 (Anthony Hiner of St. Louis), a civil engineer (Schleicher of Texas), a sailor (Smalls of South Carolina), a oil well man (Watson of Pennsylvania), a barber (Rathey of South Carolina), a butcher (McPherson of New Jersey), a stage owner (Page of California), a railroad passenger agent (Nicholas Muller of New York). There are several who do not give their occupations, such as Brogden of North Carolina, who has been in office almost constantly all his life; also George Washington Patterson, of New York, (the oldest member) who was born in 1799, and began to hold office when he was 31 years of age, and has since, in one way and another, continued in office. Fernando Wood can be set down as a professional "Congressman." So can Cox, the only man who has served Congress from two States. In Cox's biography he says he "is the author of several works and a constant contributor to the press and periodicals." That is his business.

The Emma Mine.

The unfortunate stockholders of the Emma Mine again come to the front, and have brought a suit against Tremor W. Park to recover \$5,000,000 which they invested in Little Emma, on Park's tract, and Schenck's recommendations. Tremor Park has been for some months preparing to clear out the famous mine and sink another shaft to see if he can find the billions of money alleged to be there by the Yale Professor.

Russian Newspapers Conducted on the Plan of the St. Louis "Globe-Democrat."

[New York Tribune.] Russian newspapers are conducted on an economical basis, and the publishers tell no lies. The Moscow "Centralna Gazeta" recently incurred the displeasure of the government, and an officer of the Press Bureau was sent to the office to arrest the proprietors. The person in the establishment was the publisher, and he was sternly summoned to fetch the editor. The publisher went up stairs and returned speedily with a large pair of scissors. "Here, sir, is the editor." The officer was rather disconcerted, but soon recovered himself, and exclaimed more sternly than ever, "No more! fetch me the sub-editor." Again the publisher departed, and again returned, this time with a pot of paste and a brush. "These, sir," he said, "are the sub-editors."

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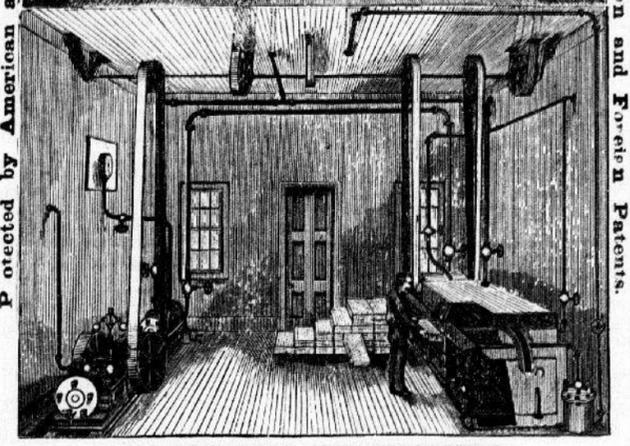
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