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Does It Pay to Go to Congress?

Is it worth while to be a congressman? The question is suggested by some of numerous "lame ducks" who have recently shaken the dust of Washington from their feet and lapsed into sudden obscurity.

Observations

Zion City prophets announce that the end of the world has been postponed 421 years. That gives us a breathing spell. Some self-made men show it, and all humanity would be a little ahead, had they let out the job to experts.

POLICE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA ACTUALLY HAVE HABIT OF GIVING REAL SERVICE TO PUBLIC



VARIETY AMERICANUS

VANCOUVER MOUNTED POLICE anybody if they wanted to because they carry no clubs, sticks, canes or slung shots and there isn't any white slave traffic to worry about.

Workers of the World

BY PETER POWER.

MORE THAN 350,000 MEN CAN'T GET WORK.

In the bituminous coal districts there has been much suffering owing to lack of employment. Speaking at Jacksonville, O., a few days ago, President John P. White of the United Mine Workers, declared that more than one-half of the 700,000 miners in the country are in enforced idleness.

Inspiration of "Mob Madness"

Saith a capitalistic organ: "The food riots in France are as wrong-headed as all such popular movements inspired by mob madness—but all the people of France must pay the bill."

She Didn't See the Number

A motor, overspeeding. Had knocked a woman down, then sped away (as is the wont of motors in this town).

MOST ANYTHING

The housewife looketh in her trunk To find her winter furs, Which she with care and camphor wrapped;

ONE FOR HER MOTHER

The Black Hand society wrote a man a letter demanding that he put one thousand dollars in a barrel on the corner of X and Z streets at nine o'clock on Friday night, or they would blow up the beautiful home of his wife's mother.

OUR DAILY BIRTH-DAY PARTY.

"After prison—what?" That was the question Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth asked herself and the world several years ago.

NOT ALL THE NERVE EXTRACTED

A patient entered a dentist's office the other day, and, after showing a swollen cheek for admittance to the chair, was told that the tooth was "very bad," and that the nerve would need to be removed.

They're a Layin' for Us

Heard my printer fellows cheer, editorially, a while ago, about free pulp for print paper under Canadian reciprocity, didn't you?

A NEW PROFESSION

"What's the matter?" said the second-story man. "You don't seem to be doin' business."

THAT ETERNAL QUESTION

Willie—Pa. Pa—Yes. Willie—Teacher says we're here to help others. Pa—Of course we are. Willie—Well, what are the others here for?

Qualified for Courting, Anyhow

Women are now eligible to practice law in all the federal courts and in several of the state courts.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Sept. 13, 1862, Private B. W. Mitchell of Co. F, 27th Indiana volunteers, found three cigars on the ground when the 12th U. S. army corps camped at Frederick, Md.

FAIR PLAY

BY BERTON BAILEY. Now this is the rule of the game, A rule that the player must learn, The deal that you GIVE is the same As you'll probably GET in return;

In the Editor's Mail

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