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CRANKS AND THE CONSTITUTION.

Senator Butler, of the North Carolina Populist, like most of his tribe of statesmen, is not in love with the constitution of the United States as framed a hundred years ago.

This particular feature of the constitution has excited the ire of Senator Butler and his fellow Populists, and he has introduced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution giving congress the power to pass a bill over the veto of a majority vote.

While unwilling to wound unnecessarily the feelings of Senator Butler, we are inclined to believe that the American people have more confidence in the wisdom and statesmanship of George Washington, Benjamin Franklin and their associates composing the constitutional convention of 1787 than they have in forty-cent dollar senators from North Carolina or any other state.

Missourians are always doing something to surprise the balance of the human race. Sometimes the surprises are not to be commended, but occasionally there is virtue in them.

Something of that kind must needs happen when we open the door on the thither side of the tomb and step from the darkness of death into the bright light of eternal life.

All this is very puzzling to us just now, and in the silent watches of the night the eyes of the body have been kept wide open because the inquiring eyes of the mind could not see the solution of the mystery.

The lips of the body may laugh at trivial things, but when the soul laughs and is merry it is because God is not far off and heaven is nigh at hand.

police of our cities have something more important to do than to protect alien agitators from the violence they have deliberately courted.

It appears that the single state of Georgia has more manufacturing than the whole South had in 1860.

A hypothetical question in a New York will case contained 12,000 words and its reading consumed an hour and a half.

WHEN WE GET THERE.

For now we see through a glass, darkly—1 Cor. XIII, 12.

We shall have a great many curious experiences when we reach "the house not made with hands," for once safely out of the body and beyond its limitations we shall be able to look back and solve some of the puzzles of this present life.

When a man has lived in a narrow valley for many years his mind becomes as narrow as the valley, and he almost necessarily takes a narrow view of things.

Or, again, if a man lives in the dark, he can find out a great deal by groping, and as far as he is able to go his information may be quite correct.

From the little he knows he may fashion a theory of the many things he does not know, but that theory will be always open to doubts and subject to change, because he is dealing with matters beyond his vision.

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When we stand on higher ground and look around, we shall discover that at the first God filled this lower life with all possible happiness, and that our perverse and perhaps ignorant attitude toward Him has conjured up evils which are permitted by Him but not approved.

If we could only come back from heaven, and bring our newly acquired knowledge with us, how little our second earthly life would resemble the first!

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Mistress—Mary, I wish you would tell the cook when you go down that I do not desire to eat anything so much company staying late and making a noise.

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