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WHITMAN ONCE MORE.

This long-continued discussion is not of general interest, most surely. Yet to those (and they are not a few, nor among the least intelligent of our community) who are interested In state-building, anything relating to the early period, the formative stage of our state, is of intense inter-

The statement that Dr. Whitman's admirers were hunting for a bero, and having found him, they proceeded to "unduly exalt him," may be said without fear of contradiction, as it is purely a matter of opinion, and not of fact. What in one person is grateful appreciation of services rendered in almost, but not quite, unsurmountable difficulty, is characterized by a person of different temperament as "undue" exaltation.

The statement that Oregon would have belonged to the United States government had Dr. Whitman never lived, is probably uncontradictable. If it were not true, we could not possibly prove that negative. America would no doubt have been discovered if Columbus had never been born. The editor of the Oregonian no doubt have lived and thriven had he been born in Timbuctoo. As Captain Cochrane says in Pinafore, "This kind of thing can go on forever," and as argument or proof it amounts to but little.

These are the facts: A number of men, subjects of Queen Victoria, organized to trade with Indians for well in hand. It takes no great insight to know that however kindly disposed, nor how humane these persons were, nothing was farther from land should be open for settlement by United States citizens. Some other persons, of whom the chief presumably was another Canadian that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh gentleman, a native of Stansstead, Canada East, were here with the purpose of ameliorating the condition of the savages. Nothing should be said belittling in any degree the noble purposes of these missionaries flowing with latest and richest pictures. and their families. It was not writ- Contains the indorsed biography of Her ten that their plans should be matured and finished with a success that should call the world's notice. Very much the reverse. Some others for agents. Commission 50 per cent. with a similar purpose with Dr. Credit given. Freight paid. Outfit Whitman and Mr. Spalding as firstcomers, were located east of the mountains.

History has shown Dr. Whitman to be a man of undoubted far-reaching sagacity, an organizer, a builder, a planner. A letter is now before us written by Dr. Samuel J. Parker and sluggish and the need of a tonic and of Ithaca, N. Y., the first coadjutor and alterative is felt. A prompt use of of Dr. Whitman, wherein by infer- this medicine has often averted long and ence we can see that he considered perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medithe location of Dr. Whitman among and freeing the system from the malarthe Cayuses as especially unpromis- lal poison. Headache, Indigestion, Coning. Be that as it may, most surely stipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bit-Dr. Whitman looked upon his work ters. as brief, and upon this country as the future home of his countrymenthe home of American citizens. The and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house," evidence is abundant that he exerted says A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & himself to bring this about in a way Co., Indianapolis, Ind., "and my wife subject of Her Majesty, and which summer season. We have used it with we have no reason to believe such all three of our children and it has never subject ever did exert himself; failed to cure-not simply stop pain, but though in so doing Dr. Whitman cure absolutely. It is all right, and anymost certainly signed his own death one who tries it will find it so." For warrant.

If to honor the efforts and success of this man with warm and appreciative gratitude is to "unduly" exalt sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, him, we have been wrongly taught corns, and all skin eruptions, and posithe lesson of patriotism.

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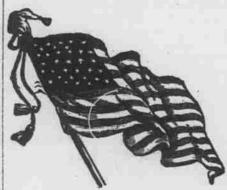
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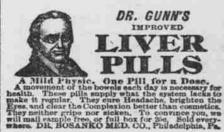
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