

DECATUR'S FLAGSHIP PRESIDENT.



Nothing in international relations more clearly illustrates the camaraderie between England and the United States than the fact that the famous war frigate Oregon lies tenderly cared for and revered as a historic relic in a London dock. The President was Admiral Decatur's flagship, and in the war of 1812 her guns were the last of the American arms to be trained on a British foe. Such a scourge had she been to British shipping that the admiralty issued a special order that she must be taken at any hazard. But "orders" do not take American naval vessels, and the old President lived in freedom to witness peace, and now for nearly a century her dismantled hull has been slumbering at the India dock in London harbor. The President and the equally famous old Constitution were twin ships, and the former was the first flagship on a European station flying the Stars and Stripes. It was of the President that Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote:

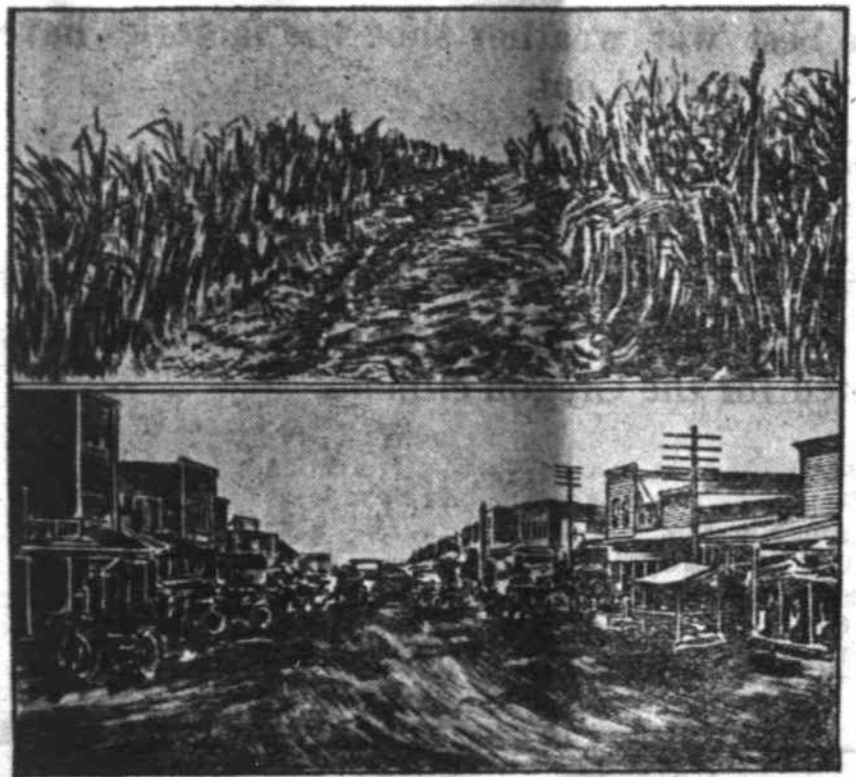
"Ay! Tear her tattered ensign down
Long has it waved on high!"

CITY'S MARVELOUS GROWTH.

Modern Town Where a Year Ago There Was a Cornfield.

The rapidity with which things are done in the West is strikingly shown in the case of Anandko, Ok., a little city which recently celebrated the first anniversary of its founding. Says a writer in Leslie's Weekly, Marcellus has been its history, from the sale of the first lot in a cornfield, Aug. 6, 1901, to its present metropolitan appearance. Large brick blocks have taken the place of the tents and shanties in use then. Graded streets and broad sidewalks displaced the corn-rows long ago, telephone lines form a network at some of the busy corners, and everywhere may be seen improvements not

erision of his, and, as an amateur once said to me in a querulous tone: "There has been absolutely nothing done since his time, or nothing that's worth speaking of." Here the phrase is used in precisely the same form and in the same meaning that it is by the professor of slang in this day. Shakespeare uses it as "nothing done," but in the same sense, in "Measure for Measure," "King Lear" and "Othello." Enough is shown to prove that the latest slang is, after all, old and good use. Hitching this wagon of a slang phrase to the stars, De Quincey and Shakespeare, it becomes classic. It is a fair deduction to be drawn from the De Quincey quotation that the phrase "nothing doing" was slang in the day of his writing, and was used



A CITY'S MARVELOUS GROWTH.

(Upper view shows the site of Anandko, Ok., in the fall of 1901; the lower represents the place as it is to-day, a bustling, up-to-date community of 3,400 souls.)

found often in cities of ten times its age. A mammoth ice plant, with a capacity of seventy-five tons daily, not only supplies the city but adjacent cities also. Contracts are now being let for a \$30,000 Court House, \$5,000 jail, \$20,000 school buildings, \$40,000 water works, etc. Electric light companies are making propositions, so that soon the city will be thoroughly lighted, watered and equipped in all particulars. The population now is about 3,500, and is growing substantially all the time. Good homes are springing up throughout the city.

JEFFERSON DAVIS MEMORIAL.

Arch Erected in Richmond by Daughters of Confederacy. A beautiful memorial arch is being erected in Richmond, Va., to Jefferson Davis by the United Daughters of the Confederacy. It was designed by Louis A. Gudebrod and the cost will be



JEFFERSON DAVIS ARCH.

about \$75,000, which it has taken the daughters several years to get together. The site of the monument is the choice of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, who, though opposed to the memorial at first, finally consented, and the arch will be unveiled in Monroe Park at Richmond in the early spring.

MODERN SLANG PHRASE IS OLD.

"Nothing Doing" is an Ancient Expression Used in the Classics. Some of those who affect the picturesque in their language, interlard their speech with what they suppose to be the latest slang phrases, eschewing accepted and approved English for what they think is the latest up-to-date coinage of the purloins, may be shocked to learn that one of the latest and most frequently used phrases is at least fifty years old, and possibly classic, writes the Brooklyn Eagle. This phrase is "nothing doing." Thomas De Quincey, in writing his paper on the "Knocking at the Gate in Macbeth," all of fifty years ago, framed this sentence: "All other murders (referring to Macbeth's) look pale by the deep

ONE HUNDRED-MILE COAST.

Sliding Down the Side of a Mountain in a Hand Car. Lord Ernest Hamilton describes his experience of a thrilling but perilous pastime, the descent in a small hand car of a wonderful mountain railway in Peru.

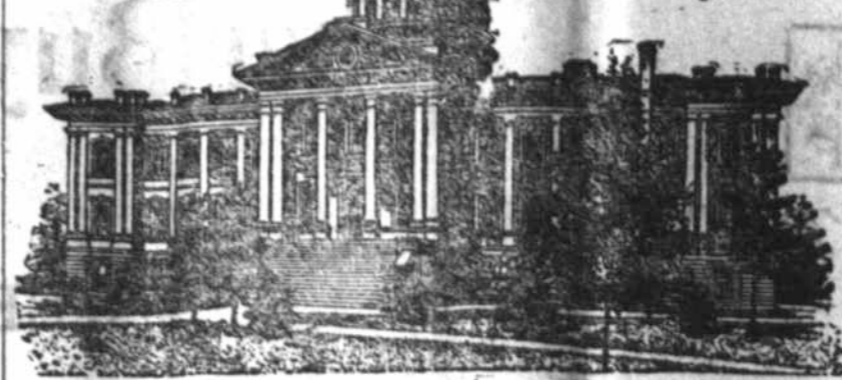
"As a matter of fact," he writes, referring to the title of the article, "it is 100; but, for the sake of a title, the extra five miles may go—100 are enough at any rate for purposes of illustration. These hundred odd miles are to be found on the Ferro-Carril Central of Peru, commonly called the Oroya Railway, and they are to be found nowhere else.

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"The gods of Olympus were worms beside the man who has during the last three hours controlled his car from the Paso de Galera to Callao, for it is in the control that lies the joy, as in other things apart from car running. To sit beside the brakeman is good, but to drop the brakeman on a friendly sliding and grasp the lever in your own firm but not too exacting hand is to sup a liberal foretaste of the joys of heaven.—Pearson's Magazine.

Many a man breaks his bills down town, then grows because his wife wants a little of the small change. When justice and love go hand in hand it's a case of the blind leading the blind.

GOVERNOR OF OREGON Uses Pe-ru-na in His Family and Grip



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A Letter From the Executive Office of Oregon.

Peruna is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Pe-ru-na as a cathartic remedy are pouring in from every state in the union. Dr. Hartman is receiving hundreds of such letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the lowest. The college laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Pe-ru-na is the cathartic remedy of the age. The stage and rostrum, recognizing cathartics as their greatest enemy, are especially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony. Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from cathartics. Cathartics is well nigh universal; almost omnipresent. Pe-ru-na is the only absolute safeguard known. A cold is the beginning of cathartics. To prevent colds, to cure colds, is to cheat cathartics out of their victims. Pe-ru-na not only cures cathartics, but prevents. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth. The governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Pe-ru-na. He keeps it continually in the house. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman he says: State of Oregon, Executive Department, Salem, May 9, 1898. Dear Sir—I have had occasion to use your Pe-ru-na medicine in my family for colds, and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not had occasion to use it for other ailments. Yours very truly, W. M. Lord. It will be noticed that the governor says he has not had occasion to use Pe-ru-na for other ailments. The reason for this is, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Pe-ru-na to promptly cure colds, he protects his family against other ailments. This is exactly what every other family in the United States should do. Keep Pe-ru-na in the house. Use it for coughs, colds, la grippe, and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other ailments in the house. Such families should provide themselves with a copy of Dr. Hartman's free book, entitled "Winter Cathartics." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

The Remark was Ambiguous. "That young man has a brilliant future before him," said the phrenologist. And the little Boston boy who was having his bumps examined polished his spectacles and exclaimed: "Fardon me, but you open up a very interesting field of inquiry. Where else could my future be if it were not before me?" Genuine Philosopher. "Craps all burnt to flinders?" "Yes." "No rain in sight?" "Not a drop." "Totally ruined, ain't you?" "Totally!" "Well, what air you a-smilin' over?" "I'm smillin' at the prospect of the sheriff comin' to levy on nothin'!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Parents' Responsibility
It is the right of every child to be well born, and to the parents it must look for health and happiness. How inconceivably great is the parents' responsibility, and how important that no taint of disease is left in the blood to be transmitted to the helpless child, entailing the most pitiable suffering, and marking its little body with offensive sores and eruptions, catarrh of the nose and throat, weak eyes, glandular swellings, brittle bones, white swelling and deformity. How can parents look upon such little sufferers and not reproach themselves for bringing so much misery into the world? If you have any disease lurking in your system, how can you expect well developed, healthy children? Cleanse your own blood and build up your health, and you have not only enlarged your capacity for the enjoyment of the pleasures of life, but have discharged a duty all parents owe to posterity, and made mankind healthier and happier.

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