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OUR MOTHERS

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Not the cannon or battle-shot,
With the sword or mightier pen;
Not with powerful word or thought
From the lips of eloquent men;

But deep in some patient mother's heart,
A woman who could not yield,
But silently, cheerfully, bore her part,
Aye, there is the battlefield.

No marshalling troop, no bivouac song,
No banners to flaunt and wave,
But, oh, their battles, they last so long
From the cradle 'e'en to the grave.

—Joaquin Miller.

DEMOLITION OF NEWGATE.

London's Ancient Prison to Make Way for
a New Criminal Court.

Instructions have now been issued by the City Lands Committee of the corporation for pulling down the female wing at the Old Bailey, and it is hoped shortly to commence the demolition of the remainder of Newgate for the purpose of erecting the new Central Criminal Court. The female wing and the Sessions House have long been the property of the corporation, and it is only that portion of the prison known as the male wing which is being acquired from the Government.

Until the Brixton jail is completed, the Government do not see their way to effect the transfer, but it is thought that very little further delay will take place. Immediately the city authorities get possession operations will be started on a large scale. The dismantling of the huge building is considered likely to prove a rather difficult and protracted undertaking, and no approximate date can yet be given for the final execution of the scheme.

The design for the new Sessions House provides for an imposing edifice, surmounted by a dome, with the main frontage in the Old Bailey. An attempt has been made to preserve the traditions of the present building, and the style of architecture generally may be described as thoroughly English, being founded on the work of Sir Christopher Wren and his pupils. The Newgate street frontage will be curved. It is in this part of the building that the two principal court-rooms will be situated, separated from the roadway by a corridor, so as to prevent any disturbance to business from outside. The domed central hall is to be on the first floor. There will probably

be a bronze statue of Justice on the summit of the dome, and allegorical figures will ornament the main entrance. The walls will be of brick, faced with Portland stone. It is the intention to make the courses of stone of the principal elevation of the same height as those of the existing walls, the object of this being to allow as much as possible of the old building being used should the material be found to be sound.

Since the acceptance of Mr. E. W. Mountford's design a few modifications have been introduced, and probably others will be made during construction. In connection with the cells, the requirements of the Home Office have been carefully followed. Temporary cells are now being fixed up for the accommodation of prisoners while the work is in progress. The present Sessions House will not be pulled down until some portion of the new building is finished, so that the administration of justice at the Old Bailey will not be interfered with during the time occupied in carrying out the scheme. The contract price is £282,000.—The London Times.

New York's Big Buildings.

When Sir Edmund Barton, Premier of the Australian Commonwealth, was in New York, he looked at the tall buildings and heard about the subways and tunnels with a very doubtful expression.

"You'll find that so much tunneling, combined with such high buildings, will make a lot of trouble for you," he said to an American friend. "They're learning that in London now. It is said that the foundations of St. Paul's Cathedral have been weakened by the tunnels."

"Strangers are always doubtful about the solidity of our high buildings," was the response. "When Prince Chen drove up Broadway the other day, he looked at the tall buildings and smiled. A gentleman who sat in his carriage asked through an interpreter if the prince would tell just what he was thinking about."

"I'll bet I know what he was thinking about," said Sir Edmund. "He was thinking what a fine mark they would make for a shell."

"No," he said that he was wondering when those buildings would fall down and what we would all do when they did fall."

"Ha, ha!" laughed Sir Edmund. "How true it is that language was made in order to conceal thought."—New York Times.

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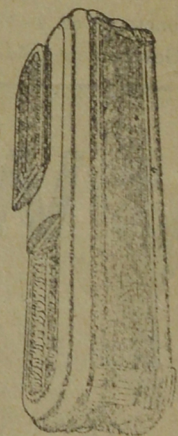
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