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A New Phase of an old Feature. many thinking people that behind and that true economy in their chance for those who wish to try all this great interest manifested maintenance and operation which shipping in bulk to do so with the in the maintenance of the Monroe he suggests. The engineer criti- odds against their favor. By the doctrine lies the usual "job;" that cised severely the faulty construction way "Resident" is calculating that Groceries. the most of the noise which has tion of many bridges and says Villard will build to Astoria. Has been heard since De Lesseps first comparatively few of them are any one ever heard him say he was began to demonstrate his earnestness has been occasioned in the in- against accidents. In conclusion terest of certain syndicates who he said the action of Congress is are concerned in foreign specula- invited to the fact that there is no tions. The doctrine, which is reasonable, patriotic, and deservedly in use, which is the source of conpopular, is just as good to-day as fusion and should be remedied by it was half a century ago, and appropriate legislation. should be one of the cardinal principles of our policy. But it looks now as though it were being made a pretext for a certain line of policy never contemplated by its originators. The way public sentiment is being at present manipulated, the Monroe doctrine is being given a degree of elasticity that is at variance with its nature. There seems to be in some of the Washington fulminations an implied threat of war against civilhis intent to cut the American conall these appeals to patriotism, ishment." passion, and prejudice were for the purpose of influencing a big scheme, or a big steal, or engineering a big subsidy scheme through Congress. Lesseps, however, is working away at the canal, and the probability is that it will be ready before the men who scent spoils can work the thing successfully in Congressional lobbies and influence legislation at Washing. always essential that the vital ton. A still farther unwarranted perversion of the Monroe doctrine nerve power, especially, in full deis shown in the present South velopment; but neuralgia indicates American squabble. It is said, a low or depressed state of vitality, and with great show of truth, that a poor and weak bodily condition, all this waving of the starry banner and talk of "enforcing the set- under treatment. tled policy of the United States" pathizers with Ireland in this country organize a fund to influence Congress to declare that "a due interpretation of the Monroe doc-

in the case of Peru or Panama. Railroad Commissioner's Report.

trine indicates an unwillingness on

allow further domination of Ire-

just as consistent to interfere under pretext of adherence to that

19th says: The report of Joseph steamers of 6,000 tons capacity. K. McCammon, commissioner of

government, and proper for per- canal shortens the voyage to Liv- 4. v. anten Railroads, to be done in order to bring New Orleans and the new line of It is now thought by a good them to the standard condition, the Southern Pacific. There is a

A Precedent.

LORD DENMAN presided at the trial of Oxford for the shooting at Queen Victoria, and delivered an THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFOEE ex important and elaborate charge to the jury impaneled in the case. The defense was, as with Guiteau, the insanity of the prisoner. Lord Denman said: "But, although be labored under a delusion, if he Masonic Land and Building Assofired the loaded pistol at the Queen, knowing the result which would follow his conduct, and, alized mankind outside our limits though forced by his morbid deshould Lesseps be backed up in sire for notoriety to the act, he would be responsible for his continent in two. It does seem as if duct and liable to criminal pun

> A London medical journal declares that the great prevalence of neuralgia, or what goes by that name, should be regarded as a warning indicative of a low condition of health, which must necessarily render its subjects peculiarly susceptible to the invasion of disease of an aggressive type. It is forces should be vigorous, and the that should be promptly placed

In a recent anti-Bourbon speech, in interfering between Chili and Judge Mackey gave this descrip-Peru, is a systematic attempt to tion of the kind of prosperity School Taxes for this district capture the niter heds of the latter Bourbon rule has given to country, an attempt that must have South Carolina: "The average the sanction of the Peruvian gov- planter at the end of each is so poor that he Monroe doctrine can be made to owes for the clothes he wears, and cover such a variety of projects as the average laborer so ragged that enterprising Wall street and if he were to attempt to cross a forty Washington speculators seem to acre field and were caught by a think, it may also be made to heavy northwest wind he would be afford a solution to the Irish ques- whipped to death by his rags." tion. Let the societies and sym- The Judge evidently thinks that the Palmetto state is ready for a new departure.

THE Cincinnati Commercial the part of the United States to land by the English." It would be

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

I conclude that "Resident," who doctrine in the case of Ireland as advocates carrying wheat in bulk, presumes that the wheat will be carried in bulk from Astoria to dawn be paid at my office at the Court Monthly.

A.M. TWOMBLY. A Washington dispatch of the Liverpool and Great Britain by

If the grain will not be carried railroads, has been received by the to Great Britain in bulk there secretary of the interior. It says would be no particular advantage the indications are that within a in having it come from the interior short time there will be five dif- to Astoria in bulk. In fact there ferent routes to the Pacific coast, are disadvantages in having it where less than a year ago there carried in bulk which I will name was but one. These railroads will later on. The grain is not now be instrumental in developing the carried in bulk from this coast to country rapidly. Capital has been Great Britain, because it has been invested in large sums, and still the tried by the farmers of California tendency is towards increased de- and it has failed. The long voyvelopments, principally in the west age around the Horn of four to six and southwest. It is believed that months, passing through the tropoperations in railroad construction ics twice, has been found to heat Cash in advance. this year will exceed those of any the wheat and breed the weevil, previous year, and in consequence whilst grain in sacks keeps cool. large tracts of mineral and agricul- Hence a cargo of Oregon grain in tural lands will be made accessi- bulk arriving in Liverpool will not ble The commissioner takes up sell for near the amount of money OLNEY, the question of compensation to as a cargo in sacks. Now, it is land grant railroads for transporta- true that a steamer voyage from tion of troops and government Astoria to Liverpool will be only supplies, and says: "I have reached about 70 to 80 days against 120 to weber & Cohn. to transact the business of tangents." the conclusion that fifty per cent 160 days as at present, yet I of the tariff for ordinary rates of think it will be found too risky for Astoria, Oregon, Dec. 6, 1881.

companies would be a compensa- the wheat owners to carry a cargo tion just alike to railroads and the in that way, until the De Lesseps manent application. Engineer erpool to 30 days. That canal Blackstone, while recognizing will probably be finished in four general good condition years. But grain in bulk will be Page & Allen says the next thing for the California still left much shippers by way of Galveston and

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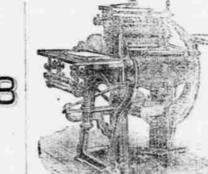
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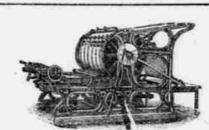
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