TUESDAY .....

## Ships in England and America.

It has almost become a weariness says the Globe-Democrat to Newspaper Directory, which is keep continually reiterating state. now in press, it appears that the ments showing in how relatively a newspapers and periodicals of all poor condition the United States kinds issued in the United States stands as regards its merchant and Territories now reach the immarine. Prior to 1861, when the posing total of 11,196. This is an war drove the Union flag from the increase of 585 in twelve months. seas, and since when it has been Taking the states one by one, the kept off the ocean by home legis- newspaper growth in some is very lation, the sails of American ship. considerable. The present total ping thronged every commercial in New York state, for instance, harbor in the world. The race for is 1,396-a gain of 80 in the past maritime supremacy then was be- year. The increase in Pennsyltween this country and Great vania is 48, the existing number Britain, a race in which the latter being 943. Nebraska's total grew power looked like coming out from 175 to 201, and Illinois' from second best. To-day the com- 890 to 904. A year ago Massamerce of the United States is chusetts had 420 papers; now the carried in English, Scotch and number is 438. In Texas the Irish bottoms, and there seems new papers out numbered the suslittle chance of a change for the pensions by 8, and Ohio now has better. The reports of what is 738 papers instead of 692. The being done in British ship-build- most remarkable change has ocing yards and its comparison cured in the Territories, in which with what is not being done in the the daily papers have grown from United States are enough to make 43 to 63, and the weeklies from every American blush with shame. 169 to 243-Dakota being the The reports referred to show that chief arena of activity. The numin 1882, while hardly a score of ber of monthlies throughout the ocean-going ships of any kind country grew from 976 to 1,034, were being built on this side of the while the dailies leaped from 996 Atlantic, the British ship-building to 1,062. The figures given above interests were more prosperous are exclusive of Canada, which than ever before.

that the British Isles had ever north-west are productive of newsknown, but 1882 was still greater. papers as well as of wheat, for the During that year, in nineteen ports number of journals issued in Manof the United Kingdom, nearly itoba was nearly doubled during 800 ships with an aggregate tonnage of 1,200,000 were built, being an increase of one-fifth over the construction of the previous year. says the Albany Herald, for hon-Of this enormous tonnage the shipyards of the Clyde produced 391,-034 tons and the Tyne, 208,000 tons, and a remarkable fact is that

day Review says "the tendency everywhere is becoming more pronounced towards very large vessels," and the reports show the average tonnage of vessels built on the Clyde has risen from 916 tons in 1878 to 1,347 tons last year. On the Wear it has risen from 1,404 to 1,727 tons, and on the Tyne from 1,075 to 1,753 tons. On the Clyde one vessel of 7,500 tons was built, and one of 5,600, while ships of 3,000 to 4,-000 tons were quite numerous. The material of which nearly all these marine monsters were built was steel, wood only being used for very small vessels, and for but comparatively few of them.

The fact of this enormous increase points to another fact-the continued growth of the monopoly COMPANY of the carrying trade of the world, now practically owned by England. With the solitary exception GEO. W. HUME SAW MILL of the Egyptian war, which led to a temporary demand on the part of the government for large iron and steel steam vessels, there was nothing that occured to give any apparent unusual stimulus to the CORNER OF WEST 9TH AND WATER STS ship-building interest, and that demand was of such short duration that it could have had no serious effect in forcing the business out of its normal course. The growth seems to have been due entirely to A. LEBROSSE & L. WILBRON natural and commonplace causes. The trade of the world is growing annually with the increase of its populations and of the facilities for the interchange of its commodities, and the nation which is prepared to do the carrying trade the cheapest and best will get the trade. How enormously profitable it is may be judged by brief reflection on the figures above quoted and by remembering that this kind of work has been steadily going on for nearly a generation, and with every indication of continuous increase for a generation to come. There surely must be some huge mistake in the policy of the United Reserved Chairs ... States, or otherwise we should get | For sale at Straus's New York Novelty Store. some share of the golden prize this trade offers. With all the

effort appears to be making even to become carriers of our own merchandise, much less that of the universe.

#### American Newspapers in 1883.

From the new edition of Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell & Co's American possesses a total of 606. It is in The year 1881 was the greatest teresting to note that the newlyfor building iron and steel ships settled regions of the Canadian the year.

INSTEAD of paying out hundreds of thousands of dollars annually ey, bacon, butter, beans, lard, cheese, potatoes, onions, cabbage and all kind of dried fruits, etc., etc., we should receive hundreds Belfast, which in 1881 had only of thousands of dollars yearly for built 13,893 tons, had grown in its these articles of consumption. No production to 58,120 tons, actu- wonder business is dull when we ally launched, besides preparing a allow other people to do our busiship of 4,700 tons which was ness for us, and no wonder money launched in January of this year. is scarce when it all goes out of An important point noted in the state for food products that connection with this great increase should be raised in abundance of gross production is the size of here at home. If the farmers of the individual vessels produced. Oregon ever expect to see good In commenting on this, the Satur- times they must stop this leak This matter of food importation is all in their hands and they have the power to wrest this balance of trade from their California neighbors and turn it to their own account. The idea that this state, so prolific in resources, should allow other states to provide the necessities of life for us and take away our money is too simply ridiculous and shiftless to talk about with any degree of complacency or good nature.

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In Astoria, April 1st, to the wife of J. E. Ferguson, a son.

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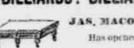
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Drawings and specifications can be found at the office of the Clerk and any necessary information can be given by S. Hartwig, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

By order of the Directors.

J. O. BOZORTH, d-101 Clerk School District No. 1.

March 29th, 1883.

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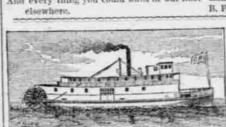
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