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THE SHIFTING OF MONROE.

The Monroe Doctrine has been put to various uses and has passed through various changes since the days of Monroe. As we pointed out some time ago the famous Doctrine was at first a British conception, Mr. Cannan having suggested it to the American Minister at the Court of St. James. When Monroe took it up it had the Anglo-Saxon world behind it. This did not prevent President Cleveland asserting the Monroe Doctrine to prevent Britain from enforcing her just rights in the matter of the Venezuelan boundary.

All along down to this time it had been held by our American neighbors that they would not meddle in the affairs of the Old World nor permit Old World powers to meddle in the affairs of the New World. And this was held to be necessary lest the American people should be compelled to arm themselves and maintain a large army and navy. The Doctrine was to keep America free from the curse of militarism. Then came the Spanish war and the conquest of the Philippines. This changed the complexion of the Doctrine. It had become one-sided, and by so much weakened. If an American state meddled in the affairs of an Old World power and made conquests there the right of the latter to meddle and make conquests in the New World could not well be denied.

With the changed outward aspect of the famous Doctrine came a change of opinion with regard to it by American statesmen and the American people. Instead of being a protection against militarism, and useful in the way of obviating the necessity for an army and navy, it has now become the reverse. The American people are made to feel that they need and must have a powerful navy to enforce and command respect for the Monroe Doctrine. Obviously the Doctrine is neither so strong, nor so much respected among the nations as it was when the United States observed its true intent and meaning. It has been weakened in the house of its friends.

The latest Venezuelan episode has doubtless further weakened the authority of the Doctrine. The leading powers of the Old World have been enforcing what they think to be their rights in a rather summary way in Venezuela, precisely as they might have done in Africa or Asia, or as they would have done in South America if Monroe had never sent his famous message to Congress. What the present status of the Doctrine is and what it is likely to be a quarter century hence must be a puzzle to American statesmen themselves. It was a good enough policy as originally propounded, but it now wears a strangely battered aspect, wholly the result of what our neighbors have themselves done to it.

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Three Boer leaders who came to America to lecture on their experiences in the late war in the hope to raise money for their poor countrymen hired a hall in Brooklyn and at the hour appointed found no one but the reporters to listen to them. While they were fighting there was abundant sympathy in many countries for "the under dog in the fight." But now the war is over, the world is satisfied that Britain is treating her new subjects with a generosity that is something better than mere justice. And besides, this is a very busy world. None the less the Boer lecturers were sadly disappointed.

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