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| lealing a mith foreign nations, |  |
| and the design of the President is evident iy to let the people know the exact position of their Government on all such ques-tions. This portion of the Mesege, wnich |  |
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| follows a brief and feeling allusion to the death of the Viee. President, contuins some interesting points. The President admin.isters a rebmee to Austria for rejection Mr. |  |
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| that may be mode American labor, which is the capital of our workiogreen, must be protected. The President further recom- |  |
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| mends that the reductions made shall apply to revenue derived from taxes on the important vecessaries of life so as to lessen |  |
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| He points out in an exhaustive argument the financial disaster that wonid resnit |  |
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