

Panama, the Cape Cod, the Ontario and Michigan isthmuses will be vanquished by this means; and various obstructions can be overcome and short cuts made in different parts of the world.

The money so ill-spent on the Panama Canal would have been more than sufficient to complete a ship railway over that isthmus. Sooner or later the world will discover that the only way to solve that problem at Panama, by which the world's water commerce will be so materially extended, is by means of a ship railway.

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