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tleships of the largest and most ap-proved type at once. The arguments of the president to impress his insistence on this naval program were few, but calculated to be effective. China was held up as an example of the "peace at any price" doctrine, and Great Britain as having the naval policy to be emulated. The result of the last conference at The Hague made it plain that the na-tions would not for some time, if ever, agree on a plan of limitation of naval armament. Arbitration, the president

armanient. Arbitration, the president holds, cannot be relied upon as an ef-fective remedy, though it should be atilized to its fullest extent.

Disclaiming any intention on the part of the United States ever to en-gage in a war of conquest, the presi-dent made it plain that this country could ill afford to relapse into a place where insult would have to be borne in elence.

The text of the message follows:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

"Let me again urge upon Congress the need of providing for four battle-ships of the best and most advanced type at this session. Prior to the re-cent Hague conference it had been my hope that an agreement could be reached between the different nations hope that an agreement could be reached between the different nations to limit the increase of naval arma-ments, and especially to limit the size of warships. Under these circumstan-ces I felt that the construction of one battleship a year would keep our mivy up to its then positive and relative strength. But actual experience showed not merely that it was impos-sible to obtain such an agreement for the limitation of armament among the various leading powers, but that there was no likelihood whatever of obtain-ing it in the future within any reason-able time. Coincidentally with this dis-covery occurred a radical change in the building of battleships among the great military nations-a change in which it was apparent modern battleships have been or are being constructed of a size and armament which doubles or more probably trebles their effective-ness. Dess.

MEASURE NECESSARY TO PEACE.

"Every other great naval nation has or is building a number of ships of this kind; we have provided for but two, and, therefore, the balance of power is not inclining against us. Under these conditions to provide for but one or two bakitleships a year is to provide that this nation, instead of advancing, that this nation, instead of advancing, shall go backwards in naval rank and relative power among the great nations. Such a course would be unwise for us, if we front on two oceans. As chief ex-ecutive of the nation and as command-er-in-chief of the navy, the responsibil-ity is imposed upon me, the solemn re-sponsibility of advising the Congress of the measures vitally necessary to secure the peace and welfare of the re-public in the event of international complications which are even remotely possible.

secure a breathing space during which the cool judgment of the two nations involved may get the upper hand over any momentary burst of anger. Those arbitration treatles are not only for the hope of ending wrong-doing by oth-crs against us, but also as a proof that we have no intention of doing wrong ourselves. wrong ourselves. CAN'T RELY ON FOREBEARANCE.

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Thet it is idle to assume and from the standpoint of national interest and honor it is mischlevous folly for any statesman to assume that this world has yet reached the stage, or has come within measurable distance of the stage, when a proud nation, jealous of its honor and conscious of its great mission in the world, can be content to rely for peace upon the forebearance of other powers. It would be equally foolish to rely upon each of them possessing at all times and under all circumstances and pro-vocations an altruistic regard for the rights of others. Those who hold this view are blind, indeed, to all that has gone on before their eyes in the world at large. They are blind to what has happened in China, in Tur-key, in the Spanish possessions, in Central and South America during the last dozen years. For centuries China has cultivated the very spirit which our own peace-at-any-price men wish this country to adopt. For centuries

has cultivated the very spirit which our own peace-at-any-price men wish this country to adopt. For centurles China has refused to provide military forces and has treated the career of the soldier as inferior in honor and regard to the career of the merchant or of the man of letters. There never has been so large an empire which for so long a time has resolutely pro-ceeded on the theory of doing away with what is called 'militarism.' "Whether the result has been hap-py in internal affairs. I need not dis-cuss. All the advanced reformers and far-sighted patriots in the Chinese em-pire are at present seeking (I may add, with our hearty good will,) for a radical and far-reaching reform in internal affairs. In extennal affairs the policy has resulted in various other nations now holding large por-tions of Chinese territory, while there is a very acute fear in China lest the empire, because of its defenselessness, be exposed to absolute dismemberment and its well-wishers are able to help it only in a small measure because no mation can help unless that other can help its a result. and an one membrane i took i kept get-ting worse. My feet swelled so that I could not straighten up at all. Fin-ally, the doctor told my father he could do nothing more for me. "At this time Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended to me and I cound weller in the fust how After no nation can help unless that other can help itself.

APPEALS FOR INTERFERENCE

Fins were recommended to me ind i found relief in the first box. After taking three boxes I could walk. I continued to take them steadily until I was cured. That was in 1895. I have worked every day for years now and am entirely well and have no trace of my old trouble whatever." "The state department is continually appealed to to interfere on behalf of people and nationalities who insist that they are suffering from oppresappealed to to interfere on hensit of people and nationalities who insist that they are suffering from oppres-sion—now Jews in one country, now Christians in another, now black men in Africa, Armenians, Koreans, Finns, Poles, representatives of all, appeal at times to this government. All of this oppression is alleged to exist in time of peace and frequently, although by no means always, it is alleged to oc-cur at the hands of people who are not very formidable in a military sense. In some cases the accusations of oppression and wrongdoing are doubtless illfounded. In others they are wellfounded and in certain cases the most appalling loss of life is shown to have occurred, accompanied with frightful cruelty. It is not our pro-vince to decide which side has been right and which has been wrong in all or in any of these controversies. I am now referring to the loss of life. It is probably a conservative state-ment to say that within the last 12 years, at periods of profound peace and not as a result of war, massacres and butcheries have occurred in which more lives of men, women and children have been lost than in any single great war since the close of the Napoleonic struggles. "To any public man, who knows the complaints continually made to the state dopartment, there is an element of grim tragedy in the claim that the time has gone by when weak nations can be oppressed by those who are stronger without arousing effective protest from other strong interests. Even this, still fresh in the mind of every thinking man, shows that nefth-er arbitration nor any other device

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sibility, I earnestly advise that the Congress now provide four battleships of the most advanced type. I cannot too emphatically say that this is a measure of peace and not of war. I can conceive of no circumstance under which this republic would enter into an avgressive war: most certainly under which this republic would enter into an aggressive war: most certainly under no circumstances would it enter into an aggressive war to extend its terri-tory or in any other manner seek material aggrandizement. I advocate that the United States build a navy commensurate with its powers and its needs, because I feel that such a navy will be surest emeranty and sefernard will be surest guaranty and safeguard of peace.

ARBITRATION NOT ONLY HOPE.

"We are not a military nation. Our rmy is so small as to present an alarmy is so small as to present an al-most absurd contrast to our size. It is most absurd contrast to our size. It is properly treated as little more than a nucleus for organization in case of ser-ious war. Yet we are a rich nation and undefended wealth invites aggresthat this nation, instead of advancing, shall go backwards in navai rank and relative power among the great nations. Such a course would be unwise for us, if we front on two oceans. As chief ex-cutive of the nation and as command-erin-chief of the navy, the responsibil-ity is imposed upon me, the solernn re-sponsibility of advising the Congress of the measures vitally necessary to secure the peace and welfare of the re-urbuble in the event of international complications which are even remotely possible. "Having in view this solemn respon-

MUST DEPEND ON NAVY.

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every thinking man, shows that neith-er arbitration nor any other device can as yet be invoked to prevent the

gravest and most terrible wrongdo-ing to peoples who are either few in number or who, if numerous, have lost the first and most important of national virtues-the capacity for

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MUST DEPEND ON NAVY. "When the nation is so happily sit-uated as ours—ihat is, when it has no reason to fear or to be feared by its neighbors—the fleet is all the more necessary for the preservation of peace. Great Britain has been saved by its fleet from the necessity of facing one of the two alternatives —of submission to conquest by a for-eign power, or of itself becoming a great military power. The United States can hope for a permanent ca-reer of peace on only one condition, and that is, on condition of building and maintaining a first-class navy; and and that is, on condition of building and maintaining a first-class navy; and the step to be taken toward this end at this time is to provide for the build-ing of four additional battleships. I earnestly wish that Congress would pass the measures for which I have asked for strengthening and rendering more efficient the army as well as the navy; all of these measures as affecting every branch and detail of both scrylogs are sorely needed, and it would be the part of far-sighted wisdom to enact them all into laws, but the most

vital and immediate need is that of the four battleships. SPIRIT OF WASHINGTON.

SPIRIT OF WASHINGTON. "To carry out this policy is but to act in the spirit of George Washing-ton; is but to continue the policies which he outlined when he said, 'Oh-serve good faith and justice toward all nations. Cultivate peace and har-mony with all.' "Nothing is more essential than that permanent, inveterate antipathles against particular nations and pas-sionate attachments for others should be excluded, and that in place of them just and amicable feelings toward all should be cultivated. I cannot recom-mend to your notice measures for the fulfillment of our duties to the rest of the world without again pressing upon you the necessity of placing our-selves in a condition of complete de-fernes and of exacting from them ful-fillment of their duties toward us.

fense and of exacting from them ful-fillment of their dutles toward us. "The United States ought not to in-dulge a persuasion that, contrary to the order of human events, time will forever keep at a distance those pain-ful appeals to arms, with which the history of every other nation abounds. There is rank due to the United States among nations which will be with-held if not absolutely lost by the rep-utation of weakness. If we desire to avoid insult, we must be able to re-pei it; if we desire to secure peace, one of the most powerful instruments of our rising prosperity, it must be known that we are at all times ready for war. for war. "THEODORE ROOSEVELT. "The White House, April 14, 1908."

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