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SHALL WE HAVE WAR! Are we to have war with England? This is a serious question. War is always a calamity, but it is often resorted to in order to prevent a greater evil. Are we in condition to successfully cope with England? If we are not, it would be felly on our part to attempt it.

Inst now our navy is being severely criticised. Many of the eriticisma are unjusc. But, supposing that our navy will be all that could be desired when completed, it will be months, and in some cases years, before the vessels under contract will be ready for ser-

Of the four first-class battle-ships, the Indiana, Massachusetts and Oregon are approaching completion, and will be ready for the acceptance of the Government within the coming year. Work on the lows is progressing satisfactorily and that vessel wil! be completed during the latter part of 1896.

Of the second-class battleships, the Texas and Maine, the former is practically ready for the machinery trial, and in a few months after the trial will be ready to be commissioned. The Maine, which is nnder construction at the Brooklyn session 28 days, from Dec. 1st 1893 to this date (Nov. 27tb, 1894). commission by the last of June

Of the two armored cruisers, the Brooklyn will be completed early erally, and the distance traveled by the in 1896, and the New York, already members thereof in attending the samecompleted, is the flagship of the North Atlantic Station.

We have a number of fast-sailing cruisers atleat, but none of them are at all comparable to the battleships of Great Britain, with the single exception of the New York.

It will be seen, at a glance that our navy is in no condition to meet the British navy. But if our vessels were all ready the question of manning them would be a serious one. We have no skilled seamen; these are as essential for actual war as ships and gons.

Our tars are brave, and our ships would be fought as long as there was a plank affoat, but it is evident that we are not ready for the

What then is to be done? Why, the Secretary of State must make his materful diplomacy successful. Mr. Greenum must vindicate the wisdom of President Cleveland in oing out of the Democratic party to find the leader of his cabinet. He must hold back the dogs of war; and, when war becomes inevitable, he must be able to show the justice of our cause.

Whenever affairs on this continent become complicated with European problems there is much to say about the Monroe Doctrine. Mr. Gresham must be able to show coaclusively that President Monroe was right, and that President Cleveland is bound by the Monroe declaration.

What is the Monroe Doctrine At the risk of making this article too long, we here incorporate a specialty. part of President Monroe's Message of Dec. 2d, 1823, as follows:

"The citizens of the United States cherish sentiments the most friend ly in favor of the liberty and happiness of their fellow-men on the other side of the Atlantic. In wars of European powers, in matters relating to themselves, we have never taken any part, nor does it comport with our policy to do so. It is only when our rights are invaded, or seriously menaced, that we e or make pre

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> toward the United States. "Our policy in regard to Europe, bich was adopted at an early stage of the wars which have so long agitated that quarter of the globe, nevertheless remains the same, which is not to interfere in the internal concerns of any of its powers; to consider the government de facto as the legitimate government for us; to cultivate friendly relations with it, and to preserve those relations by a frank, firm and manly policy; meeting in all instances, the just claims of every power, submitting to injuries from none. But in regard to these continents (North and South America) circumstances are eminently and conspicuously different. It is impossible that the allied powers should extend their political system to any part of either concinent withour endangering our peace and happiness."

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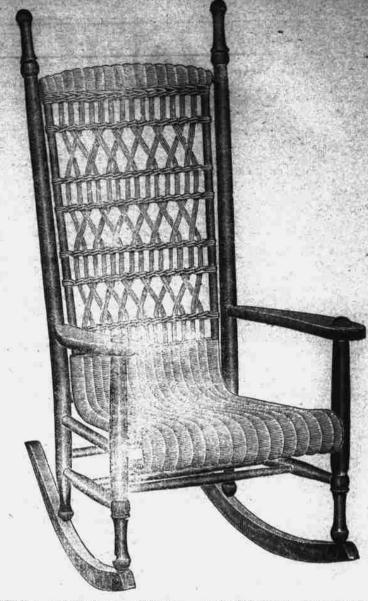
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