SHIPS TO FIGHT AMERICA'S BATTLES

WHY MCKINLEY FAVORS THEORY OF ACCIDENT

Wants to Free Cuba, but to Attract the Disaster to Design Would be Casus Belli.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Washington special to the Press:A

From a source distinctly trustworthy it is learned that the President has adopted a softer policy on the Cuban question.

He has antagonized an influential Spanish club at Washington, and has requested to be transferred to a position of less responsibility. He has also been urged to resign his position as Postmaster General, and to take another place.

The time is approaching for action. The famous Spanish-American battle is considered to be the last of the United States.

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MOBILIZE THE ARMY AT COAST POINTS

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PREPARING FOR WAR

Adjutant-General's Office, War Department, Washington, D. C., Feb. 18, 1898, 3 P. M.

To the Commanding General of the Department of California: The Major-General commanding directs that you send at once a detachment consisting of one colonel, twenty enlisted men and a medical officer, fully equipped and supplied, to take station at all stations where modern high-power guns are mounted, and to which the public is not admitted, and to guard the forts, and to guard the forts.

General care will be exercised to send all, forts, magazines and ammunition to protected from all damage.

GILMORE, Adjutant-General.

THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER.

View of the City and Harbor of Havana from the Regis Side, Showing the Nearly Submerged Wreck of the Maine, with the Wrecking-boat in the foreground, Morro Castle and Cabanas Fortress on the Left of the Entrance and La Punta on the Left. The Nearest Landing to the Maine Is the Machina Wharf, to Which a Part of the Unfortunate Crew to Reach the Shone Swans After Being Thrown Into the Water. To the Right of the Machina Wharf and Near to the Water Are the Naval Commandant's Office, the Post-Office and the Custom-House. With the Treasury, and Beyond these, Some Distance Back, the Palace, the Military Commandant's Office, Engineers' Headquarters, Cathedral and Naval Storehouses, and Other Buildings of Note. The Central Foreground of the Picture Includes the Anchorage Reserved for Men-of-War, in Which Are Planted Six Moving Boats, Numbered in the Right of the Left. The Maine Was Moored to Buoy J. While the Albatross II was in the Wrecking-boat.

It is worthy of note that the Spanish Frigate Atocha was Destroyed by Fire in 1846 and the British Ship of the Line Invincible was Blown Up in 1741 on This Same Anchorage and Not Far From Where the Maine Met Her Fate. The British Man-of-War Achebe was Blown Up Just Within the Entrance in 1794.

CONGRESS WILL GIVE MORE CASH FOR NEW SHIPS

That Will Be One of the Most Important Results of the Awful Disaster to the Battle-ship Maine.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Washington special to the Harkins:

What will be the effect of the Maine Disaster upon the attitudes of Congress will depend upon what the devastation occasioned by the explosion of the vessel in the harbor has been. If it be in any way directed to any military vessel in the harbor, there is no doubt that the result will be a desire to arm the navy. If the disaster was casual, it is probable that Congress will take no action. In any case, it is quite probable that Congress will take no action. In any case, it is quite probable that Congress will take no action.

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TEN THOUSAND TROOPS READY

Men California Could Be Called Out in 24 Hours.

Governor Giliberti Speaks of Measures in the Event of War.

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CIMENT FELL FROM ABOVE

One Significant Fact That Has Not Been Overlooked.

The Engineer Clark, deputy superintendent of the town of San Francisco, has expressed the opinion that the explosion of the Maine was caused by an explosion of the Maine was caused by an explosion of the Maine was caused by an explosion of the Maine was caused by an explosion of the Maine.

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In your blood.

1. You must cure your disease by removing its cause.
2. Those aches and pains come from the acid.
3. In your blood.

Hospers, Doxa and Dining Room, 20th Street, San Francisco, California.

DRUNKENNESS!

If you are under the influence, you are under the influence, you are under the influence, you are under the influence, you are under the influence.