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maval policy is continued and if the army enlargements such men as Captain Hull contemplate are made the accountry must enlarge its public debt by hundreds of millions or resort to same new form of public taxation.

what European governments have done and are doing. But to this ffime Americans have pointed at the exactions of the military establishment on the workers of Europe as a condemnation of the whole milistary style of government. It may be that conditions have changed that the time has come for Twitted States to emulate the ample of military Europe. But before we accept the conclusion quickly and begin issuing an enormous public debt it is worth while to unink seriously about it.

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