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For the first time, says Samuel Crowther, America is practically self-contained and can and should depend upon her own resources.

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