STILL MUCH YET REMAINS TO BE DONE

More Guns and Mortars and Further Sites Are Required to Remove All Danger of Attacks

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- The annual report of General G. L. Gillespie, chief of engineers of the United States army, presents a comprehensive view of the condition of fortifications throughout the country. After giving a list of thirty-one points at which projects for permanent seacoast defenses have been adopted, the report says the defense of the great lakes and the St. Lawrence is under consideration, and also that projects for defense at Porto Rico, Hawaii, Guam, Manila and Subig bay have been approved by the secretary of war.

With reference to the last mentioned plans the opinion is given that construction should begin at an early day. "It is believed," the report continues,

"that the time has come when it will be no longer possible to ignore the question of insular defenses. The Navy department is properly insistent that all the important coaling stations should receive proper

#### Wants Board Appointed.

With regard to defenses for coaling stations the suggestion is made that in view of changes in the construction of ordnance and ships congress should make provision for the appointment of a tribunal similar to the Endicott board of 1888 for the determination of details. This board should have jurisdiction over the naval bases at Manila, Pearl Harbor and Honolulu, as well as the proposed defenses for the St. Lawrence and the great lakes.

seacoast defenses are now completed, a sufficient number of heavy guns and mortars to permit an effective defense against naval attack and during the past two years considerable progress has been made in the installation of rapid-fire armament, now the matter of first choice.

The existing projects comprise 356 heavy guns of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch calito 6-inch caliber and 544 mortars.

claimed are an effective defense within their range.

Many Guns Placed in Position.

heavy guns, 483 rapid-fire guns and 376 lation served, 605. Vinton, Benton county, 12-inch mortars. During the year the ad- three additional routes; area covered, sevdition to the completed armament of the enty-four square miles; population served, coast amounted to eight 12-inch guns, three | 1,297. South Dakota-Twinbrooks, Grant 8-inch guns 20 rapid-fire guns and 34 mor- county, one route; area covered, forty tars. It is intended to devote the appro- square miles; population served, 525. priation of last June to the construction of | The comptroller of the currency has ap-16-inch guns, forty-four 6-inch guns and tional bank of New York, the National fifty-two 15-pounders.

ing the year and an appropriation of first National bank of Milbank, S. D. \$2,000,000 for the purpose of securing still | Samuel Lepointe of Ionia, S. D., has been other sites is suggested. The most im- appointed teacher at the Indian school at portant site yet to be acquired is one at Klamath, Ore. the southern entrance to New York harimprovements now in progress.

With few exceptions all harbors are now Projectile Penetrates Only Three equipped with torpedo storehouses, cable tanks and mining casemates. As mining casemates and additional storage facilities are still required in several localities, an estimate of \$100,000, to be expended under the engineer department, is submitted for their construction.

## PRESIDENT TAKES AN OUTING

Get Benefit of Few Days' Rest.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- President Roosevelt, accompanied by Mr. Root, Mr. Cortelyou and Surgeon General Rixey of the navy, left here at 9 o'clock tonight on a special train for a gunning expedition near Manassas, Va. The open season for wild turkey and quail begins in Virginia tomor-

At Manassas the train will be sidetracked and tomorrow the party will shoot over the farm of Mr. Rixey, a brother of the surgeon general. The train consisted of three cars.

A stenographer, two secret service men and two servants are with the party. The president reached the station fifteen minutes ahead of train time and went at once to his car. He was in ordinary street dress, except that he were a comfortable light slouch hat, suitable for traveling.

He occupied himself reading the evening papers until the arrival of Secretary Root. When the warning signal came the president came out on the forward end of the

On Monday the party will return to Washingten and proceed immediately to Oyster Bay, where the president will cast his vote on Tuesday.

Secretary Root will accompany the presidenb as far as New York. On Wednesday morning the president, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, will leave Oyster Bay. Mrs. Roosevelt will come directly to Washington. but the president and other members of the party will stop in Philadelphia to attend the sesqui-centennial of the admission of George Washington into the Masonic fraternity. President Roosevelt will return to | |S Washington on Wednesday night or Thursday morning.

GERMANY FINANCIAL POWER

Has Immense Investments in Foreign Countries All Over

who is stationed at Annaberg, says \$2,000,- the land grant of the railroad company. 600,000 of German capital is invested in the The disputed area is covered with granite United States and Mexico.

Germany also has investments amounting therefore exempt from the grant. The to \$2,000,000,000 in Central and South America: \$1,000,000,000 in Australia, Africa and the far east, and \$25,000,000 in Turkey. Its investments in stocks and bonds of other countries amount to \$3,000,000,000.

These foreign investments are all the growth of thirty years.

#### ROOSEVELT THANKS WORKMEN

Kindly Greeting by President of Men Who Have Been Working on White House.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21 -- After breakfast-

ing at the White House today President as at first supposed. Roosevelt informally received 191 of the gaged upon the repairs of the mansion. for having facilitated by their work the to induce the Colombian government to

COAST DEFENSE PROGRESSES | EDUCATION IS OF NO BENEFIT Indiana in Oklahoma Do Not Profit

by Advantages Offered.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- A severe arraignment of the Indians on the Pones, Otoe and Oakland reservations in Oklaboms is made by Agent Erwin, in charge of the reservation, in his annual report to the commissioner of Indian affairs. The report

Hardly any of the young Indians, those who have graduated from nonreservation schools as well as those who have attended for a number of years, do any work at all. It can be set down as a perfectly safe rules that as a class the young educated indians are the most worthless ones in the whole tribe. Nearly all of the work done by the tribes is performed by the middle-aged, able-bodied ones, who cannot write or speak English.

able-bodied ones, who cannot write or speak English.

The educated Indian, coming from the schools, usually gives the excuse that he schools, usually gives the excuse that he has nothing with which to work, neither money, implements nor stock of any kind. This is true, but I notice that they manage to live on their annuities and lease money and buy horses, buggles, etc., on credit and borrow money from the banks with very little prospect of ever being able to pay their dabts.

Any able-bodied man or woman is able to obiain work at fair wages. Many of the people are addicted to drink and both men and women are inverterate gambiers. They have practically nothing to do. Their days are repent in almost utter idieness and vice and debauchery are rampant.

The degredation of these people will continue and increase until they are made to work and live by the result of their labors.

As a remedy for this condition of affairs

As a remedy for this condition of affairs the agent recommends that the Indian children be educated only at reservation boarding schools, further education being 90 per cent waste of effort and money; that the schools under the jurisdiction of the Oklahoma government be established among those Indians so that the latter can come into constant contact with white children, and that the payments by the government from their trust funds now in the United States treasury be used to enable them to start in farming and stock

### Somewhat more than 50 per cent of the WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL

twenty-five of the principal harbors have Mosby Report Will Not Be Passed Upon Until After Secretary's Return.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-All pending matters in the Interior department requiring final decision bers, 1,294 rapid-fire guns from 2.24 inch by the secretary will go over till after election, as Mr. Hitchcock will leave for St. The total cost for the engineering work Louis tomorrow to cast his vote next Tuesis estimated at \$50,000,000, including what day. The report of Colonel Mosby on the has been completed, as well as what re- sileged illegal occupancy of the public domains to be done. Recommendation is made | main by cattlemen has not yet been acted that authority be given for the resumption upon by the secretary and the questions of the manufacture of mortars which, it is involved will not be settled until Mr. Hitchcock's return.

Rural free delivery routes will be established on December 1 as follows: Iowa -Gilbert station, Story county, one route; Provision has been made for placing 331 area covered, twenty square miles; popu-

emplacements for two 12-inch guns, four prozed the Importers and Traders Na-Bank of Commerce and First National bank Report is made of sites purchased dur- of Minneapolis as reserve agents for the

bor, made necessary by the deep water NEBRASKA ARMOR IS TESTED

Inches, Though Ten-Inch Gun is Used.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- During the week there have been two tests of armor plate at Indian Head.

The first was made with six-inch projectiles on triangular six-inch Krupp plate to be used on Colorado, Pennsylvania, Makes a Short Trip Into Virginia to Maryland and West Virginia. Three shots were fired. The greatest striking velocity was 1,919 feet per second. The armor was penetrated only about two inches.

> The other was with eleven-inch Krupp plate to be used as side armor for the battleship Nebraska. In this instance a teninch gun was used, and the penetration was three inched.

The Navy department is now receiving consignments of armor considerably in adance of the demand. In the case of Nebraska, the keel was

only laid recently and it is not known when the vessel will be ready for armor. HERO IS DISABLED

Lieutenant Winship, Who Saved Day in Philippines, Laid Up with Rheumatism.

WASHINGTON, Oct. \$1 .- Lieutenant Emory Winship, attached to the flagship Iowa. has been condemned by medical survey, on account of rheumatism, and transferred to the British hospital at Montevideo.

He was one of the heroes of the naval campaign in the Philippines and was advanced several numbers for distinguished onduct in action. He now carries five Mauser bullets in his body, three in his right leg, one in his left leg and one in his left hip, received while operating an automatic gun in a small steam launch.

A landing party was attacked by overwhelming numbers and would undoubtedly have been routed but for his action in taking personal charge of the automatic gun in the bow of a launch and pouring a deadly volley into the natives,

GRANITE A MINERAL? Supreme Court Hears Test Case Concerning Northern Pacific

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.-The supreme ourt of the United States today began hearing arguments in the case of the Northern Pacific against J. A. Soderberg. The WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- Consul Winter, suit involves a controversy over land within and Soderberg claims it is mineral and

> point at lesue is whether granite is a The case is meant to be a test one, much other land within the limits of the grant | Colombia was not considered.

being covered with granite. COLOMBIA ASKED TO HURRY Hay Used No Threats Concerning

Treaty, but Suggested Its Harly Completion. WASHINGTON, Oct. \$1 .- From trustworthy sources it is learned that the note Secretary Hay sent to Minister Hart at

Bogota on Tuesday was not as emphatic navy with one year's pay on account of It is said to have contained nothing which mechanics and laborers who have been ep- might be construed as a threat or as protesting against Minister Concha's action in The President greeted the workmen as postponing the treaty negotiations. On they passed, having a pleasant word and the contrary, it was friendly and urged stead of approving a sentence to place him Mrs. Elizabeth Wiedershiem and Mrs. Harmile for each. He thanked them as a body Minister Hart to use his best endeavors at the foot of the list.

completion of the repairs to the mansion, proceed with the negotiations without furthereby enabling him once more to oc- ther delay.

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TWO-PIECE DOUBLE-BREASTED SUITS at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, THREE-PIECE SUITS at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 ,\$5.00, \$6 and \$7.50.

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market, where he picked up samples of high grade, three-quarter length and Monte Carlo Coats at about 50c on the dollar. They go on sale Suturday morning.

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DRUNKARD GETS YEAR'S PAY Lieutenant Retired When Doctors

Diagnose Heart Disease for

Heavy Drinker. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- First Lieutenant James W. Lynch, United States Marine corps, has been wholly retired from the

disability His physicians reported that he suffered from heart disease, but he has been twice convicted of drunkenness and the department adopted the plan of retiring him in-

Give Indians Pensions. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- Indian Agent tack the validity of a divorce obtained by It is understood the question of the Applegate of the Klamath, Oregon reserva- the decedent,

partment to grant a pension of \$10 per month to three leaders of the Klamath's who are allies of the whites in both Plute and Modoc wars.

DIVORCED WIFE SEEKS SHARE Claims Decree Was Not Legal and Will Fight for Dead Man's Entate.

WASHINGTON, Oct. \$1.-The probate court here today, upon the application of an stab his wife, when she shot him five times. sileged creditor, directed the will of the late Colonel Nathaniel McKay to be filed. The will after a few personal bequests leaves the entire estate to his wife and

It is said Mrs. Jennie Pope McKay, a legation at Port au Prince, Hayti, that the former wife, will contest the will and at- recent decree closing the ports of St. Mare, surely and safely; dispell headaches, back-Gonalves and Port de Paix has been re-

tion, has recommended the Interior de- GETS DROP ON HER HUSBAND PASSES STOLEN BANK NOTES FALL ASLEEP ON THE TRACK Missouri Man Attempts to Stab Wife,

> Kills Him. JOPLIN, Mo., Oct. 31 .- R. O. Randall, a real estate dealer of Carthage, was shot at noon today by his wife and instantly killed. Mrs. Randall had sued for divorce several days ago and today when they met in a lawyer's office in Joplin a quarrel ensued. Randall drew a knife and attempted to

but She Shoots and

were prominent. Baytinu Ports Open Again. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- The Department of State is advised by the United States

Brother of Man Already in the Penitentiary is Arrested on a Serious Charge.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Oct. 31 .- Boous Kilpatrick, a brother of Ben Kilpatrick, who was arrested in St. Louis and sent to the ponitentiary for participation in the Northern Pacific train robbery in 1901, has been arrested at Ozona and will be given a preliminary examination before United States Commissioner Keating here on the charge Mrs. Randall was arrested. The Randalis of having passed Heiena, Mont., National bank notes here which were stolen during

Two Boys Instantly Killed and One Fatally Injured by Big Four Train.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Oct. 31.-Daniel Neal and Stanley Buford were instantly killed and William Rousch was fatally injured by a Big Four freight train while asleep beside the tracks near here today. They had tired of school and left their homes three days ago. Becoming weary after a long tramp, the boys sat down on the tracks to rest and fell asleep.

Give Bonds for Appearance.

Tell This to Your Wife.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Quimby and John C. Lathrop, a Christian Science healer, gave bonds in \$2.000 today for their appearance for trial. They were indicted yesterday at White Plains for manslaughter in the second degree, being charged with having caused the death of Eather Quimby, 7 years old, by neglecting to provide medical attendance.