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COME GET THEM

if any foreign power desires military maps of the United States or any of its possessions, it need only send in a party law on the statute books to prevent such action. The lack of legal protection is thrown into attention by the statement of General Wood that Japanese engineers are making maps in the Philippines. If German or French engineers should appear in New York state, or Mexican engineers in the Mississippi valley and commerce making military maps, nothing could be done, except possibly thru action by one to prevent one's property from trespass. If the connection between the spies and their governments could be shown, the United States could protest thru the diplomatic channels and speedily secure their withdrawal, but if the foreign government disavowed employment nothing could be done.

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