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One of the first names mentioned in connection with the selection of a successor to General William M. Marshall, chief of the engineer corps of the army, who retires in June, was that of Colonel G. W. Goethals, who has played such a prominent part in building Uncle Sam's great Panama canal. Goethals is most popular in Panama. He puts on no frills. He does not hold himself aloof or surround himself with an air of mystery. Everybody can see him, and he is always good natured, although carrying problems on his shoulders that would drive most men to drinking Panama water, and that's going some. When there was so much discussion over the way the canal should be built Goethals said:



"If they want a lock canal I'll build it for them. If they want a sea level canal I'll build it for them. If they don't want either I'll go home."

Few American women have made such a strenuous and delightful trip abroad as Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, who has been with her husband ever since he emerged from the African jungles and started on his triumphal tour of Europe. She has crossed the desert on a camel, dined with royalty, shaken hands with famous heroes and



as the wife of America's popular president has been the most talked of woman abroad. Mrs. Roosevelt has stood the journey remarkably well and, like the colonel, is bronzed from the sun and looks the picture of health.

Friends in Both Places.

Mark Twain, the humorist, had friends in Philadelphia, and one of them, a woman who was his hostess at a dinner on his last visit to that city, tells the following story:

"We were talking about the future life and the various kinds of reward and punishment that might be expected in the next world," she said, "and Mr. Clemens took no part in the discussion. After a few moments of conversation on the part of all the other guests and complete silence from the humorist the woman sitting next to him turned to him and said:

"Well, Mr. Clemens, aren't you going to tell us what you think about future punishment and reward?"

"I must ask you to excuse me, madam," he replied. "You see, I have friends in both places."

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