

Fort Adams, Newport, R. I.—The most satisfactory progress has been made in this work during the past season. The operations on it have been directed, principally, to the turning and roofing the casemate arches of the main work; to the completion of the scarp wall on the east front; to the construction of permanent galleries under the S. W. bastion, the counterscarp walls of the S. E. and S. W. exterior front; and the permanent drains of the work generally.