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LARGER ARMY TO BE TRAINED TO STRIKE FAST

By JULIUS C. EDELSTEIN
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON.—The U. S. Army, when the present defense program is fully under way, will be capable of launching counter-attacks, with the full power of "blitzkrieg," military experts declare.

War plans of the United States, while they contemplate defense only, are based on the attack formula, experts disclosed, and with modern equipment and expanded personnel, the army should be able to strike with terrific force and power.

Current emphasis is on the manufacture and production of material and equipment to supply an initial protective force of approximately 1,000,000 men.

Test Planned in 1941
Mechanization of new divisions of the expanded army, and training of swift-moving tank units in almost every army corps is underway. Large scale maneuvers have been planned for early next year to test the newly expanded strength of the army in mass movement.

Experts recalled that only a year ago the army had fewer than 150,000 regular troops, one-third of these stationed in the off-shore outposts of the nation—Canton one, Hawaii, and the Philippines.

Today mechanized equipment and ordnance of every kind is pouring out of factories and arsenals at an unprecedented pace. It is roughly estimated that \$2,000,000,000 in contracts for the manufacture of army equipment and material will have been let in the calendar year, 1940. This is the greatest peace-time total in American history.

Tanks of All Sizes
The expanded army, when fully equipped will be partly on wheels, partly on foot, partly on horseback. The mechanized section of the army will have the latest, the finest, and fastest armored trucks. The tank units will consist of huge irresistible monsters, and small speedsters, mounting small rapid-fire guns and capable of the maneuverability of a cavalry unit.

Every army component will have a greater degree of fire power than any other similar group in the world, it is said. Infantry forces will have the Garand semi-automatic rifle, capable of laying down a curtain of fire beyond that of any army's infantry.

Military experts emphasized that plans were based primarily on attacking invading forces, on repelling landing efforts by air, and on striking against surprise penetrations made in unprotected areas, as, for instance, by a "fifth column" uprising, or by surprise invasion.

Coordinated maneuvers between the army and navy are planned for some future date to practice tactics against air and parachute attacks at widely distributed points in the New World.

Outposts Not Neglected
Plans have also been perfected for the reinforcement and protection of the vital outposts of national defense—Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Canal Zone. The defenses of each of these points are rapidly being perfected to make them impregnable to surprise assault.

The question of the defense of the Philippine Islands is still, as it has been for the past decade, a moot and undetermined phase of the national defense program. The increased national emphasis on defense has not served to settle or clarify the degree of responsibility which the army and navy will undertake for the protection of the Philippine archipelago. America's great salient in the Far East.

Weak in Far East
Most defense experts agree that neither the army nor the navy is equipped to wage a major campaign in the Far East, nor to protect the Philippines against invasion. Inasmuch as the Philippines are scheduled to achieve full political independence on July 4, 1946, the United States long-range defense plans do not include the Philippines.

The Philippines question, however, is of deep concern to defense planners, because the United States is morally committed to defend the islands as long as the American flag flies over them. Some plans are presumed to

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THE WEATHER
WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight except scattered thunderstorms in southwest portion. Saturday partly cloudy with scattered showers, cooler Panhandle.

U. S. to Shelter Norse Princess



Accepting the invitation of President Roosevelt, Crown Princess Martha of Norway and her three children are en route to the United States. They are traveling on a U. S. ship, presumably the troop transport American Legion, which recently left Stockholm to pick up American refugees at Petsamo, Finland.

Narcotics Flow Checked By War

By United Press
ALBANY, N. Y.—The wars in Europe and Asia have offered an appreciated ally to the nation's narcotic squads, according to Frank Smith, New York state narcotics bureau director. Supplies of narcotics that must be imported are becoming scarcer, Smith explained, because of restricted commerce and shipping to the United States.

The additional crimp in the drug smugglers' and seller's activities—increasingly strict law enforcement—has caused an increase in thievery, prescription forging and other desperate attempts by addicts to obtain drugs.

Opium Price Soars
For instance, the retail price of smoking opium has risen from its standard of \$100 per pound to between \$350 and \$400, it is said. Opium is difficult to obtain because it is imported chiefly from China. Comparatively little is smoked now, Smith said.

Heroin and morphine prices have risen accordingly. The former is sold by bootleggers, diluted to contain as little as two or three per cent of the pure drug. Morphine, however, can be stolen from a doctor's office and the telephone number printed on the pad is changed to that of an accomplice," Smith said.

When a wary pharmacist telephones to check with the doctor, the accomplice assures him the prescription is all right. "They have various angles they work, and they are desperate," Smith said.

Arrests Made Daily
Smith said narcotics squads continue making arrests "every day," but he couldn't estimate whether addiction is increasing or is on the wane.

"We make arrests, but possibly that is because of stricter enforcement, not increased use. "We don't arrest the addicts—just try to get the dealers. That is difficult. The stuff has no bulk and they move it fast."

Smokers of marijuana cigarettes, "reefers," are of secondary concern to narcotics agents, although they are continually looking for and destroying patches of the weed. Harlem has most "reefer men," Smith said.

Beneficial Rains Fall Over Ranger- Eastland Section

Beneficial rains, estimated at from three-fourths to one and one-half inches, fell over the Ranger-Eastland territory late Thursday evening and early last night. Growing crops and pastures were greatly helped, according to reports.

At Carbon, 10 miles south of Eastland, reports gave the fall as two inches. Northwest of Eastland the fall was reported as heavier than in the Eastland city limits.

STEAMER TORPEDOED
NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—An SOS was picked up by wireless companies here today from the Swedish steamer Hebrus, 2,325 tons, which said it had been torpedoed northwest of Ireland.

RAINS SPOIL GARRETT PLAN FOR SPEECHES

Heavy rainfall of Thursday afternoon and night upset speaking plans of Clyde L. Garrett, Eastland, seeking reelection as congressman from the 17th district. A scheduled address by Garrett in Stamford last night was cancelled because of the downpour.

The congressman was booked for an all-day tour of Taylor county today, beginning with a speech at Tuscola at 9:30 this morning and climaxing with a rally in Abilene tonight. Rain has forced postponement of the tour that would have carried him to Ovalo, Lawn, Bradshaw, Drasco, Wingate, Blackwell, Hylton, Shep. View and Caps.

According to announcements from Garrett's headquarters late last night the Garrett rally on the federal lawn in Abilene tonight will be held as scheduled, beginning at 8:30.

Judge Sam Russell, Garrett's opponent, had better luck with rain. He spoke in Stamford yesterday and Sweetwater last night. He was to be in Rotan at 12:45 p. m. today and at Roby tonight.

Midwest Wars On Marijuana

By United Press
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The drive to eradicate marijuana, a narcotic plant, here and in nearby Missouri and Kansas is being intensified before the plant seeds late this month.

In this city a power mower and scythe men from the street cleaning department have cut almost 500 tons of the plant from which the drug used in smoking is produced. The plant must be cut to grow next year.

William C. Gordon, inspector of detectives in charge of eradicating the narcotic, is directing the drive here and in outlying districts. Gordon has conferred with members of farm and county extension agents in 21 counties in Northwestern Missouri to promote an educational program explaining the harmful effects of the drug and the best methods for its destruction.

The farm agents have furthered the program by arranging meetings with ministers, members of the American Legion, farmers, 4-H clubs and newspaper editors all of whom have agreed to join the eradication drive.

In Kansas, Gordon has contacted W. B. Fair, director of the state highway department, who has thrown the full cooperation of his department into the campaign. The actual cutting is handled by the NYA and sheriffs.

The plant, originally grown for hemp in rope making, now requires a federal permit for planting. No such permits have been issued in Missouri and Kansas. In the past two years, Gordon said, 30 marijuana peddlers have been convicted here.

Peace Officers To Meet In Fort Worth August 28, 29, 30

Sheriff Loss Woods and a number of his deputies are planning to attend the annual Sheriff's convention which meets August 28, 29, and 30 in Fort Worth. W. M. Adams, sheriff at Amarillo, is president of the association. A. B. Carter, Tarrant county sheriff, and Earl Howard, chief of police of Fort Worth, will act as hosts to the convention.

Members of the Eastland and Ranger police department are also planning to attend one or more days of the convention.

First Necessity Store Owner Dies

W. F. Houston, the man who opened the first store at Necessity, was buried Wednesday afternoon at Paint Rock, Texas, following his death there Tuesday.

Mr. Houston who was 71 years old, lived at Necessity for seven years, selling out and leaving there during the boom period.

Anthrax Epidemic Hits Stephens County

FORT WORTH, Aug. 16.—Dr. T. O. Booth, state veterinarian, said today that a large section of Southern Stephens county had been quarantined against livestock shipments as a result of an anthrax epidemic. Vaccination of stock in the vicinity is proceeding rapidly, he said.

German People to Become Extinct El Pasoan Says

By United Press
EL PASO, Tex.—The "beast with two horns," mentioned in the Bible refers to the present Rome-Berlin axis, according to the belief of Frank McEwen, El Pasoan whose hobby for years has been the study of the prophecies of the Bible.

McEwen has compiled a list of prophecies taken from the books of the Bible that he says are coming true in the current European war.

He said that according to the Bible the German people will become extinct, destroyed by war or famine. Americans, he says, are the chosen people mentioned in the scriptures.

"All the ancient peoples mentioned in the Bible are still here on earth," McEwen said. "They have different names now."

Germany is really Assyria, he said, and Ephraim (the land of Chittim) is England. The Chaldeans are the present-day Mongols; Italy is "of the Egyptians"; Manahel (the land of Zion) is the United States.

According to prophecies in Daniel, Isaiah, Revelations and elsewhere in the Bible, McEwen says, the people of Israel are really the Anglo-Saxon-Celts.

England will not be conquered by Hitler but England is doomed, and is the end of the old order; America is the beginning of a new order, he says the Bible predicts. "Hitler will overcome Mussolini and then return to his own land. Then he will return again to Italy, but the ships of England will cause him to withdraw," he said.

"The great controversy is over Israel with Lucifer trying to destroy it," he added. "Lucifer's children are the German and Italian leaders of today. The Israelites have been the preserved of God and are the Anglo-Saxon-Celtic peoples."

McEwen asserted that the Duke of Windsor is a descendant of King David.

Super Highway Will Be Free Of Billboards

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The \$70,000,000 Pennsylvania super-highway program by Pittsburgh and Harrisburg will not be cluttered with billboards if the Turnpike Commission has its way, and the commissioners have it all figured out. Chairman Walter A. Jones points out that the "turnpike is built over a right-of-way at least 200 feet wide, and wider in places."

If anyone plans to build billboards beyond this range, Jones says, "We'll plant tall trees and shrubs to cover the signs. No advertiser will care to invest money for hidden billboards."

There are too many beautiful scenic views and points of historical interest to permit signs. The commission plans to add nature by planting thousands of trees, shrubs and flowers in addition to building historic shrines, in line with the policy of making the turnpike the most beautiful highway in the world.

Although billboards are banned, approximately 900 directional signs for pedestrians and drivers will be placed on the road, to be opened for traffic in September.

U. S. Negotiating For Plane Bases

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 16.—President Roosevelt revealed today that the United States is negotiating with Britain and separately with Canada for air and naval bases in the Western Hemisphere. The president also disclosed that important U. S. navy and army officers are in England observing the progress of war with Germany.

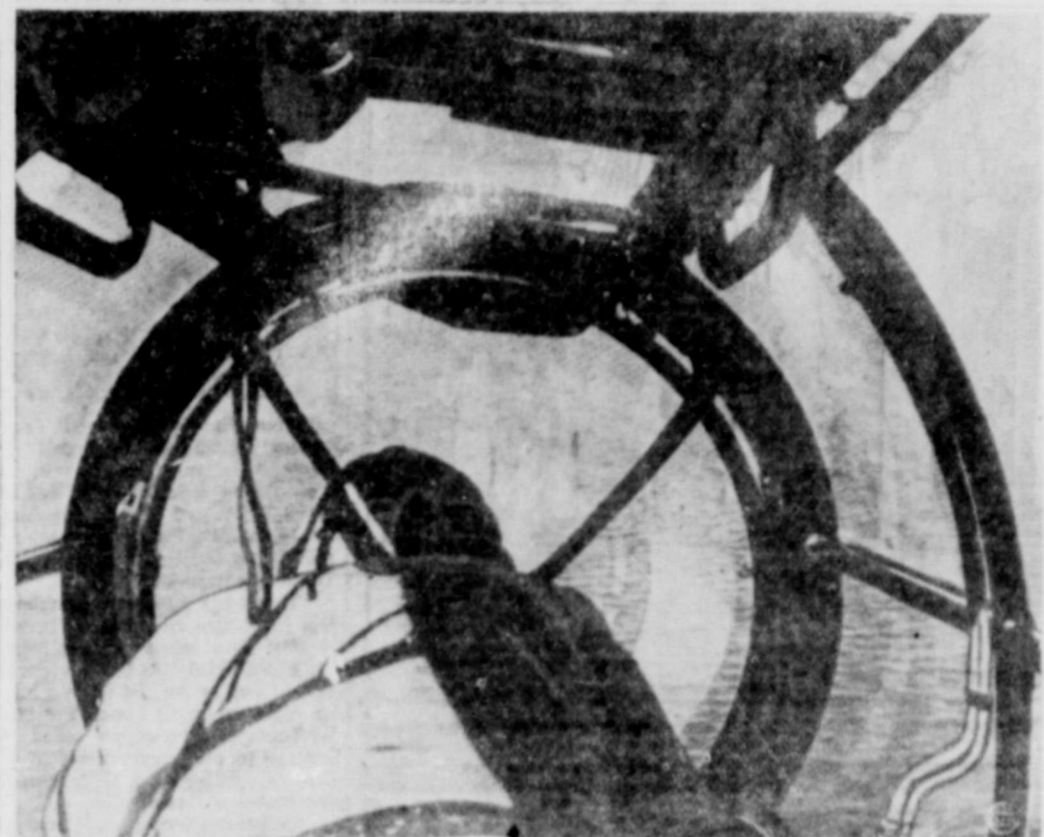
MARRIAGE LICENSES
Howard Deason, Temple and Pauline Roach, Fort Worth. Jack K. Anderson, Ranger, and Bertha Bisbee, Eastland. Sidney E. Suplever, Olden, and Ruth Donoho, Olden. Lonnie Earl Lisenbee, Cisco, and Mary Lee Coats, Cisco. C. L. Gleason, Gorman, and Bobbie Lee O'Neal, Gorman. Howard L. Johnson, Stephenville, and Frances Irene McDaniel, Stephenville. Winfred E. Treadway, Gorman, and Muriel Parker, Gorman. W. B. Melton, Houston, and Mrs. Hazel Dell Alexander, Ranger. Raymond Beck, Rt. 2, Eastland, and Celia Ray Morton, Rt. 2, Eastland.

TO HEAR WILKIE
ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 16.—Thousands of persons gathered in this little town today for acceptance tomorrow of the Republican presidential nomination by Wendell Wilkie, home-town boy. His speech will be broadcast at 3 p. m. CST.

CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY
SAN FRANCISCO—Mrs. P. K. De Shields excitedly called the police to come on the run as there was a Scotch burglar in her house. The police took time out, before dashing to her aid, to ask how she knew he was Scotch. She replied he kept saying "hoot."

The police arrived and extracted a large owl that was caught in the chimney.

Multiply This by Hundreds



Multiply this photo by hundreds to get an idea of the concentrated assault launched by the German aerial armada against England. With the plane nosed down in a screaming dive, the Nazi gunner lies prone behind the propeller, pouring torrents of machine gun bullets into the target below. Photo passed by German censor.

CELEBRATION AT CISCO TO DRAW 10,000

Ten thousand or more visitors are expected in Cisco today and Saturday to attend the first State-wide Jamboree of Veterans of Foreign Wars ever to be held in Texas. Cisco Post 3355 will be host to the event, which will be held at Lake Cisco.

The two-day program will be highlighted by the selection and presentation of a VFW queen, a burro derby, political speeches, and the awarding of prizes, donated by merchants. The facilities of Lake Cisco will also be available for the entertainment of visitors, including the featured Borderland shows, midway attraction.

Music will be presented throughout the program by the Hittson-Schaefer orchestra and Stanley Webb, vocalist.

Necessity Church Holding Revival

A revival is in progress at a brush arbor at the Necessity Baptist church, with Rev. Gay Lewis in charge. Jack Prescott of Abilene is conducting the singing. The meeting, which started August 10, will close August 25.

Morning services are at eight o'clock. The Book of Hebrews is being discussed. Evening services start at 7:30, with preaching at 8.

Promotes Pension For Old Race Horses

SALEM, N. H.—An old-age pension plan for race horses has been started at Rockingham Park track by owner Phil Bieber.

One per cent of every winning purse will be deducted every day of the meet and the track will contribute an equal amount. Other New England turfmen have agreed to back the idea, which will result in the retirement of several hundred old horses.

EXPLOSION KILLS FIVE
JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 16.—Five veteran employees were killed today when an explosion demolished a small unit of the Atlas Powder Plant near here. Officials said there was no suspicion of sabotage.

**BIG BASS TAKEN
By Cisco Angler**

One of the largest large-mouth black bass taken from Lake Cisco this summer was caught Thursday morning by Harry Schaefer. The fish was taken on a Red Horse minnow. It weighed seven and a quarter pounds, measured 16 1/2 inches in circumference and was 23 1/2 inches in length.

Bees' Big Buzz



Just two years ago he was with Dayton, O., a class C team. Today Carver (Rowell, Boston Bees' rookie second baseman, is making a determined bid for the National League batting championship.

Saulsbury Aids Pierce Brooks In Commission Race

LUBBOCK, Aug. 16.—Pierce Brooks, candidate for railroad commissioner, and Baker Saulsbury of Amarillo, who was a candidate for the place in the first primary campaign through West Texas together Wednesday. Saulsbury carried this section of the state in the July election running ahead of Brooks and Culbertson. He joined Pierce Brooks at Pampa Tuesday night and during Wednesday spoke from the same platform as Brooks at Canyon, Tulsa, Plainview, Floydada and Lubbock.

At Lubbock Brooks said that his opponent was criticizing him because he was not elected lieutenant governor two years ago. "Although I suffered a severe accident during the second primary two years ago which kept me from actively campaigning, I polled over 400,000 votes," Brooks said. "My opponent failed to mention that in his last state race he managed to poll only 170,000 and failed to get in the run off. He was more fortunate than I for after his defeat he was given a good state job under the railroad commission and held it for six years."

Brooks also said that he was being attacked because he advocated co-operation and harmony between the railroad commission and Governor O'Daniel.

"I want to help finish what O'Daniel started and take control of the railroad commission away from professional politicians and restore it to the common people to whom it belongs," Brooks declared in predicting that he would be elected by a big majority August 24th.

Two committees of cattlemen, one from Eastland county and the other from Stephens county, held a joint meeting at the Stephens county court house at Breckenridge Wednesday.

The Eastland county cattlemen met with County Judge W. S. Adamsen, County Commissioner Arch Birt, at the chamber of commerce in Cisco Tuesday, when the following resolution, presented by Charles J. Kleiner and seconded by Sam Kimmel was passed:

"That the group go on record as co-operating with Stephens county officials, the state veterinarian, the state livestock sanitary commission, the county officials of Eastland county in asking proper authorities to make a thorough investigation of the anthrax epidemic in that vicinity, to act accordingly, and to take proper action to check such epidemic."

HEAVY RAINS FALL
Heavy rains fell today in North and Central Texas, sending temperatures to 80 and lower 90 degrees. Henrietta reported highest total of 3.83 inches, and others were Haskell 2.91, Seymour 1.85, Brownwood 3.26 and Dublin 2.33.

3,000 PLANES IN RAID ON BRITISH ISLES

London was bombed today by part of a great German air fleet estimated at 3,000 planes. Reports were sketchy because of impaired communication and increased censorship.

London however remarked on "depletion" of Nazi bombing squadrons returning home and said their loss was "colossal." Germans said part of the London docks were destroyed, although only military objectives were attacked. Some of the most populous parts of London are near the docks.

Berlin released a play-by-play account of the battle and said the British were fighting "with greatest ferocity" against picked Nazi bombing crews.

Smaller Nazi squads appeared earlier over the Southeast Coast. London sources said the Germans lost 170 planes yesterday compared with 34 British planes.

The air ministry in London also announced bombing last night of aircraft works in Milan and Turin, Italy, and destruction of part of a seaplane base near Rome by bombers from North Africa.

Athens reported that Italian airplanes aggravated the already bad situation today by slightly damaging two Greek destroyers en route to Tinos, where an unidentified submarine sank a Greek cruiser yesterday.

Palomino Show To Be Held In Abilene, Oct. 2 - 4

AUSTIN, Aug. 16.—A Palomino show expected to have more than 250 of the colorful horses entered will be held Oct. 2, 3 and 4 at Abilene, Howard B. Cox of San Angelo, president of a Texas Palomino Association has announced.

A Palomino is not a particular breed of horse but a horse of particular coloring. He may be a thoroughbred, a saddlebred, a quarter horse or any type if the coloring is right. Last year at Palomino a Palomino Shetland pony was exhibited.

Generally recognized specifications for a Palomino are that the skin must be black; the mane and tail must be silver; the eyes must be dark. The animal's coat may be any shade of gold. Dark, dappled gold seems to be considered best.

So popular have Palominos become among Texas stockmen that 200 were exhibited in an all-Palomino show last year. One hundred were entered in a mid-summer show at Mineral Wells this year.

The program for the October show will be made up of the usual horse show events, but all the entries will be Palominas. There will also be a rodeo program with only Palominos used.

There will be halter classes including yearlings, twos, threes and up in mares, geldings and stallions. There will be three-gaited numbers for men and women, a roping contest and a "ladies flag contest."

The last event is one in which the cowgirls, all riding Palominas, line up at one end of the arena. At the other's pistol-shot they dash to the other end, each picking a small flag from a post. Flag in hand, they race back to the starting point.

Exciting dashes are expected in the Palomina flag race for many of the Palominos being raised in Texas are quarter horses. A quarter horse is one developed to have his best speed at a quarter of a mile. Quarter horses are used extensively to supply the stables of polo players.

Though Palominos are comparatively new in Texas, they were famous in Spain before the discovery of America. Queen Isabella is credited with having had the largest stable of Palominos. They were raised by breeding red Arabian stallions with flaxen manes and tails to dun mares. Modern raisers say best color results are still secured by sticking to the Arabian strain.

To lighten the colorfulness of the Palomino show, riders all will be required to wear yellow shirts and white sombreros.

CAR TURNS OVER
Sam Gamble of the Lone Star Gas Company was slightly injured Thursday afternoon when he temporarily lost control of his car and it quit the road and turned over twice on the Breckenridge-Eastland highway. The car was considerably damaged.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Pierce Brooks Speaks to Eastland County Voters



Pierce Brooks, Railroad Commission candidate, appealed to Eastland county voters in a speech here today to turn out on August 24 and "help complete the job of running the professional politicians out of control of the Texas government."

"Texas has just half completed the job," Brooks said. "It was mighty fine when you returned W. Lee O'Daniel to the governor's office, but on August 24 you have an opportunity to smash the Sadler-Thompson machine that is seeking to perpetuate itself in office by electing Olin Culberson to the Railroad Commission."

"Culberson has derided me because I was defeated for Lieut. Gov. in 1938. He failed to tell you, however, that I polled more than 400,000 votes in the runoff, despite the fact that a serious accident prevented me from active campaigning. Culberson has failed to tell you that when he first ran for a state office he failed to get into the runoff and was eliminated in the first primary with a very poor vote."

"Pierce Brooks has been criticized because I have pledged my support to the progressive program of O'Daniel and my opposition to the slimy, insidious Sadler-Thompson combination that is supporting Olin Culberson. I have no apology to make for my support of our great Governor and I will wholeheartedly assist him when I am your Railroad Commissioner."

"I will exert my energies to lifting the 7,000-pound load limit on trucks, that farmers, ranchers and independent shippers can earn a living without being transformed into criminals by a law that discriminates in favor of the railroads."

"I favor the maximum pension allowed under the Social Security amendment for the old folks of this state and will aid Governor O'Daniel and a sympathetic legislature in providing the funds. I will reduce the cost of operating the Railroad Commission by 25 per cent."

During the day, Brooks spoke also at Baird, Cisco and Weatherford and tonight from 8:30 to 9:45 he will speak over the Texas Quality Network.

Retirement of Teachers Vital Says U. of T. Dean

AUSTIN, Tex.—A teacher-retirement system has become indispensable to the highest efficiency of public schools, believes Dr. B. F. Pittenger, dean of the University of Texas School of Education, who prepared a bulletin on this subject just published by the Texas State Teachers Association.

Dr. Pittenger traced the national movement toward teacher retirement, beginning with Virginia's adoption of retirement statutes in 1908 down to the present. The Texas law was passed in 1937.

Such a law increases the efficiency of the teacher by relieving his mind of worry concerning the future, the bulletin states. It also keeps more capable teachers in the class rooms by offering greater opportunity for advancement.

No provision has yet been made, Dr. Pittenger pointed out, for State funds to match the \$7,000,000 thus far deposited by Texas teachers, making it impossible to give the early benefits of the program to teachers now ready for retirement.

Special Stamp Sept. 7 Marks Colorado Trip

WASHINGTON. — Postmaster General James A. Farley has authorized a special 3-cent postage stamp commemorating the 400th anniversary of the Coronado expedition through the southwestern states.

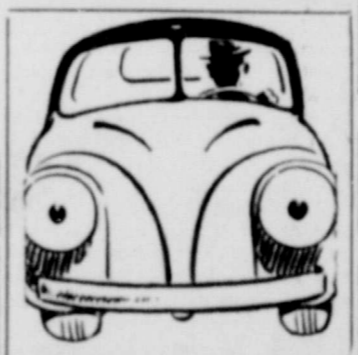
In the center of the stamp will be an oval shaped reproduction of the painting "Coronado and His Captains" by Gerald Cassidy. The lower edge of the stamp will bear the wording, "1540—Coronado Cuarto Centennial—1940." The left shield will contain the designation "3c" and the right will bear the Coronado Coat of Arms.

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CHEESE Pound 19c	5 ROSES FLOUR 48 Lb. Bag 89c
OLEO Pound 10c	CHILI With Beans 3 No. 1 Cans 25c
BOLOGNA Lb. 10c	TEA 3 Meal, With Glass 1/2 Pound 13c
COFFEE With Bowl Pound 25c	

A WANT AD IN THIS PAPER WILL BRING QUICK RESULTS!

U. S. HOME TRIP OF AMBULANCE MEN UNCERTAIN

By Ralph Heinzen
United Press Staff Correspondent
VICHY—Rescued from German prisoner camps, driving their own ambulances just ahead of the advancing Panzer-divisions or merely walking at night through the lines to safety, about 100 American volunteer ambulance drivers with the American Ambulance Corps assembled at Louvie-Juzon, in the French Pyrenees, outside of the zone of German occupation for earliest possible evacuation to America or for further volunteer service among French civilian refugees.

There is no news of some other volunteer drivers but the records of prison camps and hospitals are being searched for trace of them. Most of their ambulances were lost, either in violent shelling or strafing on the roads of France or left behind when the German army swept swiftly through France.

Cited for Bravery
When the saga of the American ambulance corps is written there will be many chapters of heroism, because both individual drivers and whole units have figured in citations of French army units for bravery under fire.

The 20 drivers of the 1st Section, who were first in the lines, were the last to be liberated, chiefly through the efforts of Robert Murphy, Counsellor of the U. S. Embassy in Paris, who intervened with German authorities to obtain their releases from a prison camp.

That section, which had been attached to the French XX Corps since February, was taken prisoner in a bloc June 22 by the Germans, at the farm of Mon Repos in the Vosages hills near St. Die. By casualties its strength had been cut from 26 to 20. Its headquarters were at Femetranze near Saarunion, in the Saar valley.

In Separate Camp
The German officer who took them prisoner, Oberleutnant Standinger provided them with a separate camp behind barbed wire at Rambervillers.

Three of the days of endless waiting for release, three American volunteers broke out of the prison camp and tried to find their way through the lines to the French army. They were Alex More, Jr., of Chicago, a former student at Stanford University whose father is a member of the grain exchange in Chicago; Charles Ahrenfeldt and Richard Meyer. They were captured again by the Germans near Epinal after having covered 100 miles mostly by night, and were returned to the camp at Rambervillers but were liberated with the other Americans and joined the Pyrenees camp.

A & M Teaches Its Students To Be On Alert For Defense

COLLEGE STATION, Tex.—One of the requirements of citizenship of the United States is to be ready and willing to defend the country. A & M College teaches its students to be good citizens and they do not neglect the "be prepared" angle.

In the last war 2200 students and ex-students of the college answered the call, 55 of them paying the supreme sacrifice. Those 2200 represented the largest number of any school in the country furnished and most of those men were commissioned officers.

A & M still is prepared to send her trained sons in defense of our great nation, this time better prepared than before because since 1918 she has sent approximately

Only 13 On WPA Fail To Sign As Non-Communists

By United Press
SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—Of the 71,000 men and women employed on WPA projects in Texas during the month of June, only 13 failed to sign the required sworn statements that they are not Communists or members of any Nazi band and that they do not advocate overthrow of the United States government, it was reported today by State Administrator H. P. Drought.

All of these failing to sign and swear to the statement were removed from the Federal payroll in compliance with the law. No administrative employees failed to execute the affidavits, Drought said.

Every WPA employe was required to sign and swear to the statement to carry out provisions of the new Emergency Relief Appropriation Act, providing funds for the Works Progress Administration for the fiscal year beginning July 1. The Act prohibits the use of funds to pay wages to any person who

is not a citizen of the United States or does not owe allegiance to the United States.

Advocates or holds membership in any organization advocating overthrow of the United States Government.

Is a Communist or a member of any Nazi Bund organization.

Tree Climber Falls, Says Never Again

KENDALLVILLE, Md.—Eighty-nine year old Samuel Keck won't be climbing any more trees for a while. Tempted by the sight of cherries on a tree in his yard, Keck got a ladder and proceeded to go after the fruit. A few minutes later he found himself on the ground, looking skyward. Uninjured except for a slight leg bruise, Keck has decided to leave tree-climbing to the younger folk.

Ring Lost 32 Years Plowed Up on Farm

JOHNSTOWN, Pa.—Thirty-two years ago, the late Mrs. Lucy Pearl Miller lost her wedding ring on a farm on Coon Ridge, Upper Yoder Township.

The band has just been found in ground cultivated for the past three years by Mrs. Frank Mosholder, who plans to send it to Mrs. Miller's husband, Harry, a resident of Empire, Cal.

4600 commissioned reserve officers into the world and they all stand ready for call.

In 1937 the federal government plotted 515 contracts to A & M students who wished to take advanced military work. These contracts provide that the government will pay the students, approved by the college military department, about \$90 each school year, and upon completion of the course, they will be commissioned a second lieutenant in the reserves. The student's part of the contract is that he will take the course, attend the summer training camp between his senior and junior year, and stand ready to serve should his country become involved in a national emergency. Veterinary medicine students are eligible for rank of first lieutenant in the medical corps reserve.

In 1939 Texas A & M was allotted more than 900 contracts, showing that the government more and more is depending on the school.

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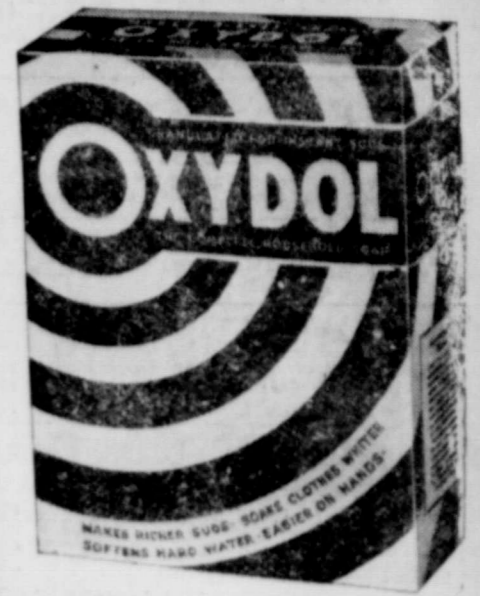
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YESTERDAY, O'Leary questions Dale about Saylor's business...

CHAPTER IV

WHEN Hazel Leighton walked into the study, it was quite apparent she had completely recovered from the shock of finding Saylor's body...

The police officer was still seated at Saylor's desk, engrossed in several documents he had spread before him...

"Miss Leighton!" Hazel nodded. "I'm Lieutenant O'Leary. Come over here and sit down, please."

"Not until the others come. I just screamed... I couldn't help it. And then I felt weak, so I hung onto the door and stared at the body until Dale and the rest came from the drawing room."

"The lieutenant fingered the check he had taken from the desk drawer. 'Miss Leighton, did you know that you were to get a \$5000 check from Mr. Saylor tonight?'"

"FOR a moment, Hazel's eyes faltered, and she tamped out her cigarette with quick, nervous movements of her long, slender fingers."

"What kind of business?" "I don't think that matters. It was personal... nothing at all to do with what happened here tonight."

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CHAPTER V

HAZEL LEIGHTON looked incredulously, first at Sergeant Carroll and then at Lieutenant O'Leary. "But that's impossible," she said.

"It took Carroll five minutes to return with a medium-sized man, with swarthy skin and dark, wiry hair. There was a thin scar that ran along his neck and his eyes were deep and hollow."

"Hazel glared at the lieutenant disdainfully. And then suddenly her eyes grew larger and her eyebrows arched ominously. 'Do you mean that we're—the 'I'm a suspect?'"

"That's ridiculous," Hazel snapped. She got to her feet. "All of us had plenty of reason to want to see Martin out of the way, and some of us would probably have murdered him if it had occurred to us or if we had been given the chance. But we weren't."

"The two officers watched her as she walked out of the study. Then Carroll shook his head and muttered over to the desk and dropped heavily into the chair. 'Hazel had just left. You'd think she done it,' he said."

"O'Leary smiled weakly. 'Maybe she did. She's been Saylor's girl friend and he wanted to call it quits—wanted to buy her off. She was insulted—so she says.'"

"Carroll scratched his head and squinted. 'Yeah, but Chief, she wouldn't have done it. She didn't have time. She left the other room and a couple of seconds later they heard her scream. She didn't have any gun. And the angle of the bullet is all wrong... comes from over here somewhere and not from that door.'"

"That's the trouble with this case, Sergeant—nobody could have done it... only someone who had. Have you checked the servants?'"

"Why, I don't know. I can't—' 'Maybe I ought to tell you what this is,' O'Leary interrupted. 'It's a release—a release from possible future breach of promise action against Martin Saylor. There's a space down here for you to sign. You won't need to now.'"

Hazel sat forward in her chair and rested her elbows on the desk. "I can't understand it. I haven't the faintest notion who you mean."

O'Leary looked straight at the blond woman and gestured mildly with a cigar he took from his pocket. "Oh, yes, you have, M. Leighton. I'll tell you what means. Saylor was going to give you \$5000 so you wouldn't sue him. And he was going to make sure that you couldn't sue. May you'd better tell me the rest."

"Hazel sat very rigidly, her hair glimmering in the glow of the desk lamp. Little spots angry red rose in her cheeks. 'Right, Lieutenant,' she said. 'I tell you. Maybe that's better. Then you won't be getting a lot of ideas about something that is so...'"

O'Leary struck a match; he held it to his cigar. "Right, would be a lot better all around if you told me everything."

"Saylor was one of the low persons I ever met," Hazel said. "Funny about that... I thought I loved him. He's got a kind veneer that doesn't show up badly under the right kind light. We went together for most a year. He wanted me to marry him, but I wasn't sure. 'And then, last week, he made me an offer... this offer. I never so insulted in my life. I had known his attitude toward what a rotter he was until he made the wedding was off and offered me \$5000 to be a good girl. I slapped his face.'"

O'Leary leaned back in his swivel chair. "Why were you here tonight, then, Miss Leighton?"

Hazel avoided the officer's eyes. "I don't know. There was something about that man... I can't tell you what exactly. He asked me to come, and I knew why he wanted me here. I didn't want to come. I had no intentions of coming. Until tonight... and then something just seemed to draw me here. I wish I hadn't now."

"I can understand that," said O'Leary. FROM the vestibule doorway, Sergeant Carroll stepped into the room. "Look, Chief," said the Sergeant. "The boys have been doing a little checking, and the

He was out in the room above the garage. He's the only one who was loose long enough to have taken a pot shot at Saylor."

"Where is he now?" "Still in his room. A couple of boys have their eyes on the garage. I thought you might want to see him."

"Okay, bring him in, Sergeant. We'll have a little talk with him."

"It took Carroll five minutes to return with a medium-sized man, with swarthy skin and dark, wiry hair. There was a thin scar that ran along his neck and his eyes were deep and hollow."

O'Leary had been staring vacantly into the blackness through the French windows near the desk. He turned and took in the man with a swift glance. "Are you Mr. Saylor's chauffeur?"

"The man clenched his fist. 'Did you know Mr. Saylor is dead?'"

"Yes, sir. The cops—the officers told me."

"What's your name?" "Riggs." "Is that your real name?" "The man hesitated a moment. 'No, sir. That's what Mr. Saylor called me. My name's Carlos Gomez.'"

"Riggs will do... we'll call you that."

medical examiner telephoned. I thought maybe you wanted to know—"

"Go ahead, Sergeant," O'Leary said. Carroll shrugged. "Okay. Well, first of all, we checked the phone company like you said. They'd know if any long distance calls were made here tonight. There wasn't any."

O'Leary nodded. "Which means Saylor never reached his desk. He was killed right after he left others in the drawing room—his way back to the desk."

"Right. And re's what the medical examiner is to say. He made a quick check and he said the bullet hit Saylor from the right, at an angle, I struck his heart. It knocked him off like a building collapsed him."

"Which means that the shot at have been fired from somewhere near that window... right?"

"Right... Only it wasn't—through the window, anyway."

O'Leary's eyes became quizzical. He waited for Carroll to continue. "The boys have been going over grounds with a comb, the sergeant explained. 'There aren't any footprints. The ground is pretty soft outside this window, and if anybody was hanging around there'd be footprints sure. The window ain't been sashed... not from the outside. The only way to open that window is with a crowbar or something sharp, unless it's opened from the inside. That'd leave a mark. There isn't any. Maybe the fingerprints we took inside will show something.'"

O'Leary grunted. "They won't say anything. The housekeeper's, Barbour's, Saylor's, a few ps—they'll be a smear. Anybody who'd try a job like that would be smart enough to wear gloves."

"Yeah, sure," Carroll assented. "We just thought we'd better, though—the old routine."

"The angle of the shot is all wrong for any of the other windows?"

"Right."

"And no shot could have been fired through this window—the one that would give us the right angle?"

"Right again," said Carroll. "There's only one answer I can see, Sergeant," O'Leary said. "Whoever committed the murder was right here in this house—probably still here."

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Freckles and His Friends—By Blosser RED RYDER

By Harman



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THE PAY OFF BY BARRY GRAYSON

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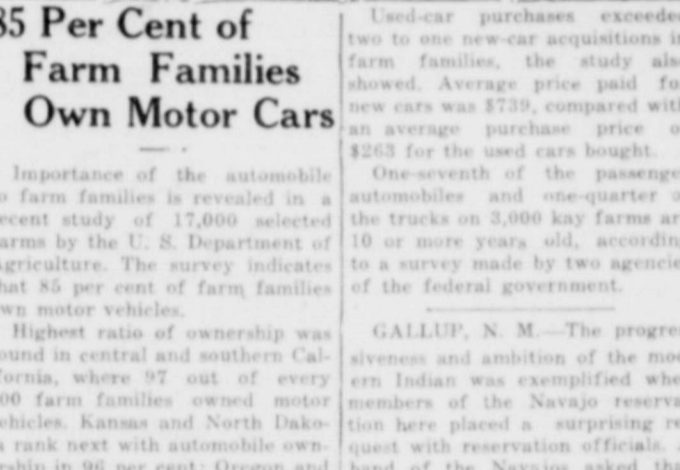
FRONT offices continue to stump baseball men, and that of the Detroit club presents the latest puzzle. With the perennial schoolboy, Lynnwood Rowe, again a pitching hero, the infield is the Tigers' only problem.

Five men give Detroit the mightiest outfield in baseball. So what does the front office do, with the outfit requiring just a little added push to win the American League pennant, but buy an outfielder from Montreal.

DICK BARTELL and Pinky Higgins already have been forced to the sidelines. There is no telling how long the venerable Charley Gehring's legs and back will stand up.

DETROIT has only two fast men, Barney McCosky and Pete Fox. Both are outfielders. McCosky, invaluable in center field, is one of the circuit's three top hitters at the moment with 353. Fox is batting .217. Hank Greenberg, the other regular, has an average of .308. Backing up this trio are the capable left-hand batters, Bruce Campbell and Earl Averill.

The outfield has proved itself good enough to finish in front. The infield will be extremely fortunate to wind up all in one piece. So the Detroit front office purchases Tuck Stainback, an outfielder discarded by four National League clubs, including the Phillies. You figure it out.



85 Per Cent of Farm Families Own Motor Cars

Importance of the automobile to farm families is revealed in a recent study of 17,000 selected farms by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The survey indicates that 85 per cent of farm families own motor vehicles.

Highest rate of ownership was found in central and southern California, where 97 out of every 100 farm families owned motor vehicles. Kansas and North Dakota rank next with automobile ownership in 96 per cent; Oregon and Washington, 92 per cent; New Jersey, 88 per cent; Pennsylvania and Ohio, 86 per cent.



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Society Notes

Mrs. Kelley Hostess To Bridge Club
Mrs. Herman Kelley was hostess to the Lone Star Bridge Club, Thursday afternoon at her home on Eastland Highway.

An autumn theme was carried out in the decorations and bridge appointments. High score in the games was won by Mrs. Chester Rogers and second high score was made by Mrs. V. V. Cooper, Jr.

Members are guests attending were: Meses. Gene Yonker, Chester Rogers, V. V. Cooper, Jr., Hazel Townsend of Gordon, J. H. Bates and O. F. Dunnam, Brock-eridge, and John Kindie.

Mrs. Helen Shaw, supervisor of the girls home, has returned after being confined to a Fort Worth hospital.

The boys and girls enjoyed their regular Monday night dance, August 12 in the girls garage. Watermelon was served to those present.

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A fascinating new game is in store for those who attend the Corral Community Center party tonight. The game is called "Tune-Oh," and is similar to bingo, with the added feature of requiring some skill in recognizing songs, both old and new. It is an activity which is simple enough for the younger folks and unusual enough to hold the interest of those who have acquired a few more years. There will be a grab bag of prizes so that those who succeed in making a "Tune-Oh" may be duly rewarded. The prizes for the grab bag were very graciously donated by the Clover Farm Grocery, A. & P. Grocery, Piggly Wiggly, Sweeney's Pharmacy, and Mills Grocery.

In addition to the Tune-Oh there will be a few tables of bingo for those who prefer it. These games will be followed by folk dancing.

The public is invited to come and enjoy these activities which are offered by the WFA Recreation directors. Play will begin at 8:00 o'clock.

Just a Bit Personal...

Mrs. John Hassen and children of Sulphur, Oklahoma, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph.

W. B. Watkin of Fort Worth is transacting business in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Layne Turner and children have returned to their home in Jal, New Mexico, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner.

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Garrett Helps Peanut Farmers

Peanut growers of Eastland, Comanche, Erath and other counties of the Southwest Peanut Growers Association state that Congressman Clyde L. Garrett had much to do with securing the high price for their product for the past three years. When Garrett went into office there had been on the statute books of the United States for one hundred and fifty years a tariff tax that would provide just the program now in effect, but former Congressmen had done nothing about it," the growers stated.

"When Garrett took over the job, he immediately took active part in having a bill passed to allot six million dollars for the peanut industry, in an effort to stabilize the price, and for the past three years this has been bringing the peanut farmers of the Southwest alone better than one and a half million dollars more than they would have received under the conditions of previous years.

This indicates that had not Congressman Garrett worked for this legislation the farmers here and elsewhere would have received 60 cents per bushel for No. 1 grade peanuts; whereas under this program they received 94 1/2 cents per bushel from the Association for the same grade.

"Garrett's assistance along this line merits the vote and confidence of the farmers throughout the 17th Congressional District," an enthusiastic member of the association stated.

MIDGETS WANT HALF-FARE
By United Press
MANILA. — Twenty Filipino midgets, charging they were "ground under the heel of social injustice" have demanded that the Commonwealth government grant them the right to travel on buses anywhere in the island for half-fare tickets.

DR. E. S. HOOT
Dentist
Announces Opening of Office at
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Phone 28

Group at Acker Homecoming Are Invited to Rodeo

Pleas Moore attended the Acker homecoming Thursday evening and extended an invitation to the group to attend Ranger's annual Rodeo and Labor Day celebration. Much enthusiasm was expressed by a number with whom Moore talked and some indicated that sponsors from that area will enter the contests.

L. H. Flewelling also attended the meeting and spoke to the gathering on Patriotism.

Dr. Jackson Speaks At Nursery Session

The Parent Education Class met in regular session at the Nursery School Thursday afternoon at 1:30. A large group of mothers was present to hear Dr. Walter Jackson speak on "The Prevention of Contagious Diseases."

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served.

Quail Restoration Areas Cover Big Tracts In State

AUSTIN, Tex. — Forty-nine quail demonstration areas have been set up by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission in 45 counties of the state, according to a report by the director of wildlife restoration to the executive secretary of the Game Department. These areas total 88,735 acres.

Demonstration areas are set up with the aid of federal funds to show what can be done by way of restoring the crop of quail in various parts of the state. Fenced areas are constructed on most of the plots of ground, but various practices are followed in the providing of suitable habitat for the birds, the methods used depending upon the section of the state in which the areas are located.

Landowners interested in raising more quail visit the areas in large numbers and are given a visual example of how to proceed.

The largest of the quail demonstration areas is 4,000 acres and the smallest is 160. The areas average 1,775 acres. Fifteen of the areas are set up in central Texas, 4 in East Texas, 11 in South Texas, 9 in the western part of the state and 10 in the Panhandle.

TURKS RELY ON CHAKMAK LINE FOR A DEFENSE

By HUGO SPECK

UNITED PRESS Staff Correspondent
ISTANBUL.—In the west it is the Chakmak line. In the northeast it is the Caucasus. Allied territory lies to the south and east. "Down below" are the highly fortified Dardanelles. And above all there is Allah.

The Turks, holding the key position in the Near East, are relying on all of these with the aid of British forces in this part of the world to come through the war with the boundaries they now possess.

But of all these defense potentialities, Turkey is counting more on the Chakmak line as it is from the west that any land attack is expected to come. Named after Chief of Staff Fevzi Chakmak, the line cannot be compared to the Maginot Line or the Westwall. It is Turkish designed and built, constructed to take advantage of every natural defense aid European Turkey possesses.

In reality the fortifications are made up of three lines consisting of field artillery emplacements, tank traps and machine-gun nests. For the most part they were built on the 1918 version of warfare— to be used in established lines of combat instead of defenses to meet fast maneuvering columns waging a war of movement.

Line Starts at Black Sea
The first line of fortifications starts on the little Black Sea bay of Agne-ada and runs diagonally across the hills in a southwesterly direction to Edirne (Adrianople). This town is the most heavily fortified position in European Turkey. From there the line follows the Maritza river, which forms the frontier between Greece and Turkey, to the Aegean Sea.

The second line has its head on the north at Vize, which dominates the strip of billy territory from there to the Black Sea to the north, connects with Babaeski to the southwest and follows a hilly ridge almost directly south to the sea.

The third and last line invading forces would have to cross before they could reach Istanbul falls back to Tekirdag on the south and spreads through the rolling hills to the north to form almost a mat work of artillery emplacements. As such it could hardly be called a definite line but is studded with artillery and anti-aircraft batteries.

The most important road running through this sector is the one connecting Istanbul and Edirne. It is being rebuilt. But when this correspondent passed over it late in May it was far from finished. Some 5,000 persons are employed on the road, but several months must pass before it will be ready to do heavy military duty. Other roads in the European sector, while passable in bad weather, are far from being the correct answer for maneuvering armies.

Yenikoy Airport Expanded
The one airport on the European side is at Yenikoy, about 20 minutes from Istanbul by motor car. It is moderately equipped but not all of the reinforced runways necessary for heavy bombers have been completed. If the Turks are blessed with dry weather—and

they believe they will be blessed by a great many things, as Allah is with them—when they are ordered to move many of their difficulties will be solved. But if it turns wet, then it is another question.

Figures vary as to the exact number of troops now stationed in this sector of the country. A total of at least 150,000 is the number usually mentioned in authoritative circles. But this is considered to be an extremely conservative estimate and it is not at all improbable that twice that amount is garrisoned in Thrace ready for marching orders.

If Turkey does step in to match forces with an invader, it will be Chief of Staff Chakmak who will be in command. Chief of staff since 1921, Chakmak is recognized as one of the outstanding military minds in the Near East and is responsible for the line that bears his name. Despite his 73 years, he is said to possess tremendous energy and today is one of the most active men in the country.

Life Spent in Army
From the day he was graduated from the War School of Harbiye in Istanbul, he has actively served his country in a military way. When the Italians occupied Tripoli in 1910 he was named chief of staff of the Eastern Army to prevent an Italian invasion through Thrace. During the World War he was chief of an army corps defending the Dardanelles. Later he saw service in the Caucasus and Syria and served with Ataturk and President Ismet Inonui in the war of independence.

On his shoulders rests the responsibility of defending Turkey. But despite his military ability, the fact that the Turkish soldier is recognized as one of the bravest fighters that ever carried a gun and the army has received great quantities of modern material from the Allies, it is phenomenal how long Turkish forces could hold out against a modern moving machine such as the Germans are employing.

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Larger Army

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have been made in the eventuality that the Philippines were invaded before 1946, and the armed forces were directed to repel or eject the invader. The present American garrison in the Philippines is not expected to be very largely increased, despite the expanded size of the army, itself, nor will the Asiatic fleet be greatly augmented, according to present indications.

Political Announcements

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