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Fear of Insanity Cause of Rejection of Numerous Men In Army.

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Brain Specialists Are Carefully Scrutinizing Every Trooper For Signs of Mental Disease—Weeding Them Out.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25. From one and one half to three per cent of all American troops thus far examined have been discharged because war service abroad probably would drive them insane.

That statement is made on the authority of Major Pearce Bailey, medical reserve corps. Disclosure of these figures today show the first concrete result of Surgeon General Gorgas' determination to weed out the potentially insane from American fighting forces before they get into action.

Two hundred neurological brain specialists are carefully scrutinizing every trooper for signs of mental disease which would drive him insane in action, but which ordinary medical examiners would overlook.

Among British troops where this forehanded weeding out was not done, Major Bailey declared, one seventh of all discharges are due to mental or nervous disorders.

The diseases for which these sanity specialists look include mental defects, epilepsy, psychopathic personality, potential insanity and generally diseased condition of the central nervous system.

Many of these borderland cases, Bailey said, were caught by examinations just before the men sailed for France.

"By such precautionary methods," said Major Bailey, "the army is now developing men of the highest professional training, who after the war, will go back to their civil employments far more competent than when they left them."

General Gorgas was led to establish these examinations, Major Bailey said, because statistics showed three out of every thousand soldiers go insane at home in peace time; six to seven of every thousand in war service at home and an undetermined, though larger, number among troops serving in foreign land.

German insanity on the Boer campaign Major Bailey said reached fifty men per thousand. There were, he added, more than 1700 cases of insanity among the Japanese troops at the siege of Port Arthur.

"There is a large class of people," said Major Bailey, "who will break under the [illegible] of modern warfare. By keeping them out the [illegible] greater [illegible] personnel [illegible] pense and [illegible]."

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S. P. INAUGURATES NEW TRAIN SERVICE

The Southern Pacific railway will inaugurate increased passenger service between Portland and San Francisco on November 4. A new train to be known as the "Oregonian," and designated as Nos. 53 and 54 on the time cards will be put on and No. 17 will be taken off. No. 17 has run between Portland and Ashland one way only, and the equipment has been "deadheaded" back from there each day.

The new train will leave Portland at 1 a. m. and will reach Roseburg at 9:25 a. m. It will reach San Francisco at 10:50 a. m. the following day.

Northbound it will leave San Francisco at 11:40 p. m., reaching Roseburg at 12:40 the second morning, and reaching Portland at 7:45 a. m.

No. 15 will leave Portland at 8:50 a. m., reaching this city at 5:10 p. m. No. 17 leaving Portland at 8:25 p. m. will arrive in this city at 4:20 a. m. No. 44, northbound, leaving San Francisco at 11 a. m. will reach Roseburg at 1:55 instead of 1:44. Train No. 16 will arrive, northbound, at 11:19 p. m.

Train 53 will carry tourist and standard sleepers to San Francisco and day coaches in the state of Oregon only. This train will handle through car passengers to the following points in California only: Weed, Dunsmuir, Gerber, Davis and beyond Benecia, Port Costa, Berkeley, Oakland, San Francisco and beyond.

Train 54 will handle tourist and standard sleepers only. It will make regular stops in Oregon at Ashland, Medford, Grants Pass, Glendale, Roseburg, Eugene, Albany, Salem and will stop to discharge passengers from points south of Ashland at Oakland, Sutherlin, Cottage Grove, Woodburn and Oregon City.

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No bid will be considered unless accompanied by cash, bidder's bond or certified check for an amount equal to at least five (5) per cent of the total amount of the bid.

A corporate surety bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum equal to one-half the total amount of the bid.

Proposal blanks and full information for bidders may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Commission and the State Highway Engineer in the State House, at Salem, Oregon.

Plans and specifications and forms of contract may be seen at the same place, or may be obtained upon the deposit of $5.00.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals or to accept the proposal deemed best for the State of Oregon.

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