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## PERSHING'S TROOPS FINEST IN WORLD

By Webb Miller  
Washington, May 19.—"The finest body of troops in the world"—that is what a foreign military observer exclaimed as Pershing's veterans swung across the Mexican border four months ago.

And these are the men that will make up Pershing's twenty-five thousand—the first American troops ordered to France. They are the men that pushed across the "hell hike"—73 miles without water in a withering sun—in one day, and pitched camp singing.

America and the allies will be proud of the men. They are the flower of the army.

In the 12,000 men that followed Pershing into Mexico after Villa, the United States has the best trained body of men—and trained for real fighting—that can be found in the world.

After the first rush into Chihuahua, the little army settled down on the sun-baked plains to wait. While they waited, Pershing gave them the hardest continuous round of training any American forces have ever undergone. For eleven months they drilled, drilled, drilled.

The war department was waking up. The lessons of the world war were eagerly seized upon. Every phase of European warfare was studied and the results drilled into the men.

Modern trench fighting was practiced day by day. Under military men who had watched Kitchener whip his millions into shape and seen real trench fighting on the allied fronts, the army dug the new style trenches and practiced "going over the top."

For months they plowed across the desert on hikes of ten, 15 and 20 miles. It was severe training. But the fruits should send a thrill through the nation when "they go over" the front trenches the first time in France.

As the little army marched across the international line at Columbus, N. M., on the morning of February 5, I stood at the side of a foreign military attache. In a 13-mile column, with Pershing at the head, they poured silently down the dusty slope, "sand clouds" rising from the hot desert.

The little group on the border line stood fascinated. Then the attache, who had seen thousands of men train, fight and die, broke the silence.

"They're the finest body of fighting men in the world," he said. "They've had such training as no other army has had. And in them is the spirit of you Americans—I don't know what it is—but I can see it in the swing of their shoulders and the rhythm of their march."

These men are now waiting for the word. As an old grizzled first sergeant said while the troops were marching out: "They'd follow Black Jack Pershing to hell."

And, "Black Jack" Pershing is the man to lead them there if need be.



Admiral Austin M. Knight.

**Spiking the Guns.**  
The expression "spiking guns" is a survival from the day when all that was necessary to put a gun out of action (provided, of course, that you had access to it) was a large nail or spike and a hammer. You simply drove the nail into the touch hole at the breech. If the nail was long enough to turn round at the end on the bottom of the bore so much the better. It is just as simple, perhaps simpler, to put a modern gun out of action. All you want is a hammer. The breech block of the modern gun is held closed by screw threads. After the breech block is shut on the shell a turn of two or three inches engages the threads. By knocking a bar on these threads you prevent them engaging. Any attempt to fire the gun without the breech block being perfectly closed would, of course, be of material assistance to the enemy.

**An Ancient Infernal Machine.**  
In the Diary of Samuel Pepys, under date of March 14, 1662, he says: "Home to dinner. In the afternoon came the German Dr. Knuffler, to discourse with us about his engine to blow up ships. We doubted not the matter of fact, it being tried in Cromwell's time, but the safety of carrying them in ships; but he do tell us that when he comes to tell the king his secret, for none but the kings, successively, and their heirs must know it, it will appear to be of no danger at all. We concluded nothing, but shall discourse with the Duke of York tomorrow about it."

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President Wilson's address to congress, translated into German, is being distributed liberally over the German lines by British aviators.

It is understood the same thing is being done by French aviators.

A message from an American citizen of the middle west to Attorney General Gregory suggested that the president's message be translated into German, printed by the thousands and dropped into the German trenches and in German territory by aviators of the allies.

The suggestion speedily found its way to the embassies of the allies in Washington. The result has been the receipt of news from London that the plan was being carried out. The words of President Wilson, which undoubtedly will be held as seditions by the German authorities, are being disseminated throughout the territory of the central powers.

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