

MEXICO PREPARES TO OPEN HIGHWAY FORMALLY IN MAY

le policemen" in the development of a nerve center for Scotland Yard's new war on crime.

With every bill sent to London telephone subscribers goes a pamphlet entitled, "Use the Telephone to Help the Police." The telephone users are asked to call Scotland Yard's information department whenever they observe suspicious characters or circumstances.

Behind the "nerve center" scheme is the plan of Lord Trenchard, Scotland Yard's commissioner, to make the hard lot of the criminal in London even harder.

The public, according to the plan, will cooperate directly with Scotland Yard instead of with the local police stations.

The yard's information department has the appearance of and

operates like the general headquarters of an attacking army.

Large maps showing in detail every part of London are laid out on large tables. Brass weights of various shapes designate police patrols with flying squad cars and radio-equipped "Q" cars sprinkled everywhere.

Wooden miniatures show the ap-

proximate positions of the police launches on the Thames.

When news of a crime reaches the information department the details are flashed to every radio car and within a few seconds the car nearest the scene is racing toward it. The patrolling cars are so distributed that one always is within a minute or two of any part of London.

NAVY NOW ACCEPTING NEGRO ENLISTMENTS

The navy department has authorized enlistment of negro mess attendants three times at all main re-

cruiting stations, heretofore, enlistments of negroes in the naval service were only made in very limited number in a few of the southern states and, prior to a year ago, there were less than 80 negroes in the total naval service.

Applications are now being accepted at the navy recruiting station, in the postoffice building here. Applicants must be of United States citi-

zenship between ages of 18 and 26, unmarried, and of good character. Applicants with hotel, Pullman or domestic services preferred.

BINGHAM, Utah, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Cesare Robbiano, a courteous gentleman, stepped from a narrow sidewalk into the street to allow two women to pass. An automobile knocked him down, fracturing his skull.

Pan-American Road Unit Is Now Being Used at Risk of Drivers—Heavy Flow From U. S. Is Expected

MEXICO CITY.—(UP)—The Pan American highway, linking Laredo, Tex., to Mexico City, is nearing completion.

The department of communications reports that work on the sierra between Tamaulipas is scheduled to be finished this month.

Bridges that remain to be finished are scheduled to be ready by April, 1936.

Unless something unexpected happens, it is the intention of the government officially to inaugurate the road in May, 1936.

Officially the road is not open now, although it is being daily used by persons coming from various parts of the United States to the capital in their own cars. By having the road officially "closed," the government avoids any responsibility for delays or discomforts which might be endured by tourists.

Engineers and motorists who have made the trip in recent days told the United Press correspondent that it will require many months for the gravel to settle. Landslides, they say, are likely to occur for several years to come in certain sections, but once they fall, they can be rapidly cleared away and should not interrupt traffic.

High Speed Impossible

The looseness of the gravel makes it impossible to make much speed in various sections. Nevertheless there are drivers who come through from the border, 707 miles, in three days, and some in even 2½ days.

Mexican officials here generally deprecate reports that the road is complete, and that it is smooth throughout. Mexicans do not over-rate the highway, so that anybody who suffers several punctures en route, delays by slides or in foraging rivers, need not complain of misinformation before leaving home.

Some tourists have told the correspondent that they were unable to find any good hotels en route except at Monterrey and Victoria. Mexican officials were asked if anything was being done to remedy this condition, and was informed that the government is not doing anything directly, but is giving all kinds of facilities, such as exemption from taxation—to any private concerns desiring to construct hotels not only along this road but on any road which may be used by tourists.

Benefit Northeast Mexico

Mexico looks upon the construction of the highway as a means of opening up sections of the country in the northeast which lacked good communications, and of further intensifying the already large current of tourists from the United States.

The department of communications and public works has done everything possible to make the highway a first-class road. It has been praised by all those who have been over it as a monumental engineering feat.

In all the 1238 kilometers (767 miles) from Laredo to Mexico City, there are no grades of more than 6 percent, although peaks 10,000 feet high must be surmounted in some places. No curves are more than 28 degrees. These specifications are the same as those prevailing in first class mountain highways of the United States.

United States Ambassador Josephus Daniels told the United Press that he expects thousands of tourists from all parts of the nation to motor to Mexico next summer.

"Americans are great travelers, especially in the summer," he said, "and I expect thousands of cars to make use of the new highway."

Unfortunately, summer visitors will encounter the rainy season, which will make driving a little harder than in the dry season (which extends from November to May). The road, however, will be an all-weather road, and with good driving, is not considered dangerous.

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