

### CANADA AIR FORCE LARGE FACTOR IN WESTERN DEFENSE

Military Partnership With Colony Would Give Air Force Near 25,000 Men

By E. C. Daniel.  
Washington, Sept. 10.—(AP)—In making a military partnership with Canada, the United States has acquired an ally with a potential army strength of a

million and an air force rapidly approaching 25,000 men. The dominant military establishment in the western hemisphere. First, it offers the United States strategic sites for naval and air bases to serve as outposts and buffers against overseas enemies—sites which are being inspected now by United States members of the new joint defense board. **Rapid Expansion.** Secondly, it offers the cooperation of air, ground and sea forces whose rapid expansion in the first year of the new war has surprisingly paralleled this country's own defense efforts. Recent official Canadian reports show these developments: **Air force:** Called Canada's greatest contribution in this war, an air training plan has doubled the air force personnel

in the past five months. Late in July it numbered 1,765 officers and 17,688 airman—a total of 19,453. There were nearly 3,000 pilots, air observers and gunners in training at 22 schools, and the number of both students and schools was increasing monthly. On the ground, 14,038 had been or were being trained for staff positions. Work was progressing on 78 of the 88 proposed airdromes. **Army:** Four divisions have been organized in the Canadian active service force, counterpart of the regular army in the United States, which now numbers nearly 300,000. **Many to England.** Two divisions numbering 31,607 have been sent to England. The other two are rapidly approaching war strength and Canada will have an active force totaling about 150,000 men.

Before recruiting was halted August 15 and a nation-wide registration for military training was taken August 19, 20 and 21, the non-permanent active militia had attained an enrollment of 100,000. Out of its population of 11,000,000—which is tiny when compared to 130,000,000 in the United States—Canada has 2,400,000 males between 18 and 44, and 1,198,000 are single men. **113 Ships in Navy.** Navy: Relatively unimportant to a major naval power such as the United States, the Canadian navy now has a patrol, escort and mine-sweeping force of 113 vessels manned by 9,900 officers and men. A year ago it numbered only 15 vessels, including six modern destroyers, manned by 1,774 officers and men. With 16 shipyards at work and two destroy-

ers building in England, Canada will add 100 more vessels to its force. **Munitions and supplies:** Because the United States and Britain, Canada's normal sources for military supplies, have been occupied so largely with their own demands, the dominion has converted an unprecedented volume of its own productive capacity to war work. **La Grande C. of C. Is Seeking Symbol**  
La Grande, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Anyone got a spare symbol? The La Grande commercial club is looking for one. It has launched a contest to find a permanent emblem which can be made "as familiar as Portland's rose, Pendleton's bucking horse, San Francisco's golden gate and Baker's grubstaker."

### SHASTA CASCADE ASSN. WILL HOLD REDDING MEETING

W. H. Leverette, Jackson county's representative on the board of directors of the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland association, today announced that the tenth annual convention of that organization will be held in Redding, October 27, 28 and 29. This convention will climax a decade of organized effort for the protection, development and a national campaign of publicity and advertising of the scenic, recreational and other resources

of the nine counties of the Wonderland scenic region of northern California and southern Oregon," said Mr. Leverette. "At this convention directors and members will sum up the results of ten years' work and determine the policies and projects of the future." Directors of the association, listed alphabetically by member counties, are: W. H. Leverette, Jackson county; S. Gordon Smith, Lake county; Supervisor J. H. Godman, Lassen county; Assemblyman C. J. Fulcher, Modoc county; A. H. Gronwaldt, Shasta county; George R. Phenager, Siskiyou county; A. H. Fickert, Tehama county; and A. C. Meekel, Trinity county. Sixty per cent of the acreage of Uruaguay is devoted to stock raising.

**Willkie Taboos Private Visits With GOP Heads**  
Portland, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Oregon Republican leaders will be allowed no private visits with the Republican presidential candidate on his visit here September 23, Ralph H. Cake said today. Wendell Willkie, the nominee, notified Cake, Oregon national committeeman, that such conferences were "definitely out." Cake added that a parade was planned for Willkie and that he intended to make a brief talk, either in the park blocks or the municipal auditorium, but that he would make no major speech here.

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