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GERMAN ARMY ON PARADE.

Tanks for Germany - the first of the heavy armament which the United States is supplying to the new Wehrmacht. They reach Andernach, near Bonn, in time for the first formal parade of the Federal's Republic armed forces.

Chancellor Adenauer and his defence minister, Herr Blank, are present when the first 1,500 line up for inspection; They are the nucleus of the 12 divisions Germany is to raise, and they include an air force contingent, as well as the first recruits to the German navy.

Andernach is one holiday for the occasion, and most of the town's population come to watch. "The sole aim of German rearmament", the Chancellor declares, "is the maintenance of peace". The nations of Europe hope that time will prove him right.