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William H. Jackson, former lawyer from Wall Street and wartime intelligence officer, is the operating head of this country's Central Intelligence Agency. Lieut. Gen. Walker B. Smith, Director, is not making the progress he expected in recovering his health. Inside CIA they talk of a "furious" churning about of top brass within the agency that is supposed to keep U. S. advised of what its potential enemies are thinking about doing.

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Only two among the Army officers at headquarters running this country's railroads ever before have had experience in the transportation industry. Army Intelligence, in the case of the railroads it runs at home as in the case of the war it runs in Korea, broke down completely under a test. Army Intelligence lacked the faintest indication that a strike was threatened on its railroads.