HONDURAS

GENERAL

Area ................................ 119,819 sq. km.
Inhabitants (1923) ............. 673,408
Per sq. km .................. 5.6

System of recruitment.
Military service is compulsory. Every citizen between the age of 21 and 30 is a member of the active army and every citizen between the age of 30 and 40 is a member of the reserve.

Ministry of War.
The Ministry of War consists of the following departments:
   General Staff and Inspectorate;
   Intendance and Administration;
   Justice;
   Medical Service.

Composition of the Army.
The army consists of:
   23 infantry battalions forming 30 companies, 13 sections and 1 machine-gun company;
   1 artillery regiment of 2 batteries and 2 machine-gun companies;
   1 battery attached to the infantry.

Budgetary Effectives (1923-24)

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Sources:
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