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Weather forecasting! What is the equipment of a weather forecaster? He must have good weather maps, that is, blank base maps on which surface and upper air conditions are charted. These maps inform the forecaster as to pressure distribution; that is, location of the "lows" or storms and "highs" or fair weather areas, and also other surface conditions. They also give him wind, temperature and humidity conditions of the upper air. Besides this material equipment he must be familiar with the science of meteorology and the topography of his country. This material and the mental equipment combined with long experience make the best forecaster.
