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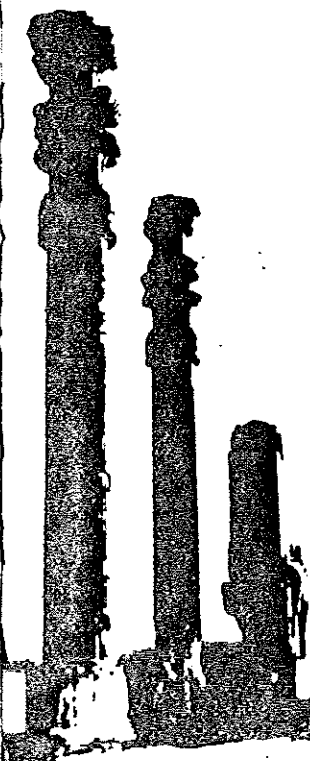
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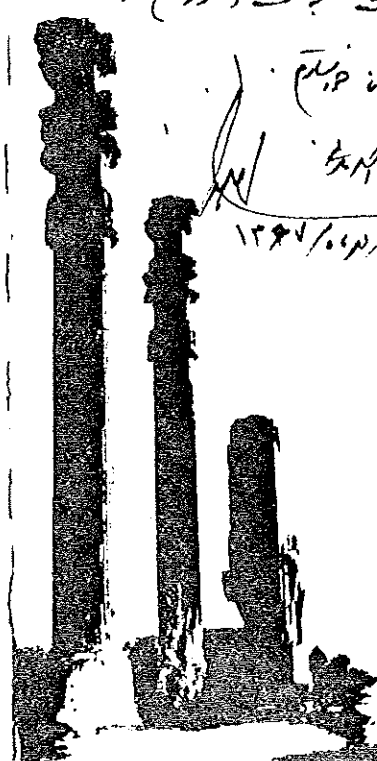
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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Admiral Ahmad Madani completed his studies in Naval Affairs in England, and received his doctorate in Law from Tehran University. He joined the Iranian Navy in 1949 where he rose to the rank of Admiral. Dr. Madani's political views as well as criticisms of the administration of the Navy led to his dismissal from the Armed Forces. Following the Revolution of 1978-79 Dr. Madani once again became an officer of the Navy, this time serving as its Commander. Dr. Madani also served as the Governor of Khuzestan during the Bazargan period and during the uprisings in that province in the 1979-80 period. Dr. Madani also participated in the first presidential elections in Iran, and after his defeat at the polls was compelled to leave Iran for France where he has acted as one of the major dissident leaders.

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