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Australians Advance Positions Along 3000 Yards; Scottish Troops Successful in Raid in Flanders: Prisoners Are Taken

French Report Artillery Battle Along 15 Mile Front North of Marne: Two American Negroes Cited for War Decorations.

ONDON, July 8.-(U. P.)-Australian troops again advanced their lines on both sides of the Somme along a front of nearly two miles, Field Marshal Haig today reported.

"The Australians last night advanced their positions slightly on a 3000 yard front on both sides of the Somme, the statement said. "A successful raid was carried out by Scottish troops south of the La Basse canal, resulting in the capture

of a few prisoners. The enemy's tranches were also entered east of Hazebrouck by Australlan troops, a few prisoners being "Hostile artillery has been active on

both sides of the Somme as a result nt-Hamel and in the neighborhood

Paris, July 8 - (U. P.) - An artillery battle along the 15 mile front, between T Villfers-Cotterets forest and the Marne, was was reported by the French war office whi "Between Forest de Villers-Cotterets

and the Marne there was artillery fighting," the communique said. By Bert Ford.

With the American Army at the Marne, July 7, 4 p. m.—(I. N. S.)— There has been another great burst of air activity on the American sector of (Concluded on Page Two, Column Three)

Carl R. Gray Will Be In Portland Tuesday

Seattle, July 8 .- (I. N. S.)-In order to familiarize themselves with transpor-tation problems of the Northwest, Carl R. Gray, director of operations in the United States railroad administration, H. E. Byram, federal manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad and others connected with the management of the federal railroad system are here. The party arrived Sunday direct from St. Louis, and will leave tonight for Portland.

Gray, who is next to Director General McAdoo in the railroad administration, said it is four years since he has been on the Pacific cost and he felt he would be better able to consider the problems in connection with the transportation systems in this section if he made a personal inspection of facilities.

In the party also are James R. Wood worth, Chicago, assistant to Regional Disector in charge of traffic in the Northwest, and L. C. Gilman, district director of operation in Washington and

American Officers Die in Auto Crash the request from the state board of forestry, Governor Withycombe tast

Paris. July 8 .- (U. P.) - Several American officers were killed and camps and timber districts, where others injured when two automobiles collided near Fontainebleau, it was re- against forest fires, which are threatported today.

WALL STREET PAYS TAXES IN MILLIONS

S.) -The second internal revenue district of New York leads the nation in tax collections for 1918, with a total of \$457,058,-230.19, according to figures made public this afternoon by the bureau of internal revenue.

The figures show that this district, in which is located the Wall street section, returned \$414,608,. 967.24 in income and excess profits taxes and \$42,440,842.95 in miscellaneous taxes.

The 23d district of Pennsylvania. neluding Pittsburg, ranks second, totaling \$882,159,761.43, of which \$292,576,362.29 was in income and excess profits taxes and \$89,583,-

329.14 in miscellaneous taxes. Collections in the 64 districts in the United States, Rawail and the Philippines, for the fiscal year 1918, amounted to \$3,671,918,286.91. For the fiscal year 1917 they amounted to \$609,222,640.44.

BRITONS NOW COMRADES

WASHINGTON, July 8.—(I. N. S.)—Affirming the closer relationship of the people of Great Points relationship of the people of Great Britain and the United States, President Wilson, replying to a resolution of greeting proposed by Winston Churchill in London on July 4, this afternoon sent to Viscount Bryce a message, in which he declared the aims of the two countries to be the same. The president's reply follows:

"The generous resolution of the great meeting held on July by the citizens of London in celebration of the anniversary of the independence of the United States has been received with the deepest appreciation. The people of the United States have entered this war not only with the feeling that its issues are the issues of their own national life and action, but also with a profound sense of their comradeship with the other free peoples of the world, and it is with keen satisfaction that they find themselves associated in close fraternal purpose and understanding with the people of the British empire.'

YANKEES TAKEN HUNS LIBERATED U. S. FORCE ADVANCE

By Henry G. Wales.

British Front, July 6.-(Night)-Eight hold onto Hamel. Americans and a score of Australians, captured in German counter attacks north of Hamel (on the Picardy front) early Friday morning, were liberated and 50 Germans were made prisoners crept to the new German lines and shot when the Australians and Americans

There is not a single American capive in the hands of the Germans now in this section. The allies captured a a dugout. This daring achievement was dozen machine guns which had been brought up by the Germans, who ex- tralian explained that he wanted to give

Haif a dozen Americans, who took part in the fighting around Hamel on the Fourth of July and subsequent to that date, have been recommended for the military medal,

Daring Capture Made score of Australian veterans will

One of the most noteworthy exploi was when an Australian corporal and two American privates located from an airplane photo a telephone line running to the headquarters of a German bat-

The small allied force made their way cautiously to the headquarters, which were in a largent, and then or being killed with hand grenades if they refused. The prisoners trooped forth, including a battalion commander, a captain, two lieutenants and 28 privates. The Australians are loud in their praise of the Americans.

"I am giad they are not fighting against us," is the reply of an Australian when asked what he thinks of the

Scores of Huns Bayoneted The Austalian veterans are delighted with the work of the American machine guns and grenade throwers and also with

their bayonet work. Not an American was bayonetted the fighting in the Hamel area. All the American casualtles were from machine guns and rifle bullets. Scores of Germans were buried who had been bayonetted to death.

A Chicago captain, describing the terrible condition in the former German

retary of War That Fires

Endanger Ship Work.

Salem, Or., July 8 .- Complying with

night sent a telegram to the secretary

Lewis be detailed to patrol logging

deemed necessary, as a precaution

The long dry spell has made the situ-

The governor's telegram to the secre-

"The acute forest fire situation in

Oregon now not only imperils ships and

airplane material and railroads, but

threatens to call out for fire fighting

great numbers of laborers needed for

shipbuilding, lumbering and grain har-

well as to protect resources it is essen-

tial to increase the efficiency and

authority of the patrol to reduce the

"I urgently request the war depart-

ment to authorize the local military au-

thorities to detail from available lim-

ited service men at Camp Lewis one or

more military patrolmen to each logging

district. The state forester will arange

the details of patrol with the local of-

ficials. This proposed action is indorsed

by Colonel Disque, District Supervisor Wentworth of the shipping board and

States forest service."

At a meeting of the state board of

forestry in Portland Saturday a resolu-

tion was adopted urging this action. Governor Lister of Washington has also

been requested to make a similar re-

State Forester Elliott says that fires

in this state are now fairly well under control, but no one can tell when a big

camp, necessary railroad unit or timber

'To avert a serious labor situation as

ation very acute in Oregon forests, ac-

ening ship and airplane materials.

cording to State Forester Elliot.

tary of war says:

starting of new fires.

of machine gun cartridges. The Ger- loss of blood.

SOLDIER FOREST

mans had not removed the ammunition Correspondents' Headquarters on the as they thought they would be able to

"We have now buried every dead Ger-

Australian Makes Big Capture At noon on Saturday an Australian pany. gunner. Not satisfied with this exploit, he brought back as prisoners a German officer and 12 privates whom he had taken single handed from carried out in broad daylight. The Ausome souvenirs to the Americans. The doughboys who were returning to the attack in the Hamel zone were warmly greeted by their jealous but admiring comrades, among whom they distributed souvenirs, while the band

German-Americans Great Fighters By William Philip Simms. With the British Armies in France, July 8.-(U. P.) - "If anyone doubts

now German-Americans are fighting for the United States, Jess Krueger thinks he can convince them.

Acting as an amateur reporter, Krueger interviewed the Hamel heroes when they returned and guihered up the foimachine gunners; with the second he cleaned out a section of a trench; the third ended a Boche who tried to wing him with a rifle. He brought back the other two.

Nathan Lieberman encountered six leveled an empty rifle at them. They surrendered, two of them crying like children and begging for mercy. Arthur Munk, a former haberdasher,

found a German officer with his hand shot off. He unbuckled his emergency kit, bound up the officer's wound and got a stretcher bearer to help carry Fred Sullenberger, who was a clerk in

a department store, followed the boys over the top with several pails of hot tea. Shrapnel occasionally hit buckets, but he kept on. A corporal, whose name cannot

mentioned, because he is a casualty, was hit in the shoulder by shrapnel, "We found English dead that had lain but kept on fighting because he said unburied since April when the Germans he was determined to "get a Heinle." captured Hamel and also 75,000 rounds He got one just before he dropped from

ASQUITH FACTION PATROL IS ASKED YIELDING GROUND

Governor Withycombe Wires Sec- Signs Indicate Former Premier of Britain Plans to Align With Lloyd George.

London, July 8 .- One of the chief subthe request from the state board of jects of political gossip here has been for some days the gradual "rapproachment" between former Premier Asquith of war urging that soldiers from Camp and Premier Lloyd George. Close observers see in this evident conversion of the former premier to the present government's views and policies. a strong hopeful sign for the future, indicating as it does that Great Britain's "home front" will close ranks more and more present an unbreachable unity to peace offensives Wilhelmstrasse may have in store.

Characteristic of the press comment is this remark of the political correspondent of the Sunday Times. "It would certainly be no surprise to some of Asquith's more intimate friends if at a not distant date he should cross the ministerial bench, perhaps as

Senate Bill Would Stop Liquor Sale

Washington, July 8 .- (I. N. S.)-The manufacture of beer and wine would stoped in four months and the sale whiskey in six months, under a change in the amendment to the food production bill agreed upon by the senate agricultural committee this

Italian Journalist Sent From France

ORONTO, Ont., July 8.—(U. P.)

PORTLAND, OREGON, MONDAY EVENING, JULY 8, 1918. - FOURTEEN PAGES

Telegraphers Are Discharged as Soon as They Appear With Union Buttons; 150 Out in Atlanta; New Orleans Affected

Question of Giving President Power to Take Over Telegraph Systems Still Main Topic in Senate; Demands Early Action

Washington, July 8 .- (I. N. S.) -The Aswell resolution, providing for control of the telegraph and telephone lines for the period of the war, was reported out of the senate this afternoon without commendation by the committee or

sterstate commerce. New Orleans, La., July 8 .- (I. N. S.)-Members of the Commercial Telegraphers' union here, who reported for work wearing their union buttons, were summarily discharged by the Western Union today, according to report.

has been issued by either union or com-Atlanta, Ga., July 8.-(U. P.)-Local legraph union officials teday in a formal statement placed responsibility for the lockout of approximately 150

No statement regarding the situation

telegraphers in Atlanta upon Western Union officials. "We held mass meetings yesterday." said President A. F. Joyner of the local "and openly declared our union affiliations. As fast as the name reached Western Union officials these men and women were discharged." Western Union officials said they had 56 strike breakers on the job here and that business was moving normally. Union leaders state that with the exception of officials and a few office

clerks, who were former telegraphers, the wires in the Atlanta office today are practically unmanned. Washington, July 8 .- (U. P.) - Denands for immediate action by the sen-

ate on the resolution empowering the president to take over the telegraph and harging the interstate commerce committee from consideration trying of the resolution. This would bring the there is resolution immediately before the senate. Smith's resolution goes over, under the Senator Smith of South Carolina, Germans guarding a machine gun. He chairman of the interstate commerce

committee, may forestall Smith Georgia, however, by having his committee report the resolution today without recommendation. Smith, in summoning his committee to meet at 2 p. m. today, told members he sees no rea-(Concluded on Page Two, Column Five)

OVER HOME PHONE

Corporation With Capital \$3,000,000 Organizes to Redeem Mortgage.

Formation of a new company capital-ized at \$3,000,000 to take over the property of the Home Telephone company, by redemption of the mortgage against the property, was revealed today by the filing of articles of incorporation at the courthouse and with the secretary of

The incorporators are: Joseph M. Healy, Richard W. Montague and J. C. Portland Home Telephone company. The present Home company, which i in the hands of Receiver Oswald West, has outstanding debts. The interest of the bondholders totals \$2,900,000. Foreclosure proceedings are now pend-

C., Sunday, to appear before the department of justice in behalf of the petition of the Home company bondholders to merge with the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company. The creation of the new corporation, it is believed, is prompted by the necessity of preventing the property from being bought in by the rival concern at its

Negotiations for the sale of the Home holdings to the Bell company are already pending, under the terms which the bondholders would get

Government Places Orders for Lumber

Orders were received this morning by H. B. Van Duzer, head of the fir production board, for 2,000,000 feet of fir timbers for the United States quartermaster at New York. An order for 250,-000 feet of fir lumber was also received this morning, to be delivered to the Hog Island shippard to the account of the United States shipping board. Orders received at the office of the fir produc tion board are apportioned among the mills of Oregon and Washington. Or-ders for fir lumber products aggregating 60,000,000 feet have been received during the past few weeks, according to Mr. Van Duzer.

Paris, July 8.—(U. P.)—The Italian journalist, Hanau, recently paroled after conviction on a charge of communicating with the enemy, has been understood of fir are being supplied to all war activities. Several hundred carloads per month are used in the manufacture of airplanes and immense quantities go to ship fire will get a start, imperiling war work by destroying materials and taking laborers.

er conviction on a charge of communiquantities go to ship construction and the building of cantonments. Recent pelled from France, it was announced today.

SINK TWO DIVERS

-A Canadian troop ship that was in the fleet of boats when the British steamship Orissa was attacked and sunk off the Irish roast, brought word that two submarines were sunk after the Orissa was torpedoed, according to disabled soldiers reaching here today. The ship on which the men were returning to Canada left England June 24 and was the object of an

attack by two U-boats the follow-Major George Washington of Toronto declared the ship also was twice attacked by submarines on its way to England.

Assassination of Von Mirbach Beginning of Russia's Reawakening, View.

By J. W. T. Mason United Press War Expert York, July 8.-(U. P.)-Nihilism has returned to Russia. The assassination of the German ambassador, Von Mirbach, at Moscow, is the beginning of

Russia's reawakening. The same measures of desperate self-defense enforced on the people by the absolutism of the Romanoffs have been called again into play by the ruthlessness of German dictation to the present Slav government. Russian liberty, enmeshed by the Hohenzollern militarists, is taking to bombing its way to freedom. This new phase of the revolution was This new phase of the revolution was bound to occur scener or lawr. The people who risked their lives uninterruptedly for liberty under the czar are not of the breed to be cowed forever by

ences are plainly seen to be insidiously trying to undermine the revolution. undermine the revolution, there is no reason why Nihilism should not resume its former policy of meeting blood with blood. The Germans are placed in a very difficult position by the assassination of their ambassador. If they take no measure of reprisal, their prestige will fall. If, on the other hand. they assist in assuming control of the police departments of Moscow and Perograd, they will inevitably invite still more feroclous bomb attacks.

ROLL OF HONOR

Washington, July 8.—(I. N. S.)—Fifty cas-nalties in the American expeditonary forces were announced today by the war department, di-vised as follows: Six killed in settlers, 13 died from wounds, two from secretary. two from secident and other were severely wounded. The army list was as follows:

Killed in Action
COOK WALTER L. CROUCH, Eimdale, Kan.
PRIVATE GUST ANIKEWICH, Hamtrack, PRIVATE BENNIE W. EAST, Magnoldia PRIVATE ALBERT HAGE, Franklin, La. PRIVATE LLQYD H. STILL, Wibaux, Mont. PRIVATE MARVIN G. WRIGHT, Augusta,

SERGEANT GUIDO CASTIGLIONE, St. Paul, Brazil. SERGEANT RAY A. WOOD, Highlands, COOK CARMINE IENCO, Central Butland,

PRIVATE MICHAEL GILL, Hatrack, Mont. PRIVATE MERTON V. HAIR, Early, Iowa. PRIVATE EDW. J. MILLER, Alton. III. PRIVATE GEORGE D. O'LOUGHLIN, Stuart, Iowa.

THOMAS C. SEDER, Ravenscroft, Tehn.
ARTHUR L. SINNELL, Babylon, N. Y.
PRIVATE JOSEPH H. SCHULTZ, Newark.

WILLIAM H. TAYLOR, Aldershot, S. D. ALEXANDER E. VAUTRAIN, New Orie Accident and Other Causes
PRIVATE JAMES H. BOOTH, Montclair PRIVATE HARRY V. PARKER, Salisbury,

Sergeants John E. Crow, Ralsigh, N. C.;
Steve O. Stubblefield, Rosenberg, Texas; William W. White, Houghton, Mich.; Corporals
Frank W. Anderson, Roxbury, Mass.; Charlie R.
Brantley, Georgetown, S. C.; Joseph Duncan,
Old Orchard, Maine; James E. Fitzwilson, New
London, N. H.; James R. Loel, Chillicothe,
Ohio; Joseph R. Stevens, Gerry, N. Y.; Privates Willis Bartlett, Pottaville, Pa.; Theo.
Combs. Hamilton, Ohio; Santo Frenl, East Boston, Mass.; Jesse E. Hayes, Hansford, Texas;
Clarence M. Hoskett, Center, N. D.; George T.
Holiffield, Brockport, Ill.; Ira R. Holsapple,
Glendive, Mont.; Charles A. Khoury, Lorrington, Conn.; Fred Krech, Portage, Wis.; William T. McGraw, 578 Extrella avenue, Los Afgeles; Ralphael Paone, Middletown, Conn.; William J. Pugh, Seranton, Pa.; Franklin C. Rose,
Costesville, Pa.; Joseph Stillitane, Haverhill,
Mass.; Vincent Super, Bay City, Mich.; John
Tolleson, Waldron, Ark.; Edw. H. Townsend,
Danville, Ala.; Laird A. Wray, 525 Tenth avenue, Seattle, Wash.; Adolph L. Young, Philadelphia; Frederick M. Young, Elmhurst, N. Y.
Prisoners (Previously Reported Missing) Prisoners (Previously Reported Missing)

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Corporals Fred W. Chitty, New Haven, Conn.;
Franklin J. Damon, Brooklyne, Maks.; Joseph
Sabstini, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Bugler Joseph M.
McNamara, New Haven, Conn.; Privates Leon
S. Bernard, Hopkinton, Mass.; Richard A.
Brightman, Fall Siver, Mass.; Edw. Clark, Collinsville, Conn.; James F. Coleman, New Haven, Conn.; Herbert W. Collings, Norwalk,
Conn.; Harold F. Dolan, New Haven, Conn.;
Norman C. Elliott, Worcester, Mass.; Newman
S. Gee, Caribou, Me.; James C. Goldrich, New
Haven, Conn.; Charles B. Kenny, Norwalk,
Conn.; Harry M. Lufkin, Providence, R. I.; Bernard T. Lynch, Brooklyn, N. X.; John T. MeCartin, New Haven, Conn.; Edw. A. Olson, Bristol, Conn.; James E. Pitochelli, Pawtucket, B.
L.; Clarence H. Riedle, Bristel, Conn.; Carilde
Tleman, Dayton, Ky.

Ottawa, Ont., July 8.— (U. P.)

Ottawa, Ont., July 8.—(U. P.)—The follow-ing American appears in today's Canadian cas-W. J. Mathews, Lewiston, Idaho.

May Resume Relations Rome, July 8.-(U. P.)-Rome newspapers, commenting on the interview between the pope and Denys Cochin, French political leader and minister without portfolio in the Briand cabinet, declared that resumption of Franco-papal relations is probable.

Prominent Attorney of Bend and Ralph Poindexter, Druggist, Are Drowned in Lake Crescent While in Canvas Boat Fishing.

Frail Craft Collapses and Both Men Are Seen From Bank to Disappear; Wreckage Found on Surface of the Water.

Bend, Or., July 8.-Vernon A. Forbes. joint legislative representative from the Twenty-first district, and Ralph Poindexter, proprietor of the Owl pharmacy, of Bend, were drowned in Cres-cent lake, 65 miles south of Bend, Sunday night when a boat from which they were fishing broke in two.

The accident was seen by person on the shore who immediately rowed out to the spot, but arrived too late to effect a rescue. Three cars left here late last night for the lake with grappling apparatus and are now drag-

The boat from which the two men were fishing was a light canvas affair in which they had installed an 80 pound motor. From the wreckage found floating on the water it was apparent that the weight of the motor had broken the boat in two parts. One part sank with the motor. The other part was found floating with a hat, a pipe and fishing tackle. There was no trace of the bodies, and because of the very deep water in which the accident occurred, difficulty in finding them is expected.

or for the breed to be cowed forever by German militarism.

Opposed to the terror of the German sword has now come the terror of the Russian bomb. Germany cannot described by this new armits by force of the law school. Through his skill and stroy this new enmity by force. Nihilism flourishes best when efforts at its
suppression are most refertless. It is
strange that the famous Nihilist leadmany of the leading companies interers have not gone into action against ested in Central Oregon. He was elected the Germans before this. But there to the state legislature in 1912 and reprobably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represented to take over the telegraph and elephone lines were voiced today when he senate met.

Senstor Smith of Georgia introduced a condition of the revolution.

Now, however, that German influences to the state legislature in 1912 and represent to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature in 1912 and represent the probably has been some rejuctance to the state legislature i signments and in the last session, acting as Republican leader in the house. In April, 1914, he married Miss Ann

Markel of Bend and there has been porn to them one child, Vernon A. Jr. Besides Mrs. Forbes and the son, there survive his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith R. Forbes, and a sister, Miss Gail Forbes, all of Bend. Mr. Poindexter was born in Prineville, moving to Bend in 1911 to open a drug store. He is survived by his widow, his father, Perry Poindexter of Prineville, and two married sisters.

Arrangements Made For Mitchel Funeral

Theodore Roosevelt and Other Prominent Men Are to Be Honorary Pallbearers at New York Service.

New York, July 8 .- (U. P.)-The body of Major John Purroy Mitchel, former mayor of New York, who was killed Saturday in an airplane accident at Lake Charles, La., will arrive here Tues day morning and will be taken to the home of his mother. Wednesday it will lie in state in the rotunda of the city hall. The military funeral will be Thursday morning and burial will be in the family plot at Woodlawn cemetery, with funeral services at the Church of St.

Francis Xavier.

The following honorary palibearers Colonal Theodore Roosevelt, Cleveland H. Dodge, Nicholas Murray Butler. George W. Wickersham, Jacob H. Schiff

A. FORBES ROMINENT member of

the Oregon legislature, drowned while fishing in Crescent lake, in the Cascade mountains.



German Leader Prepares to Resume Austrian Offensive, Is Swiss Report.

Paris, July 8 .- (U. P.)-General Ludendorff visited Austrian headquarters in the Trentino to hasten preparations for resumption of the offensive on the Swiss sources today. Reinforcements are said to be con

Vojusa," the statement said. "We withdrew to our main positions in the valley."

Battle in Water to Waists With the Italian Armies in the Field, July 8 .- (U. P.)-The latest Italian vicpushed the Austrians back four miles farther from Venice, as the result of one of the most stubbornly fought ac tions of the war, in the wet triangle of dykes and mud-filled canals on the lower Piave.

The Austrians had strongly fortified every house, mill and infrequent dry spot in this region. Italian artillery materially aided in the victory by preventing the enemy bringing up food from the mainland.

Thousands of soldiers fought in water

German Submarine Fired Upon, Report

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An Atlantic Port, July 8.-A German submarine hovering off the Atlantic coast was fired upon by a British steamer, according to passengers of the ship, which arrived Sunday. Officers of the vessel admitted firing the stern run, but denied having sighted a Uboat. Unusual precautions are being taken by all vessels against a submarine surprise, it was declared, and skippers hesitate even to respond to distress signals, lest they be but a lure to entice

their ships to destruction.

Enrollment of 1000 Men To Devote Vacations to Harvesting Commended CARO, F. W. Stewart of Montreal, Canda, C. R. McCauley of New York and W. T. Mullaly of New York, all repre-

ing the war, began this morning, with W. A. Williams as director in charge, assisted by C. S. Samuel, secretary of the Portland business men's farm help Returns began to come early. Half a

dozen men were waiting for the doors to open-The first name on the morning list o vacation farm volunteers was that of W S. U'Ren, well known Portland lawyer who not only unconditionally proffered his own services but suggested that he

be one of 100 Portland legal lights who

should go out as a company for farm

work. Preferences Are Stated O. F. Carpenter, number two on the

list, stated his preference for handling Robert Hughes, a carpenhimself for all kinds of farm work. Herbert Hagan, a student, asked for opportunity to run a gas engine. H. F. DeYoung expressed a preference for picking fruit, and Robert Surney for handling horses. D. A. Norton, a lawyer and club man, suggested that he would rather handle horses or a tractor and at the question, "Would you rough it with other help on farm?" wrote, "Depends on how rough it is."

Henry Peterson, a student, professed to it that his readiness for any kind of farm isfactory.

Williams and Mr. Samuel in registration, are Miss Rosemary Baldwin and Miss Nellie Hemenway. In charge of information desk and telephone switchboard is Mrs. G. A. Olsson, assisted by Mrs. E. M. Wood, Mrs. J. .. Miller and Miss Stella Bosworth. The work necessary to enroll the vol-unteers for vacation farm help is all of volunteer character.

Urgent Call Is Filled

J. W. Brewer, federal farm help

pecialist, under whose general direction the campaign is being carried on, said this morning that he had been able to fill an urgent call for helf a

dozen good men through the volunteers at Liberty Temple.

While volunteers are being registered at Liberty temple, captains of registration teams will canvass clubs, offices and business houses. Every man who has the physical ability to perform farm work is needed to help harvest crops in Oregon in order to prevent loss of staples highly important in feeding sol-diers at the front. Every man who can do farm work is expected to enlist his vacation time and to make the sacrifice of giving up his usual vacation in the mountains or at the seashors.

(illing of Ambassador Mirbach Used as an Excuse to Take Charge Petrograd and Moscow to Preserve Order.

Prediction Made in Stockholm That Bolsheviki Will Either Surrender to Berlin or Abdicate; Russian Fleet in Peril.

A MSTERDAM, July 8.—(U. P.)

-The kaiser, hearing of the assassination of Ambassador Mirbach, who was a close friend, ordered Foreign Minister Kuchlmann to break off relations with the Russian delegates in Berlin, according to dispatches received here today.

"The "delegates" referred to evidently are those who went to Berlin recently to adjust matters left open by the Brest-Litovsk peace treaty.

Stockholm, July 8 .- (U. P.)-Germany will demand the right to occupy Moscow and Petrograd, under the guise of maintaining order, as the result of the assassination of Count Mirbach, German ambassador to Russia, according to information from diplomatic sources today.

murder is the work of the entente, will further demand free passage of troops to the Murman coast by way of Petrograd. The Russian inhabitants of that region, in an anticipation of a German-Finnish invasion, already have declared their allegiance to the allies and are expected to join forces with the allied troops guarding the supply base there. The Bolsheviki either will accede to the German demands or will abdicate. The former action is more probable, as Premier Lenine is reported to have prepared an apology, which will be for-

warded to Berlin at once. (Concluded on Page Ten, Column Four)

WAR MAIN THEME BEFORE AD CLUBS

Various Ways in Which Advertising Men Can Help Whip Huns Discussed.

business now and the business of advertising now is winning the war." That was the declaration of P. S Flores, executive manager of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, in his annual report, and today it reschoed throughout the proceedings. The convention held its first formal session at 10 o'clock this morning, when President W. C. D'Arcy made the opening address. The remainder of the morning was given over to the business of winning the war, with W. H. Johns of New York, Paul E. Faust of Chi-

San Francisco, July 3 .- (U. P.)-"Our

senting the committee on public infor-mation, discussing the various ways in which advertising can help whip Germany. This afternoon the big British tank "Britannia," with the same crew which piloted it over the battlefield of the somme, will head a military pagear the convention's parade. One hundred convention delegates will carry a huge flag up Market street and 5000 of Uncle Sam's fighters have been de-tailed to places in the line of march. Late in the afternoon, departmental sessions will begin, about 15 separate divisional meetings being scheduled.

The contest for selection of the next convention city began with the arrival of the bulk of the delegates early Sun-day, and, following the inspirational meeting in the afternoon at the Greek theatre at Berkeley, the contest was on spiritedly. Charles M. Schwab, "boss shipbuilder," made the address at Sun-

New Orleans, St. Paul, New York and Tuisa, Okia. so far are the leading con-tenders for the 1913 convention.

Attempt at Peace Meeting Is Failure

London, July 8.—(L. N. S.)—A h Austrian official who is in close to with Emperor Karl, has made an un successful attempt to open preliminary The work is not a contribution. Workers are paid going wages and the government exercises supervision to see to it that working canditions are satpeace negotiations with representa of the allies at Berne, said a Ge dispatch to the Express today, give the newspaper Socolo, of Milan, as

Oregon's clamorous call for farm help, work; W. W. Williams wanted to get is being sounded from Liberty Temple into the having and Edward Wood expressed a preferance for harvest today. The enrollment of a thousand At the Liberty Temple, assisting Mr. who will dedicate their vacations to the harvesting of foods needed in prosecut-