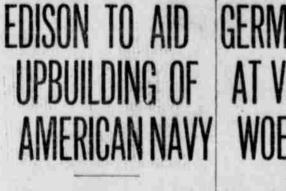
# SECOND EDITION MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE WEATHER UNTURY MARKED SECOND MEDFORD, OREGON, TUESDAY, JULY 13, 1915

# Forty-fifth Year. Dally-Tenth Year.





Inventor Offers Services as Call to **Duty-Other Prominent Scientists** to Assist Proposed Bureau of Invention and Development for Navy Department.

WASHINGTON, July 13 .- Annonneement by Thomas A. Edison of his acceptance of Secretary Daniels' offer to head an advisory hoard of bureau of invention and development day, are reported from Berlin. The today. We were in the same little priin the navy department, was received French declare a violent attack by with gratification today by naval of- German troops in the "Labyrinth" ficials. Secretary Daniels, who ap- was beaten off. pealed to Mr. Edison to undertake the task on patriotic grounds, went ahead today with the perfection of his new plans. It is planned to have ed the drive at Verdun. men prominent in special lines of inventive and research work associated with the hurean, several names already being under consideration.

One of the hig problems to be laid before the hureau will be that of imneroplanes.

#### A Call to Duty

ance of the invitation.

Secretary Daniels, "that Mr. Edison synsz region along the line north of more plainly. regarded my invitation as a call to Warsaw. daty and that he would be glad to South of Warsaw only sporadic there still, and the deep lines of render any service possible to his actions have occurred, but from east- ernelty flank his nostrils on each country. Mr. Hutchison said Mr. Ed. era Galicia, where quiet has prevail- side. But even his old Oxaca Indian ison would be glad to send in a few ed for sometime . Tentonie attacks face has fattened with high living days his reply to my letter of invi- along the Zlota Lipa and the Dniester and lack of exercise, and the Iluerta and artist have combined to picture him tation."

Secretary Daniels conferred with near Busk, also has been the scene of general who drave the Orazea revolu-Rear Admirals Griffin, Taylor and renewed fighting. Strauss, the naval officers who han- Coincident with this news comes die the problems of ordnance, con- reports through Petrograd that Field Interview With Soldiers on Guard struction, engineering and electricity, Marshal Von Mackensen's army has as to the best way to get the benefit been strongly reinforced and that it of the advice of citizen inventors. As will soon resume active operations, to the other advisory members, See-On Gallipoli Peninsula retary Daniels said he was not ready to make any announcement, but he felt assured that other men would respond to the call of duty.

Former Dictator Tells of Hopes, Pur-Further Advances Reported at Souposes. Wealth and Ideas of Amerchez-Labyrinth Attack Beaten ica-Hopes to Go Back to Mexico Off-French Airships Attack Station-Renewed Activity on Eastern to Sleep in His Grave-United States Fine Example for Mexico. Line-Allies Advance 200 Yards.

(Bopyright, 1915, by the Newspaper LONDON, July 13.-Further German advances in the vicinity of Sou-EL PASO, Tex., July 12 .- It was a chez, where the cemetery was cap different Illuerta with whom I dined tured from the French early on Monvate dining room of the Hotel Sheldon, where he used to give his famous wine dinners like a Nero, Com-

mander-in-chief of the Mexican fed-Hard righting continued in the eral army, provisional president and Woevre region, where the Germans dictator, Victoriano Huerta had are believed in Paris to have resum- changed from a general of division to a world character since I last broke

Thirty-five French aeroplanes bread with him at that same table. swept over the railroad station serv-Then he was surrounded by his ing the Calonne trench regulation and glittering staff officers. Now he sat that of the Apremont forest. One alone except for me. In place of his hundred and seventy-one hombs were gold and braid uniform of the Mexidropped and several fires were start- eau army he wore an old, brown proving the navy's submarines and ed. There are signs of renewed ac- hand-me-down suit of winter weight tivity by the Teutonie forces along and a soft shirt and collar. The

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the eastern fighting front. Petro- trimness around his waist, which M. R. S. Hutchison, personal rep- grad officially reports lively en- years in the field with his forces had resentative of Mr. Edison, called on gagements along the east Prussian given him, had given way to a Secretary Daniels today and in- front in the Bobr and Narew regions, paunch. His close-cropped hair, formed him of Mr. Edison's accept- and further to the southwest between which looks like stubble on the unthe Pissa and Rosogar-rivers. There shaven chin of an old man, is grayer "Mr. Hatchison told me," said also has been fighting in the Prza- and the brown skin shows through

> That same broad, hulldog jaw is are reported. The upper Bug river, of today does not look fit as did the tion across the horder after Bach-

Enterprise Association.)

Then he was the guest of the United States army. He was given wine dinners in this same hotel and gave

others in return. He was the bigge

"Many things have happened, my

"Many things may happen to a



Huerta, the ex-dictator of Mexico. S. A. prisoner. The camera





Secretary Garrison Accepts Resignations of Officers in Army Ordnance Bureau Who Have Been Offered Posts with Companies Holding Large European Contracts.

WASHINGTON, July 13,-On the theory that the safety of the country must rest upon the adequate developant Colonel Odus C. Horney and Major William A. Phillips of the army ordnance bureau, who have been offered posts with companies holding

pean helligerents.

## Pending Some Weeks

The resignations have been pending for several weeks while Secretary Garrison asked Attorney-General der is rapidly being restored in the Gregory for a legal opinion as to his capitol. ernment service. The department of justice has not yet determined the

question and meanwhile Mr. Garrison decided to act. Colonel Horney is now in charge of

the Picatinny arsenal at Dover, N. J., and Major Phillips is detailed to ordnance work at the Sandy Hook proving grounds. Secretary Garrison said he considered that loss of experts was compensated, as officers were fully competent to operate plants at these stations already installed.

To Build New Plants

The skill of Colonel Horney and Through passengers go forward to-Major Phillips lies in the construc- day by changing at Puebla. tion of new plants. The plant they Ten thousand bushels of corn in

will build, Mr. Garrison said, may in sacks and all sorts of food for babtes inture prove of vital importance to are needed in Mexico City, according the American government. It is more to a message from Consul General important, he said, that a large num- Shanklin, filed in Mexico City at 10 er of plants he ready to turn out am- a. m. yesterday. He also said that munition than that the most expert arrangements were being made to officers be held to the work of superestablish soup kitchens in the city. intending those already in operation. "Very difficult to buy supplies The secretary said the situation in here," said the message, "but early England, where extraordinary efforts train communication with Vera Cruz are being made to increase the outpromised, which will settle difficulput of guns and ammunition showed ties. Need ten thousand bushels of graphed to the imperial government necessity of preparing for great sacked corn and all possible food for that if there were war, Canada would emergency in time of peace. bables. Milk supply inadequate, Ar-"This question of developing more ranging for soup kitchens." factories," Mr. Garrison said, "may mean the difference between safety STRIKE THREATENS General Haerta said as he seated erations are being rashed with all given in the house of commons this men are expert in the installation and disaster to the country. Thes afternoon. The Canadian premier machinery to make guns and amou declared that for all purposes the re- nition. The mere superintendence of TIE-UP REMINGTON sources of the British empire were plants already installed can be done by less expert men." The names of the ammunition **MUNITION FACTORY** manufacturers which have employed Colonel Horney and Major Phillip "I have no fear for the future, are not a matter of record at the way department and are known only to Russia, on the other hand, has at- Sir Robert said. "In whatever is personal friends of the two officers tempted to win the support of Ru- necessary to bring the war to an Colonel Horney, it is understood, is BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 13 .-Practically no progress was made to to go with the Aetna Powder comcession of the Hungarian territory of pared to take part. This is true of pany at a salary about five times day toward a settlement of the labor what he received in the army, and in trouble at the Remington Arms comaddition to that he receives a cash pany plant which promises, unless speedily composed, to involve some 8000 machinists and iron workers in the democracles of the empire, The name of the firm which will the city, despite conferences between employ Major Phillins was not disthough not prepared, would not prove officials of the arms company, the their efficiency in this grave peril. closed After peace was established, he said, Stewart Construction company of New York, which has charge of the new construction work of the plant and the leaders of the various labor organizations.

Order Being Rapidly Restored-Telegraph Lines Repaired-Railroad Communication Opens Tomorrow-Soun Kitchens Being Established-Corn and Baby Supplies Needed.

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WASHINGTON, July 13.- A delayed enblegram from the Brazilian minister at Mexico City received by the state department today states! ment of its commercial gun and am- that in evacuating the expital, after munition factories, Secretary Garri- resisting as long as their ammunition son announced today he had decided lasted, the Zapata forces had departto accept the resignation of Lieuten. ed quietly, heeding the appeals of the diplomatic officials not to carry on street fighting.

GALVESTON, Texas, July 13-Distribution of food has begun in Mexlarge munifions contracts from Euro- 100 City under the direction of General Pablo Conzales and additional supplies of provisions are being forwarded to the capitol from Vera Cruz, according to reports reaching the constitutionalist consulate here

> WASHINGTON, July 13 .- American Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz telegraphed to Mexico City yesterday that the first train from Vera Cruz to the capitol was expected to reach Mexico City today.

Large forces of workmen are busy on the telegraph lines and communication is expected to improve rapidly. The accumulation of messages, Consul Silliman reported, run into the thousands. Railroad communication will not

be fully effective until tomorrow.

### Apepal to Inventors

"What we want to do in this matter." said the secretary, "is to appeal to the American inventive genius to Greece, Rumania and Bulgaria are ate and talked those goards stood

we ought to do. We want them to give us the best they can. Already since this war began much has been done with our own resources. What has been done in the last three months has not yet appeared, and work that is going on under a pervision of our own experts and engineers will continue. But the idea of the advisory hoard will be to extend into the realms of the unknown in naval conval warfare. We want the advice of teetive Order of Elks opened its sesgenius as to new lines. No one today is able to tell what such advice may bring forth. We cannot tell to. officers, a mere formality which in-

day what kind of a battleship we should have three years hence, Work Now Under Way

"For the first time in twenty years W. F. Shad of Milwanke was elected do, and history is the only fair judge we have had an opportunity to test grand leading knight; William Lown, after all, the kind of ships and ammunition that Saginaw, Mich., grand loyal knight:

(Continued on Page 6) WILSON STUDIES GERMAN NOTE

CORNISH, N. H., July 13 .- Presi dent Wilson devoted his attention today to a detailed study of the situation growing out of the receipt of the latest German note on submarine

NEW ORLEANS, July 13.-Two warfare. After a game of golf he retired to his study at Harlakenden more betters signed "Pearce" i house, with the official text of the which the writer threatens disaster to British morehant and mule ships note before him.

The president gave directions that were delivered here foday by mail he he left undisturbed and paid less one to an afternoon newspaper and attention than usual to the morning the other to the chief of police. In mail received from Washington. No both, the writer demanded release of nection with the trip of the Liberty figures are available as to the namplans were made this morning for Hans Hale, held in connection with Bell occurred yesterday byween Pen- her of small vouchers taken out, Pre-ident Wilson's return to Washs receipt of a similar letter by the New dieton. Oregon, and this city. Boys Me. McKenna in making the state- Lawson, denied a new trial yesterday, year, those having between \$60,000 in ington, and there was every indica- Orleans Times-Picayane Sanday standing on a high bank by the side ment pointed out that the figure of previously having been sentenced to and \$\$00,000, those having from tion that he intended romaining here night.

several days longer. By the time he Chief of Police Reyholds says he goes back to Washington, it is ex- regards the letter seriously. Some is did not damage it. Officials ac- desired by the government. If that that an appeal to the state supreme By following the same plan in acpected that he will have the next step who have been watching the ense companying the bell state this to be amount had been reached he said it court would be taken soon as the quiring sites, the department, on 136 art the matter would be brought in the Americali policy mapped out in closely are inclined to believe today's littlers a houx. a general way.

Through Mytlene and Athens, Paris man in Mexico and was received with has received a report that as the re- salutes and troop escorts and vivas sult of another battle on the Gallip-Tonight, as we drove down to the oh peninsula the forces of the entente hotel in a big red automobile, only allies have advanced 200 vards. two soldiers rode with us, and they

According to an Athens dispatch to were guards, for General Huerta is the Tageblatt from its correspondent before the war broke out, I telea London newspaper, the kings of ander arrest, and all evening as we work for the pavy and to study what soon to meet in conference at Athens, without our door to prevent the old Rumanian border. Many thousands general's escape.



over which he has no control. It has LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 13 .struction and the possibilities of na- The grand todge of Benevolent Pro- last here on the border, and, since sion he teroday with the election of stalled James R. Nicholson of Boston as grand exalted ruler, succed- no excuse to make. I did my duty as ing Raymond Beajamin of California, it came to me as any good soldier will

we have in actual naval warfare, Al- E. R. Ingersoll, Seattle, grand lecturing knight; Thomas E. Donahue, New own country, of the United States

London, Conn., grand tyler, and Chas. Black, Oklahoma City, grand nothing more of your great country inner guard. Fred C. Robinson, Du- than I could see here on the border. buque, and Charles A. White, were Now I have seen much of it and I adre-elected secretary and treasurer, res- mire your country and your people pectively.

"Much do I prefer to speak of your When I was here before I had seen much more than I ever thought I would. New York is the greatest city

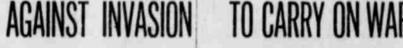
> in the world. "Your women are the most heautiful I have ever seen in any of my

Speaks of the United States



WALLA WALLA, Wn., July 13 .-

happened during the 2500 mile trip. the list.



LONDON, July 13 .--- "Four days BERLIN, July 13 .- A dispatch to at Czernowitz, Bakowina, says: "The Russians are fortifying their

regard it as her own," Sir Robert L. of men are at work digging trenches Borden, the premier of Canada, told parallel with the border and building barbed wire entanglements. The op- a cheering audience at a luncheon

The Russian government of Bessrabia borders Rumania on the east. Austria-Hungary is reported to have abundant and that the empire could pledged Rumania to undertake the congratulate itself on the condition

conquest of Bessarabia and transfer of affairs today, been less than three years since I was it to the Balkan state in exchange for that time I have seen much, experi-Rumania's active support in the war. though the struggle may be long," enced much and suffered much," said the old general with a half sigh, "But that is history and, as history, mania for the allies by promising the honorable conclusion, Canada is prethose events must be judged. I have Transylvania, which borders Ru- the whole empire." mania on the west-

speed.



and the War," expressed the opinion that the help of the dominion was LONDON, July 13 .- The total sublikely to prove a decisive factor. He cription to the war loan amounted to close to \$3,000,000,000, according hoped that one result of the upheavto the statement made by Reginald al would be the welding of the empire McKenna, the chancellor of the ex- in unbreakable bonds.

chequer, in the house of commons today. The total number of subscrib-LAWSON APPEALS ers through the Bank of England was 50,000, whose contributions aggre rated \$2,850,000,000.

The subscriptions through the post office have not yet closed, but up to date 547,000 persons have subscribed The first act of vandalism in con- \$75,000,000 through this channel. No

TO SUPREME COURT

and just solution.

DENVER, Colo., July 13.-Edward sidered in four classes-those having

and one hit it squarely, but apparent- newspapers neither was expected nor murder of John Nimmo, said tuday \$15,000.

ploted.

Premier Borden went on to say that it was impossible to believe that bonns,



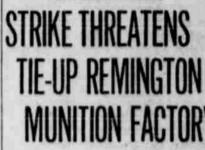
WASHINGTON, July 13 .- The treasury department hereafter will construct postoffices and other federal buildings in nevordance with the needs and importance of places where they are located instead of spending all that congress appropriates. In some instances expensive

postoffices have been built in towns where the postal receipts were not ufficient to maintain them.

Postoffices, Assistant Secretary, Newton announced today, will be con-

P. Costigan, of counsel for John R. receipts of more than \$800,000 a of thetrack threw rocks at the bell \$1,000,000,000 mentioned in the life imprisonment for the alleged \$15,000 to \$60,000, and those below

the first unpatriotic act that has would have been necessary to close necessary formalities can be com- purchases, spent \$500,000 loss than here, as he finds it impossible to go congress authorized.



The labor leaders are trying to fix the responsibility for the issuing of an order directing the mill wrights employed at the plant to join the carpenters' union. The arms company disclaims responsibility for it,

the labor leaders say, and so does the construction company.

The present trouble arose over the question of direction over the mild wrights, the structural iron workers and the carpenters oranizations both claiming it.

An immediate effect, it was stated today, would be the curtailment of the shipment of war munitions shou'd the strike continue.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, said toda" that he had been informally advised hitrator in the Bridgeport labor trouble, but that as yet the request had not been received. He was niven to understand that if he were to

to Bridgeport.

