

LOCAL PLANT NEEDS WOMEN TO WORK ON GAS MASK RUSH ORDER

President Charles B. Whittlesey of the Hartford Rubber Works sent out a call yesterday for a large force of women to engage in the assembling of gas masks during the summer months. The United States government has placed orders with the leading rubber companies throughout the country and they must be finished by September. The Hartford Rubber Works as a part of the United States Rubber Works must turn out its share of the product. July 18 or 20 is the date set for the beginning of the work.

President Whitelesy said yesterday that he was desirous of obtaining the services of about 150 school teachers or even more. The pay and working hours are to be attractively arranged, he said, and the working hours from 8:30 to 11:30 o'clock in the morning, from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and from 6 to 9 o'clock at night. The night hours are for clerks who are employed at other work in the daytime. Forty days will be devoted to the production of the orders.