

OUTWARD OBSERVANCE OF RESPECT FOR THE FLAG AT THIS CRISIS MOST NECESSARY

BREATHES THERE A MAN WITH SOUL SO DEAD—!

Matron's Methods in Forcing Respect for the Flag Prove Effective, if Disconcerting—"Hyphen" Again—Girl Scouts in Wartime

IF ALL women young and old, would follow the example of one young woman I know, who when she sees a man standing with his hat on while the flag is being hoisted...



No trimming could be more appropriate for these smart, cool Japanese hats, than a bigchrysanthemum. The top of this hat is straw, over a thin, bright, close-fitting silk cap.

There is a little woman in this city, born in Munich, but married to an officer in the United States navy, now on the retired list.

When the first news of the severance of diplomatic relations came her husband went to her with the news that he felt it his duty to offer himself again to his country.

HOW can one help talking, thinking and writing of possible war when the atmosphere is charged with it? Comes now a pamphlet from the Camp Fire Girls, stating their aims and intentions if a conflict should come.

THERE comes a time during the years of motherhood of almost every woman when the life of her child is at stake; when on her falls the solemn duty of saving that little life or allowing it to go out.

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Letters and questions submitted to this department will be written on one side of the paper only and signed with the name of the writer.

- 1. How can tea leaves be tested for adulteration?
2. Is there any way to remove a dent in woodwork?
3. What will remove grease from waxed shoes?

- 1. To clean brass pipes and faucets remove by applying oxalic acid and water, rubbing the part with cork until the color is restored and afterwards washing the wood thoroughly with water.
2. Stains can be removed from mahogany by applying oxalic acid and water, rubbing the part with cork until the color is restored and afterwards washing the wood thoroughly with water.

Broiling Chicken
Dear Madam—How are chickens broiled?
Dear Madam—A very young chicken will broil successfully. Clean it thoroughly and split it down the back, wash it over with melted butter and place it on a broiler over a gas range.

Egg Sauce for Fish
Dear Madam—Please print in your column directions for making an egg sauce for fish.
Dear Madam—Make an ordinary thick white sauce by blending a tablespoonful of butter and flour and adding a cupful of chopped fine, one raw egg, beaten until light, salt and pepper to taste.

Library Paste
Dear Madam—What is the recipe for library paste?
The following makes a very satisfactory library paste. It is made by mixing a cupful of flour with cold water until it is thin enough to be stirred easily, then add it to a pint of boiling water very gradually, stirring constantly.

Proper Chocolate-Making
Dear Madam—Can you tell me how to make chocolate?
Chocolate is made by melting cocoa beans, removing the shells, and grinding the nibs. The nibs are then pressed to remove the fat, and the remaining solids are conched and tempered.

Keeping the Hair Tight
Dear Madam—Could you kindly recommend something for keeping the hair tight besides pomade?
The best way to keep the hair tight is to use a hairbrush and hair oil. The hairbrush should be used to brush the hair in the direction it grows, and the hair oil should be applied to the ends of the hair.

PATSY KILDARE, OUTLAW

By JUDD MORTIMER LEWIS

IT WAS raining when I woke this morning so I didn't put on my shoes and stockings and not many clothes. Dad had come home from his night watching and was asleep when I got up.

I don't think nobody knows how to swim. People just put one foot on the bottom and kick along and pretend. But the gutter wasn't deep enough, so I couldn't, so I just lay there for a while with my head out and pretended I was a mud turtle.

A little boy came out of the carpenter's house in front of which I was and he asked me if I felt good and I told him "Fine."

A STORY FOR SPARE MOMENTS "Ginger"

LORNA REEVES reached the station at 11:15. The train was moving away. She started a run, might have caught it if she had not tripped, and would have fallen had she not been caught in the arms of a tall, handsome young fellow dressed in a khaki suit.

"Not if you run—that's it!" With one hand he swung her safely to his own strap. The other clasped her arm. What a manly, hopeful fellow he was!

"Oh, Lorna! Ginger has come back!" Down the steps Lorna rushed. She caught sight of her favorite at the hitching post, mistress with delectable eyes as she fairly flew to his side. She threw her arms around his neck, she cried over him, she laughed over him, she kissed him.

"This is Lorna's Warner, daughter, Lorna turned to face—the trooper who had assisted her at the train." "How strange!" submitted the doctory lieutenant, and smiled.

"Our Little House"
A little house, your house and mine—
Low-hanging eaves, close-closing vine,
And flowers—
One little door to open wide,
Enough for two to pass inside,
Just me—and you.

MUTTON AND WOOL VALUABLE TO ARMY
Raising of Sheep Strongly Advocated by Expert in Textiles
It is not only essential to prepare for war, but a sound economic policy for all times, that every effort be made to utilize the vast areas of grazing land in this country for the production of sheep to provide wool for clothing our soldiers, and also to provide a kind of meat that is most cleanly food and cheaper than beef.

Poppy Cultivation
The cultivation of the poppy plant is an important industry of the Orient and one which has brought excellent returns to the growers. Besides the opium extracted from the flowers an oil is obtained from the seed that is said to be superior to Russian sunflower oil and even to English and American cottonseed oil.

Iron Ore Deposits
Vast iron ore deposits extending far under the ocean have been found in Newfoundland. On Belle Isle one operating company has driven out under the water to a distance of fully four miles, and a thousand feet from the ocean's floor has been rewarded by securing a superior grade of iron.

Seagulls as Prophets
Seagulls are undoubtedly weather prophets. Dwellers on the coast have noticed that when certain winds begin to blow the gulls collect in large flocks and fly to the fields or circle high over the land, screaming all the while uneasily. After such demonstrations it is said that a rainstorm is certain to follow.

Edible Horse Chestnuts
Certain chemists are endeavoring to adapt the horse chestnut to the human dietary. The nuts are more than half starch and sugar, with some protein and fat, and are nutritious. Their value chiefly depends on the elimination of the bitter elements and the irritating saponin-like glucosides.

WELL-DRESSED GIRL'S DIARY

By LUCREZIA BORI

THE person who said "Well begun is half done" was all wrong. This was the emphatic statement of Drew Fielding when I appeared in answer to her note delivered by her small brother.

"I started this sport dress day before yesterday. I went along swimming, up to a certain point. Then everything seemed to go wrong. I've tried my level best to discover just what the trouble is, but every time I try to improve on the line of the skirt or the fit of the blouse I make them look worse."

"I also found that Drew is not a good sewer," I said. "The hem at the lower edge of the blouse was very dreadful looking, and had to be ripped out and done over."

When the last wrinkle was ironed out of the blouse we surveyed the sport dress with forgiving pride. It was "without a flaw." "Thanks, a whole lot of times, for helping me out of my troubles, Robin. I'll do you a good turn some day for it," Drew said.

One pathway where red rose blow,
One window where you'd sit and sew
One open fire, one vacant seat
Keep just for me, beside you, sweet,
Where none could see.

Stop Itching
Salt and water, warm, will stop chills, blains from itching.

For the invalid as well as those in perfect health Baker's Cocoa is an ideal food beverage, pure, delicious and wholesome.

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WHAT THE ORIENT HAS TO OFFER BEAUTY SEEKERS

By LUCREZIA BORI

THE vogue for all things Oriental seems to predominate at present. The interior decorator sings the praises of Chinese furniture, the dressmaker rhodomizes over Japanese and Persian silks, while the milliner pronounces the Chinese mandarin and coolie hats the smartest in her shop.

After the hot face bath the Japanese beauty applies the following astringent lotion to her skin:
Almond milk (thick) 1/4 ounce
Alum (powdered) 7/8 grains
Rosewater 1/2 ounce

UNCLE SAM HOLDS FORT AT THE EVENING LEDGER
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Recruiting chiefs of all branches of the national service—army, navy and marine corps—arranged with the EVENING LEDGER to occupy space in the EVENING LEDGER offices today.

THE MUSICAL GLASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK
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EVERYTHING MILADY MAY DESIRE ON VIEW IN HANDSOMELY APPOINTED BUILDING

Flowers, palms and wondrous onlookers were the features of the opening of the Englander Store, the new seven-story women's specialty shop that opened its doors to the public for the first time today.

A survey of the opening predicts that the policy of the management, which announces itself as aiming to prove up-to-the-minute durability consistent with popular prices has been realized. The accomplishment of this striking of the average in price and the supreme in value is due, according to Max Epstein, the efficiency of the buying organization, which is represented in Europe, Japan and virtually in every accessible country in the world.

The Englander Store is a result of the amalgamated partnership of Lewis Englander and Samuel and Max Epstein. It is furnished throughout in mahogany casings and ivory, and is equipped entirely with indirect lighting.

To make a fowl of doubtful age tender add a teaspoonful of apple juice to the water in which it is boiled.

Good Plumbers
Always prefer to install Fleck Bros. Bathroom Fixtures. True, they know they are cutting off profits they otherwise would derive from future repair bills, but they also know that the lasting satisfaction rendered by every piece of plumbing bearing the Fleck Bros. trademark creates good will more valuable than immediate cash profits.

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