

COICES OF TRAVEL WHEN YOU'RE A WOMAN—WAR BOOMS JEWELRY TRADE—GOOD HEALTH

It makes us wear jewels, spring window shopping says Adornment Fortifies, Women Will Be Strong—Many Old Friends Are Seen in New Guises

It is not an influence like this that is making war affect jewelry in America, because the plunging of our home women into industry is still in very early stages. But, undoubtedly, for some reason or other, the war is having influence on jewelry here. Women are wearing more of it, and what they are wearing is showier.

There are some other interesting turns to some bits of old jewelry. There is the veil pin, for instance. One sees it now as an arrow with tiny rhinestones lighting up the tip. There is the cuffure pin that disappeared for a long, long time. Now we find it with us again, like ourselves, a little slimmer in silhouette, but a bit heavier laden with jewels. All these and more we see as we go spring window shopping in the late winter.

Another piece of jewelry that will be very much seen in the near future, our prophets tell us, is the plaque in its new guise. Some five years ago when this ornament enjoyed a good bit of vogue it came in a flat shape. Now it is curved. Some will herald the return of this neck fixing with

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Letters and questions submitted to this department must be written on one side of the paper only and should be addressed to the editor. It is understood that the editor does not necessarily endorse the sentiments expressed. All correspondence should be addressed as follows: THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE, Evening Public Ledger, Philadelphia, Pa.

TODAY'S INQUIRIES
1. What is a shepherd's plea?
2. When sewing on heavy material that is not to make the needles break, how can the material be treated to prevent this?

ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S INQUIRIES
1. Send to the United States Department of Agriculture the names of the plants you desire for planting war gardens. Ask for Farmers' Bulletin 818.

2. To coddle eggs, let them stand in a steaming of boiling water for six or seven minutes after the gas has been removed from the fire. The white part of a coddled egg is soft and easier to digest than the white of a boiled egg.

3. If green peppers are sliced when they are being stuffed, they will not turn brown in the oven.

A Record Family
Dear Madam—I am sorry for the wives who have trouble about their husbands. I am happy to say I do not have, and we are very, very little and try to do the best we can. My husband is very happy when he comes home and finds me with a good dinner and a good fire.

1. Tell Your Dilemma to Parents
Dear Madam—I am a fellow of eighteen years of age. I am a member of the Red Cross and I am very busy. I am a member of the Red Cross and I am very busy.

2. Credit is Due to Readers
Dear Madam—Will you please send me the address of the mother of Mrs. D. I wish to know her name and address. I wish to know her name and address.

3. Kid Glove Vests
Dear Madam—Will you please send me the address of the mother of Mrs. D. I wish to know her name and address. I wish to know her name and address.

4. Lucky Months
Dear Madam—Will you please send me the address of the mother of Mrs. D. I wish to know her name and address. I wish to know her name and address.

5. Recital of Children's Songs
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6. Vaccination Against Typhoid
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7. Varicella
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8. Questions and Answers
Dear Madam—Will you please send me the address of the mother of Mrs. D. I wish to know her name and address. I wish to know her name and address.

9. In the Moment's Modes
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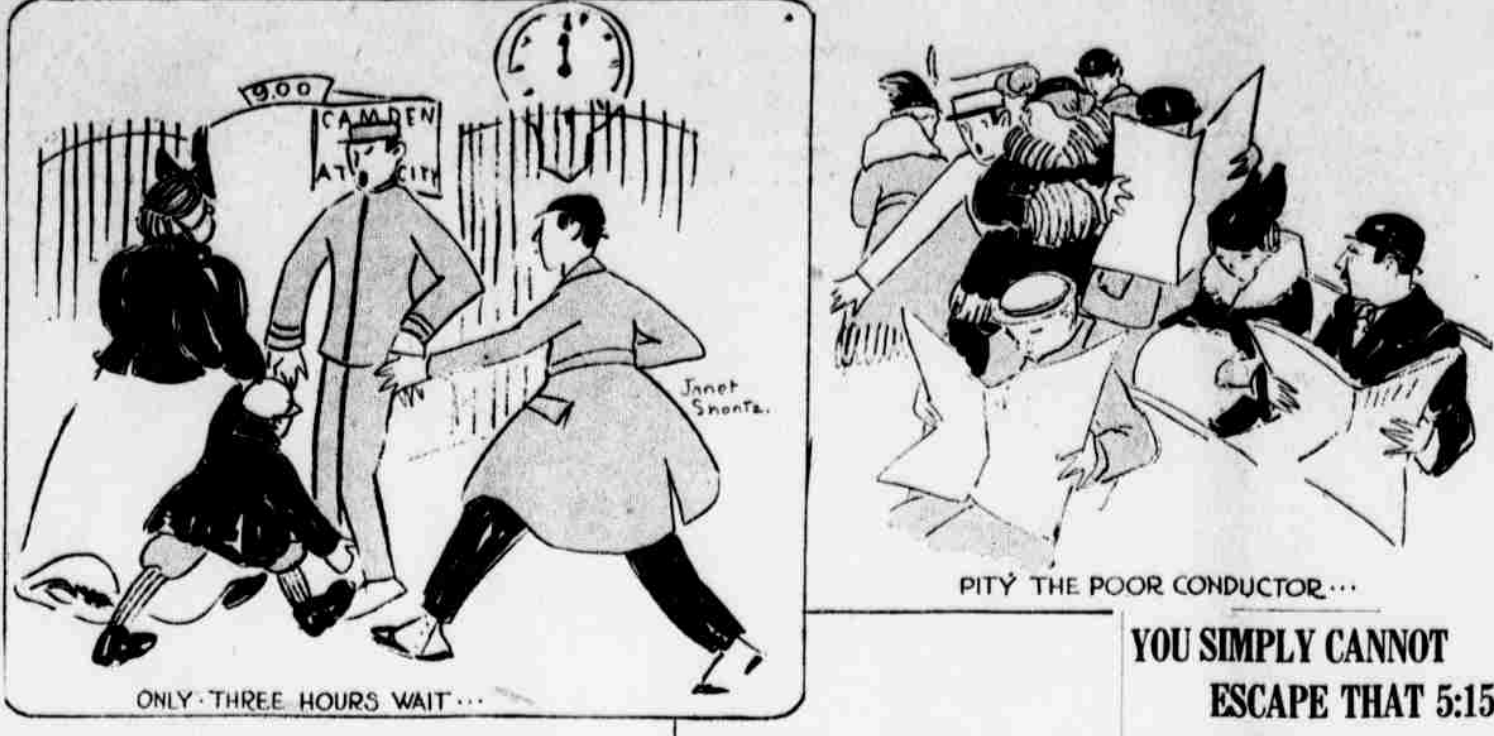
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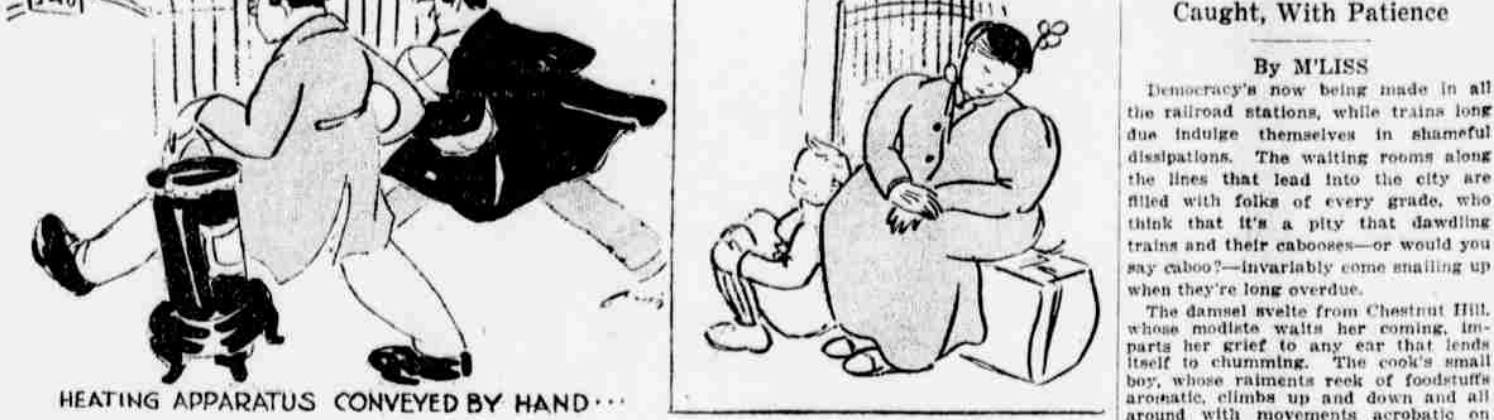
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THE AIR 'ROUND RAILROAD STATIONS THESE DAYS IS ALWAYS BLUE, 'TIS SAID



PITY THE POOR CONDUCTOR... YOU SIMPLY CANNOT ESCAPE THAT 5:15



Editorials for Women by Women

CONCENTRATION THROUGH EXISTING ORGANIZATIONS
By DR. ANNA H. SHAW
Chairman Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense

May I call your attention to the fundamental purpose for which the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense was appointed, namely, to serve as a clearing house for all woman's war work and to coordinate all organizations of women; to prevent duplication, overlapping and unnecessary work, and to initiate new activities as the needs arise?

Wherever the State Division of the Woman's Committee has organized according to the methods of the Woman's Committee, and where the departments of work have been adopted and followed as suggested by the Woman's Committee and approved by the Council of National Defense, splendid results have been obtained, with constantly increased co-operation between the State divisions and the State Councils of Defense.

Unfortunately, however, there is an ever-increasing tendency on the part of women as well as men to organize new and wholly unnecessary societies with very attractive names, the result of which will greatly interfere with real work, and in many instances has already confused the public mind, which is even now too much disturbed over the multiplicity of organizations, committees, etc.

This tendency to multiply organization is frequently due to the fact that all the people are thinking, and thinking hard, with a patriotic desire to be helpful and to bring to the service of the Government every new idea which occurs to them. Instantly they undertake to organize for that purpose, without waiting to inform themselves as to whether an existing society is not better prepared for the work or if the idea is a good one.

No plan has yet been brought to the attention of the Woman's Committee which cannot be better carried forward by some existing department of the Woman's Committee than by a distinct and separate organization having no Government authority.

The passion for forming new societies tends to weaken and scatter our efforts. We need to concentrate and direct our energies upon the work immediately in hand, and as fast as the exigencies of the war demands the Woman's Committee will endeavor to meet the needs of the hour through existing channels rather than by creating new machinery.

As chairman of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense I earnestly advise you to discourage the creation of new organizations in your State. This advice is based not alone upon observation and experience, but upon instructions given us at the time of the appointment of the Woman's Committee by the Council of National Defense, and these instructions were to the effect that we were not to create new machinery but through the Woman's Committee initiate new work when the requirements of the Government demanded it.

The Woman's Committee program includes all kinds of war work for the defense of the nation of which women are capable. A multiplicity of societies only creates confusion, expense, waste of time and energy in useless organizations, committees, conventions, etc., when every earnest woman's time is needed for real work. No right-thinking woman who is keeping in touch with the world's activities of war today can fall to realize that this is no time for useless or sentimental effort.

Our country needs workers, real workers, ready and willing to engage in active service, and every able-bodied woman should either be engaged in some useful work today or preparing to fill the place of some man who will be called in the next roll of the selective draft.

Therefore I urge upon women everywhere to discourage multiplicity of organizations and to encourage the training of healthy young women for their country's service under the Woman's Committee. They are the nation's army of women defenders.

ANNA H. SHAW,
Chairman Woman's Committee Council of National Defense.

Presbyterians to Honor Dr. Conwell
Members of the Presbyterian Ministerial Association, which meets regularly each Monday in Westminster Hall, Westmoreland Building, will attend the special service to be held on Monday next in the Baptist Temple, Broad and Berks streets, in honor of the seventy-fifth birthday of Dr. Russell H. Conwell. The meetings in Westminster Hall will be canceled during the continuance of the national administration's "heavenly" program.

Recital of Children's Songs
At Witherspoon Hall this afternoon Miss Bertha McDonough, of Boston, and Miss Hannah Lucille Beard, of Kentucky, will be heard in a program of children's songs and stories in the young members' course of the University Extension Society. Their program will consist of songs and stories from many lands and peoples, the kind that children love. Before the recital there will be a program on the "Perfection" by courtesy of the lecturer, Dr. Alva D. Jones.

Vaccination Against Typhoid
Has the new method of vaccination against typhoid fever proved successful? R. T. Y. Old ulcers on various parts of the body are frequently very offensive as well as painful. To remove the odor emitted by the discharges apply cloth wet with Dakin's solution. Alternate hot and cold applications by the body at each day hasten the healing of chronic ulcers.

Hours of Sleep
How many hours of sleep are required for the average adult? MISS MARTIN. A very few persons may be able to get along fairly well with six hours, but eight hours of complete rest in bed are required by the average person. Many persons who have a predisposition to neurasthenia require an hour or two more. Few persons are able to work continuously for any length of time with less than six hours' sleep.

Varicella
Can varicella be cured by remedies? SUBSCRIBER. Varicella is curable by a slight operation. Radical relief cannot be obtained in any other way.

IN THE MOMENT'S MODES
Sport Suit of Fawn-Color Moon-Glo Crepe



POET MASEFIELD, TAGGED, FINDS AMERICA HALF AWAKE

Ex-Server of Strong Drink, Now Master of Strong Verse, Sees Country Enthusiastic, but Without Deep Realization of War—He Paints Verbal Canvas

By M'LISS
ONCE he came, a penniless sailor-lad, and America was none too good to him. We let him work in a bar in the day and grope, half-starved, at night for the education that he eventually got by the candlelight in his garret. We called him "Macey" then.

More than twenty years afterward—that was two years ago—John Masefield had come direct from the dugouts where Hale's men are entrenched. He's the official historian of the Somme and the Byre Street necessities and Masefield had been stirred by those who wished to hear and see him.

Well, he's here again, Masefield is, and this time a little identification tag hangs from his wrist. But that's for the Boche. Masefield has come direct from the dugouts where Hale's men are entrenched. He's the official historian of the Somme and the Byre Street necessities and Masefield had been stirred by those who wished to hear and see him.

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