# AGE OF TIMELY NEWS AND INTERESTS PERTAINING TO WOMEN—WHAT FASHION SAYS—RECIPES

## ETTING IN THE FAMILY CIRCLE, AS VIEWED BY AN ARMY OFFICER

He Wrote From France to a Girl About This and She Immediately Turned Her Attention to Thrift Stamps

SOME buy thrift stamps to watch the pennies grow. I know a young the pennies grow. I know a young And so she decided to buy them. an who buys them because she resived the following letter from a LIBERTY BONDS present one way of Inited States army officer in France: Lighting in the family circle—in "I have just finished reading about the Tuscania," he wrote, "the transport that was sunk off the Irish coast with great loss of life. That seems to be the disaster that was to make imerica realize that it was her own tar, not an impersonal war. Not bat America isn't preparing to do yonders. But the people themselves till begin to realize that it isn't a nestion of doing your bit but of doing our all. It ought to get hold of some cople who have been outside the unity circle before.

Lighting in the family circle—in the warm, friendly circle where every one sits bent on helping to win the war. But you can't go and buy a Liberty Bond with every stray quarter. You can, however, buy a thrift stamp. And once a thrift stamp is bought it has the magical little way of calling for another.

It helps to know how really effectively one can line up with the boys when you realize the following facts:

Twenty-five cents—a single thrift stamp—will buy a tent pole or five

ople who have been outside the mily circle before. "This Tuscania affair may not make empty chair at their own table, but may make them understand what means to somebody else. They'l op thinking of war as a business

dwei I admire a woman for what she
, and a man for what he isn't.
All women are convinced that all
nen are terrible, except possibly one.
It is a simple matter to be neutral if
you don't know the nationality of any

After you find the first gray hairs you begin to think that powdered hair was not such a foolish custom after all.

About the time a man ought to quit wearing red ties he begins to wear

mome nations and all women begin tilities without declaring war. lose all interest in a book as soon somebody tells me it will improve mind.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### Women Engineers

Engineering is the profession in nich women have been least apt to roll. The war, however, is gradually dding place for them in this. Kansas, king forward to the time when there

TODAY'S INQUIRIES

1. Name the principal animal and vegetable

1. What is apoon bread?

5. What is the average length of time taken to cook cereals in a fireless cooker?

6. In the first election in which New York wearen were prolineed to exercise their centage of those registered grasped the opportunity to yote?

The well-known one of American American

5. What well-known young American actress recently went overseas to make a tour of all the heapitals in France to amuse wounded solders?

6. It necessary to send a "bread-anti-but-to-present" to one's hostess after a short visit?

And Still They Come

A Sauerkraut Supper

Potato Sausages

Editor of Woman's Page:

stamp—will buy a tent pole or five tent pins, a waist belt or hat cord, shoe laces and identification tags (don't forget the Tuscania's unidentian empty chair at their own table, but it may make them understand what it means to somebody else. They'll stop thinking of war as a business proposition.

"Enough in this vein. Excuse it—but we sometimes get lonesome and lone-someness breeds bitterness against those who aren't with us or even sgainst us."

OUTSIDE the family circle! That's the thing that hit home in the officer wrote this letter to the girl who decided to buy war thrift stamps, he didn't have anything concrete in mind. I am sure. But it set the girl to thinking. Here she was writing to this man, sending him an occasional box of cigarettes, but what was she doing to show she was really in the family circle? She had bought two Liberty Bonds without having to stint herself. But what personal sacrifice had she made to prove she was strong behind that boy on the other side of the water? Life seemed to be going on more or less the same. Food was plentiful, money

Baptists were exhorted to "go over the top" and raise \$50,000 next week as this city's share of the national million-dollar campaign at a dinner of the Baptist Social Union in Luiu Lu Temple. The \$1,000,000 will be raised by Baptist laymen to meet the advanced cos of conducting Baptist missionary and educational work and caring for aged ministers and their dependents. George Estabrook and John W. Levering made a plea for the \$50,000 fund. and on Mr. Estabrook's motion the mem-bers determined to put all their energies into the money-raising campaign.

Bridgeton May Buy Light Plant Bridgeton, N. J., March 22.—Bridgeton the near future may own and oper-Inding place for them in this. Kansas, looking forward to the time when there is a serious shortage of men engineers, has enrolled 150 women in the electrical engineering courses included in the curriculum of her State Agricultural College. And from across the water comes the word that women are winning degrees as civil engineers in the Technical Institute at Rome.

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE



Dress oxford or half shoe.

Courtesy of A. H. Geuting Comparent leather pump, with popular springtime perforations.

Military oxford, with the popular military heel.

White buckskin oxford, with military tendencies.

### LOWLY SHOE HAS HIGH PLACE IN EASTER FASHION CATEGORY

Footwear Vies With Springtime Millinery-War's The recipe for any dish mentioned gere will be forwarded upon receipt of elf-addressed stamped envelope. Tones Reflected in Colors, Shapes and

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Eat Potatoes and

White shoes occupy not a small place in this year's shoe calculations. They are seen with the popular wing-tipped perforations that form in themselves a feature of the apringtime. Perforation, it seems, has been used this season to delineate every graceful line that ever went into the make-up of a shoe.

On the whole, a casual observer might say, shoe manufacturers put their heads together this season to combine the utilitarian with the beautiful. Looking in a shoe-shop window this season can

Then out of the ranks a comrade fell—
"Yesterday—'twas a splinter of shell—
And he whispered thy name, did thy
poor Michel.
Dying for France." in a shoe-shop window this season can never make a woman feel out of things. There will be at least one model that will awaken an answering thought and make her hie in to buy while the buy-As she lifted her boy to the flag, and sobbed:
"Vice la France!"

### NEW SERVICE UNIFORM FOR CANTEEN WORKERS

Government Prescribes Blue and Gray for Y. M. C. A. Women in Time for Easter

Fashion Says

Onite the quaintest thing for wear with the Eton suit is the blouse with pleated ruffles at neck and sleeve in-stead of the conventional collar and

### **BOSTON BACKWARD** IN CLOTHING DRIVE

Red Cross Appeals for Immediate Response to Meet

Quota of 5000 Tons

Bosten, March 22.

Boston did not respond very generously yesterday in the first day of the drive by Boston Metropolitan Chapter of the American Red Cross for 336 tons of good, used and surplus clothing. Boston's allotment of the 5000 tons which the American Red Cross has pledged itself to raise in the week prior to Mather Prevents Daughter's Spilet. itself to raise in the week prior to March 25.

"The early response has been light," said Frederick Winsor, director of the campaign, "and I feel that it is purely because the people of Greater Boston do not realize the urgent necessity of early contributions. Many look ahead to eight days of collections, and feel that they days of collections, and feel that they may take their time in getting their supplies together and sending them to headquarters. While, of course, we shall need the supplies late in the drive, the supply also must come early—right off, tomorrow, and it must keep on coming in a constantly ancreasing stream through the rest of the week, or no amount of workers will be able to accomplish the great work of sorting, fold-"If I have but one prayer, dear, crucified

Fighting for France. She offered her prayer by the cradle-side,

Christ-save France!

love's face, Save him for France!"

For, 'Rather than gold, would I give.'

Little pigeon of France!

Heaven was made," said Franceline, "Heaven and France,"

And she held high her boy like a taper flame Burning for France. Fresh from the trenches and gray with Silent they march like a pantomime;

"But what need of music? My heart 

His regiment comes. Oh, then, where

is he?
"There is dust in my eyes, for I cannot

Is that my Michel to the right of thee, Soldier of France?"

The tread of the troops on the parement

Like a woman's heart of its last joy

-Charlotte Holmes Crawford, Scribner's

Family Gets \$24,000 Estate

Your Blouse

Is Here at

\$3 and \$5

'A son to France.'

amount of workers will be able to accomplish the great work of sorting, folding, packing and shipping in time.

"Even with the supplies coming in rapidly, it is a matter of packing at least one of the great wooden cases each minute through an eight-hour day for the rest of the drive, if Greater Boston is to send its quota on time. Boston isn't in the habit of falling down in relief work, and I am confident that as soon as the urgency of the matter is realized the supplies will begin to pour in." "But if I have two, then, by Mary's grace. Carry me safe to the meeting-place. Let me look once again on my dear Little three-months-old, to set eyes on pour in."

Slipper Leggings

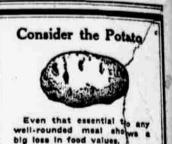
Slipper Leggings

A new novelty in knitted goods is a legging for evening use. Many a girl has regretted when she slips into her thin silk stockings and dainty slippers for the dance that they are not warmer for the inevitable period of chill that must proceed and follow her on her way to and from her destination. Rubbers are too clumsy in appearance, but this knitted legging fits right into the need. It is of white or colored material, reaching well up the thigh, with a piece of light leather half-soling for the tip. As this is to be worn with high heels, there is a T-shaped opening at the heel, about two inches across and two and one-half inches deep, that permits the rounded end of the heel to protrude when the legging is on. Leggings of this kind can be easily made from an ordinary pattern, allowing for the half-gole and opening at the heel. "Come, now, be good, little stray sauwe're going by-by to thy papa Michel. But I'll not say where, for fear thou "Six days' leave and a year between! But what would you have? In six days She came to the town of the nameless To the marching troops in the street she

Did You Register

Those Pounds of Flour?

Mrs. Elsie Pope, twenty-seven year old, Fifty-eighth and Ellsworth street attempted suicide, the police say, by inhaling gas early today. She was found by her mother unconscious, with gas tube in her mouth. Physicians at the University Hospital all said she would recover.

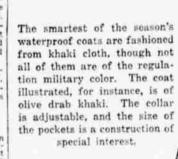


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Across the sky.
In the light of the dawn
When the shadows fly.
Is the hope of my heart,
As it vises high.
And soars on white wings

That are . ronger than L.

Resping

In the still starlight,
Is the hope of my heart,
As on wings of while
It sings as the hird
With its home in sight,
Cinra Savage, in Good House-

Tomorrow's War Menu

Letters and questions submitted to this department must be written on one side of the paper only and signed with the name of the writer. Recall queries like those given below are invited. It is understood that the citize does not necessarily indorse the sentiment expressed. All communications for this department should be addressed as follows: THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE, Evening Public Ledger, Philadelphia, Pa. To Entertain for Engaged Friend To the Editor of Woman's Page:

Dear Madam—I have enjoyed reading your column and have been helped many times by

Dear Madam—I have read quite a few letters in your column concerning women habing their hair and wish to give my reason why I favor short hair for girls and women. I think it is a very good idea, because it would be very comfortable and also save a let of time, which means much today. It is more sanitary because a girl with her hair bobbed would wash her hair more frequently than the one with long bair. It would also mean a big saving in sean, which means a saving of fats, a very important introduct at this time of the present war. I think a woman with her hair bobbed looks well, and I am very much in favor of it; that is, the style with the bangs and cut about enough just to cover the lobes of the sars. The Castle style is too severe that is, pulled back from the forebead. For a girl who works arout to say, to the wines hold the same and I want to say, it the wines hold in the sand of the same and it want to say, but the wines hold help in the propose there would be quite a few girls and women who would be willing to have their hair on the wines do the reasons. I suppose there would be quite a few girls and women who would be willing to have their hair to work for cutting the hair short. I wonder way for cutting the hair short. I wonder any flaybe some of the readers of your can decide that. Hoping you will public my reasons and opinion of women bobing their hair, one who is in favor of the same their hair, one who is in favor of the same than their and women bobing their hair one who is in favor of the same than their and their hair, one who is in favor of the same their hair, one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of the same their hair one who is in favor of PUZZLED. Since you want to give the enter-tainment for girls only, why not make it a luncheon instead of dinner? This is rather easier to serve and perhaps less expensive. Word the invitations in this wise, writing on small white notepaper. Start to write about one and one-half inches from the top of the page and leave a margin of about one-third of an inch:

Miss Mary Brown Smith requests the pleasure of Miss Jane John Jones's company at luncheon on Thursday, April the eleventh, at half after one o'clock, to meet Miss Mary Blank.

Company at unmonomental Thursder of first one of clock, to meet Miss Mary Blank.

Have a bare polished table with consumers poon on the left side. Tumbles as the pass poon of the left side. Tumbles are the corner and butter plate at the corner and butter plate at the corner and butter plate. The three courses and coffee, so start with consomme in cups, which should be breaded and have this removed, putting down a hot plate at each place. Then have limited have this removed, putting down a hot plate at each place. Then have lambe chops, which should be breaded and have little white paper ruffees around and corn muffins. And for dessert have lied corner; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course; then after that remove the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the course of the siril and her fiance. The coffee is served after lunckeon on the plates, and as the maid brings the plate in she should lift the empty one of plates, and as the maid brings the plate in the served of the course of the siril and her fiance. The coffee is served after lunckeon of the plates again, putting down one in the empty of the plates again, putting down one in the second of the plates again, putting down one in the second of the plates again, putting down one in the second of the plates again, putting down one in the second of the plates again, putting down one in the second of the plates again, putting down one in the supplemental plates again,

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS

To make delicious tea biscuits with soda crackers, spread the crackers with but-ter and cinnamon mixed with brown sugar. Place in the oven and brown delicately.

2. Scaling wax or parafin spread over the hole in a pan in which water is to be placed will mend the vessel temporarily.

3. Flour and water paste can be kept sweet if cloves are chopped line and added to it.

to it.

1. Sarah Bernhardt is now carried out to her car from the hotel in a chalr made with shafts like the old-fashioned sedan chair.

5. The Geisha girls of Japan average from thirteen to sixteen years of age.

6. Dark soap dulls light heir. A nore white soap should be used, although dark soap can be used to advantage on dark hair.

"Mandy Lee" Comes In

Dear Madam—At E. P.'s request for the muthern darky some, am glad I can send it n and would like to set a favor in return. Jan somebody furnish the words at the noem entitled: St. Peter stood guard at the golden gate. gate. With selemn mich and an air sedate.

MANDY LEE Many years ago today was weekling bells were ringing gay. Down the size I proudly walked with Mandy Lee.

A we stood together there.
A little sunbeam kissed her hair.
Seemed as though it loved her, too, the same as I.

I believe these are the first couple of lines,

To the Editor of Woman's Page:

Norristown, Pa., March 22.—George K Eckstein, of Noble, divides an estate of \$24,000 among a brother, sister and nices with the exception of \$1000 which he leaves absolutely to a friend. which he leaves absolutely to a friend, George F. Jones, in consideration of "many services rendered." His brother, Dr. Henry Clay Eckstein, who is in the United States navy, is given the income from \$2500.

Time for Easter

There are Easter fashlons for the warwork girl too, you know? And when linete Sam's soldiers over in France approach any one of the many, many cantens now operated over there by the Y. M. C. A. they are going to feel very much at home. The Easter outfit for young women who hand out smiles and coffee is as follows:

One gray whipcord skirt and coat, a blue or gray hat, a shirtwaist, white or blue flannel, one blue necktie, one blue woolen muffler, a canteen overall apron and a little cap for emergency.

Prosalcally speaking, this outfit, which is due to arrive generally about Eastertime, is the official new uniform adopted by the hundreds of young girls and women who have enrolled in the Y. M. C. A. canteen service abroad.

General Pershing has ordered the entire canteen service work for the army in France to be taken over by the Y. M. C. A. canteen service work for the army in France to be taken over by the Y. M. C. A. Before long hundreds of new canteens will be opened there and scores of American women will be employed in this voluntary war service.

The women canteen workers pay their own expenses, receive no wages and are forced by the exigencies of the war to dispense with many of the simplest comforts of life in order to serve the men in the army.

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