

THE IDEALS OF MANHOOD ARE SET BY OUR SOLDIERS—IN THE SHOPS—READERS' LETTERS

GENTLENESS IS A MANLY VIRTUE, SAYS THE SOLDIER

And Sympathy, Its Twin, Indicates High Manhood—Home Men Might Learn Lessons From the Boy in Khaki Who Bought a Dolly for a Child in France

WARTIME has brought us a queerly satisfying paradox—the man who is as gentle as a woman, among other words, the soldier. Among the pictures coming to us from the great war are not the least those that tell us the big, brown American soldiers and the little French children.

SYMPATHY you might call this quality that enables the soldier to get inside the heart of the little chap who would like to try on his hat. Sympathy! It seems it is a lesser lesson all men might learn from our fighting men, that to be gentle is to be the highest type of man.

Perhaps a girl does not realize it but it is the sympathetic man she loves best. Take, for example, those who have no delusions, thinking it over beforehand the girl herself did not understand.

Please Tell Me What to Do

The Girl Who Is Forgotten Dear Cynthia—With reference to the American girl who forgoes may I say a word or two? I have read with considerable interest the various letters published in your column on the above subject and thought my story might add a few more to the list.

Forget Them Both Dear Cynthia—As a daily reader of your column I now venture to ask your advice. I have known a girl for the last five years and I love her dearly. I never want to let her go, but she has a very good reason for wanting to leave me.

Adventures With a Purse

THERE are many times when we would love to send a box to a soldier, but perhaps we do not know just what to put in it, or we haven't a box just the right size, or we don't know just right, whereas if we could get a really worth-while box already packed which an obliging shopkeeper would send for us—well, that would be very different.

Cereal With Figs

It's not very logical to save wheat and save fat and never waste sugar if you are going to burn coal or gas unnecessarily. Fireless cookers save fuel. Coal is vitally necessary to the winning of the war.

Cuticura Helps Burning Smarting Skin Troubles

For the names of shops where articles mentioned in "Adventures With a Purse" can be purchased, address Editor of Woman's Page, Evening Public Ledger, or phone the Woman's Department, Walnut 3666.

USED RESINOL FOR BAD SKIN TROUBLE

Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 14.—"For almost six years I suffered from a severe case of skin trouble which began with swelling and intense pain in my knee. Then my leg became inflamed and sore broke out, which itched and burned terribly day and night. I tried many remedies but which, for one reason or another, I never spent six months in the hospital, and the doctors wanted to amputate my leg. At last I tried Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap and obtained relief from the first application. My knee is now well, and I consider the cure remarkable, as my trouble was very serious." (Signed) Mrs. Hansi Mauer, 418 Hoopes Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHILDREN REQUIRE WHOLESOME LUNCHES

Suggestions for Packing the Box With Food That Is Nourishing

The proper food for children is on the minds of American mothers this year as it never has been before. The need to make the next generation vigorous has made a deep impression on the country.

The United States food administration suggests these, which may in turn serve to suggest other easily prepared school lunches to the busy housewife.

- Apple Cake Lettuce or Celery Sandwiches Cup Custard Jam Sandwich Baked Beans and Lettuce Sandwich Apple Sauce Maple Sugar Candy

DAILY NOVELETTE

HELEN'S HOUSEKEEPING EXPERIENCE

IT WAS a fine summer morning when Uncle Ben, accompanied by grandpa and grandpa Stevens, drove up before the Carroll home. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens had been suddenly called to the city on account of the death of a friend and while waiting there the station Uncle Ben had stopped at the home of his would keep house for him for a few days.

Fall Suppers

That little snappiness in the air makes you hungrier than you have been for months. Conserve the nonperishables still, although the weather is really the type of dress that is most frequently worn at present for evening. The exception to this rule is some very extraordinary occasion.

Garments for Refugees

To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—Will you kindly let me have a list of garments needed by the (female) refugees. I am a teacher of sewing in our public schools and would like to be sure of that kind of work with the children this winter.

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A DINNER FROCK WITH REAL BEAUTY



This is really a dream dress. It is of black lace hung over chiffon. The lace is embroidered in heavy silk floss of old blue

A Daily Fashion Talk by Florence Rose

THE shops are selling wonderful fabric and the manufacturers are making wonderful gowns of these materials. One of the dream gowns is illustrated today. This dress is dedicated to a semi-dinner occasion.

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The Woman's Exchange

TODAY'S INQUIRIES 1. Name the five lines of government work which women are best needed at the present time. 2. What is the age ruling in giving pensions to a woman? 3. What is the twentieth wedding anniversary? 4. Give a recipe for making parsley butter. 5. What pieces of kitchen ware give a cheerful touch of color to the room? 6. Name an arrangement that will bring cheer and efficiency to the kitchen.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS 1. The Government is building barracks in Washington to house hundreds of the war workers daily flooding into the city from all parts of the country. 2. The Bureau of War Reliefs has Miss Connelley Vanderbilf before her marriage. 3. The collarless necktie now becomes popular with a little stand-up fold in the front. 4. Grapes make a delicious sweet salad. Add lettuce, cucumber, pineapple, apple and nuts. A cream dressing sweetened with honey is needed. 5. In preparing apple dumplings take them in muffin tins. Line the tin with butter, fill with sliced or whole apples, sweetened, a tablespoonful of raisins, and a little nutmeg. Bake in plus pastry over top or twist. 6. Rice pears peeled and cut in half make two layers of them in whipped cream filling.

Wants Reading Course

To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—I came to you in my need. I am eighteen years old and fairly well educated. I graduated from grammar school I took up a stenographic course at a business college. I am employed as a stenographer for two years. Now the doctor has said that I have quite a period of rest before me. I would like to take a course of reading for me that would be of some use to me. I shall be very grateful for any assistance you may lend me in this matter.

Canning Beef and Chicken

To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—Will you kindly print recipes for canning beef and chicken. (Mrs.) C. J. W.

Poultry and Game Birds—Kill fowl and draw at once. Wash carefully and until meat can be removed from bones. Remove from boiling liquid and remove from heat. Pack closely into sterilized jars. Fill jars with hot liquid after it has been concentrated one-half. Seal into convenient sections. Put rubbers and caps of jars into position—no tight. Sterilize in a wash boiler of hot water and boil for three hours. Remove jars, tighten covers, invert to cool and test joints. Wrap jars with paper.

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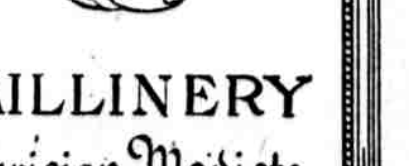
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A Maid and Two Men

The Story of the Girl Who Was Left Behind

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THE STORY THIS FAR Ruth Rowland, New York society girl, is loved by Jack Bond and Scott Raymond. Both boys are drafted. Ruth is in a quandary. She is torn between the two. After the marriage of Helen Brander she begins to doubt the wisdom of her choice. She is torn between the two. She is torn between the two.

SCOTT had fallen between two other dead bodies who lay with sightless eyes turned up to the skies. It was probably this fact that saved him, although only Providence itself saved him from a bayonet stab. Barney, the little Irishman with the sunny smile and the strange philosophy of life, had been nearest Scott when the alarm was first given, and, as though directed by fate itself, Barney distracted the attention of the Germans from Scott by stumbling and falling at the same time.

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Toward evening Billy woke from his sleep. For the first time the significance of Scott's failure to show up that morning and the ominous shots struck him with their full force. Men in the trenches or near the firing lines have little chance of escape. The men who were at death before it comes recent it the hardest.

Scott was terribly wounded. His leg wound, which had bled profusely, was not serious, save that he had lost a great deal of blood from it, but the wound in his back had almost done for him. He struggled into consciousness just before dawn, suffering agonies of pain. He tried several times to reach his water bottle, but his efforts were

fruitless until he had tried for nearly half an hour. He could hardly move his arms at all, and the effort to obtain the drink was too much for him. He relapsed into unconsciousness.

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two of them were missing, and the first two of the small company who had as yet escaped. Out on the battlefield the same soft shades began to veil the ugly outlines, night would soon spread a soft, dusky blanket over everything, the men ate their suppers almost in silence, only an occasional word breaking in from some one who asked a question or answered one. Billy dreaded the any conversation that he had with the others and munched his food gloomily enough, remembering with a sickening sensation of loss the jokes Barney had made over the jam he had spread so lavishly over his bread.

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