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### The Woman Who Holds Him Back.

By RUTH CAMERON.



There is a certain class of women whose hold on happiness cannot be understood. I refer to the women who are trying to hold their husbands back from service.

We were talking the other day of a young man who is trying to get exemption from the draft.

He is a perfectly healthy man with no children and with a wife who was self supporting before her marriage and is quite capable of being so again. He is in a business which is classed as necessary but unquestionably an older man could take his place there.

"It doesn't seem like Eric to try to get out of going," said someone.

"She'd do anything on Earth To Keep Him Home."

"I don't think Eric would try to get out of going if he were left to himself," said that member of the group who is probably closest to him. "It's his wife's doing. She's terribly against his going. She told my wife that she'd do anything on earth to keep him."

Tell me, how can women like that have a moment's peace or happiness? How can they pick up the newspapers or magazines, how can they go into a street car, meet a friend, go to church, in short do anything without having the thought of the war brought home to them? And how can they think of the war without being overwhelmed with guilt and shame that they are responsible for making their husbands push off their share of this terrible obligation onto the shoulders of others.

Some Other Mother's Son Is To Be The Soldier.

When people were singing that sickening song, "I didn't raise my son to be a soldier, I brought him up to be my pride and joy," I always added to my mind, "while some other woman's son defended him."

No woman wants her husband to go to war. The knife is in the heart of every one of us when we merely think of it, and the sunshine goes blankly out of the day when the time comes. But in these days what we want is

supremely unimportant. What we must do is the main fact.

As Indestructible as Matter.

We want happiness, we want the calm prosperous times that we appreciated so little while we had them, we want above all things our family circle unbroken. But many of us can't have that and honor too. You can't destroy that fact any more than you can destroy matter.

And there is another aspect to this case. What will the men who let themselves be influenced in this matter by their wives say and think after it is all over and they are the ones who stayed at home? Will they say "I shouldn't have been influenced. It was my fault." Somehow that doesn't sound to me just like a masculine reaction.

Lachute, Que., 25 Sept., 1908. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—Even since coming home from the Boer War I have been bothered with running fever sores on my legs. I tried many salves and ointments; also doctored continuously for the blood, but got no permanent relief, till last winter when my mother got me to try MINARD'S LINIMENT.

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Yours gratefully,

JOHN WALSH.

### Household Notes.

Always store milk, butter and water bottles below the ice in a refrigerator.

A good salad is made with cold tongue, potato and creamed horseradish.

Lemonade spiced with allspice, cloves and cinnamon, is an agreeable change.

When drying fruits in a gas oven, an oven thermometer is an absolute necessity.

Nutritious frozen desserts should be counted as part of a meal; not as a luxury.

Children's one-piece dresses can be cut up into middies for common or camp use.

Nobody can afford to do without eating abundance of vegetables every day.

Most dried vegetables will need to be soaked in cold water overnight before using.

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ALONG THE PATHS OF GLORY.

Along the paths of glory there are faces new to-day.

There are youthful hearts and sturdy that have found the eastward way.

From the rugged roads of duty they have turned without a sigh To mingle with their brothers who were not afraid to die.

And they're looking back and smiling at the loved ones left behind.

With the Old Flag flying o'er them, and they're calling "Never mind."

"Never mind, oh gentle mothers, that we shall not come again; Never mind the years of absence, never mind the days of pain, For we've found the path of glory where the flag of freedom flies."

And we've learned the things we've died for are the truths that never die.

Now there's never hurt can harm us, and the years will never fade. The memory of the soldiers of the legions unafraid.

Along the paths of glory there are faces new to-day.

They march along the way. For the world is safe from hatred; men shall know it at its best. By the sacrifice and courage of the boys who go to rest.

Now they've claimed eternal splendor and they've won eternal youth. And they've joined the gallant legions of the men who served the truth.

Household Notes.

Frozen custard with apple sauce in it is a pleasant change when apples are available.

Whipped cream mayonnaise is intended to be used on all sweet salads such as fruit.

Excellent apple ice can be made of tart old apples, flavored with a little lemon juice.

Curry powder or horse radish may be used to vary the flavor of a French dressing.

### Milady's Boudoir.

LUXURIES OF MILADY'S BATH.

Every woman may add certain so-called luxuries to her bath at trifling expense. Soaps are too drying, in many cases and are responsible for a distressing shine to the skin for others and even the best toilet soaps affect some skins in this manner: Bags filled with bran, orris root and almond meal cleanse and beautify the skin. They remove roughness and refine the texture.

Cheese cloth bags, about five or six inches square, are made and filled according to directions. Here is a good formula: One half a pound of oatmeal, four ounces of powdered orris root, five ounces of prepared almond meal, and one-fourth of a pound of olive oil soap dirt, scraped or shaved. Two ounces of orris root to a pound of bran is sufficient for a simple combination.

Another formula contains oatmeal, powdered orris root, almond meal and powdered Castile soap.

Not many women think of a bath as a means of concouring unstrung nerves but there are a number of excellent baths for just this purpose. A simple one includes: two ounces of tincture of camphor, one ounce of benzoin and four ounces of rectified spirits. Mix thorough pour into the bath sufficient to make the water milky and have a slight fragrance.

Soap of an excellent quality may be used in this, or just step into your bath, remaining there for fifteen minutes, frequently sponging the parts of the body above water, the face, neck, shoulders and arms.

All baths should be taken slowly, relaxing the nerves and muscles and giving oneself up to the enjoyment of the hour. After the usual bath draw a little water in the tub and add a little liquid to sponge the body thoroughly. The alternative to this is to use the atomizer in spraying. Avoid heavy perfume, and should you have any too strong, dilute with a little alcohol.

WORDS AND COIN.

If words would sweat the raging foe, and lay a swath of Tenthons low, the war would end, and countless lads would elude the stuffing from the war lord's tent, and put his hosts to flight.

We've countless gent's who spend their days inventing epigram and phrase, and hard boiled metaphor; the way they roast the Hun is great, and ought to jar that Wilhelm skate—but words won't win the war. The gent who buys some green thrift stamps brings terror to the Prussian camps, far more than windy sharks, who keep their kopecks in their pance, but stand erect at every chance, to make a few remarks. Dig up, dig up, before you sleep! Dig up the bone, the stick, the wheel, the kroner and the yen! Go down in your tin savings bank, dig up the shilling and the franc, dig up the iron men! When you have stripped the strongbox bare, then you may stand and paw the air until the cows come home; but talk that isn't backed by wealth won't interrupt a Teuton's health, or clear his created dome. September comes—another "Loan" will call for every hard earned bone that patriots can raise; and he who buys himself a bond does more to help our boys beyond, than all the screeching jays.

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### Life-Saving a Crime.

The weird and wonderful laws of Germany, which render the simple civilian's life a misery, have often been dilated on, but the most amazing of all punishments inflicted by the authorities of the Fatherland only recently came to light.

This dire offence was committed in a town in Alsace, where a schoolmaster, who had caught cramp while bathing, was rescued by an onlooker at the risk of his life. The German authorities decided that the rescuer had committed the unpardonable offence of bathing in a prohibited place, and fined him.

In Vienna a young actress not long ago committed the crime of wearing correct uniform on the stage. For this act, which was held to degrade the dignity of the Army, she was fined a sum equal to thirty-two shillings. This

must seem strange even to the Huns, who demanded that, when a uniform is worn on the stage, it should be correct to a button.

A more justifiable punishment, in the opinion of many playgoers, was imposed in Greece on a lady, who had to undergo fourteen days' incarceration for obstructing the view of a guardian of the peace by wearing a matinee hat at an opera in Athens.

Strict laws have, however, their comfortable side when you are anxious to get into prison. A somewhat curious method of obtaining this end was employed by a destitute workman of Strasburg, who was desirous of finding shelter in the law.

The representatives of the law refused to oblige him to the extent he wanted, so he resorted with a volley of insulting expressions concerning the Kaiser. That did the trick, and he was rewarded with a sentence which kept him in prison till the spring.

### In Old Age

Health and comfort in old age depends largely on keeping the liver and kidneys in healthful action.

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### To-Day's Messages.

9.00 A. M.

#### HAND TO HAND ENCOUNTERS.

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES. THE VESSE, Aug. 28.—While the American troops gained ground in the vicinity of Bazoches, German forces were fighting which lasted all night, and a hold upon Fismette. There were numerous hand to hand encounters in the town. German machine gunners who had dug into the hills in line with the streets of Fismette, endeavored to shoot down the Americans when they were driven from the houses by German artillery and the bombs of enemy aviators. American patrols are now fighting for possession of Fismette, and fighting between American troops and German forces continued all night. In the region of Bazoches, to the east of Fismette, early this morning, the Americans secured a foothold on the eastern outskirts of the town. Some German soldiers and machine gunners are clinging to the northern end of Bazoches, using cellars and walls of houses for protection. American and French big guns are ranging away at the enemy and the Germans have been unable to bring reinforcements.

#### TOWARDS CHARENTON.

PARIS, To-Day. (Havas Agency).—According to advices received from the Alsace battle front this afternoon, French troops in co-operation with American forces continued to make progress northward of Soissons in the direction of Charenton.

#### MORE TOWNS TAKEN.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 28. (by the A. P.).—The British have captured the town of Croisilles, northeast of Bapaume, and obtained control of all of the village of Pelvoux. East of Arras, to the northeast, patrols have entered Remy and Nancourt, while southeast of Peronne the British have taken Tilly and Maincourt.

#### ENEMY IN DISORDER.

PARIS, Aug. 28. In the direction of Charenton the German forces have been thrown into disorder by the advance of the French troops toward the river Somme. The retreat of the enemy in the direction of the east and the northeast on the whole front held by French troops, between Chaulnes and Noyon, is being accelerated by the armies of Generals Desseynes and Lambert.

#### NO DICTATORSHIP.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28. The complete failure of the attempt of Gen. Horvath, ambassador of Austria, to establish a dictatorship in Serbia is reported in advices today from Vladivostok. Representatives of the Allies at Vladivostok are determined to uphold the authority of the Government there.

#### ITALIAN REPORT.

ROME, Aug. 28. An enemy motor boat, seen on Lake Garda, on the Trentino front, sank yesterday by Italian artillery, says the official statement issued to-day by the Italian War Office. Italian reconnoitering patrols captured prisoners in the Posina Valley in the Val di Asa. Patrols also were very active in the Grappa region where they took some prisoners and destroyed an enemy advance post. In the night of Tuesday morning Italian reconnoitering north of the main River, drove back hostile detachments and captured prisoners.

#### THE QUEEN'S THANKS.

LONDON, To-Day. Her Majesty the Queen desires to convey to all the branches of the Queen Mary's Needle Work Association, all who have in any way contributed to the "Heroes Gifts", the expression of her grateful thanks for their efforts in which they have so far made the twenty-fifth anniversary of her wedding day the occasion of a special effort on behalf of the sick and wounded. No expression of joy towards her could take a form more pleasing to Her Majesty than the mark of sympathy with the suffering in this terrible war, sympathy Great

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