

have been told that no more Four-Star Eggs would be taken in future, unless they disciplined Farmer No. 22. Now, one careless woman can injure the reputation of you all by her thoughtlessness and extravagance. Remember, therefore, when you are tempted to make extravagant use of your money, that, although the money is your own, it can be so spent as to injure the cause and all those connected with the Fund.

From all appearances we are in for a long war. Canada will have to send many more men, and the women of Canada exert a mighty influence in helping to secure them. If you, who are being helped by the Fund speak well of it to your neighbors, other women will also let their husbands go. Hence, we appeal to you to guard and defend the reputation of the Patriotic Fund. You may sometimes think that you are not getting your just due. Perhaps you are not; but still the committee in your town should be credited with endeavoring to do its best. Do not "knock" the administration and thus dry up the sources of the Fund. We shall need a large sum of money to carry us through 1916. We can only get it if we have the confidence of the public and the support of the soldiers' wives. There are many ways in which you can help. You can express your appreciation so that others may give. While your husbands are at the front helping to beat Germany, you also can bring up strong reinforcements by helping to get more men and more money.