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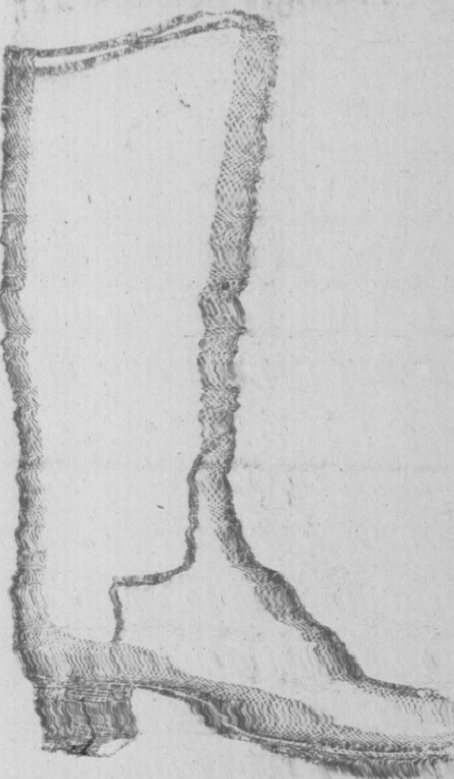
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Women and The Present War

"I do not believe that any true German mother or wife was for the war, or can be favorable to this war. Yet there comes a time when war is unavoidable—when an unwelcome war is forced upon a nation; and German women are mothers of sons who are or who have been soldiers. They knew and realized, as perhaps the women of no other country knew and realized, with the possible exception of France, what war really meant to them before it came. That they gave freely of their sons to the Fatherland when it was in danger has been shown and is being shown daily. But that they wanted war—ask any mother or German wife."

"The women of the warring countries are in rebellion against the war."
Such was the declaration of Mme. Rosicka Schwimmer, the Hungarian journalist, to a Sunday Post reporter, when she was in Boston a few days ago to seek support of her plan to end the war by sending a peace ship from the United States.
"And those women who have dared to cry out against it are filling the jails of France and Germany," she added significantly.
"They dare not refuse to do their work or bear children to restock the nation."
"Only by an underground post-office are their despairing protests reaching the neutral countries. A rigid censor blue pencils their written words on behalf of their ideals."

"Let me show you a side of the war that the censors will not let Americans see," said Mme. Schwimmer to the Post reporter.
"You have been told how the women of the belligerent states, with head high and courageous heart, gave their husbands to protect their fatherlands; how mothers and maidens unflinchingly see their sons and sweethearts go forth to death and destruction. It has been dinned in your ears that the women of Europe favored—wanted the war."
Women Breaking Their Hearts
These are deliberately designed falsehoods, the invention of the small clique of diplomats and commercial interests who desired the war.

"The women of Europe are breaking their hearts in despair because of the war. The women of royalty, the upper classes, the wives and daughters of tradesmen, clerks and peasants, are raising their voices against a further world strife."
"Preaching peace in the belligerent countries, however, is equivalent to a jail sentence. You know how the warring governments have the newspapers under their control. Expressions of private opinion is restricted just as rigidly. Every letter leaving a belligerent country is opened and read."
"Those courageous women who have been daring enough to openly declare against the continuance of the war have been thrown into prison. You never hear of their cases over here. Others less daring who have ventured their opinions in private have been warned sisters held up before them as a club."
"Don't take my word for it. Look at these letters."

Madame Schwimmer had reached into an opened trunk that was heaped high with letters, post-cards and peace propaganda. Reading she skimmed over the contents of a letter:
Appeals Have Same Keynote
All struck the same keynote of appeal.
Enough of slaughter, enough of devastation. The people must not be drained of life, they

must not bleed to death. If men kill, it is for women to fight for the preservation of life. If men are silent, it is our duty to raise our voices on behalf of our ideals.

This in part was the appeal of Kiara Zerkin, the international secretary of the socialist women at Stuttgart.

A German woman at Munich wrote:
Come together in the north and south of Europe, protest with all your might against the war, which is murdering the nations, and make preparations for peace, return to your country and perform your duty as wives and mothers, as protectors of true civilization and humanity. Strive at least to put a spoke in the bloody wheel of Time, with strength, courage and humanity worthy of your sex.

What an English woman wrote:
It feels to me as though some "Pied Piper" were alluring the youth of the world with heroic and patriotic music to destruction, and that it is little use for us to seek to hold them back until we ourselves have done our very utmost to try and stop the music.

Women Greatly Misrepresented
Continuing, Mme. Schwimmer said:
"Every effort has been made by the foreign government press bureau to misrepresent the women of the belligerent countries. Their true feelings are looking out to the neutral countries despite the censorship."

"We of the peace movement are fostering their protests. We keep in touch with the leaders by an underground post-office that defies the authorities. The women are being rendered more and more weak in their protests because the great mass of the people are not permitted to learn the true cause of the war nor know that the neutral nations desire its cessation. It is discouraging, but they will use every spark of power they have to make their protests heard. Every woman of consequence in Europe is opposed to the war and wants it stopped. One hears here that the German women are heart and soul with their idea in the war."

"This is a libel on their womanhood. Even the crown princess is with us in spirit, as is witnessed in her celebrated interview with the correspondent, von Wiegand. "Don't you think that if the crown princess should have been allowed to know that there are other means to settle international differences she would be an ardent supporter of this means?"

Royal Women Are for Peace
"Queen Mary of England has prayed for peace; so has the Queen of Holland and the Queen of Spain and other leaders of the thoughts and ideals of the women of Europe."

"My mission to America is backed by the appeal of more than 2,000,000 women of every class. "It is upon the women of America that the test of civilization lies. If they remain passive, the war will continue. Their protest will be as I have written in my peace ship plan, force the belligerent nations to show their hands. "If they refuse to mediate, their protests against being forced into the war at its beginning will be held up as mockers of peace."
"What will women do if the peace ship fails in its mission?" asked the reporter.
"Time alone can answer that question," Mme. Schwimmer replied. "But there is no hind to the possibilities of what an interna-

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Charges of Atrocities

There is abundant evidence right here in London of the appalling character of the invasion of Belgium in the early stages. Lady Lugard and other well-known persons, men and women of the highest standing forming a committee that has dealt with 200,000 Belgian refugees, possess great quantities of written and oral testimony bearing as clear and unmistakable evidence to which Belgian civilians and particularly women were subjected.

Belgian Cows Wear Ear Rings

Belgian cows all wear earrings for a law in that country requires that when one of these animals has attained the age of eight months it shall wear a numbered metal ear shall be attached to its ear. This is the best idea of the purpose of collecting evidence against these troops. Lord Byron went into the investigation not only with an intense passion for truth and justice, but with a keen desire to the trustworthiness of accusations to the government in the immediate future and the report will probably be published with little delay. I feel guaranteed in stating that the findings of the committee will constitute a terrible indictment in certain parts of the German army.
The investigation covered sixteen months. The committee was set up by the British military authorities, according to the Daily Telegraph.
The newspaper asserts that the tunnels would have been finished in another twenty-four hours. It was thirty feet long and had been dug beneath a garden and under a high wall. The work of excavation had been carried on at night with the aid of fire shovels.

GERMAN PRISONERS PLAN ESCAPE

London, April 7.—A nearly completed tunnel, through which a hundred German officer prisoners would have made their escape from the internment camp at Philoeras, near Maidenhead, has been discovered by the British military authorities, according to the Daily Telegraph.
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Against the German Soldiers Well Founded

London, April 6.—Viscount Bryce's official committee to investigate the charges against the German invaders of Belgium and France will report to the government in the immediate future and the report will probably be published with little delay. I feel guaranteed in stating that the findings of the committee will constitute a terrible indictment in certain parts of the German army.
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