

### Smart New Arrivals Make Dress Business Hum!

and "There's a Reason"--They  
Surely are Beautiful

Embroidery and braid are used to a considerable extent, which makes this splendid dress, just received, one of the most stylish of the season.

It can be had either in fine all-wool serge or rich taffeta.

Collar can be worn open as well as closed--an admirable costume for street wear.

Dresses with the apron front and the suggested bustle are featured in our stocks.

Some new arrivals, both in serge and silk, warrant your inspection.



## E. E. KIRTLEY

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

### OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



### WILSON AS POTENTATE

#### Gypsies Turn to President When Deadlocked on King.

#### Wrangling Over Election of Successor to Late Ruler, They Adjourn Without Making Choice.

Berkeley, Cal.—The Gypsy world has a new potentate. He is President Woodrow Wilson. To him fifteen hundred representatives of the wandering tribes have pledged their fealty.

Assembled to elect a king, they have split up into factions and are wrangling over the candidate who shall succeed his late Majesty Alexander, who died several months ago at Sacramento.

But while undecided as to whom they should choose to pledge their allegiance, the Gypsy delegates are united in the admission that no matter how strong may be their attachment to kingly rule, they and their sovereign

must bow to the president of the United States.

In automobiles, in Pullman palace cars, in luggies and wagons and old "prairie schooners" the Gypsies came from all parts of the country. For weeks they have been loitering in northern California.

Queen Mary, widow of the late king, objected to the balloting for his successor, claiming that she was entitled to rule. The necessity for having a male hand at the helm was pointed out. Then there arose Michael Adams, sixteen-year-old nephew of the deceased sovereign, but the leaders proclaimed him but a boy.

"A man must rule," became their slogan.

"Woman has the vote. Why should woman not reign?" said the queen.

Agreement was impossible, and the Gypsies decided that there could be no lawful selection of a new ruler until the body of good King Alexander should repose in an appropriate mausoleum. A large delegation packed their

tents, started their automobiles "checked out" at their hotels and departed.

### JACKIES MUST SPRUCE UP

#### Those Given Shore Leave Must Be Properly Dressed and Must Have Money.

Great Lakes, Ill.—Orders issued by Lieut. Com. A. C. Wilhelm, drill officer, specify that Jackies granted shore leave hereafter shall wear only regulation blue clothes and "pancake" hat. And the clothing worn must be clean and unwrinkled.

The order bars the following: Gray, brown and blue nonregulation sweaters and mufflers. Such articles of clothing may be worn if tucked out of sight under regulation garments. Watch caps are barred.

Under another order no man may go ashore "broke." He must convince his commanding officer that he has enough cash to take him to and from the station.

The clothing order is the result of many Jackies appearing in Chicago and other nearby cities in nondescript clothing.

### PROVE MERIT AT SHOP WORK

#### Women Are Better Substitutes for Skilled Workers Than Untrained Male Laborers.

Sacramento, Cal.—Women proved better war-time substitutes for men skilled in shopwork than the average untrained male laborer, according to F. H. Potter, general storekeeper for the Southern Pacific company. Experiments with eight young women put at work sorting scrap iron, cleaning bolts and familiarizing themselves with simple machinery have convinced Potter that should further raids be made upon his forces he will be able to keep going on an efficient basis by employing women.

CONSERVATION CALENDAR OREGON	
Sunday	One porkless meal; evening meal wheatless.
Monday	One porkless meal; use no wheat.
Tuesday	Use no pork; evening meal wheatless.
Wednesday	One meal; porkless; use no wheat.
Thursday	One meal porkless; evening meal wheatless.
Friday	One porkless meal; evening meal wheatless.
Saturday	Use no pork; evening meal wheatless.

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## FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ARCADE

### BRITISH WOMEN ON A WAR BASIS

#### "Grannies" Now Wear Overalls and Put in Time Sewing.

### ALL ARE DOING THEIR BIT

#### The "Society" Butterfly of the Past Has Become the National Bee of the Present--The Bashful "Flapper" is Now an Alert Young Woman Who Beguiles Shillings for Charitable Purposes.

The war has wrought great changes upon the occupations, vocational and otherwise, of the women of England. A picture of the new order of things was given recently by Margaret Bell, writing in the London Daily Mail. She says:

"Boarding houses are full today, but the nims and conversations have taken on a different tone. The uncertain years are disguised under a uniform, the incomes are augmented by war activities, the trivial gossip has turned into serious discussions on the ways and means to do the utmost for the country in its present need.

"The 'society' butterfly of the past has become the national bee of the present, and busily hums her way among fields of service which are not always fields of clover.

**Old Women in Overalls.**  
"Gone are the grandmothers who once assumed the role of elderly adviser and were content to leave actual practicalities to the married daughter. The one-time gray satin or black lace has found a temporary haven on some obscure shelf, and the overalls and veil of a sewing sisterhood are sufficient evidence that granny's present role is not only an advisory one.

"The shy 'flapper,' with errant pig-tails and a keen appreciation of chocolate ice cream sodas has given way to the alert young woman who beguiles shillings for charitable purposes and evinces practical interest in the routine of house and kitchen maidings.

"The woman of no especial charm and limited means, whose hours were spent in planning how to make jagged ends meet, now finds time to give the benefit of her experience to undogged housewives who are launching their first barques on the sea of domestic duties.

**Discards Her Lethargy.**  
"The struggling governess still struggles, but the rays of her pedagogical searching are not all focused on her own work. On days when she is not employed in others' houses she does gratuitous service among the workwomen's children who play in the gutters outside her home.

"The war has transformed the lethargic woman who never left her boudoir until the sound of the lunch-con gong came pealing up the stairs and announced that her first activities were about to begin. She has discarded her lethargy, as she used to discard her last season's hat, and may be seen any morning hurrying away to some office or canteen, even before the milkmaids' carts have left the streets.

"Gone, too, is the incapable housewife who once boasted of her ignorance of culinary things. The kitchen is the field of her operations today and rational living is her hobby."

### THE FLAG, YOUR FLAG AND MINE

By FRANK BRANAN. (Of the Vigilantes.)  
Azure blue of the fur-off sky,  
Starry sweep of a nation's eye,  
Emblem of glory that cannot die--  
The Flag, your flag and mine.

Crimson stripes of heroes' blood,  
(Fresh with a never-falling flood)  
Sacred, unsullied, unfurled to God--  
The Flag, your flag and mine.

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