

CAPTIOUS COMMANDMENTS SHE SUITS TO BOTH SEXES

Here is Mrs. Irene Sheffield's double set of commandments, or fundamental rules for married men and women, as read in the court room in her action for divorce:

FOR MARRIED MEN.

Thou shalt keep thy past unto thyself.
Thou shalt not scoff.
Thou shalt be a careful kisser.
Remember to keep holy thy marriage vow.
Remember thy wife to sing her praises. A dull husband is a discouragement to the gods. Honor thy wife and all her bills.
Remember thy mother-in-law to keep her guessing. A wise mother-in-law loves a cheerful liar.
Thou shalt not steal a march into thy club.
Thou shalt not toy with danger, though verily, a live impulse has low voltage domestic boredom beaten to a frazzle.
Thou shalt choose thy brand of tobacco, likewise thy experience according to thy income.
Thou shalt be a man dependable as the best thoroughbred as a racer, mellow as old wine, constant as thy club dues, then of a surety will favor cling to thee as lichen to an old oak.

FOR MARRIED WOMEN.

Thou shalt not mash.
Thou shalt keep thy temper to thyself.
Thou shalt not bore thy husband.
Remember to keep unholy his many socks. Six days shalt thou do as you please, and on the seventh shalt thou remember his linen.
Honor thy husband and let him do exactly as he pleases.
Thou shalt not ask him any questions. What he wants you to know he will tell you.
Thou shalt not complain; verily a complaining wife is worse than a shoe that pinches.
Thou shalt not steal thy husband's hobbies.
Thou shalt obey him—sometimes—uncertainty has its charms.
Thou shalt be fresh and sweet and dainty as a shower bouquet, for lingerie is more to be desired than rubies, and a good cook above government bonds.

HUNS HARD HIT ON EASTERN FRONT

London, Dec. 30.—The Germans and Austrians have begun a general withdrawal along the entire front in Macedonia, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Rome quoting a message from Saloniki to this effect. The reported withdrawal is attributed to the Russian advance in Bessarabia, the message states.

Petrograd, via London, Dec. 30.—The German and Russian official bulletins regarding the operations south of the Pripiet River laconically declare that the battles are proceeding. The importance of the engagement seems to be considered by the Russian military critics as great.

The general staff commentaries lay stress on the difference between these struggles and the last notable collision between the Russians and Teutons, before the period of calm. The battle of Czartorysk, Nova Alexinie, and elsewhere between the Pripiet River and the Carpathians, were sporadic and designed only to correct positions on different parts of the line before the cessations of strategic movements on account of the approach of winter.

It is agreed now that a struggle is proceeding on the entire southwest line, and that apparently it is equally ardent everywhere. It is intimated that both sides are aiming at the accomplishment of exceedingly important tasks. The Russians and Teutons are equally alert, each side here taking the initiative.

The expectation here is that the outcome of this gigantic but still obscure struggle will be a transformation of the military positions in the Russian theatre of war. While it is pointed out that Germany has not lost interest in the northern half of this theatre, it is intimated that her activity there is designed mainly to inspire the belief that she has not removed her troops from there.

It is unanimously agreed among the military observers that the aspect of the eastern front will be changed within three or four days.

PITY THIS POOR GIRL! SHE NEEDS SYMPATHY

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We're most afraid to settle down a while to talk and laugh, For fear bad news has started out our way by telegraph. It's gettin' hard to call a single minute all your own— You don't know when some one will want you on the telephone.

That locomotive which we used to welcome with a smile We view with disapproval, 'cause its shape is out of style; An' I sometimes wish the journey which we're travelin' on so quick Would lead us back to plain old time at Pohick on the crick.

—Washington Star.



In Any Walk

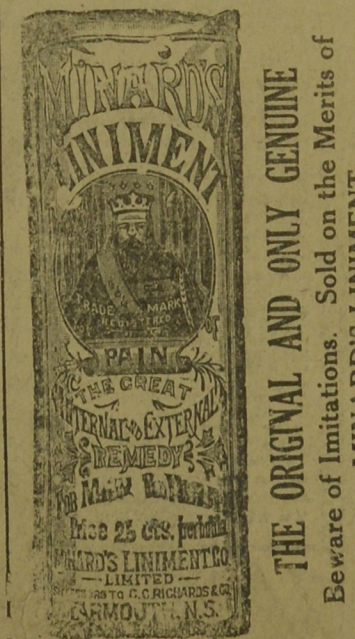
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ANGEL OF DEATH VISITED MANY HOMES IG 1915

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November.

7 Charles P. Boone	 (hours)	7
10 Catherine A. Sinnott		44
15 Mary Nicholson		85
18 Rita Wetmore	.....	7
17 Jean Phibbs	.....	62
20 Cyrus Burtt	.....	79
21 Allen Howard	.....	78
21 Matilda Green	.....	67
28 Percy LeRoy Perkins	.....	5
30 R. Duncan McDiarmid	.....	68

December.

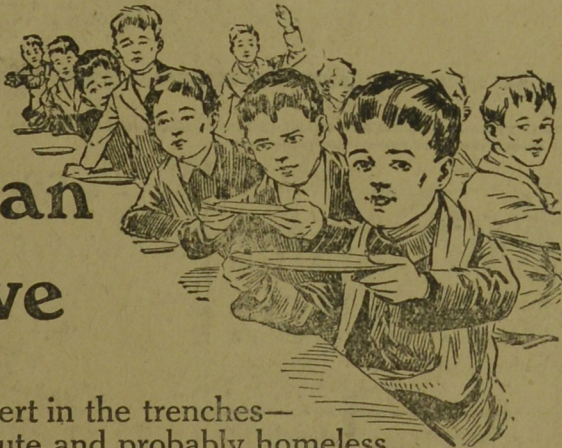
1 Isaiah Phillips	.....	54
5 Josephine A. Sweeney	.....	37
7 John M. Taylor	.....	83
11 Helen Audrey Speedy	.....	8
12 Clarence F. Grant	.....	14
15 Elizabeth Parsons	.....	85
18 John A. Ladds	.....	49
20 Mabel W. Addy	.....	19
20 Ralph R. Hoyt	.....	2

26 William Whitlock	.....	22
26 James P. Higgins	.....	42
27 Eileen Daisy Simpson (months)	.....	5
31 Aaron Ingraham	.....	53

By months the record of deaths shows that March had the heaviest death roll, the number being fifteen. The other winter months had heavy death rolls. By months the record is as follows:

January	.....	13
February	.....	13
March	.....	15
April	.....	13
May	.....	11
June	.....	9
July	.....	11
August	.....	12
September	.....	6
October	.....	9
November	.....	10
December	.....	13
Total	.....	135

We must not let these Belgian Children Starve



Their fathers are with King Albert in the trenches—or dead. Their mothers, destitute and probably homeless, are striving hard but helplessly to save these children on whom Belgium's future depends.

Nearly 2,000,000 old men, women and children in Belgium are absolutely dependent on help from Britain and America. Unless we feed them, hundreds of thousands must starve to death! The

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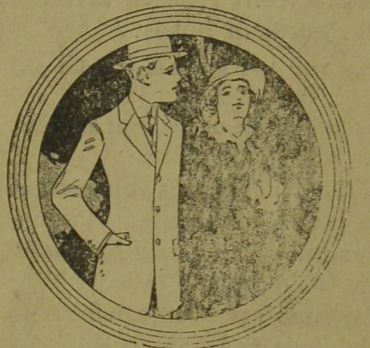
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