

# War Is Making Individuals Of Many 'Dutiful' Wives

By RUTH MILLETT  
She has been married for five or ten years and her marriage has been happy.

She has followed all the 1930-1940 rules for making it so. Her home has been run for her husband's pleasure and convenience. She hasn't bored him with people whom she likes and he doesn't.

Her husband's hobbies have become hers. Her clothes and her hair-do are chosen because they please her husband, and reflect his taste.

She has stayed young and pretty, not to please herself, but because she has been told so many times that if she lets herself go, she stands a good chance of losing her man to another woman.

Well, it all worked fine so long as her husband was home. Her husband was happy and she was happy because of it. There was nothing wrong with the picture—until the Army called her husband.

Now there is no one to please but herself and she has almost forgotten she ever had individual tastes and preferences. Worse than that she has lost all zest for pleasing herself, for doing things just because she personally wants to do them and gets a kick out of it.

The test for everything for so many years has been, "Will John enjoy it?"

### SHE'S AT LOOSE ENDS

So she is pretty much at loose ends and will be until she begins to remember all those things she used to enjoy before she settled down to a life founded on the belief that it was her first duty to make someone else happy.

She'll learn in time, and then living alone won't be quite so deadly. She may even turn into a decided individual who no longer gives the impression of being just a lonely half of a temporarily broken partnership.

And about that time her husband will come home and she'll have to learn all over again the routine of living to make another person happy, unless she has gained enough wisdom to found the renewed marriage on a real partnership, one that lets both husband and wife remain individuals.

Miss Ruth E. Samms  
Weds Benjamin Hill

NEW BERN, Jan. 29.—The wedding of Miss Ruth E. Samms, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Samms of Boston, to Benjamin T. Hill, USN, of Cocoa, Fla., formerly of New Bern, took place Saturday, January 2, at St. Mary's church in Rockledge, Fla. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Olivia Hill of New Bern. The couple are living at Rockledge.

Mrs. Inez Willis Jones and G. S. Sasser, both of New Bern, were married Sunday, January 17, at Elizabeth City. Following a wedding trip to New York city, they are now residing in New Bern.

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## Modern Menus There's No Fear Of Wheat Scarcity

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Service Staff Writer

Because there are vast supplies of wheat on hand, we have no fear of a shortage. Use a good bread three times a day in your menus, either with butter or fortified margarine, or as one of the ingredients in your cooked dishes. Use wholewheat or some other whole grain bread often, and at all other times use an enriched bread.

### Lamb Shortcake (Serves 5)

Four tablespoons fat drippings, 1 minced onion, 4 tablespoons flour, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cups lamb broth (from stewed lamb shank), 1-2 cup tomato juice, 1-2 cups diced cooked lamb (from 2-pound shank of lamb), 1-2 cup cooked vegetables, peas, carrots, celery, beans), 10 slices enriched bread, 2 tablespoons fortified margarine.

Melt dripping in saucepan; add onion and cook together for one minute. Add flour and salt and blend. Stir in lamb broth and tomato juice and continue cooking, stirring constantly, until the sauce thickens. Add meat and vegetables and heat together. Toast enriched bread; spread with margarine. Allow 2 slices for each serving and put together with filling, in shortcake fashion.

A 2-pound shank of lamb can be stewed with vegetables (onion, celery tops, parsley, carrots, barley, etc.) the broth used for sauce and for soup and the meat taken from bone and diced. . . . makes 1-2 cups. Cooked veal, pork or ham can be substituted for lamb, if desired.

### Grilled Cheese and Baconette (Makes 6 Sandwiches)

Six slices enriched white bread, 6 slices processed cheese, 1 teaspoon prepared mustard, 1 tomato (optional) salt and pepper, 1 cup large enriched bread crumbs (2 slices), 1 tablespoon melted bacon fat.

Toast enriched white bread on one side only. Cover untoasted side with cheese slice, and spread lightly with mustard. Cover with a slice of tomato, if desired; season with salt and pepper. Blend crumbs and melted fat together and sprinkle lightly over top of each sandwich. Heat sandwich slowly in roaster to melt cheese and brown crumb topping.

### MONDAY'S MENU

**BREAKFAST:** Grapefruit, corn bread, syrup, coffee, milk.

**LUNCHEON:** Special grilled cheese sandwich, apple sauce, molasses cookies, tea, milk.

**DINNER:** Lamb shortcake with left-over vegetables, boiled potatoes, mixed green salad, butterscotch pudding, tea, milk.

### Utensils Serve Double Duty For Duration

Many homemakers are enforcing voluntary rationing of porcelain enameled utensils in their own homes. They are making four or five pieces of enameled ware do the work of complete sets and are buying only the pots and pans which are absolutely necessary.

Porcelain enameled utensils have specialized uses, of course, but they can serve multiple purposes as well. Enameled double boilers, for instance may be used as two sauce pans, as cereal cookers, or rice boilers. The lower section of covered roasters may be used as bake pans. In fact, these versatile pots and pans "pinch hit" successfully for any number of kitchen operations.

Ration your enameled utensils and give them the care they merit. They will last for the duration—and even longer.

## Modes Of The Moment

By Dorothy Roe



**STOVEPIPE HAT:** This dashing little felt suit hat is typical of the mode, with its high, narrow crown, bandeau back.

**YOU CAN'T SAY NO TO A SAILOR—**especially this young rough straw model with navy bows, by millinery's Big Three.

### ELIZABETHTOWN

ELIZABETHTOWN, Jan. 29.—Miss Grace Clark returned to Washington, D. C., Monday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Clark. —Miss Mary Louise Harris of Wilmington, spent the week-end at her home here. She had as her guest, Miss Isley Galloway of Wilmington.—Pvt. Bob Beasley and Cpl. Shirley Averette of Fort Bragg spent Sunday in town.—Mrs. Lawrence Cook and son, Jimmie, spent the week-end in Lumberton with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brinson.

John Cuthbertson of Chapel Hill, was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Byrd during the week-end.—Mrs. J. R. Cole spent last week in Fayetteville with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole.—Mrs. O. R. Thomas and son returned to Wilmington after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edwards.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin of Leland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edwards, Sunday.—Billie Kay returned home Monday after spending several days with his grandparents in Red Springs.

G. E. Collier of Whiteville, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fisher, Saturday night.—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edwards, Mrs. W. E. Hall and Miss Elma Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Holmes in Council, Sunday.—Charles Regan of Maxton, spent the week-end at his home here.—Miss Doris Lyon of Wilmington, visited at her home here during the week-end.

Rev. Jno. A. Wood of Washington, D. C., who preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Calhoun during the week-end.—B. F. Stone, who has been ill with mumps for several days, is able to be out again.

The Business Woman's circle of the Presbyterian church met Monday night at the home of Mrs. Clarence Layton. Miss Sarah Paul was joint hostess. The circle chairman, Mrs. C. R. Jordan, Jr., presided. During the business hour it was decided to have the February meeting Monday, February 22.

The Women's auxiliary of the Presbyterian church held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the church. The president, Mrs. W. D. Cross, presided. Mrs. J. R. Powell conducted the devotional. Mrs. E. N. Pittman had charge of the program on Foreign Missions, with Mrs. R. H. Poole and Mrs. H. H. Edwards assisting. The week of Foreign Missions and self-denial will be held each afternoon during the next week at the home of Mrs. R. H. Poole.

Marion DeVane is improving after an attack of influenza for the past few days.—Mrs. J. E. Kinlaw has been ill for the past few days.—Mrs. H. H. Clark, who returned home last Wednesday from Baker's Sanatorium, is getting along nicely.—Ensign Leon D. Smith, U. S. Navy, who has been spending a few days at his home here, returned to New York, Friday.

### PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Lewis and daughter, Miss Ann Lewis of Petersburg, Va., are visiting Dr. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lewis of Atkinson.

Lieut. Harry C. James has arrived to spend a short while with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William G. James. Lieut. James recently graduated from the Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga.

North Carolina has more than 200,000 acres under state and federal control devoted to production and conservation of deer.

## Glorify Yourself . . .

Beautifying, Thrifty Makeup Tricks Avoid Extravagant Use of Cosmetics

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Service Staff Writer

The war, at least, has cured us of adopting every dressing table tip that crosses our path. The habit of running out, to try every new kind of cream that you heard performed a new kind of wonder, went into limbo along with the habit of slathering on and then wiping off great blobs of seemingly inexhaustible cosmetics.

Yet this is a time for more instead of less experimenting—in a practical manner. Here are a few which are worth trying:

Keep your face powder box closed tightly, but when the grains become tightly packed, stir it up to get it fluffy. It will go on more lightly, effectively. Use your nail file or a match stick, and simply stir the powder. Caked powder is an invitation to press a surplus on to your puff and your complexion. Dip your puff lightly in the fluffed powder, ap-

## Uncle Sam Will Help Housewives Get This Point Of Rationing

By ANN FRANCE WILSON  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—If the ration book No. 2 gives you the approaching issuance of War Rationing stamps, cheer up. You'll get plenty of sympathetic help from official Washington.

For one thing, you can expect a rash of government pamphlets in the next few weeks, explaining how to buy meat and canned goods with points as well as pennies. And you'll get further assistance at your neighborhood movie house. OPA and OWI have put Hollywood artists to work on an animated cartoon which will show the adventures of Mrs. Average House-

wife on a point-rationed shopping spree at the grocer's.

Also there will be more information on the printed form which you'll receive when the ration book is issued at a date to be announced later.

**Freezers and Sweepers**  
There's talk of releasing some of the 400,000 mechanical refrigerators and 130,000 vacuum cleaners now "frozen" in the hands of manufacturers. So far the Army, Navy and home defense projects have received a few of the refrigerators. But civilians may possibly get a share of both freezers and sweepers to replace those now wearing out.

### MISS VERA INA WATSON Bride Of Sgt. Augustine

STONEWALL, Jan. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Watson of Stonewall, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Vera Ina, to Sgt. Charles L. Augustine, USMC, Dec. 12, at San Diego, Calif.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. C. Cook, formerly of Kingston, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carenaugh.

Miss Odessa Ferden, of Chicago, was maid-of-honor. She wore a dress of white, with corsage of red roses.

Miss Nita Lann Carenaugh, flower girl, and Miss Judy Carenaugh, ring bearer, wore ruffled pink taffeta.

The bride was attired in a delft blue suit with navy accessories. Her shoulder corsage was an old-fashioned nosegay of roses. Pfc. Jerry Powers, USMC, acted as best man. A reception and buffet supper followed the wedding.

After a honeymoon at the El Cortez hotel, the couple are now at home in Overlook Heights San Diego.

## FLORA MACDONALD MEMORY HONORED

Liberty Ship To Be Named For Famous Scotch Heroine

With the president of the student body of Flora Macdonald college as sponsor, the SS Flora Macdonald, sixty-third Liberty freighter to near completion here, will be launched at the yards of the North Carolina Shipbuilding company at 6:15 p. m. Saturday.

Miss Sue Hardin McPherson, the student body president, will christen the 10,000-ton vessel for the Scotch heroine.

Her maids of honor will be Miss Lois Deane Parker, vice-president of the student body, and Miss Sarah Belle Smith, president of the senior class of the Red Springs college.

Flora Macdonald was born in Milton, Island of South Uist, Hebrides, in 1720, and died there March 4, 1790.

She was the daughter of Ronald Macdonald, of Milton who belonged to the Macdonalds of Clanranald. Her father died when she was an infant, and her mother having married Macdonald of Armadale, Skye, Flora was removed to that island.

In June, 1746, while on a visit to South Uist, she met Captain O'Neill, one of the companions of Charles Edward Stuart, then on his wanderings after his defeat at Culloden, and O'Neill proposed that Flora should take Charles with her to Skye, disguised as a woman.

She refused, but after an interview with the prince, entered warmly into the scheme. After encountering serious dangers, Flora, the prince, and an attendant reached Skye, where they were assisted by Lady Macdonald, who consigned the prince to the care of her husband's factor.

Soon after his arrival in Skye, the prince bade farewell to Flora at Portree, and sailed to France. The part she had taken soon became known, and she was imprisoned until the act of indemnity, in 1747.

In 1750 she married Allan Macdonald the younger, of Kingsburgh, and emigrating with him and their family to North Carolina, in 1774, settled in Fayetteville. They had been preceded by many of their countrymen, after the battle of Culloden, to this region, where at one time Gaelic was spoken in six counties of the state. Afterward they removed to Cameron hill, and again to a different part of the state.

On July 3, 1775, her husband, who, though aged, was a man of energy and influence, met Martin, and concerted with him a rising of the Highlanders. He served with the loyalists as captain, and was captured at Moore's Creek, and confined at Halifax.

She then obtained a passport from a Whig officer, and, at the request of her husband, sailed from Charleston to her native land in a British sloop-of-war.

On the voyage home they were attacked by a French frigate of superior force, and, when capture seemed inevitable, Flora left her cabin, and stimulated the crew to renewed exertion by her acts and courage. Her arm was broken during the conflict. She landed safely in Scotland, and never again left that country. On her deathbed she requested that her body

be buried in the same place as the food served by the head of the table?

5. At a small, informal dinner how does the hostess let the guests know where she wishes them to sit?

What would you do if—  
You receive New Year's wishes from a friend you did not even send a Christmas card to—

(a) Write a long, newsy letter and in it mention how much you appreciated the card?  
(b) Feel that the card need not be acknowledged?

### Answers

1. Yes.  
2. No. He should keep quiet.  
3. No. It is rude to chance offending anyone.  
4. No.  
5. She stands at the head of the table and tells each guest where to sit.

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### THE GUMPS



## New First Aid Courses To Begin Here Shortly

Two new classes in first aid are to be initiated here next week. It was announced Friday by Mrs. Ida B. Spelden, secretary of the Wilmington Red Cross chapter.

### Wilmingtonian Named USO Program Official

Miss Glenn Willard of Wilmington has been appointed by the YMCA here to the position of assistant program director for YMCA-USO activities, it was announced today.

Miss Willard has served as student secretary for the Presbyterian church at Milledgeville, Georgia, location of the university, and directed the religious education activities at the Presbyterian church, in Statesville.

The work of the YWCA complements that of the USO. Through YWCA women who come to the city as wives of servicemen, as well as workers, as members of the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corps and other services find recreation, information, and housing assistance.

### Occupational Quiz Sent By Draft Board

Occupational questionnaires have gone from county Draft Board No. 2 to men of all registrations who have been called for induction, officials revealed Friday.

Youths of the sixth registration will be sent occupational questionnaires at the same time as the regular questionnaires.

Men registered with the county board who have not received occupational questionnaires should notify the board immediately in order to clear the records.

## If Your Child Is Coughing

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