

# WOMAN'S VARIED INTERESTS

## THE COFFEE BEAN'S CONVERSION

**Coffee Jelly.**  
 DISSOLVE six tablespoonfuls of powdered gelatine and one and one-half cups of sugar in four pints of water and add two cups of strong coffee. Pour into a wet mould and set away to get firm. Turn out and serve with whipped and sweetened cream.

**Café Frappé.**  
 To the white of one egg, slightly beaten, add one-half cup cold water and one-half cup of ground coffee. Place this in a hot coffee pot and pour over it one quart of boiling water. Boil two minutes, then stand where it will infuse. After ten minutes strain, add one cup sugar and cool. Freeze with equal parts of salt and ice. Serve in tall, thin glasses with whipped cream.

**Coffee Blanc Manger.**  
 Three cups scalded milk.  
 One cup coffee.  
 One-third cup sugar.  
 One teaspoon butter.  
 Five tablespoonfuls cornstarch.  
 Salt.  
 Blend cornstarch with some of the cold coffee, stir with remainder into scalded milk, add sugar and sprinkling of salt. Cook in double boiler five minutes, then over fire until cornstarch boils. Stir in butter just before taking up. This quantity of cornstarch, level measurement, makes a very delicate blanc manger. If preferred firmer, use six tablespoonfuls of cornstarch.

**Coffee Pudding.**  
 One-quarter cup butter.  
 One-quarter cup sugar.

One cup strong, sweetened coffee, cold.  
 Eight small, stale sponge cakes.  
 Three yolks eggs.  
 Cream butter and sugar, add yolks of eggs and beat very light. Cut sponge cake into slices and spread with creamed mixture. Pour coffee over cake, put in mould, let stand, and turn out on dish. Serve with whipped cream.

**Coffee Ice Cream.**  
 Use one cup black coffee, two cups milk, two cups whipped cream, one cup sugar, yolks of four eggs, one tablespoon of vanilla extract and one-fourth teaspoon of salt. Put yolks of eggs into a saucepan over the fire, mix with sugar and milk, and stir until they thicken. Strain when cool, add the whipped cream, coffee, salt and vanilla extract. Freeze and serve in dainty glasses.

**Coffee Sauce.**  
 This is to serve hot or cold with puddings, desserts made from cakes and cold souffles. Put six tablespoonfuls of ground coffee into a percolator and pour over it one and one-half cups of boiling water; let it remain until all has run through, then strain into six tablespoonfuls of sugar and the yolks of five eggs that have been mixed together. Put the mixture into a saucepan and stir it until it thickens to the consistency of thick cream, then rub it through a sieve, heat and use. If this sauce is served cold, one-half cup of stiffly whipped cream should be added just before serving.

## THE BROTHERHOOD OF MAN BLASTED, THE INTER-NATION OF WOMEN GIVES CHRISTMAS HOPE



MRS. PETHICK LAWRENCE

## LACING FOR SLENDERNESS.

The New Scheme of Lacing the Coat Is More Comfortable Than the Old One of Lacing the Corset.

THE new scheme for making the figure look narrow by lacing the coat at the sides is infinitely more comfortable than was the old one of lacing the corset.

At present the first mentioned method of producing a narrow effect is usually applied to coats of street costumes. These, because of their extreme simplicity, have a strong appeal for the matron of girlish figure. The threefold mirror assures her that the laced coat makes her appear hipless and that the short skirt worn below it reveals the slenderest of ankles. But, forgetting the discrepancy between the youthful figure and the mature face, she goes about the town in serene unconsciousness of uncomplimentary comment.

For the Fresh Faced Girl.  
 It is the fresh faced girl of broadly

built figure who should make the most of this fashion, and she is taking full advantage of the opportunity. She sees to it that the skirt of her newest suit, whether it is a scant, double-decker affair or a generously flared model, discreetly covers her substantial ankles. Then she gets herself into the smart little jacket whose effect is that of a front and a back panel laced together across the hips which it reluctantly covers.

Always small is the side-laced coat, and shapeless—seemingly—until closely examined. Then one realizes that its naive appearance was carefully planned. The under-arm forms are skilfully fitted, the edges of the panels are a trifle curved and the shoulder seams are long. About the fastenings of these coats there is no mystery. Otherwise they would lack the naivete of youthfulness.



A blue and white pin striped silk afternoon gown, bearing traces of Mexican origin in its white embroidered lawn collar and cuffs and button-trimmed sleeves. Pleatings of material dot the fulness of the skirt. Model from Harry Collins.

## MRS. PETHICK LAWRENCE IN THIS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE SEES IN THE SOLIDARITY OF WOMEN A NEW FORCE FOR PEACE AND BROTHERHOOD IN THE WORLD.

THE solidarity of men is a small thing compared to the sisterhood of women. Underneath all nations and back of all nations lies the inter-nation of mothers. And as this solidarity becomes conscious among women a new force in the world for peace and brotherhood is generated.

A true Christmas message is this from Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, noted English suffragette, who sees beyond this great tragedy that shakes the foundations of the world a new force—the solidarity of women—a force that will reconstruct from the ruins of the past a new and a better social order.

"On this great day of peace and good will to man, I like to feel that a wonderful world peace is soon to come, and that it will be due to the efforts of women.

"We have heard very much of the solidarity of men and the brotherhood of men," Mrs. Pethick Lawrence saddened. "As a matter of fact, it doesn't exist. Men have many aims, many ambitions, many vocations which conflict with the others. Women have one vocation, and one achievement—the creation, the preservation and the protection of the human race. It is this one vocation that unites women all over the world with a union that goes far beneath any cleavage of nationality. In this solidarity of motherhood is rooted the solidarity of the human race."

**Woman's Solidarity Generates Peace.**  
 And it is because of this solidarity of women, Mrs. Lawrence believes, that a new force in the world for peace and brotherhood is generated.

"It is necessary at the present time, not so much on behalf of women themselves, but on behalf of the whole human family, that the mother-half of the human race shall be included in the articulate democracy of nations, and shall be given its chance to create a better and happier human world.

"Men have defended their monopoly of government by assertions that women have no knowledge of business," she continued. "They have drawn absurd imaginary pictures of women in official positions, and have tried to portray the middle that their entrance into the administrative life of nations would portend. No picture, however overdrawn, of woman's ignorance, error and folly could exceed in fantastic yet tragic horror the spectacle with which male governments are furnishing history to-day. The failure of male statecraft is complete. The foundations of

the civilization they have erected in Europe have proved rotten.

**The Saving Influence Shut Out.**  
 "The one influence that could have preserved the balance of interests has been shut out. Women as the natural custodians of the human race would by their political existence have reminded governments that the life of a people is more than material accumulation. Upon the ruins of civilization the new world will have to be built, and in this work it is vital to the interests of the human race that the mother-half be called in to take part.

"The new world will be founded inevitably on the kind of peace that is going to be made at the termination of the present war. If the same agencies that provoked the present war are left without any pressure of public opinion or any expression of the public will to conclude the terms of peace, then we shall have to prepare for more terrible wars. The point of view of women has never yet been expressed on this matter. It is vital that it should be expressed at the present moment. It is essential that the woman's movement organize and work that the new spirit shall be embodied in a new peace."

**Her Christmas Message.**  
 That this Christmas may leave a deep imprint on American women, Mrs. Lawrence appeals to them to further these ends:

The reinforcement of the democracies of the world by the inclusion of the mother-half of the human race into the ranks of citizenship.  
 That women as well as men should be sent as representatives of their nations to the Hague conference.  
 That the powers now at war shall be held to their slogan that this is a war to end war.  
 That a European senate composed of representatives of every European nation be formed for the discussion of international concerns, whereby nations can seek to obtain what is necessary to the development of their national life by bargain and exchange instead of by secret treachery or open slaughter and loot.  
 That all treaties and alliances on the part of any democratic nation shall be ratified by the representatives of the people.  
 That at the conclusion of peace no province shall be transferred from one government to another without the consent of the population concerned; that women, who have suffered equally with men, shall be included in the plebiscite whereby consent shall be obtained.

That the democracies shall press for some kind of international agreement by which all the nations shall put themselves at the back of any law-abiding nation that is aggressively attacked, or of any small country that is menaced by a stronger power.

That the manufacture of armaments shall be nationalized and that the export of ammunition from one country to another shall be vetoed.

The creation of some constitutional machinery by which the democracies may exercise some control over foreign policy.

It is through American women working for the aims set forth above that Mrs. Lawrence believes that peace will be established in the world, because the United States must be the arbiter of the present war.

**Woman Emerging as New Force.**  
 "It so happens that just at this crisis in world history the woman's movement is emerging as a new force in the political and social world," Mrs. Pethick-Lawrence explained at the home of her friend, Miss Madeline Doty, 83 Washington Place. "It is this new force that will have to be called in to take part in the work of reconstructing from the ruins of the past a new and a better social order.

"The point of view of women has never yet been expressed on this matter. It is vital that it should be expressed at the present moment. It is essential that the woman's movement shall help to formulate public opinion. Women must help find expression for the new spirit that is in the world today, and the woman's movement must organize and work that the new spirit shall be embodied in a new peace that shall fulfill the slogan that this is a war to end war."

**Amazed at Strength of Woman's Clubs.**  
 Mrs. Lawrence is amazed at the power and organization of women's clubs in America.

"We have nothing like it in England," she declared. "And I never saw so many women working for social betterment as I have seen in the American cities I have visited. In England the women have turned their attention to politics, and they have accomplished nothing like so much in civic reform.

"I am intensely interested in prison reforms," she went on. "You see, I have been imprisoned six times, and I know from personal experience a great deal about prisons. Therefore, the most interesting thing I saw in America—and that is a broad statement—

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**J. BORDEN HARRIMAN LEFT SMALL ESTATE**

Transferred Most of His Property to Wife, It is Believed, Before Death.

According to the transfer tax affidavit filed with the will of J. Borden Harriman, the banker, who died at his Washington home December 1, he left a very small estate. The will was filed in White Plains yesterday, and the value of his real property was given as not more than \$1,000 and of his personal property as not more than \$5,000. It is believed that he transferred most of his property to his wife some time before his death.

Mr. Harriman was a resident of Mount Kisco, where he lay ill for many weeks with a disease which puzzled physicians, before he was taken to the public than he was. She is a member of the federal Industrial Relations Committee and has been in Colorado, where the committee is endeavoring to straighten out the coal strike situation. Mrs. Harriman took her husband to the health resorts in Austria-Hungary last summer, hoping that he would regain his health, but the outbreak of the European war compelled them to return.

Mr. Harriman was a nephew of the late E. H. Harriman, and was in the banking and brokerage business with his elder brother, Oliver Harriman, Jr., until a year ago, when he retired on account of his health. Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt is his sister.

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