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When Is A Kiss ...  
Blossom Broadway.  
Parade Fixed.

Flying from Canada to the United States for a brief visit to President Roosevelt the Duke of Kent was welcomed by Mayor La Guardia, who put his towering figure between the Duke and surging pressmen.

Canada's girl-power is mobilising for the war effort. The land army has the best of it in the summer; picking the cherry harvest is a good job whether there's war or peace. The Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Dowan, and the Minister of Forests came to see how the girls were getting on. Now which would you rather have, cherry or peach?

In the factories, girls are making Bren guns and speeding the output. They know that in the Mother Country industrial conscription is mooted and women in the dominion are not going to be left behind. More of everything, as soon as possible, means victory. Here's a Bren gun, and it's a pity it isn't Adolf Hitler facing it.

This is one of the warehouses full of furniture to replace what people have lost in the blitz. The Ministry of Health have organized the manufacture of standardised articles, and if you've been bombed out you can now get a complete set at an hour's notice. Thousands of camp-beds, big stocks of cooking utensils and a quarter-of-a-million chairs have been made already. Sets are lent free till people get furniture of their own.

So the Government's gone into the plain-van business in a big way, and delivers as soon as applications are approved. And what a nice feeling - a houseful of new furniture and no instalments to pay.

Detroit's transport strike, settled as these pictures reach us, shut down the Ford and Hudson plants and held up All for Britain as workers could not travel. The city's half-million people had to walk everywhere and learned that the word corn can mean more than wheat.

The two-wheeled taxis did good business, but there weren't enough; so pretty girls asked for lifts. Doesn't sex-appeal count nowadays. Show a leg, as they say in the army. It works too - more than the driver bargained for.

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OFF STAGE VOICE--WOMEN'S WAR  
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1. War Effort: Women On The Job!
2. The women of Canada turn to the soil as part of their war-time duties. They relieve the menfolk called to arms and do the job with a spirit and efficiency that speak well for the daughters of the Dominion. In the Farm Service Force and the Land-Army -- every day is lady's day. Ontario's Minister of Agriculture, P.M. Dewar and Minister of lands and forests, N.O. Hipel observe the work.
10. 11. Hard work, but Canada's girls smile it through!
12. Women in the factories, too.....women by the hundreds, fitting into skilled jobs
16. once considered only for the masculine hand. To speed Britain's war effort they add in rushing out the famous Bren guns....no task too difficult, no machine too intricate. They like the work and don't mind telling you.
19. 20. Well, you can't blame her for remembering she's a girl after all....
21. But there's very little let-up....only long hours of work will help defeat
26. Hitler. And here's the finished product, from a woman's hand!