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"Women admit that it is the business of the War Office to keep the soldier physically fit & strong. Its regulations should be strictly applicable to that end. Therefore, instead of 40 D, its regulations should be directed to dealing with the soldier.

"Every soldier on returning to camp, should be required to declare if he has subjected himself to risk of infection, and, if so, should forthwith present himself to the M.O. on duty for treatment.

"To victimise a woman, or women generally, because a soldier has exercised neither discretion nor self-control, is a monstrous piece of tyranny which women will no longer tolerate.

"In case of accusation, the accused or the accuser, be they men or women, must be brought face to face; and women charged must like men, be tried by their peers. Therefore we must have women magistrates & women jurors. The principle that every person is assumed innocent until proved to be guilty must be applied to women as well as to men.

Judging from ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> current regulations <sup>or their administration</sup> it would appear that many men have no standard of honour in their dealings with women."

Letter to Vole 31/10/1918.