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**Description**

This newsreel features the Women's Army Corps, or WAC's, on the job in Europe. Canadian women also join the effort.

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Women at War

NARRATOR: Answering General Mark Clark’s call for more WACs in Italy, a fresh detachment arrives at Anzio. They settle into their new life quickly, but sometimes they struggle with problems that are just too much for them, as these Signal Corps pictures show. A soldier and a gentleman say we. Like all GI’s, their favorite moments are reading your letters from home, gallant ladies on the warfront. Gallant too are these Canadian girls. They flinch at nothing as these Canadian Army film unit pictures prove. Just like our WACs, more and more are headed for the battle zones.

Cutting the number of casualties in this war, are the modern Allied field hospitals, as complete as any you know. Again, brave women work alongside of our men close to the firing lines. The surgeon sees an X-ray of the shrapnel wounds. You can see that every modern facility known to medicine is available to our boys. Yes, women are working at the job of winning the war far from home.

General Doolittle in England reviews WACs that have distinguished themselves. Women are doing their part.