

IT'S THE STEEL STETSON

They're calling them the "steel Stetsons" now.

Since the stetson itself has gone the way of all flesh, there is no danger of confusion, and the "tin hat," the "Carnegie derby," or "Charley-schwab bowler," as it has hitherto been variously known, has in consequence acquired a new name.

True, the steel variety—except in the case of the specially lined officers' issue—doesn't fit as snugly as did the Stetson of blessed memory, because this headband doesn't sweat up and warp the hat along with it to the contour of the human dome. But it's a lot safer than the average Stetson for wear in the northernmost regions of France where the sky is just full of a number of things all day and all night.

So "steel Stetsons" they are until somebody else can think up something better.