

PERSONS AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY AS PORTRAYED BY THE QUICK EYE OF THE CAMERA



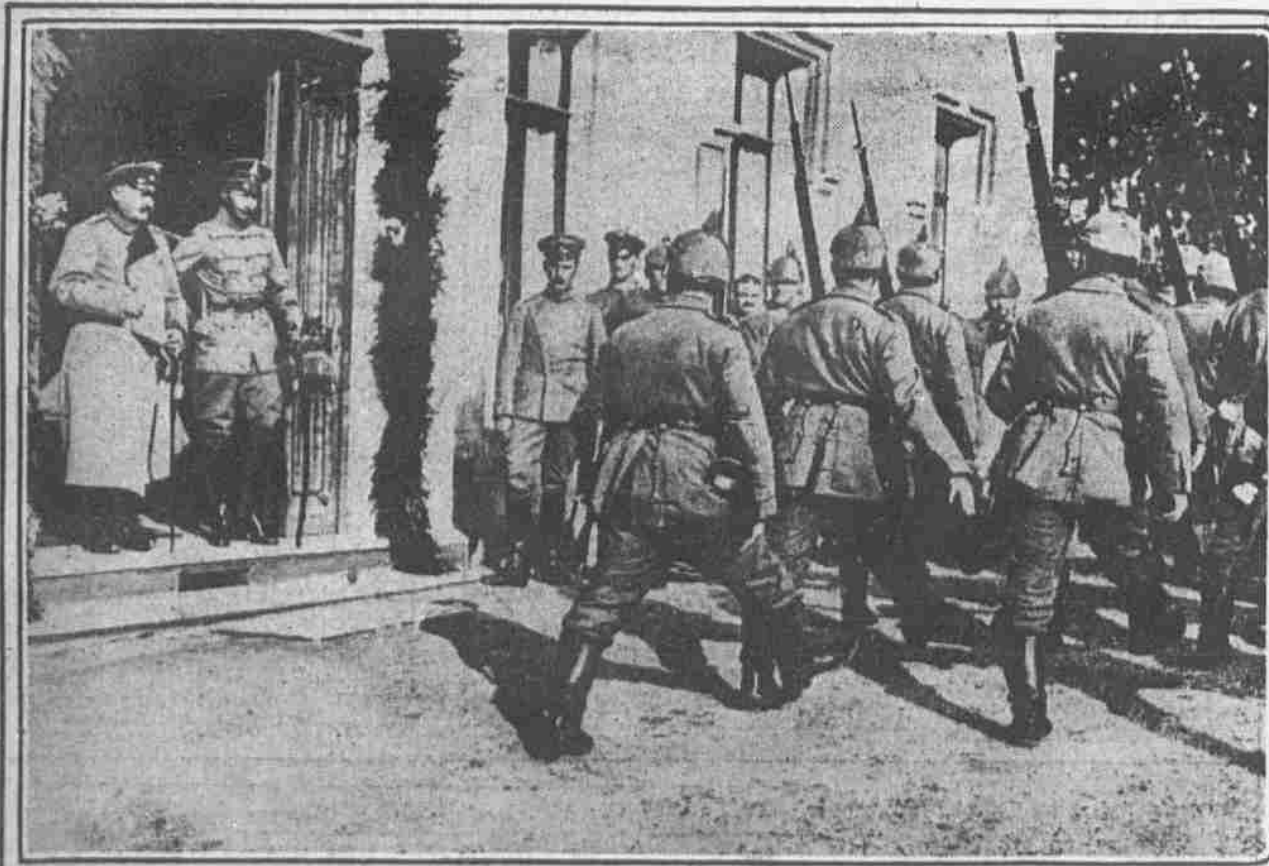
GENERAL VON HINDENBURG, THE LION OF GERMANY
His face is a war map in itself. This portrait of the newly created Field Marshal has just been received in this country. His defense of the East Prussian frontier has made him a hero in the eyes of the German people. His name is heard everywhere.



ATTORNEY GENERAL JOHN C. BELL
One of the best known of Philadelphians snap-shotted when out for a walk. He covers the ground with a free stride. Gossip is already rife as to his possible successor at Harrisburg.



PRINCE OF WALES OFF TO THE FRONT
The dearest wish of the Prince of Wales, to go to the battle line, has been granted. The photo shows him, at right, as he appeared on his way to join the expeditionary forces. He is not exactly a sturdy young man, as is plainly shown in the photograph.



GOOSE-STEPPING PAST THE GERMAN CROWN PRINCE
It is said of the German soldier that he begins to goose-step even if an approaching officer is a block away. The Kaiser's heir and the King of Saxony are shown watching the 99th Regiment of Infantry pass the door of the chateau used by the former as his headquarters in France. This step is a form of salute.



EMPERORS AT THE FRONT AGAIN, BUT NO LONGER TOGETHER
This picture of the Kaiser and the Czar side by side is peculiarly interesting just now because both Emperors are reported to be observing the movements of their troops on the Russian frontier, though, needless to say, they are not now chatting gaily as they are in this scene. Grand Duke Nicholas is on the right.



QUEEN MARY ON WAY TO VISIT AMERICAN HOSPITAL
Queen Mary is shown as she arrived at Folkestone, England, where she visited the American Women's War Hospital. More than 400 wounded soldiers were being treated there at the time. She personally visited many of them and asked after their comfort and welfare.



NOT SAYING MUCH ON RAPID TRANSIT
Thomas E. Mitten, chairman of the Executive Committee and president of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, from a new photograph.



GERMAN OFFICER TELEPHONING FROM A DUGOUT NEAR VERDUN
This picture reveals the completeness of the casemates that have been built by the opposing armies in the months of fighting. They have taken place around the great fort-rue in eastern France. The straw chair, shown on top, keeps out the rain and snow.