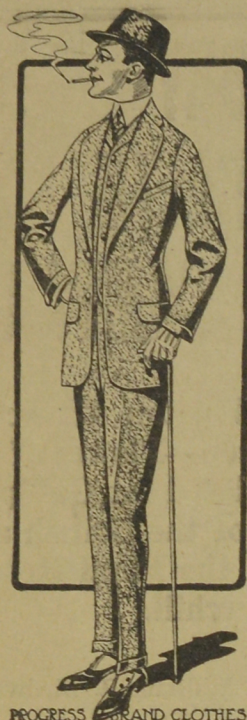


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NORTH DEVON

MEN OF THE TENTH ARMY MARCH THROUGH MAYENCE

Old Hessian Town is Occupied by Troops of Generals Fayette and Mangin—A Most Impressive Sight—Strong Guard of French Troops Put an End to Pillaging—An Impressive Ceremony.

Mayence, Dec. 16—The entry of Generals Fayette and Mangin into Mayence at two o'clock today created a profound impression among that part of the population that did not remain indoors. It was one of the most memorable ceremonies of the occupation.

The strong guard of French troops requested by the authorities of the city had put an end to the pillaging of the military stores on December 9. Their conduct since that time has provoked the most favorable comment on the part of the citizens and officials and that impression was strengthened today when the men of the Tenth Army marched through Mayence with the same dignity that has characterized the forward movement of the French everywhere into German territory.

Facilitated the Task

The Frenchmen swung through the old Hessian town which was French for a score of years, after occupation by the revolutionary army, with the business-like gait so familiar in the past four and a half years apparently unconscious that they were the victors marching into the conquered town of an adversary. The attitude of officers and men greatly facilitated the task of occupation. The people of Mayence maintained greater reserve than the inhabitants of the other towns occupied by the French. Many of the houses and buildings were tightly closed and a large proportion of the people in the streets were women and children.

After a review of the troops of the tenth army, General Fayette and General Mangin were presented to the city and provincial authorities in the old Hessian Grand Ducal Palace. The Burgomaster, the President of the Provincial Government and the President of the Chamber of Commerce addressed General Fayette expressing the hope that the military authorities would co-operate with them in maintaining order and keeping the economic life of the region going.

General Fayette in reply, reminded them that the war imposed by Germany was one of the most cruel and unjust in history. He drew a picture of the devastation in France and Belgium and the distress of families without shelter, their goods, products and manufacturing machinery having been carried off into Germany and their soil left a desert.

CHIEF GERMAN CRIMINALS MUST BE PUNISHED

London.—Dozens of lists have been put forward in Europe of German criminals who must be punished. Some of these lists run even into the hundred, and even then, present only "chief criminals."

All of the lists include one William Hohenzollern and his heir. Here are some of the others:—

HINDENBURG: Ordered bread which had been found soaked in paraffin given to Russian prisoners as food. At Rosel (Somme), March 10, 1917, ordered everything burned, destroyed and pillaged in area about to be evacuated.

MACKENSEN: Responsible for thefts, incendiarism and execution of notables and peasants in Rumania. Ordered about 1000 children from 10 to 17 years, shot on the ground that they had conspired against him.

RUPPRECHT: Massacred and hanged Russian civilians in Russian Poland in 1915. Responsible for deportation in Lille and elsewhere, carried out with the help of von Graevenitz, military governor of Lille.

SCHUBERT: Shelled old men and women and children whom he had collected at Boruage, on the ground that they were "useless mouths."

KLAUSS: Responsible for massacre at Gerbeville and Fraimbois. At former place 60 civilians were massacred, one of them being soaked in oil and burned.

BUELOW: Posted this notice at Andennes Aug. 22, 1914: "With my consent, the whole place has been burned and about 100 people have been shot."

STENGER: Ordered: "All prisoners, even if taken in large numbers are to be put to death. No living man is to be left behind us."

BREICHT: Ordered execution of 117 hostages while drunk at Arlon, and, on regaining sobriety, laughed when told order had been carried out.

MANTEUFFEL: Ordered burning of Louvain and expulsion of 10,000 civilians from the town.

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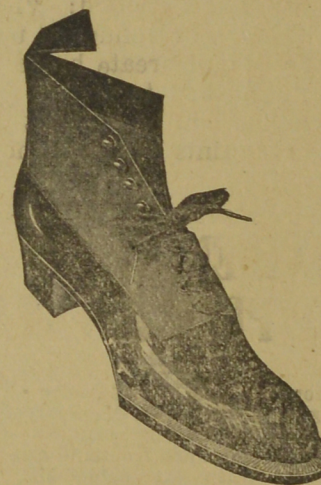
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RULES FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF INFLUENZA AND CARE OF THE SICK

1. Live as much as possible in the open air, and have houses well ventilated. Admit all the sunlight possible.
2. Avoid all indoor assemblies, and travel as infrequently as possible.
3. If the disease appears in the family, put the patient at once to bed, preferably in an upper room, well aired, but so that the patient be not in a draft.
4. Keep patient by himself, permitting only the nursing attendant, the doctor and the clergyman to see him.
5. Have whoever enters the room to wear a mask of simple gauze over the mouth and nose. The same gauze should not be used for more than two hours, and then burned.
6. Insist upon the patient using a handkerchief to cover coughing or sneezing (paper ones will do); these should be burned at once after use.
7. Do not permit patient to mingle with his family or the public until all fever is gone, and until all discharges from mouth, nose and throat have dried up.
8. Patient, after recovery, should take particular care to avoid exposure to chills and dampness, as pneumonia is quite frequent under these circumstances and constitutes the gravest danger connected with the disease. Remain in house three or four days after feeling well, as this is a critical period after recovery.
9. Call a doctor upon the occurrence of suspicious symptoms as unusual backache, headache, chills followed by fever, etc., as it is dangerous to depend upon household treatment in this disease.
10. Do not be over-anxious. That is do not worry respecting the danger of contracting the disease. Such worry serves no good purpose and sometimes renders one more liable to contract it. Follow the above preventive measures and the advice of the physician.
11. If, in the family affected, there be no suitable provision for proper isolation of the patient, it is strongly recommended that he be removed to some hospital, or other place temporarily established, for the proper isolation and care of those affected.

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CAPELLE: Responsible for later submarine outrages and gave strict orders that hospital ships must not be spared.

EBERLEIN: Boasted in article in Muenchner Neueste Nachrichten that he had compelled civilians to march in front of his men as a screen against enemy fire.

