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VON KLUCK PASSES.

STATE FUNERAL OF GERMAN WAR COMMANDER.

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Pictures:-

The world is again reminded of the war, if reminding is necessary by the death of the German Commander, General Von Kluck. It was Von Kluck who commanded the enemy forces at the Marne battle,--

--and led the advance on Paris in 1914.

Preceded and followed by Reichwehr--

--detachments, the coffin is taken to Stahnsdorf for interment. A prominent--

--figure among the mourners is Field -Marshal Von--

--Mackensen, whose generalship smashed up--

--the Russian steam-roller--

--on the Eastern Front. The much discussed--

--Reichbishop Mueller was present, although he arrived very--

--hurriedly ten minutes after the service was over.

(EFFECTS).

Immediately after the coffin was lowered,--

--the General's widow stepped forward and made her last--

--gesture of affection to her soldier husband,--

--while veteran Von Mackensen saluted with his baton decorated with the German imperial eagle.

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Picture.:-

Another link with the war is provided--

--by the name of 'EMDEN' on the new German cruiser, if you do not remember the almost incredible--

--audacity of Captain Von Mueller in the old--

--'EMDEN', whose exploits read almost like a novel. At the unveiling--

--of this tablet, the original crew of the--

--bold raider are present - - probably--

--reviewing memories of bombarding and--

--firing the Madras--

--oil tank; seizing the Coeos Island wireless station, and then--

--their rescue from the defeated and sinking vessel.