



MME. SARAH BERNHARDT AT THE FRONT, DESCRIBED BY HER AS "THE MOST THRILLING EVENT OF MY LIFE." The Famous Actress, Borne by Soldiers from Place to Place Along the French Lines Near Pont-a-Mousson, Southeast of Verdun, Gave Six Performances, Including the War Play, "Les Cathedrales," Before the Most Enthusiastic Audiences, She Said, She Had Ever Seen. At One Time She Was Within a Quarter of a Mile of the German Trenches.

From a French Official Photograph Taken for the Archives of the War Department in Paris. (Photo © by Modem Photo Service.)



FRENCH PEASANTS Leaving Their Homes in the Verdun Region for Safer Abodes in the Interior.

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BEHIND THE FIGHTING LINES AT VERDUN. French Soldiers, Relieved of Duty in the Trenches, Seek Relaxation by Making Merry Over a Mock Wedding, Using Ancient Military and Civilian Costumes Ransacked from an Abandoned House in the Neighborhood.



"FRENCH SOLDIERS OF TOMORROW." The Class of 1918 Pledging Their Devotion to Their Country and Its Cause in This War Before the Statue of Strassburg, Paris, Which They Salute with Their Flags. (Photo from Press Illustrating Co.)



RUINS OF THE GERMAN ZEPPELIN BROUGHT DOWN BY THE ALLIED FLEET IN SALONIKI HARBOR ON THE MORNING OF MAY 5. The Big Aircraft, Set on Fire by the Bursting Shells from the Warships, Fell in a Marsh Bordering the Mouth of the Vardar River.