

Uncle Sam Is Santa Claus This Year to War-Devastated Sections of Europe and Asia

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NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Merry Christmas!

The United States is saying that to the world these days—saying it with money, and food, and warm clothing; with medical supplies and ambulances, cod-liver oil for kids and bicycles for convalescent soldiers.

Christmas gifts from the United States are being rushed across the Atlantic and Pacific almost daily. Right up to Christmas Day people will be giving money to be cabled

abroad and applied to make Christmas as merry as it may be.

Merry Christmas, then, to:

POLITICAL PRISONERS—Early in December went the first 5000 of many thousands of food packages to be distributed by Red Cross workers to prisoners in German concentration camps and prisons.

BRITISH CIVILIANS—Just before Christmas Day, stevedores in an unnamed British port will unload 176 cases and 37 bales of warm used clothing and new hand-knitted garments, together with 12,000 blankets and many

shoes. The Bundles for Britain campaign soon will send other similar material for air-raid victims, including mobile canteens, surgical and medical supplies, children's coats for air-raid shelters.

The British War Relief Society has already raised \$3,500,000, sent supplies worth \$1,600,000 seeks \$20,000,000.

The British-American Ambulance Corps has given money for 409 ambulances, adds three a day.

The American Committee for Evacuation of Children has been unable to receive as many children

as expected, so spends its money for blankets, sleeping bags, cod-liver oil and vitamin foods for homeless British children.

THE GREEKS—Contributions of \$169,000 were received in the first few days by the Greek War Relief Association, seeking \$10,000,000.

CHINA—Each of 150 "Bowl of Rice" parties will soon benefit the American Bureau for Medical Aid to China. More than \$750,000 has been raised in the past 40 months for medical supplies.

The China Emergency Relief Committee has begun to raise a

million dollars. Chinese colleges, carrying on under staggering handicaps, will get \$600,000 of American support this year through the Associated Boards for Christian Colleges in China.

Thousands of Chinese "War-orphans" will owe their Christmas cheer to the Golden Rule Foundation's work through Madam Chiang Kai-shek.

UNOCCUPIED FRANCE—Here the Quaker Friends Service Committee brings in almost the only ray of light, with \$25,000 a month permitted to pass through the

money blockade, plus another \$25,000 allowed to go to Switzerland, where supplies are bought.

FINLAND, THE CZECHS, POLAND—Through committees of their friends and sympathizers in the United States, a trickle of help and Yule cheer will get through. Finland still can get cargoes direct through one port unblocked by ice or war. The others are, of course, at the mercy of the Germans.

All this adds up to large sums of money, time and sympathy. The American Red Cross has spent for

war relief in Europe since September, 1939, about \$6,185,846. It has sent to the European continent and to England clothing valued at \$3,277,016.

The people of the United States have given the Red Cross \$21,698,483 for war relief since Hitler marched westward. Spending of this fund properly comes to a peak around Christmas and the winter season.

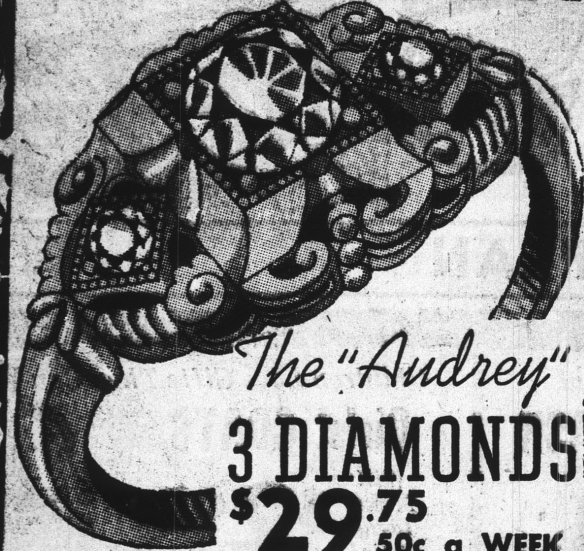
The volume of foreign relief contributions may reach \$70,000,000 in 1941, observers believe, but since 1941 bids fair to be a fairly pros-

perous year, this is not expected to interfere with the two billions which Americans annually pay out for welfare and religious work at home and overseas.

Thus the United States says "Merry Christmas" to the world.

HATS WITH STEEL CROWNS—LONDON, Dec. 13 (U. P.).—Hats with a steel crown for protection against splinters in an air-raid are new arrivals in the fashion world here. The hats have an India rubber band protecting the edge to prevent the cap cutting into the forehead.

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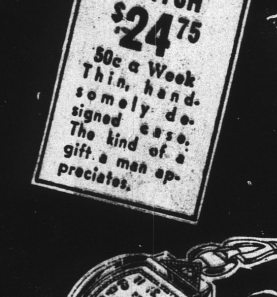
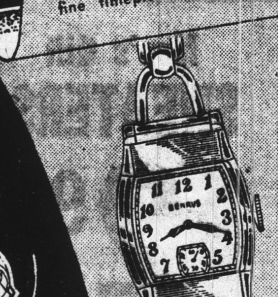





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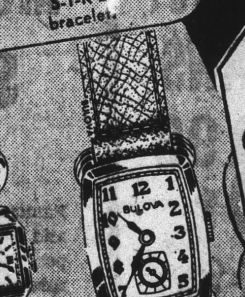




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