

Promotion of Co-operation in Christian Missions

John R. Mott, April 1914, presented on behalf of leading foreign missionary Boards of the continent, a program of co-operation and co-ordination.

Common headquarters in New York for united foreign missionary interests and comprehensive missionary research library.

\$25,000 pledged for providing and equipping offices, and about  $\frac{1}{2}$  million, spread over 10 years to aid work.

Belgian Relief

Belgian Relief Committee in U.S. - solicits Rockefeller Foundation: donations.

Charters ship - 4,000 tons food supplies  
Provides steamship pier

charters other ships, transports, etc.

4 cargoes of food sent (see exhibit),  
October to December 1914

Page's reference to British Navy  
1 million dollars in relief.

Broad policy of relief to suffering non-combatants of Europe

War Relief Commission

Visits Holland

Conditions there - 800,000 refugees

Idleness vs. homelessness

Lack of work for people to do.

Lack of clothing to keep them warm.

Distribution of clothing

At first, warehouse 150 to 300 cases a day

Later, 2 warehouses, 300 to 550 cases a day

12,476 cases in less than 2 months

1,386,572 articles of clothing.

Contribution of workshops

for undergarments

extended to 11 provinces of Holland

5,000 women & girls at work by Apr. 1, 1914

Product supplied free to Belgians,

bonus to workers.

Foundation purchased 10,000 undergarments