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Memorandum for the Prime Minister

*Salvation Army* ✓  
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Commissioner Benjamin Orames of the Salvation Army arrived in Canada in 1939 and has not had the opportunity of meeting you. He wishes to make available through you the services of the Salvation Army for United Nations relief, thus duplicating a similar offer made for war service at the outbreak of war.

The Relief Administration seeks to encourage assistance by voluntary agencies. The Agreement gives the Administration control over these and the Administration will encourage the utmost voluntary assistance, subject to its control.

The Salvation Army representatives recognize how busy you are and say the interview would not take more than two or three minutes. They say it would be of the greatest possible assistance to them in securing the support of their own workers. It would also be a recognition of their very substantial contribution to the war effort.

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