



CARRIER PIGEONS LEAVING A MILITARY PIGEON HOUSE IN THE MARNE DISTRICT, BEARING MESSAGES TO VARIOUS PARTS OF THE FRONT. The Top and Sides of the Pigeon House Have Been Painted in "Low Visibility" Colors.



An Attendant of the French Military Carrier Pigeons Giving Water to a Thirsty Bird Just Arrived. The Tent in the Background Can Be Seen to Be Mottled for Protection Against Enemy Airmen.



MRS. VINCENT ASTOR OF NEW YORK VISITING ONE OF THE MANY TEMPORARY HOUSES WHICH HAVE BEEN SET UP BY THE AMERICAN RELIEF COMMITTEE THROUGHOUT THE DEVASTATED BUT RECONQUERED TERRITORY OF FRANCE TO SHELTER THE HOMELESS REFUGEE POPULATION, NOW RETURNING FROM OTHER SECTIONS OF FRANCE. (Photos by Pictorial Press.)



FRENCH GIRLS HARVESTING THE BEAN CROP, RELEASING THE MEN FOR THE FIGHTING. (Pictorial Press.)



FRENCH SOLDIERS ON THE MARNE ON GUARD WITH AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN OPERATED FROM THE MOUTH OF A SHALLOW WELL.



This and Accompanying Reproductions Are from French Official Photographs.

YOUNG GIRLS AND BOYS HELPING TO HARVEST FRANCE'S POTATO CROP. (Pictorial Press.)



QUEEN ELIZABETH OF THE BELGIANS IMMEDIATELY AFTER ALIGHTING FROM AN AIRPLANE AFTER HAVING MADE HER RECENT FLIGHT OVER THE GERMAN LINES.



ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF THE MARNE PRESIDENT POINCARÉ, MARSHAL JOFFRE, AND OTHER HIGH FRENCH OFFICIALS REVIEW THE VETERANS OF THAT BATTLE ON THE SCENE OF THEIR VICTORIOUS STRUGGLE. In the Central Foreground Are Premier Painlevé, M. Ribot, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and President Poincaré, While Marshal Joffre Can Be Seen in the Background Between MM. Ribot and Poincaré.