

President Wilson Appeals In Behalf of Two Million Starving People

THE APPEAL FROM THE WHITE HOUSE

White House, Washington, D. C.

"American diplomatic and consular representatives and other American residents recently returned from Western Asia assure me that many thousands of lives were saved from starvation by the gifts of the American people last winter. They also bring full assurance of the continued effective distribution of relief.

"Reports indicate that of orphans alone there are more than 400,000, besides women and other dependent children, reaching a total of more than 2,000,000 destitute survivors. The situation is so distressing as to make a special appeal to the sympathies of all.

"In view of the urgent need I call again upon the people of the United States to make such further contributions as they feel disposed, in their sympathy and generosity, for the aid of these suffering peoples. Contributions may be made through the American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., or direct to the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, Cleveland H. Dodge, Treasurer, One Madison Avenue, New York City." (Signed) WOODROW WILSON

29 October, 1917.

Last Year We Fed These Little Children. They Were a Worthwhile Investment.

Shall We Continue to Give Them Life This Year?

BREAD!

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\$30,000,000 Needed This Winter

If you knew that you could save a child from starvation by giving \$5.00 a month would you hesitate? 400,000 Orphan Children are Crying for Bread.

AMERICA NEVER FAILS

Americans have never yet failed to help the weak, or the oppressed, or the distressed anywhere.

Picture over two million people centering all their desires on one thing—enough to eat, just enough to keep them alive.

Think of yourself in a similar position; the joy of home life denied you, no hope, no song, no laughing children, no work, nothing to do but to suffer death from slow starvation.

We are asking America to-day because America answered yesterday.

Who can say "No" to the call when it comes from two million people, mostly women and children?

CABLEGRAM



"VIA COMMERCIAL"

A. SUBJECT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS AT FOOT OF PAGE

NOVEMBER 3RD, 1917.

ARMENIAN SYRIAN RELIEF
METROPOLITAN BUILDING NEW YORK

FAMINE INCREASING. REFUGEES DRIVEN FROM RIPENING CROPS, LIVING UNSHELTERED IN INDESORIBABLE RAGS, DESTITUTION AND STARVATION. NEW REFUGEES CONSTANTLY ARRIVING. MANY WILL DIE OF WINTER'S COLD WITHOUT CLOTHES OR BEDDING. WOMEN AND LITTLE CHILDREN NOW DYING OF HUNGER AT OUR GATES. NO HOPE SAVE AMERICA. DELAY IN RELIEF MEANS DEATH TO HUNDREDS DAILY. AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS AFTER INSPECTION REPORT MOST ABJECT SUFFERING THEY HAVE EVER SEEN. PROMPT ACTION IMPERATIVE.

SHEDD, ELLIS, BEURY, VANNEMAN

SAVE A LIFE

400,000 children cry for bread. \$5.00 a month will give one child food.

\$50.00 a month will sustain 10 little children.

There are many of you who can afford to give \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000 a month.

Will you be one of 400,000 Americans saving 400,000 Armenian, Syrian and Greek boys and girls? \$5.00 a month—LIFE.

This work is conducted in perfect co-operation and with full approval of the American Red Cross, which uses this Committee as their agency in this field.

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MASS MEETING, HIPPODROME
Sunday, November 11, at 3.30 P. M.

I will provide for.....orphans
at Five Dollars (\$5) a month for.....
months.

Enclosed find \$.....

Name

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