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## RED CROSS CENTENARY APPROACHES

*We have now entered the important year in which the National Red Cross, Red Crescent, and Red Lion and Sun Societies, united in fellowship, will be celebrating the Centenary of the Red Cross movement, together with their international institutions. The first of the Celebrations will be on February 17, the date of the foundation of the International Committee one hundred years ago.*

*All those who are connected with the Red Cross, either at close hand or from afar, can feel proud as they turn to the past and look back at the long road which has been travelled, marked by so much useful work and by such increasingly wide-spread and daring effort. When, however, they reflect that this work and this effort are created, as if ordered, by a divided world in which the means of destruction have become terrifying, they may perhaps be assailed by doubt and wonder whether good is increasing in proportion with evil which is also increasing.*

*These thoughts must be set aside. for this Centenary year must be, for us in particular, a lesson in confidence and an act of faith. This has been affirmed both by Mr. Siordet, in the following article which we are pleased to publish, and by Mr. Logoz, who will be explaining to us the preparations in Geneva at the moment.*

*Our readers will have noticed that the cover of the International Review has undergone a change. During 1963, it will bear the Centenary emblem, as a monthly reminder to everybody of the importance of the event and the profound significance attached to it. (Edit.)*

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