

English edition of the Revue internationale

Wishing to reach a wider public, the International Committee of the Red Cross has decided to publish, starting in April 1961, an English edition of the Revue internationale de la Croix-Rouge.

Hitherto this publication has appeared in French, with English, German and Spanish Supplements, which contained selected articles and news items. Although the circulation of the French edition has continued to increase for some considerable time, the editorial staff has received numerous requests for more material to be included in the English Supplements, and that the studies and news items which had previously been published in full in the French edition only, should also reach this public.

The ICRC has therefore decided to produce each month from now on a new publication of the Revue internationale, which will in principle be identical with the French edition. Published in English, it will contain contributions from the English-speaking world.

Enquiries which we made before deciding to take this step had most encouraging results and it is to be hoped that considerable support will be forthcoming in the shape of new subscriptions as well as articles by the directors of National Red Cross, Red Crescent and Red Lion and Sun Societies and from many other different sources. This will not in any way affect the German and Spanish Supplements which will continue to appear as before.

The ICRC hopes that this project will be favourably received and that it will be able to count on a large number of contributors. The intention is to make of the Revue internationale de la Croix-Rouge an ever wider platform for the expression of responsible opinions on contemporary problems of great humanitarian interest. It therefore accepts contributions from all quarters, in so far of course, as these are based on Red Cross principles at a time when these are too often misunderstood, and in defence of the essential rights of man.

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