

## INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

ventions, the International Committee has just published its third edition of the Geneva Conventions in pictures.

It will be remembered that these booklets, already well known in Red Cross circles, include thirty illustrated pages, pocket size, each one giving commentaries in nine languages. The choice of these languages is made, in the four groups, according to geographical criteria and following an arrangement dictated by typographical considerations. In alphabetical order, these languages, divided into groups of nine in the four editions, are as follows: Arabic, Cambodian, Chinese, English, French, German, Hindi, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Kikongo, Lingala, Luba, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Swahili and Urdu.

Out of 89,500 copies printed, 71,500 have already been ordered from the ICRC.

### Guests of the ICRC

During the first fortnight in January, the ICRC had the honour of welcoming the following, amongst others, at its headquarters: Mrs. Regina Savi de Tové, President of the Togolese Red Cross; Dr. F. Janouch, President of the Czechoslovak Red Cross; Mrs. Lidia Costin, Brazilian Red Cross at Sao Paulo; Mr. B. de Loriol, head of the first-aid section of the departmental committee of the French Red Cross in the Gold Coast, and Mr. C. K. Peng, UNESCO scholar.

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## VISIT TO THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

President Léopold Boissier, together with his colleagues and staff, yesterday received the Head of the Military Department and Mrs Paul Chaudet, and the Head of the Political Department and Mrs F. T. Wahlen, at the headquarters of the International Committee of the Red Cross in Geneva.<sup>1</sup>

The two Swiss federal counsellors and their wives showed great interest in the talks which were given on the recent activities of the ICRC, and they also visited the Central Tracing Agency's card-index.

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<sup>1</sup> *Plate.*



#### **JORDAN**

*King Hussein receives representatives of the ICRC; (from right to left, H. M. The King, Mr. Gaillard, ICRC delegate, Mr. Abou Qoura, Secretary-General of the Jordan Red Crescent, Mr. Zveikat, ICRC official).*

#### **GENEVA**

*On behalf on the ICRC, of which he is President, Mr. Boissier welcomes two members of the Swiss Federal Council and their wives (from right to left, Mrs. and Mr. Wahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Chaudet).*





#### NEPAL

*Handing over of a gift of milk from the Swedish Red Cross to tibetan refugees. In the presence of Mr. Stalder, Head of the ICRC delegation (left), the Swedish Ambassador (centre) hands over the gift to a nurse-delegate of the ICRC.*

#### INDIA

*Mr. Durand, ICRC delegate (centre), visits Mangaldoi evacuee camp in Assam.*

