



The Boy who's helping "get it over" Over Seas

Dutch Boy:

It's a real job for all of us — getting these Victory Ships loaded with what it takes. Climb on this cargo sling and let me show you . . .

Look. There goes a net full of tires — the tires you're doing without — the tires National Lead helps to turn out by supplying lead-lined acid handling equipment to the synthetic rubber people . . .

On the foredeck there, between the hatches, they're stowing planes — the fightin' est planes in the sky. Nearly every plane manufacturer in the country stamps out important parts with dies made of our special alloy which permits quick improvements in design.

But let's look over the ship herself. Here, take a peep at her guns. They're fired with explosives which your wife's kitchen fan — and our concentrated sulphuric acid — help make. And that reminds me, one of our plants helps supply the brass cases on those hefty 105 mm. projectiles our big field guns are slamming at the enemy . . .

Here are the oil storage tanks. Can you imagine how many barrels it takes to keep thousands of ships like this on the go? Our well drilling compounds are helping the petroleum industry sink new wells with greater safety and speed . . .

This is the No. 3 hold. Those crates on the starboard side contain portable field X-ray units equipped with protective lead sheeting made by my outfit . . .

Ever see a ship's engine room? Friction is the enemy they fight here. That's why so many of these big bearings are lined with our anti-friction metals . . .

Here are the refrigeration compartments where they store perishable foods. Notice that the floors are lead lined to prevent corrosion. And of course the refrigerant runs through lead pipes for the same reason . . .

Speaking of corrosion, one thing you've got to do with a metal ship is keep it well painted. You'll find our lead, titanium and calcium pigments fighting rust for the Victory Fleet on all the seven seas.

We've only scratched the surface — but that'll give you a rough idea of what my company is doing to put victory into every Victory Ship. National Lead Company, 111 Broadway, New York 6, N. Y.



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