## XMAS IS CHRISTMAS IN ANY LANGUAGE

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Every now and then people say too much fuss is made about Christ-mas and the turkey says 'hear, hear'. Well, we certainly didn't make too much of it this year. There was only one day's holiday, all the more reason to make the most of what there was. Christmas in uniform was the keynote of festivities in 1940. Besides enjoying herself Britain was host to the Free world in arms.

The Belgians who are still in the war, enjoyed a happy Christmas. May Belgium be their own again by next Christmas.

To the Dutch, and if it's not all over by next year, may we be their Christmas guests, just before we march into Germany.

Our good friends the Czechoslovaks have had lots of Christmas presents. Here's to wishing that when Good King Wenceslas looks out next time he won't see any Germans in Prague.

May the Poles break bread in Warsaw this time next year.

Especially do we salute those voluntary exiles in the cause of liberty, the Free French - on sea, on land, in the air, whereever they're following the banner of General de Gaulle.

All best wishes to our Northern friends the Norwegians - not forgetting the grews of their hundreds of merchant ships now sailing under the British flag.

And to all sons of the British Commonwealth of Nations now in arms the Mother Country wishes the compliments of the Season and a victorious New Year. When they've had their fill of turkey there's a Christmas RAF show waiting, produced by Freddie Carpenter of Drury Lane.

Back-stage with the stars we stripped sex of all its appeal.

If ever you pick up a girl in the dark near an RAF camp, don't say you forgot that beauty's only skin deep.

The tough lovelies have got hair on their legs and habits that really aren't quite nice.

But get ready for the fan dance and see how fine feathers make fast birds.