

Invaders Steelband To Broadcast In New York For 12 Minutes

The United States will get their first taste of steelband music when Invaders of Woodbrook, Port-of-Spain, play for 12 minutes on Monday night in New York over a nationwide coast-to-coast radio programme.

This broadcast is made possible through the combined offices of Mrs. Ogden Reid, owner-publisher of the "New York Herald-Tribune," a widely-circulated morning newspaper in the United States, Pan-American World Air-

ways, who are making all arrangements from this end, and the United States Attorney-General.

To get around the Musicians' Act on the United States Statute Book which prevents foreign professional musicians from playing in that country, Mrs. Reid had to contact the Attorney-General in Washington, who has obtained permission for the steelband to appear over there.

The idea for this appearance started in July last year at the

time of the inaugural flight of the Pan-American Strato-Clipper. Mrs. Reid, who passed through on the Clipper, heard Invaders beating at Piarco. She was much impressed.

About two weeks ago, Mr. John Probst, local manager of P.A.A., received an overseas telephone call from Mr. John Creedy of the Public Relations Department, New York.

The call said Mrs. Reid wanted

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