

8. "Raggy-Doodle" was advertised in the brochure that came with him as "The Toy of the Time!", his function being to explain to children some of the aspects of war. The doll, representing a World War II United States parachute trooper, has a pressed and painted cloth face; a fur collar; a tan stuffed Indian Head cloth body with stencilled harness; an oilcloth helmet; a pair of goggles; and a cream-colored rayon parachute attached with six cotton shroud lines. The parachute is stencilled: "RAGGY-DOODLE/U.S./PARACHUTE TROOPER/DESIGN PATENT ALLOWED". Height of doll 6¾ inches.

Gift of Miss Florence Hoffman, 1963 (63.30a-b)