## VETERANS' ADJUSTED COMPENSATION BILL.

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Mr. McCumber, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following

## REPORT.

[To accompany H. R. 10874.]
The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 10874) to provide adjusted compensation for veterans of the World War, and for other purposes, report favorably thereon with certain amendments, and, as amended, recommend that the bill do pass.

The Purpose of the Bill.
The purpose of this bill is to give to the soldier who offered his life with his service a compensation that will more nearly approach that of the laborer who remained at home, secure from danger, and whose compensation increased from 200 to 300 per cent, and, measured by the amount of labor actually performed, a percentage far beyond those figures.

For many years preceding the Civil War and up until about the time of the World War, the wage of a private soldier was $\$ 13$ a month. It was estimated that the cost of maintenance for each soldier for food and clothing, added to this meager pay, brought his wage up to about the average paid for common labor.

During the World War we paid-our soldiers $\$ 30$ per month or $\$ 1$ per day. A fair estimate of the cost to the Government for his maintenance and clothing would be about $\$ 2$ per day. We might therefore say that the private soldier received a compensation for his services equivalent to about $\$ 3$ per day, which was very much less than that received by the lowest class of labor at home.

## The Bill.

The purpose of this bill being to correct the inequalities suffered by those who performed actual soldiers' duties and received meager soldier wage, there are excluded from its benefits all those who were
given commissions while performing merely clerical service in the departments. Its benefits are also limited to those below the grade of captain in the Army or Marine Corps and lieutenant in the Navy and like grade of officers. For a detailed statement of those excluded see sections 2 and 202.

By act of Congress, at the time of the discharge of our soldiers they were given two months extra pay or $\$ 60$ each. Therefore, in the bill, 60 days are deducted from the service of each soldier or sailor. If he had such service both at home and abroad 00 days are first deducted from his home service. The bill gives an adjusted service credit of \$1 per day for each day's service in the United States and $\$ 1.25$ per day for each day's service overseas or afloat, exclusive of the aforementioned $60^{\circ}$ days. The credit can not exceed $\$ 625$ in the case of overseas service and $\$ 500$ in the case of home service.

## Optional Plang.

Each veteran is given the right to evail himself of any one, but only one, of the following plans:
(1) Adjusted service pay. This plan is limited to veterans whose adjusted service credit is not more than $\$ 50$.
(2) Adjusted service certificite.
(3) Vocational training aid.
(4) Farm or home aid.
(5) Land settlement aid.

Under the House bill the veteran is required to make his application for the plan chosen on or before July 1, 1923. Section 302 (b) of the House bill provides that if the application is made after July 1, 1923, it shall be held void. Your committee proposes to strike out this limitation and to permit the veteran to make application at any time after the passage of the act.

## Tttle IV.-Adjubted Servioe Pay.

Section 401 of the bill permits any veteran whose adjusted service credit is not more than $\$ 50$, to receive such amount in cash, and directs that such payment shall be made as soon as practicable after the receipt of the application, made in accordance with the provisions of section 302.

It is estimated that the maximum payments under this plan will not exceed $\$ 16,000,000$. (See Appendix A.)

## Ttrle V.-Adjusted Servioe Certifioates.

The adjusted service certificate provision permits the veteran to receive a paid-up insurance policy payable at the end of 20 years. The House bill provides that all of the certificates shall be dited October 1, 1922. Your committee recommonds that this provision of the House bill be changed so that'the certificate shall be dated as of the 1st day of January or July (whichever first occurs) next succeeding the day of filing the application, butin no case before January 1, 1923. If the veteran chooses the insurance plan the face value of his certificate will be 25 per cent greater than his' adjusted service credit, together with interest thercon at $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum com-
pounded annually for 20 years. In the event of the veteran's death, prior to the maturity of his certificate, his beneficiary or estate will receive the full face value of the certificate.

## LOAN PRIVILEGES.

Section 502 of the bill authorizes any national bank or any bank or trust company incorporated under the laws of any State, Territory, possession, or the District of Columbia to loan to any veteran, upon his promissory note secured by his adjusted service certificate, any amount not in excess of 50 per cent of the loan basis. The House bill provides that such loan shall mature on or before September 30, 1925, and the Senate bill limits the maturity of such loans to December 31, 1925. No loan can be made by banks after the aforementioned dates. The loan basis in such cases is defined in subdivision (f) of section 502 to be the amount of the adjusted service credit plus interest thereon from the date of the certificate to the date of the making of such loan, at the rate of $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, compounded annually. The rate of interest that can be charged upon such a loan by a bank can not exceed by more than 2 per cent per annum the rate charged at the date of the loan for the discount of commercial paper by the Federal reserve bank for the Federal reserve district in which the bank is located.

In subdivision (a) of section 505 the House bill and the provision recommended by your committee provide that in the case of loans made on or after the date of the certificate and at any time not more than three years after such date, the amount of loans made by the Government to the veteran can not exceed an amount equal to 50 per cent of the adjusted service credit plus interest from the date of the certificate to the date of the making of the loan, at the rate of $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, compounded annually. In the case of loans made at any time more than three years and not more than six years after the date of the certificate, the House bill and the provision recommended by your committee provide that the Government may loan to the veteran an amount not in excess of 85 per cent of the sum of the adjusted service credit plus interest thereon from the date of the certificate to the date of the making of the loan, at the rate of $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, compounded annually.

In the case of loans made more than six years after the date of the certificate the House bill and the provision recommended by your committee authorizes the veteran to borrow from the Government an amount not to exceed 70 per cent of the sum of the adjusted service credit, increased by 25 per cent plus interest thereon from the date of the certificate to the date of the making of the loan; at the rate of $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, compounded annually.

Under the House bill if the veteran fails to make any payment when due and such default continues for a specified period, the Secretary of the Treasury is directed to declare the certificate forfeited and to cancel and surrender the note to the veteran. If the veteran has borrowed from the bank and is in default, he receives the difference between the amount paid the bank by the Government on account of his note and 80 per cent of the loan basis. If the veteran borrows from the Government and is in default and his cartificate is forfeited, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to pay him an amount equal to 80 per cent of the difference between
what ho has borrowed and tho maximum which he is authorisod to borrow.

Your committee recommends that sections 502 and 504 beamended to provide that if the veteran fails to make any payment when due, the Secretary of the Treasury, at any time prior to the maturity of the certificate, shall cancel the note and restore the certificate to the veteran upon receipt of the total amount due thereon, prindipal and interest, together with interest at $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cont per annum, compounded annually, upon all payments in arrears.

Under section 507 of the bill in case the veteran dies before the maturity of the lonn provision is made for the cancellation of the note, but in such case the Secretary of the Treasury is directed to deduot the amount of the unpaid principal and interest of the loan from the amount of the face value of the cortificate in respect to which the loan is made and to pay the remainder to his estate or the beneficiary specified by him.

Section 509 of the bill provides that if the veteran dies after making application for an adjusted service certificate, and before the issuance of such certificate; the amount of the adjusted service oredit of the veteran shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury to his estate or the beneficiary specified by him.

If all the veterans should take the certificate plan (which is very improbable) the total cost of such plan, making allowance for borrow. ing, might reach the total sum of $\$ 4,486,545,975$. (See Appendix B.) But eren if that were possible the payments will be scattered over 40 or more years.

Your committee estimates that about 75 per cent of the vetorans will choose the certificate plan. If 75 per cent of the veterans choose this plan, it is estimated that the total cost might amount to \$3,364,909,481. (See Appendix A.)

## Title VI.-Vocational Training Aid.

The vocational training aid title authorizes a veteran to receive vocational training at the expense of the Government to an amount equal to his adjusted service credit plus 40 per cent, at the rate of $\$ 1.75$ per day.

If all the veterans should elect to take rocational training aid (which is very improbable) it is estimated that the cost (during the calendar years 1923, 1924, and 1925) might aggregate $\$ 2,093,000,000$. (See Appendix C.)

Your committee estimates that about $2 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the veterans will choose the vocational training aid plan. It is estimated that the total cost under this plan would be about $\$ 52,325,000$. (See Appendix A.)

## Title VII.-Farm or Home Aid.

The House bill authorizes the veteran to receive from the Government for the purpose of enabling him to make improvements on a city or suburban home or a farm, or to purchase or make payments on suoh a home or farm, an amount equal to his adjusted sarvice credit plus 25 per cent. Your committee recommend an amendment to the furm or home aid plan of the House bill to authorize the veteran to receive from the Government for the purpose of enabling him to make improvements on a city or suburban home or to purchase or make payments on such a home or farm, or to pay off indebtedness
existing on such a home or farm prior to the date of application by the veteran, an amount equal to the following percentages of his adjusted service credit: 100 per cont if the payment or the first installment theroof in made during the calendar year 1923; 105 per cent if the payment or the first installment thereof is made during the calendar year 1924; 110 per cent if the payment or the first installment thereof is made during the calendar year 1925; 120 per cent if the payment or the first installment thereof is made during the calendar year 1926; 130 per cent if the payment or the first installment thereof is made during the calendar year 1927; 140 per cent if the payment is made during the calendar year 1928 or thereafter.

The purpose of authorizing a progressive increase in the amounts paid to the veteran under the farm or home aid plan is to encourage tho veteran to delay making application under this plan until the business conditions of the United States become more normal and building costs are materially reduced. Your committee believes that this provision will oncourage the veteran to delay making application under this plan for a number of years, thereby deforring the burdon upon the Treasury and at the same time enabling him to purchase land or build a home more cheaply at a later period.

Your committee estimates that about $22 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the veterans will choose the farm, home, and land settlement aid plans. Under this basis it is estimated that the total cost of such plans will amount to $\$ 412,425,000$. (See Appendix A.)

## Title VIII.-Land Settlement.

Your committee recommends the elimination of the land settlement provisions of the House bill for the following reasons: (1) Any reclamation scheme will be exceedingly expensive and will in the end necessitate the expenditure of millions of dollars; (2) it will be many years before a veteran will be able to determine whether or not he could secure any rights under such plan and where the projects will be located; and (3) in making an application for such aid the veteran would not know anything relative to the location, cost, or advantage of the project.

Your committee recommends a land settlement plan which will give the veteran a preference on the opening of public or Indian lands to entry or the restoration to entry of public lands, and on all reclamation projects now in existence or hereafter established, whether such reclamation is made by irrigation, drainage, or otherwise.

## Estimated Cost.

It is estimated as a basis for estimating cost that 75 per cent of the veterans will elect to take the certificate plan, $22 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent farm, home, and land settlement aid, and $2 \frac{1}{5}$ per cent vocational training; all the above in addition to those taking the cash payment plan. On this basis the total cost of each plan is estimated to be as follows:

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Plan:

| Gertificate plan. | 83, 364, 909, 481 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Farm, home, and land settlement aic | 412, 425,000 |
| Vecational training. | 52, 325,000 |
| Cash. | 16,000,000 |
| Total.. | 3, 845, 659, 481 |

## Interest Payments From Foreign Obligations;

On February 9, 1922, the President approved the act creating a World War Foreign Debt Commission to refund the demand obligations of foreign countries into long-term obligations. This commission has alrendy taken steps in this direction and it is hoped will be able to secure such obligations in the very near future and that it will be possible for the foreign governments to provide for the immediate payment of interest thereon, so that such interest can be used toward defraying the expenses authorized under this act.

The budget recently presented to the House of Commons proyides for the installment of interest due the United States on the indebtedness of Great Britain payable November, 1922. In view of this fact it is believed that the United States can count on receiving interest payments from England upon her indebtedness to us from now on, such payments aggregating about $\$ 200,000,000$ per annum.

The March, 1922 revised estimates of receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1923, contain an estimate of $\$ 225,000,000$ for interest on foreign obligations. This would be nearly three times the amount necessary to meet the obligations created by this bill for the first two years.

## Public Debt Maturities to Marde, 1926.

On April 3, 1922, the obligations of the Government outstanding and maturing prior to March, 1926, aggregated $\$ 6,801,423,879$. The table appearing as Appendix E shows the amount of certificates of indebtedness, Victory and Treasury notes, and war-savings certificates outstanding on April 3, 1922, and the date of maturity of such obligations. (See Appendix E.)
The Treasury Department has for some time been funding the Victory notes maturing in 1923 and the certificates of indebtedness into three and four year notes in order to reduce the 1923 funding operations.

The gross debt of the United States reached its peak on August 31, 1919 when it amounted to $\$ 26,596,701,648.01$. On May 31, 1922, it had been reduced to $\$ 23,138,838,607.18$, or $\$ 3,457,863,040.83$. This reduction is chiefly due to the retirement of certificates of indebtedness and the purchase of Liberty bonds and Victory notes through the operation of the sinking fund.
Payments Sinoe the War by Foreign Countries to Their Veterans.
The following tables show the payments made by foreign countries to their veterans since the war:

Foreign bonus payments to enlisted men of World War.

| Country. | Base of bonus, maximum rate. | Maximum passible. | Probable average. | Totalcost. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Great Britaln | $£ 5$ plus 10s. per month's service in excess of one year; maximum 48 months. | £29 ( 101.50 ) . . . . . . . |  | $£ 78,831,656(\$ 275,910,448)$ <br> to men and officers. |
| -Canada....... | Pay and allowances they would have recelved If not demobilized, for from 1 to 6 months, depending on scrvice. | \$000 (8540).............. | -* | \$164,000,000 $(\$ 147,600,000)$ |

Foreign bonus payments to enlisted men of World War-Continued.

| Country. | Base of bonus, maximum rate. | Maximum possible. | Probable average. | Total cost. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australla..... | 1s.6d. per day of service... | £117 (\$409.50). | £83年...... | $£ 30,000,000$ ( $\$ 105,000,000$ ); mostly paid in ti per cent bonds, maturing May 31, 1024. |
| New Realand. | Same as Australla....... | £117 (\$409.50)......... | £584...... | $£ 5,225,000(\$ 18,290,650)$ to May 301920. |
| Franco....... | 250 francs plis 20 francs per month for service at front, between Aug. 2 , 1914, and Nor. 11, 1918 . | 1,270 france (\$95.25). |  | $4,964,048,670$ ir a n oa ( $\$ 372,371,150$ ); payable in monthly inst |
| Belglum..... | 75 franes per month for services at front, Aug. 1, 1914, to Nov. 11, 1918, less family allowance. | 3,825 francs (less fam${ }^{11} \mathrm{y}^{2}$ allowanco $)$ (\$287). |  | 141,230,000 francs ( $\$ 10$, 592,250 ); in budget for 1921. |
| Germany. |  | 65 marks ( $\$ 0.97$ ). | 65 marks.. |  |

Czechoslovakia, no bonis; gratulty to those 20 per cont or more lncapacitated and to widows and orphans.
NOTE.-At the time of the aforementioned payments to enlisted meri of the World War, the currency of such countries was worth in United States money about as follows:


Foreign currency is converted in the above table into dollars at these rates.

## Means of Meeting the Adjusted Compensation Payments.

Under the House bill and the bill as proposed by your committee an attempt has been made to reduce the actual cash payments under the bill during the next three years to the minimum, because of the large funding problem facing the Treasury. It is the opinion of your committee that during the next three-year period the payments under this bill can be made without additional taxation. It is hoped that by the end of this three-year period the reduction in governmental expenditures plus the payment of interest upon foreign obligations will be sufficient to obviate the imposition of additional taxation. If it does become necessary to impose additional taxes, it is believed that we can better determine the amount of the necessary levy and the methods of distributing such burdens for the future at a later date when the future condition of the Treasury will be more accurately established.

## Basts for Estimates Under Proposed Bill.

The following table furnished by the War and Navy Departments contains the data upon which the estimated costs under this bill are based:
Estimate of the vetcrans eligible to receive the benefits provided under H. R. 10874, including days served and average number of doys for which adjusted service credit would be given.

|  | Army. | Navy. | Marine Corps. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Service period (days), Apr. 6, 1917-June 30, 1919 | 816 | 818 | 818 |
| Average number of days of service......................... | 389 | 470 | 440 |
| Average number of days for which pay would be due....... | 329 | 410 | 380 |
| Total number of man days............................. | 1,443, 630,000 | 259, 062,154 | 33,479,224 |
| Total number of man days in American Expeditionary Forco | 611,380,000 |  | 12, 253,200 |
|  |  |  | 366 |
| T'otal rho served.............................. | 4,650,500 | 551,736 | 88,101 |
| Sxaluded classes. | 717,500 | 107, 228 | 7,410 |
| Number of men entitled to adjusted service pay............. | 3,933,000 | 444, 508 | 80,891 |
| Total eligibles. |  | 4,458, 199 |  |

The following tables show comparisons of the wealth, debt, and taxation of the United States and specified foreign countrics:

Table showing the population, wealth, debt, revenue, and expenditures of the Enited States and specified countries.

| Country. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Population, } \\ & 1919 . \end{aligned}$ | Wealth. ${ }^{1}$ | Debt in por cont of wealth. | Debt. ${ }^{1}$ |  | Revenue, 1820 | Expenditures, 1920. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Amount. | Per capita |  |  |
| United States. | 105,683,000 | \$204, 393,000,000 | 11.7 | \$23,022,000,000 ... | ${ }^{2228.35}$ | S14, 498, $831,288$. | 815,297,934,880. |
| Cnited Kingdom | 46,089,000 $41,476,000$ | $70,564,250,000$ $58,388,000,000$ | 52.2 94.4 |  | 1,390.08 | ${ }_{21,720} \times 1,200,000$ iranes. | 27,181,400,000 fraves. |
| Belgium. | 7,658,000 | 14,307, 510,000 | 28.4 | 19,501,475,000 tranes ( $(3,781,155,000) .$. | 1933:75 | 3,119,24,000 francs. | 3,780,638,000 frames. |
| Italy. | [36,740,000 | 21, $801,920,000$ | 85.5 | 98,832,120,000 Ure (818,650,000,000) ${ }^{3}$. | 507. 82 | 1234,019,000 Hre.... | 24, $888,703,000$ ltos. |
| Canada. | 8,301,000 | 11, 119, 953, 000 | 20.1 |  | 267.25 | ع80,403,000........ | Eth,720,000. |
| Australia.. | 4,981, $67,812,000$ | $7,445,745,000$ $00,540,575,000$ | 25.0 88.6 |  | ( $\begin{array}{r}373.22 \\ 1,061.92\end{array}$ |  | 56, 112,000. |

1 Ree Statistical Abstract, P . 857.
${ }^{1}$ From Senate Report No. 400 , Bixty-serventh Congress, second session.
Note.-Conversion from forelgn curreney is made at the per of exchanga

Per capita las improwd in tho Uniled States and specified forcign countries.
[Sourct: Etatosmen's Year Book.]

| : ;-, | Country. | 1914 | 1980 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Unflea Btat |  | 8.70 | 94. 4 |
| Ventor Xing | . | 17.2 | 107.18 |
| Preme. |  | 10.98 | 88.5 |
| Qumbiyy. |  | 7.45 | 100.72 |

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## Appendix A.

Coot to Government on basis of 75 per cont certificate plan, zet farm, home, and land settlement aid, and 21 per cent vocational training, after deducting the cash payments of $\$ 16,000,000$.

| Calender year. | Certufcato plan. | Farm, home, and land settloment add. | Vocations) training. | Cash. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 185. | \$13,205,\% | \$22, 000,000 | 611,675,000 | 110,000,000 | S71, 40, 800 |
| 1924. | 19,927,729 | 47,250,000 | 20,000,000 | 5,000,000 | 9, 17, 72 |
| 129. | 21,950,902 | 40,500,000 | 650,050 | 1,000,000 | 7 $3,100,902$ |
| 1826. | 200, 229, 885 | 81,000,000 |  |  | 370,229,885 |
| 1977. | 61, 212, 215 | 87,760,000 |  |  | 148,902, 215 |
| 1928 | 43,064,284 | 94, 500,000 |  |  | 137, 564, 284 |
| 1929 | 62, 251,417 | 2,925,000 |  |  | 92, 176, 417 |
| 1930 | 36,372,946 |  |  |  | 36,372,946 |
| 1931 | 26,46, 117 | ........... |  |  | 25, 466, 117 |
| 1932. | 2,94,771 | ........... |  |  | 21,955,771 |
| 1933. | 18,506,421 | ............ |  |  | 18,503,421 |
| 1934 | 18,768, 187 | . .... |  |  | 18, 788, 137 |
| 1835. | 19, 136, 157 |  |  |  |  |
| 183 | 19, 488, 037 |  |  |  | 18,488.057 |
| 1937 | 27,405, 210 |  |  |  | 27,405,210 |
| $1 \%$ | 27,854,752 |  |  |  | 27, 854,752 |
|  | 28,400, 200 |  |  |  | 28,400, 200 |
| 104 | 13,901, 518 |  |  |  | E, 291,518 |
| 1941 | -7,783,804 |  |  |  | -7,783,804 |
| 184 | -104, 488,253 |  |  |  | -104, 428, $2 \times 3$ |
| Tota to 1943 <br> 1918 to 1800 | $\begin{array}{r} 655,991,670 \\ 2,708,917,811 \end{array}$ | 412, 425,000 | 52,325,000 | 18,000,000 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,14,741,670 \\ & 2,708,917,811 \end{aligned}$ |
| Tutal | 3,304,900,481 | 412,425,000 | 52,325,000 | 16,000,000 | 3, $345,850,4{ }^{\text {c }}$ |

## Appendix $B$.

Total paymente urder certificate phan.
[Bests of 100 per eant chooutng thats plan.]

| Colendar year. | On account of deaths. | On mocount | Loans by Government. | Repayments to Government. | Total net peyments of Government |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1923.. | 517, 008,858 |  |  |  | 47,007,830 |
| 1924. | 20,570,305 |  |  |  |  |
| 1908. | 9, 630,540 |  | 125,000,000 | \%ingoono | \% ${ }^{2}$ |
| 127 | 31,616,288 |  | 10,000,000 | 50,00,000 |  |
|  | 32,419,045 |  | 75,000,000 | 50,000,000 | 57,42,045 |
|  | 33, 021,30 |  | 100, 0000000 | 50,00; | 300, |
| 191 | 33, ${ }^{3}$ |  | \%0,000,000 | 73,009, | 3 |
| 190. |  |  | 73, 000000 |  |  |
|  | 34, 41,28 |  |  |  |  |
| 1034. | 35,000,84 |  | 20,00,000 | $0,000,00$ | $2 \pi, 40,50$ |

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Total paymente under certificate plan-Oontinued.

| Calendar year. | On mocount of deaths. | On account of maturity. | Loans by Government. | Repayments to Government. | Total net peyments of Government. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935. | 835, 514, 878 | ... | 300,000,000 | \$100,000,000 | [5, 014,870 |
| 1836 | 35, 094,049 |  | 90,000,000 | 100,000,000 | 25,84, 040 |
| 1937 | 36, 340,280 | ............. | 100,000,000 | 100, 000,000 | 30, 540,200 |
| 1039 | 37, $879,0,053$ | ... | 100, 0000,000 | -100,000,000 | $87,139,670$ $87,870,053$ |
| 1040 | 38, 655,358 |  | 100, 000,000 | 120,000,000 | 18,655,358 |
| 1041 | 39,621,595 | ............. | 100,000,000 | 150,000,000 | -10,378,405 |
| 1942 | 40,608, 884 |  | 80,000,000 | 230,000,000 | -139,331,016 |
| Total to 1943. 1943 to 1988 | $\begin{gathered} 674,635,500 \\ 63,835,961 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,800,000,000 \\ & 300,000,000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,000,000,000 \\ & 205,000,000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 874,665,500 \\ 3,611,800,415 \end{array}$ |
| Total. | 728, 401, 521 | 3,553,054,454 | 2,100,000,000 | 1,805,000,000 | 4,488, 545,075 |
| Apprndit 0. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vocational training. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oalendar year: [Basis of 100 per cent choosing this plan.] |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1923. | \$1, 267, 000, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| 1924 | 800,000.000 |  |  |  |  |
| 1825. | 26,000,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 2,093, 000,000 |  |  |  |  |

Appendix D. Farm and home aid and land settlement aid.
[Basis of 100 per cent choosing this plan.]

| Oalendar year: | fars |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1923. |  | \$100,000,000 |
| 1924. |  | 210,000, 000 |
| 1925. |  | 220, 000, 000 |
| 1926. |  | 360,000,000 |
| 1927. |  | 390,000,000 |
| 1928. |  | 420,000,000 |
| 1929. |  | 133,000,000 |
| Total. |  | 1,833,000,000 |

## Appendix E.

Public debt maturities to March, 1926.
[Amounts as of Apr. 8, 1022.]

| Date. | $\left.\begin{gathered} \text { Certificates } \\ \text { indebtednese } \end{gathered} \right\rvert\,$ | Liberty bonds, Viotory notes, and Tremsury noten. ${ }^{1}$ | War mings securities. | Total. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Cumniatdro } \\ & \text { total. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| June 15, 1922 | \$870,057,000 | 8298, 094, 000 |  | 8674,781,800 | 074,781, 80 |
| July, 102. | 250,471,800 |  |  |  | 674, 238, |
| Supt. 16, $1922^{\circ}$ | 202, 002,800 |  |  | 20, 500,500 | 1,20, 815 |
| October, 1922 |  |  |  |  | 29, 815 |
| Novamber, 1022 |  |  |  |  | 1,200, 215,10 |

[^0]Public debt maturities to March, 1926-Continued.

| Data, | $\begin{gathered} \text { Certificates } \\ \text { Indebtedness. } \end{gathered}$ | Liberty bonds, Viotory notes, and Trensury notes. | War savings securitios. | Totel. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Cumalettro } \\ & \text { totel. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Deo. 15, 1922... | 2202, 84, 000 |  |  | $\$ 2 / 3,544,000$ |  |
| Jan. 1, 1023..... |  |  | 8611, 722, 082 | $641,728,062$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,187,067,0020 \\ & 3,189,087,002 \end{aligned}$ |
| Mar. $15,1923$. | 206, 2000000 |  |  | 268, 20000000 | 3 44837,862 |
| Apr. ${ }_{\text {May }}$, 1923 . |  | -8,817,660,8:0 |  |  | 3 448,331,902 $4768,883,712$ |
| June-1 1923 |  |  |  |  | 4, 766,888, 712 |
| Jan. 11024. |  |  | 60, i73,909 | -6, 173,909 | 4,881, 087,707 |
| June 15, 192 |  | 811, 191,600 |  | 811, 191, 000 | 6, 142, 254, 207 |
|  |  | 800, 706, 100 | -20,200, $570^{\circ}$ | $300,700,100$ $28,208,576$ | 6, $632,980,407$ |
| Mar. 15.1925 |  |  | -20, | 601, 509,500 | 8, $163,856,48$ |
| Jan. 1, 1028. |  | 617, 707, 700 | 19,790, 000 | 10,799, 600 | Q, 183, 656 <br> Q 801,453 <br> 170 |
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| Total. | 1,519, 918,000 | 1,564,510,650 | 756, 9106820 | 0, $201,428,870$ | ...0.0.0.... |

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[^0]:     Vhetory notes and Treanury notes, maries A, 1096.
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