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To the PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH CONGRESS:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 6 (c) of the act of July 3, 1930 (Public, No. 536, 71st Cong.), and section 1504 of the act of June 22, 1944 (Public, No. 346, 78th Cong.), I have the honor to submit herewith report of activities of the Veterans' Administration as of June 30, 1945.

A summary of each activity has been made for the fiscal year, and this has been supplemented by statistical tables giving, in many instances, yearly figures from the effective date of the activity concerned.

Respectfully,

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## INTRODUCTION

Throughout this year the Veterans' Administration directed its efforts largely toward improving its service to veterans and to the dependents of deceased veterans by expanding its field offices and personnel, and otherwise preparing for the heavy demands which will progressively continue to be made upon its services by veterans of World War II. In a number of instances, regional office activities were moved to downtown districts of some of the larger cities, and in addition, contact units were established at many centers of population. In addition, a greatly increased number of Army and Navy hospitals made beds available to this Administration. As a result of the establishment last year of nine area offices for the purpose of initially adjudicating claims of persons discharged from the armed forces for disability who simultaneously file claims for pension, less than 10 percent of the disability claims filed by veterans of World War II were unadjudicated on June 30, 1945.

The effect of World War II upon the activities of this Administration is reflected in the pension benefits extended to veterans and their dependents. During this fiscal year the number of living veterans of all wars on the pension or compensation roll increased 330,619 as compared with an increase of 336,163 for World War II alone. Further, the number of allowed World War II disability claims on June 30, 1945, approximated the whole number of World War I service-connected disability claims allowed since 1917. The effect of the cessation of hostilities in Europe upon claims activities had scarcely been felt by June 30, 1945, although over 66,000 World War II disability claims were received in June 1945 as compared with 27,000 in the corresponding month of 1944. The number of deceased veterans on whose account dependents were receiving compensation or pension benefits increased over 116,000 during this fiscal year, of which latter some 67,000 were based on service in World War II.

Concerning hospitalization, the veterans of World War II accounted for over 95 percent of the increase of 7,437 in the load between the opening and closing of this year, and on June 30, 1945, constituted approximately 30 percent of the total remaining load as compared with 21 percent 1 year previous. The effect of World War II upon this activity is even more noticeable in the relationship experienced between the admissions for this and prior wars. During this year 47.86 percent of the veterans admitted to hospitals had service in World War I and 46.56 percent in World War II, as compared with 58.83 percent and 33.49 percent respectively during 1944. Contrasted to the above increase of 7,437 in the patient load, there were 8,633 additional

hospital beds acquired during this year, of which 7,531 were in veterans hospitals and 1,102 were made available by other government agencies. Appropriations this year for hospital construction totaled \$95,071,000, of which \$10,571,000 was contained in Public Law 529, approved December 22, 1944, and \$84,500,000 in Public Law 49, approved May 3, 1945.

During this year numerous measures were adopted in an effort to improve the medical service rendered beneficiaries. Among the more important of these were the establishment of treatment units at a number of locations to extend specialized care to veterans with injuries involving the spinal cord and amputations; the making available at additional hospitals of special facilities for thoracic surgery, bringing the total to 16; the purchase of electro-encephalographic equipment for practically all neuropsychiatric hospitals; the detailing of physicians for specialized training at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., General Mason Hospital, Brentwood, Long Island, N. Y., Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., Vaughar General Hospital, Hines, Ill., and the LaGarde General Hospital at New Orleans, La.; a study of the effect of the administration of sodium fumerate therapy in cases of psychoses by the Neuropsychiatric Research Unit at Northport, Long Island, N. Y.; and a study of cardiovascular disease among World War II veterans by the research unit located in the veterans' hospital at Washington, D. C.

The progress made in this direction was but slightly hampered by the added responsibilities resulting from new legislation enacted shortly before the beginning of this fiscal year. The legislation referred to is Public, No. 346, 78th Congress, approved June 22, 1944, popularly known as the "GI bill of rights." This legislation which is applicable in general to any veteran of World War II, provides for educational aid, for the guaranty by the Veterans' Administration of loans for the purchase of homes, farms, or business property, repairs, additions, stock, machinery, equipment, etc., and for the payment of readjustment allowances to unemployed or to self-employed veterans. During the 1 year in which the program for education or training has been in operation, 83,016 applications had been received, of which 75,272 had been found eligible, 3,140 had been found ineligible, and 4,604 were pending determination of eligibility. Of the veterans found eligible, 35,044 had entered courses and 22,335 were in training on June 30, 1945. The total applications received for guarantee of loans through June 30, 1945, was 15,455. Of this number, 12,228 were guaranteed for a total of \$19,644,824.90, distributed by types as follows: Home loans, 11,220; farm loans, 270; and business loans, 738. During the period from September 4, 1944, through June 30, 1945, a total of 180,798 veterans filed applications for determination of entitlement for readjustment allowances; 159,886 veterans submitted claims for unemployment allowances, and 15,221 filed claims for self-employment allowances. Weekly claims for unemployment numbering 1,062,481 and 51,856 monthly claims covering self-employment were filed. The disbursements for this purpose during the fiscal year 1945 totaled more than \$23,000,000. The text which follows describes in detail the scope of activities under each of the foregoing heads.

## MEDICAL TREATMENT AND DOMICILIARY CARE

## HOSPITALIZATION

*Remaining under treatment.*—At the end of this fiscal year the total hospital load of the Veterans' Administration was 71,439 as compared with 64,002 on June 30, 1944, an increase of 7,437 or more than 12 percent. The neuropsychiatric load increased 4,254, the tuberculosis 548, and the general 2,635. At the close of this year 67.24 percent of the United States veterans were receiving treatment for disabilities not of service origin, as compared with 72.01 percent on June 30, 1944.

The total load consisted of 71,229 United States veterans, classified by service as follows: World War I, 44,788; World War II, 20,774; Spanish-American War, 2,793; Civil War, 8; all other wars, expeditions, and occupations, 41; and Regular Establishment, 2,825. There were 23,337 United States veterans under treatment for diseases or injuries determined to be of service origin, of whom 9,696 had service in World War I; 11,655 in World War II; 20 in Spanish-American War; and 1,966 in the Regular Establishment during peacetime.

In addition to United States veterans, there were 47 veterans of countries allied with the United States in World War I; and 163 miscellaneous beneficiaries. Among the 71,229 United States veterans were 755 female including 19 colored, and 7,503 colored male beneficiaries. Of the patients at the close of this year, 9.51 percent were under treatment for tuberculosis, 62.54 percent for neuropsychiatric diseases, and 27.95 percent for general medical and surgical conditions.

This represents a marked change in the character of the patient load on June 30, 1923, when 41 percent of the patients were classed as tubercular, 39 percent as neuropsychiatric, and 20 percent as general. Of the 71,229 United States veterans, 66,818 were in facilities controlled by the Veterans' Administration, 2,958 in other Government hospitals, and 1,453 in State or civil institutions.

*Admissions.*—Since March 3, 1919, when the acquisition of Government hospital facilities was first authorized for the treatment of veterans of World War I, there have been 3,170,692 admissions of United States veterans, of which 241,013 were made during this year, an increase of over 24 percent from 1944.

Since June 7, 1924, when hospitalization was first authorized for the veterans of all wars, without regard to the origin of their disabilities, 2,232,146, or more than 81 percent of all admissions, have been for the treatment of disabilities not connected with service. Over 82 percent of the admissions this year were on account of non-service-connected disabilities.

Of the United States veterans admitted during this year, 47.86 percent had service in World War I, 46.56 percent in World War II, and 3.93 percent in the Spanish-American War. In addition to United States veterans, there were 2,981 admissions of other patients, including 130 allied veterans, 1,939 persons in active military or naval service, and 912 miscellaneous beneficiaries.

An analysis of the types of admissions during this year shows that 122,573 or 50.86 percent of the total were first admissions; 110,771 or 45.96 percent readmissions; and 7,669 or 3.18 percent admissions by transfer from other facilities.

During this year, 13,979 admissions were authorized for the observation and treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis; 25,492 for psychotic

or mental diseases; 19,973 for other neurological disorders, and 181,569 for general medical and surgical conditions.

There were 2,484 white and 71 colored female and 27,633 colored male veterans admitted during this year.

Of the 241,013 admissions of United States veterans during this year, 202,894, or 84.18 percent were made to facilities controlled by the Veterans' Administration; 32,286 or 13.40 percent to other Government hospitals; and 5,833 or 2.42 percent to civil and State hospitals.

*Turn-over.*—During the fiscal year 1945 the patient turn-over in all types of Veterans' Administration hospitals was approximately once every 3½ months. Based upon the experience of this year, hospitals devoted principally to the treatment of neuropsychiatric diseases have a complete turn-over once every 1½ years. The relatively low rate experienced for this type of case is due to the long and continuous hospital treatment usually required and a low mortality rate. During this fiscal year the turn-over rate for hospitals utilized primarily for the treatment of tuberculosis was once every 5½ months. The turn-over rate for this year in hospitals treating a majority of general medical and surgical patients was approximately once every 1½ months. The turn-over rate shown for each group of hospitals was influenced to a considerable extent by the treatment of other diseases or conditions. A study of the patients discharged from all Veterans' Administration facilities during this year shows that the average length of stay for a general patient was 38.6 days, for a tuberculous patient 173.9 days; for a psychiatric or mental patient 370.4 days; and for a neuropsychiatric patient (other than mental) 54.7 days.

*Discharges.*—During this fiscal year 309,443 patients were under hospitalization, of whom 306,251 were United States veterans. The total treated represents an increase of 20.74 percent over 1944. Of the United States veterans treated 235,022 were discharged after an average of 73 in-patient days. Patients who remained until the completion of treatment numbered 190,217 or 80.94 percent of the total discharges. The incomplete cases totaled 44,805 and include 11,394 cases in which further treatment or care was required in another facility or out-patient clinic, 5,170 cases in which the patient was transferred to domiciliary care in the same facility, 27,907 cases in which the patient was discharged for personal reasons, i. e., against medical advice, leaving without permission, etc.; and 334 cases in which the patient was later found not entitled to hospitalization under the laws in effect. Approximately 76 percent of the United States veterans discharged had been under treatment for general diseases or conditions; 18 percent for neuropsychiatric diseases, and 6 percent for pulmonary tuberculosis. In 73 percent of the completed and 45 percent of the incomplete cases, recovery or some improvement was effected. Deaths totaled 15,488 or 6.59 percent of the discharges as compared with 15,081 or 8.02 percent in 1944. Of the deaths, 11,150 or 71.99 percent occurred among patients under treatment for general conditions; 2,320 or 14.98 percent for pulmonary tuberculosis; and 2,018 or 13.03 percent for neuropsychiatric diseases. Considering the total discharged after treatment for each type of disability, 17.19 percent of the pulmonary tuberculosis cases resulted in death, 6.22 percent of the general, and 4.78 percent of the neuropsychiatric. Of the 11,150 deaths among general patients, approximately 30 percent

were caused by diseases of the circulatory system, approximately 29 percent were caused by malignant tumors and about 7 percent by diseases of the digestive system.

During the year 107,979 World War I veterans were discharged after treatment for diseases or conditions not connected with service and 6,203 for disabilities of service origin. There were 2,514 cases in which the veteran was admitted for examination or observation, and 1,243 cases not classified as to origin of disability. The remaining 117,083 discharges of United States veterans were classified by service as follows: World War II, 33,508 service-connected and 57,296 non-service-connected; 10,580 cases in which the veteran was admitted for examination or observation and 1,637 cases not classified as to origin of disability; Spanish American War, 53 service-connected and 9,887 non-service-connected; Regular Establishment, 1,750 service-connected and 2,230 non-service-connected; Civil War, 22 non-service-connected; and miscellaneous occupations, rebellions, etc., 1 service-connected, and 119 non-service-connected. In addition to United States veterans there were 2,982 discharges of other patients, 122 of whom were veterans of countries allied with the United States in World War I, 1,913 persons in active military or naval service, and 947 miscellaneous beneficiaries.

Included in the total discharges of United States veterans are 5,170 cases classified as intrafacility transfers, i. e., cases in which the veterans were transferred from hospital treatment to domiciliary care within the same facility.

#### DOMICILIARY CARE

*Remaining.*—On June 30, 1945, the veteran population present in domiciliary status in facilities of this Administration totaled 8,779, as compared with 8,576 on June 30, 1944, an increase of 203.

The number present was divided as to color and sex as follows: White males, 7,751; white females, 160; and colored males, 868.

The percentage distribution of the membership, by wars, was as follows: Spanish-American, 6.71; World War I, 86.43; other wars, expeditions, and occupations, 0.20; peacetime service in the Regular Establishment, 2.56; and World War II, 4.10.

Of the veterans under domiciliary care 5,520 were disabled by general medical and surgical conditions, 3,133 by neuropsychiatric diseases, and 126 by tuberculosis.

In conformity with the act of August 27, 1888 (U. S. C., title 24, sec. 134), as amended by the acts of August 1, 1939, and December 17, 1943 (Public, No. 250, 76th Cong., and Public Law 202, 78th Cong.), the Federal Government is required to reimburse State or Territorial homes for disabled volunteer soldiers in an amount not to exceed \$300 per year for each person domiciled or hospitalized therein who is eligible for similar care in facilities controlled by the Veterans' Administration. During this year an average of approximately 4,159 such persons was cared for in these homes, thereby creating an obligation of over \$1,194,353 on the part of the Federal Government.

*Admissions.*—During this year there were 10,719 admissions, as compared with 15,802 admissions for the fiscal year 1944, a decrease of 5,083.

An analysis of the types of admissions shows that 1,284, or 11.98 percent, were first admissions; 8,488, or 79.19 percent, readmissions; and 947, or 8.83 percent, admissions by transfer from other facilities.

Of the veterans admitted 8,240, or approximately 77 percent, had service in World War I, 1,473, or 14 percent, in World War II, and 739, or approximately 7 percent, in the Spanish-American War. There were 43 female and 732 colored veterans admitted. Approximately 90 percent of the admissions were for non-service-connected disabilities.

Of the veterans admitted 68 percent were disabled by general medical and surgical conditions, 31 percent by neuropsychiatric diseases, and 1 percent by tuberculosis.

*Discharges.*—During this year 15,586 veterans were discharged after an average of 6½ months' care. These discharges were classified as follows: 8,553 routine; 4,762 transfers within the same or to other facilities; 83 deaths; 40 ineligible for further care; and 2,148 without formal discharge, including disciplinary reasons. The principal causes of death from disease were diseases of coronary arteries and angina pectoris, diseases of the myocardium and syphilis, which collectively were responsible for approximately 63 percent of the deaths.

Of the total veterans discharged 12,205 were World War I veterans, and of these 11,318 were disabled by non-service-connected disabilities. The other discharges were classified as to service as follows: Spanish-American War, 1,199; Regular Establishment, 431; Civil War, 1; World War II, 1,720; and all other wars, occupations, and expeditions, 30. Included in the total discharges were 4,369 cases classified as intrafacility transfers, i. e., cases in which the veteran was transferred from domiciliary care to hospital treatment within the same facility.

#### HOSPITAL AND DOMICILIARY FACILITIES

On June 30, 1945, the Veterans' Administration was operating hospital facilities at 97 locations in 45 States and the District of Columbia. These facilities made available a total of 81,133 beds, including 10,243 classed as emergency and acquired largely through contraction of space. The available beds increased 7,531 during this fiscal period, of which 1,385 were in the emergency group and 6,146 in the standard capacity. In addition, other government hospitals made available to the Veterans' Administration a total of 5,438, distributed by branch of service as follows: Navy, 2,407; Army, 1,905; Federal Security Agency, 1,126 (Public Health Service, 1,036, and St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C., 90).

On June 30, 1945, there were 14,078 beds set aside for domiciliary care in Veterans' Administration facilities, of which 437 were classed as emergency. The available beds decreased 889 during this fiscal year, due to the conversion of the barracks at Wadsworth, Kans., to neuropsychiatric facilities.

The total number of beds in facilities operated by the Veterans' Administration on June 30, 1945, was 95,211 as compared with 88,569 on June 30, 1944, an increase of 6,642. The total number of beds available to the Veterans' Administration in all Government facilities on June 30, 1945, was 100,649, of which 86,571 were hospital.

During the period beginning with the act of March 3, 1919 (Public, No. 326, 65th Cong.), and ending with the act of May 3, 1945 (Public,

49, 79th Cong.), the Congress has specifically appropriated the sum of \$319,139,767 for new hospital, domiciliary, and out-patient dispensary facilities. In addition, since 1923 there has been expended from regular fiscal funds the sum of \$27,764,495 for permanent improvements and extensions to facilities. Subsequent to the consolidation of veterans' activities in 1930, there has also been expended from the general post fund established by the former National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, the sum of \$1,133,448 for improvements. Further, the Veterans' Administration has been allotted for improvements and new construction the sum of \$3,041,650 from the National Recovery Act of 1933, and the sum of \$13,268,200 from the Public Works Administration Appropriation Act of 1938. In all, a total of \$364,347,560 has been made available for construction purposes during the past 26 years.

## FUTURE HOSPITAL AND DOMICILIARY CONSTRUCTION

At the end of this fiscal year work was in progress at 31 locations which will result in additional beds through the opening of new hospitals, additions to existing facilities, alterations, or readjustment of space. The locations, number of beds to be added, and the estimated dates of completion are as follows:

Location	Beds	Estimated date for completion
American Lake, Wash.....	320	5-10-46
Bath, N. Y.....	17	2- 1-46
Bedford, Mass.....	139	7- 2-45
Canandaigua, N. Y.....	492	10- 1-45
Chillicothe, Ohio.....	518	10-31-45
Do.....	220	7-30-45
Coatesville, Pa.....	328	11- 1-45
Dearborn, Mich.....	779	5-27-46
Dwight, Ill.....	90	11-30-45
Fargo, N. Dak.....	262	4-30-46
Fort Custer, Mich.....	165	9-30-45
Do.....	328	2- 1-46
Fort Howard, Md.....	79	7-31-45
Fort Lyon, Col.....	162	9-30-45
Fort Washington, Md.....	100 (hospital)	
Do.....	885 (domiciliary)	8-30-45
Gulfport, Miss.....	164	3- 1-46
Lebanon, Pa.....	527	4- 1-46
Lexington, Ky.....	27	7-18-45
Do.....	492	3- 9-46
Los Angeles, Calif.....	406	8- 1-45
Do.....	432	12-18-45
Lyons, N. J.....	49	7- 6-45
Do.....	498	9-15-45
Mountain Home, Tenn.....	54	7-30-45
Do.....	5	8-30-45
Murfreesboro, Tenn.....	474	3-11-46
Northampton, Mass.....	196	10-15-45
N. Little Rock, Ark.....	274	7- 5-45
Do.....	366	4- 1-46
Perry Point, Md.....	328	1- 1-46
Roanoke, Va.....	656	11-15-45
Salina, Kans.....	260 (hospital)	
Do.....	1,040 (domiciliary)	8- 1-45
Sheridan, Wyo.....	164	12- 2-45
Tomah, Wis.....	1,172	6- 8-46
Tuscaloosa, Ala.....	328	1-16-46
Tuskegee, Ala.....	328	10- 1-45
Do.....	8	7-30-45
Waco, Tex.....	328	8-31-45
Whipple, Ariz.....	134 (domiciliary)	8-31-45

Work was also in progress to accomplish certain structural changes resulting in losses of beds as follows: Chillicothe, Ohio, 24; Coatesville, Pa., 12; Downey, Ill., 25; Fort Harrison, Mont., 36; Whipple, Ariz., 136. The 13,361 additional beds to be thus acquired were distributed by types as follows: General medical and surgical, 1,200; psychiatric, 9,938; tuberculosis, 164; and domiciliary, 2,059.

The approved program for which funds were available on June 30, 1945, but which was not under way on that date is as follows:

Location	Project	Beds
Alabama-Mississippi	New general hospital	500
Atlanta, Ga.	Additional facilities	200
Big Spring, Tex.	New general hospital	250
Brecksville, Ohio	Additional facilities	180
Castle Point, N. Y.	do	400
Dallas, Tex.	do	500
Delaware	New general hospital	300
Eastern Pennsylvania	New tuberculosis hospital	600
Do	New general hospital	475
Excelsior Springs, Mo. or Missouri	Additional facilities or new tuberculosis hospital	250
Fresno, Calif.	New general hospital	250
Grand Junction, Colo.	do	150
Greenville, Pa.	New neuropsychiatric hospital	1,800
Hines, Ill.	Additional facilities	629
Indianapolis, Ind.	do	275
Iron Mountain, Mich.	New general hospital	250
Kansas City, Kans.	do	500
Legion, Tex.	Additional facilities	400
Livermore, Calif.	do	90
Manchester, N. H.	New general hospital	150
Miles City, Mont.	do	100
Minot, N. Dak.	do	150
Metropolitan New York	do	1,250
Newington, Conn.	do	140
Peekskill, N. Y.	New neuropsychiatric hospital	1,492
Pittsburgh, Pa.	New general hospital	1,200
Providence, R. I.	do	400
Reno, Nev.	Additional facilities	142
Rutland Heights, Mass.	do	150
Salisbury, N. C.	New neuropsychiatric hospital	900
Seattle, Wash.	New general hospital	300
Shreveport, La.	do	450
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	do	149
Southwest Georgia	New tuberculosis hospital	200
Toledo, Ohio	do	400
West Roxbury, Mass.	New general hospital	400

As shown in another section of this report, there were available on June 30, 1945, in all facilities controlled by the Veterans' Administration, 81,133 hospital and 14,078 domiciliary beds, a total of 95,211 beds of both types. Upon completion of new construction or other work under way, or for which funds were available on June 30, 1945, there will be 108,407 hospital and 16,137 domiciliary beds, a combined total of 124,544 beds in Veterans' Administration facilities. Adding to the latter the 5,438 beds currently available in other government hospitals, there results a combined total of 129,982 beds of all types in government facilities for beneficiaries of the Veterans' Administration.

Further, this Administration toward the close of this year submitted to the Federal Board of Hospitalization a new construction program containing 29,100 beds, distributed by States and types, which it was estimated would meet requirements through June 30, 1948. This program was approved in principle by the President on August 4, 1945, with the understanding that such approval constituted no commitment as to location of any of the beds authorized. However, the Administrator was authorized to submit a supplemental

estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year 1946 to cover the cost of 15,500 beds and to include in the estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year 1947 funds to cover the balance of 13,600 beds.

#### OPERATING AND PER DIEM COSTS FOR HOSPITAL AND DOMICILIARY FACILITIES

During this year the net operating expense for all hospital and domiciliary facilities controlled by the Veterans' Administration totaled \$86,499,187.05, of which \$80,324,136.18 was for hospital and \$5,175,050.87 for domiciliary facilities. This amount does not include expenditures for new construction, betterments, structural alterations undertaken for preservation of buildings, maintenance and operation of personnel quarters, nonexpendable equipment, furniture, and furnishings or those for the diagnostic centers at San Francisco, Calif., and Hines, Ill. Throughout the year there was a daily average of 64,317 patients of all types under treatment, and a daily average of 9,002 beneficiaries receiving domiciliary care, as compared with 58,338 and 9,447, respectively, during the fiscal year 1944.

The per diem cost of operation for hospital facilities used principally for the treatment of tuberculosis was \$5.08, for those used exclusively for the treatment of neuropsychiatric diseases, \$2.29, and for those used largely for the treatment of general medical and surgical conditions, \$5.16. Collectively the per diem cost of operation for hospital facilities of all types was \$3.42. The per diem cost of operation for domiciliary facilities for this year was \$1.57.

#### PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS AND OUT-PATIENT TREATMENTS

During the fiscal year, the out-patient units of field stations made a total of 1,771,760 physical examinations, an increase of 637,422 in the number accomplished during the preceding year. Of the examinations made during this year 1,745,373 were medical and 26,387 or 1.5 percent, were dental. Approximately 97.7 percent of the medical and 94.7 percent of the dental examinations were made by physicians and dentists on a salary basis.

Included in the total physical examinations are 45,783 examinations made upon request of other Federal agencies, and 817 made for pensioners of nations allied with the United States.

Out-patient treatments furnished during the year totaled 828,620 as compared with 746,856 for the previous year, an increase of 81,764. Of the treatments approximately 91 percent were medical and 9 percent dental. Approximately 87.8 percent of the medical and 93.2 percent of the dental treatments were furnished by physicians and dentists on a salary basis.

Included in the total treatments are 8,896 treatments made upon request of other Federal agencies, and 1,601 made for pensioners of nations allied with the United States.

#### DENTAL ACTIVITIES

During this year dental care was provided for 35,111 hospital patients, 4,725 domiciliary members, and 6,371 out-patients in clinics maintained by the Veterans' Administration. Of these, 46,207 bene-

ficiaries, 16,945 were veterans of World War II and 29,262 veterans of World War I and other wars. These beneficiaries were furnished treatment at an actual cost of \$1,323,796 as compared with the treatment of 41,581 beneficiaries at a cost of \$1,222,280 for the previous year. Had these services been secured through the medium of private practitioners the estimated cost would have been \$1,992,853. Thus, a saving of \$669,057 was effected by the operation of dental clinics by this Administration. The cost per case of furnishing this treatment was \$28.65 as compared with \$29.40 for the previous year.

Dental services are ordinarily rendered in clinics maintained by this Administration. There are occasions, however, when it is more economical or expedient to refer the veteran to a designated dentist or a private practitioner to have services rendered on a fee basis. During this year 2,354 beneficiaries were so referred at fees amounting to \$112,245, as compared with 1,088 beneficiaries at fees amounting to \$57,163 during the previous year.

The volume of artificial denture work has shown an increase over that for 1944. There were 30,402 new dentures constructed and 5,429 repaired during this year as compared with 29,708 new dentures and 5,341 repairs during 1944, and 30,669 and 6,665 respectively in 1943. The number for this year includes 6,441 dentures constructed for 3,372 patients who were rehospitalized to complete dental service started but not completed during previous episodes of hospitalization. This represents an increase of 9 in the number of such cases for the previous year.

On June 30, 1945, there were 207 full-time dentists on duty with this Administration, of whom 152 were commissioned officers of the Army or Navy.

## PENSIONS AND COMPENSATION

### VETERANS

*Civil War.*—Out of a total of 2,213,365 persons who served in the Union forces in this war, which terminated 80 years ago, pensions were being paid to 229 veterans on June 30, 1945. This represents a reduction of 154 in the number of veterans since June 30, 1944. Of those on the pension roll at the close of this year, 3 were in receipt of \$75 per month, while 223 were being paid \$100 per month by reason of being helpless or so nearly helpless or blind as to require the regular aid and attendance of another person. The balance of the pension roll consisted of 3 veterans in receipt of \$50 per month under special acts of Congress. The disbursements during this fiscal year totaled \$328,846.77, as compared with \$546,898.88 for the previous year, a reduction of \$218,052.11. There were 4 claims filed during this year. The average age of veterans at the close of this year was 98.

*Indian Wars.*—On June 30, 1945, pensions were being paid to 1,115 veterans while the disbursements amounted to \$955,573.20 during this fiscal year. This represents a decrease of 163 since June 30, 1944, and a decrease of \$39,081.76 in disbursements over last year. There were 35 claims filed during this year. The average age of veterans at the close of this year was 82.

*Spanish-American War, Boxer Rebellion, and Philippine Insurrection.*—The number of veterans on the roll at the close of this fiscal

year was 128,104, as compared with 133,408 on June 30, 1944, a decrease of 5,304. The disbursements during 1945 totaled \$111,313,837.15 as compared with \$100,595,494.34 in 1944, an increase of \$10,718,342.81.

Of the 128,104 veterans on the roll, 127,203 were receiving payments for disabilities of non-service origin or for age, 840 for conditions determined to be the result of service, and 61 were special act cases.

On June 30, 1945, the average monthly value of all awards for non-service-connected disabilities, or age, was \$71.60; for service-connected disabilities, \$101.36; for special act cases, \$21.84.

In the non-service-connected group, 68,099, or 54 percent of the total, are receiving pensions because of disabilities, and 59,104, or 46 percent, by reason of age. A study of the age of these veterans shows that 89 percent are between 60 and 75 years of age.

*World War I, service-connected.*—Compensation was being paid on June 30, 1945, to a total of 332,628 veterans suffering from disabilities directly or presumptively connected with service, a decrease of 4,683 in the number on the roll at the beginning of this fiscal period. The number on the roll includes 2 veterans being paid under special acts. The disbursements during this year totaled \$180,349,901.86 as compared with \$162,466,628.74 in 1944, an increase of \$17,883,273.12. An analysis of the major disabilities for which this compensation is being paid discloses that neuropsychiatric diseases are the disabling cause in 19.6 percent of the awards, tuberculosis in 15.3 percent, and general medical and surgical conditions in 65.1 percent. The average monthly payments by types, based upon the value of awards at the close of this year were as follows: Neuropsychiatric, \$58.06; tuberculosis, \$54.29; and general medical and surgical, \$38.26. The average monthly payment for all types was \$44.59. Additional compensation was being paid on account of dependents in 3,436 cases in which the veteran was rated on a temporary basis. The dependents included 3,235 wives, 5,247 children, and 162 parents.

The number of veterans having service-incurred permanent total disability on the rolls at the end of the fiscal year, was 32,912, a decrease of 698 since the end of the previous year. Of 332,626 veterans having service-incurred disability, 4,768, or 1.43 percent, were rated on a temporary basis.

*World War I, non-service-connected.*—During this fiscal year the number of totally disabled veterans on the roll increased from 85,700 to 90,477. Of those on the roll, approximately 37 percent are over 55 years of age. Disbursements during the fiscal year 1945 amounted to \$53,061,553.55 as compared with \$37,996,340.21 during the year ending June 30, 1944, an increase of \$15,065,213.34.

*World War II, service-connected.*—At the end of this year there were 536,541 veterans in receipt of pension for disability incurred in line of duty with an average monthly payment of \$38.07.

The average age of these veterans was 29 with the greatest incidence of disability at age 24. Approximately 7 percent were rated as being totally disabled. Disbursements to this group during the fiscal year totaled \$167,975,339.72 as compared with \$43,102,931.69 in 1944, an increase of \$124,872,408.03. In addition, \$7,046,348.66 was received by this group during this year for increased pension payments because of vocational training.

*World War II, non-service-connected.*—On June 30, 1945, pensions were being paid to 543 totally disabled veterans, whose disabilities have been determined to be not due to their military service. The average age of these veterans was 34 with the greatest incidence of disability at age 24.

An analysis of the major disabilities for which pensions are being paid discloses that neuropsychiatric conditions are the disabling cause in 50.6 percent of the awards, tuberculosis in 11.8 percent, and general medical and surgical conditions in 37.6 percent.

The average monthly value of the 543 cases was \$31.57 as of June 30, 1945. Disbursements to this group during the fiscal year 1945 totaled \$152,846.87.

*Regular establishment.*—During this year the number of veterans on the roll as a result of disability incurred in service in time of peace increased from 42,895 to 42,925. Disbursements increased from \$16,902,171.97 to \$18,737,740.79, while the average monthly value of the award increased from \$31.92 to \$35.87.

#### DEPENDENTS

*War of 1812.*—Although 130 years have elapsed since the close of this war in 1815, there was at the end of this year one person still receiving pension on account of service rendered by a soldier of this war. This beneficiary is Esther Ann Hill Morgan, Independence, Oreg., daughter of John Hill, private, Clark's and McCumber's companies, New York Militia, pensioned under a special act of Congress dated February 17, 1927, at the rate of \$20 per month. Mrs. Morgan is now 88 years of age.

*Mexican War.*—This war ended May 30, 1848, over 97 years ago. On June 30, 1945, there were 54 widows and 1 child of veterans of this war on the pension rolls, while payment to this class totaled \$31,129.24 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945. This represents a decrease of 11 in the number on the rolls June 30, 1944, and a reduction of \$7,919.09 in disbursements over the fiscal year 1944.

*Civil War.*—On June 30, 1945, pensions were being paid to the widows, including remarried widows, and children of 24,521 deceased veterans of this war, as compared with 27,650 at the beginning of this fiscal period, a decrease of 3,129. The pensions were being paid to 22,900 widows and remarried widows and 1,781 children. There were 3,236 cases in which \$30 per month was being paid, and 18,184 in which the beneficiary was in receipt of \$40 per month as provided by law for widows of the attained age of 70 years, and 217 in which \$50 per month was being paid as authorized by law for widows who were the wives of soldiers during their service in this war. There were 2,151 cases in which dependents were in receipt of pensions under special acts of Congress, and 733 in which the dependents were being paid pensions under general laws because of the death of the veteran from causes due to military service. The disbursements during this fiscal period totaled \$11,544,251.06 as compared with \$13,348,325.51 for last year, a decrease of \$1,804,074.45. The peak in the number on the roll was reached in 1912, when the dependents of 304,373 deceased veterans were receiving pensions.

During this year 914 dependent claims were under consideration of which 420 were disposed of, leaving 494 widow and other claims

pending on June 30, 1945. The number of widows and other dependents dropped from the pension rolls during this year by reason of death was 3,499, or 12.65 percent, of the number on the rolls at the beginning of the fiscal year.

On December 8, 1944, a liberalizing act was enacted similar to that enacted on March 3, 1944, for the benefit of widows of Indian War veterans, which extended entitlement to pension, under certain conditions, to unmarried widows of Civil War veterans if the widow is 60 years of age or over, is dependent, was married to the veteran 10 or more years prior to his death and lived with him continuously from the date of marriage to the date of his death.

*Indian Wars.*—On account of Indian War service the dependents of 2,673 deceased veterans were in receipt of pensions on June 30, 1945, and to this class \$1,305,867.10 was paid during 1945. These figures represent a decrease of 212 in the number of cases on June 30, 1944, and an increase of \$71,300.77 in disbursements over the preceding year. The dependents receiving pension on June 30, 1945, totaled 2,709 and were classified as follows: Widows, 2,647; children, 52; and others, 10. Of the claims of widows, including remarried widows, children, and others considered during this year, 77 were disposed of.

*Spanish-American War.*—As of June 30, 1945, pensions were being paid to the widows, children, and dependent parents of 71,955 veterans of this war as compared with 67,059 on June 30, 1944, an increase of 4,896. These pensions were being paid to 70,526 widows, 5,520 children, 162 parents, and 5 others, a total of 76,213. To these beneficiaries \$31,483,634.89 was paid during this year as compared with \$24,460,404.35 in the previous year, an increase of \$7,023,230.54. The claims of widows, remarried widows, minor children, and dependents of veterans under consideration during this year numbered 7,991 of which 6,686 were disposed of, leaving 1,305 pending at the close of this year, awaiting receipt of necessary proofs to establish entitlement to pension.

*World War I, service-connected.*—On June 30, 1945, compensation was being paid to the widows and children and dependent parents of 84,416 veterans of World War I who died in service or as the result of diseases or injuries incurred in or aggravated by service during said war, as compared with 87,566 at the close of the fiscal year 1944, a decrease of 3,150 cases. This compensation was being paid to 30,560 widows, 16,012 children, and 61,612 parents. The disbursements for this purpose during the fiscal year of 1945 totaled \$50,019,402.78, as compared with \$52,316,597.13 in 1944, a decrease of \$2,297,194.35.

An analysis of the principal causes of death of veterans who died as a result of service and whose dependents are now receiving benefits discloses that 27 percent died from tuberculosis, 26 percent from injuries, principally wounds in action, and 17 percent from diseases of the respiratory system, other than tuberculosis.

A study of the awards of this benefit indicate that 28 percent of the deaths on account of which payments were being made on June 30, 1945, occurred on or prior to July 2, 1921, the official ending date of World War I.

*World War I, death not due to service connection.*—The act of June 28, 1934, as amended prior to December 14, 1944, authorized the payment of compensation to the widows and children of World War I veterans in those cases in which the veteran died from a cause not con-

nected with service and had a disability incurred in or aggravated by service for which compensation would be payable if 10 per centum or more in degree.

On December 14, 1944, this act was further amended to authorize the payment of pension if the veteran was discharged or released from service under conditions other than dishonorable after having served 90 days or more or for disability incurred in line of duty, or if the veteran was, at the time of death, receiving or entitled to receive compensation, pension, or retirement pay for a service-connected disability. On June 30, 1945, payments were being made on 77,584 cases involving 73,265 widows and 75,094 children. The average monthly value per case is \$40.91 and during this year \$24,729,415 was disbursed for this benefit, an increase of \$13,442,315.97 over 1944.

*Regular Establishment.*—On June 30, 1945, pensions were being paid to the dependents of 13,666 veterans whose death was determined to be the result of disease or injury originating in line of duty in the military or naval service in time of peace. This is a decrease of 26 cases during the fiscal year. These pensioners received during this period \$6,162,021.55, a decrease of \$142,639.99 over last year. The dependents of these deceased veterans total 20,046 and were divided as follows: widows, 6,479; children, 5,470; parents, 8,087; and others, 10.

*World War II, service-connected.*—The act of July 13, 1943, defines World War II as extending from December 7, 1941, to the termination of hostilities as determined by proclamation of the President or by concurrent resolution of the Congress. As of June 30, 1945, pensions at an average monthly rate of \$58.19 were being paid to the dependents of 94,463 veterans who died as the result of disease or injury originating in line of duty in the military or naval service during World War II. In 27 of these cases payments were being made to dependents (parents or children) of deceased women veterans. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, the sum of \$60,058,586.30 was disbursed to the dependents as compared with \$17,011,052.63 for the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1944. Pension was paid to a parent or parents alone in 40,188, or 42.54 percent of cases, and to widows, children or widows and children (where no parents were shown) in 45,276, or 47.93 percent, of cases. The remaining 8,999 cases were those on which a widow and/or child was paid in addition to parent or parents. Claims considered during the fiscal period ending June 30, 1945, totaled 156,893 of which number final action was taken in 106,129 cases.

The average age of World War II veterans at time of death was approximately 27 years. The greatest causes of death reported in this group were 61,165 killed in action or died of wounds received in action; 9,341 air-transport accidents (exclusive of action); 3,862 motor-vehicle accidents, and 5,928 other accidents. In 74,523, or 78.89 percent, of the total group, death occurred outside the continental limits of the United States.

*World War II, death not due to service-connection.*—The acts of May 27, 1944, and December 14, 1944, extended to widows and children of deceased World War II veterans the benefits provided by the act of June 28, 1934, as amended based on World War I service, except that in World War II cases pension is payable only if the veteran had a service-connected disability at the time of his death for which pension would be payable if 10 per centum or more in

degree. On June 30, 1945, payments were being made on 164 cases involving 153 widows and 166 children. The average monthly rate per case is \$41.57 and during this year \$66,418.66 was disbursed for this benefit.

## SUMMARY

The following table shows by wars and for Regular Establishment the number of living veterans receiving monetary benefits exclusive of insurance, subsistence allowance, readjustment allowance, and adjusted compensation, on June 30, 1945, and June 30, 1944, and the total payments to them during the fiscal years 1945 and 1944, together with number of deceased veterans on whose account dependents were receiving compensation or pension benefits on June 30, 1945, and June 30, 1944, and the disbursements to dependents for these purposes during the fiscal years 1945 and 1944:

Wars and Regular Establishment	1945		1944	
	Number on roll June 30	Disbursements during fiscal year	Number on roll June 30	Disbursements during fiscal year
Total	1,513,586	\$739,581,650.59	1,066,920	\$494,931,061.39
Living veterans	1,144,088	554,180,684.01	813,469	368,929,066.54
Deceased veterans	369,498	185,400,966.58	253,451	126,001,994.85
War of 1812: Deceased veteran	1	240.00	1	240.00
Mexican War: Deceased veterans	55	31,129.24	66	39,048.33
Indian Wars	3,788	2,261,440.30	4,163	2,229,221.29
Living veterans	1,115	955,573.20	1,278	994,654.96
Deceased veterans	2,673	1,305,867.10	2,885	1,234,566.33
Civil War	24,755	11,873,097.83	28,033	13,895,224.39
Living veterans	229	328,846.77	383	546,898.88
Deceased veterans	24,521	11,544,251.06	27,650	13,348,325.51
Spanish-American War	200,059	142,797,472.04	200,467	125,055,898.69
Living veterans	128,104	111,313,837.15	133,408	100,595,494.34
Deceased veterans	71,955	31,483,634.89	67,059	24,460,404.35
World War I	587,589	312,244,322.31	539,806	268,269,499.44
Living veterans <sup>1</sup>	425,589	237,495,504.53	425,543	204,665,803.28
Deceased veterans	162,000	74,748,817.78	114,263	63,603,696.16
World War II	648,753	245,474,186.53	257,797	62,255,095.74
Living veterans <sup>2</sup>	546,126	185,349,181.57	209,962	45,224,043.11
Deceased veterans	94,627	60,125,004.96	27,835	17,011,052.63
Regular Establishment	56,591	24,899,762.34	56,587	23,206,833.51
Living veterans	42,925	18,737,740.79	42,895	16,902,171.97
Deceased veterans	13,666	6,162,021.55	13,692	6,304,661.54

<sup>1</sup> Includes retired emergency, provisional, probationary, or temporary officers.

<sup>2</sup> Includes retired officers of the Army of the United States (except regulars).

#### RETIREMENT OF EMERGENCY, PROVISIONAL, PROBATIONARY, OR TEMPORARY OFFICERS OF WORLD WAR I

On June 30, 1945, there were 2,550 emergency, provisional, probationary, or temporary officers of this war on the retirement roll as compared with 2,607 on June 30, 1944, a decrease of 57 during this fiscal period. Of the 2,550 on the active roll at the close of this year 2,453 were receiving full payment. In the remaining 97 cases, there was a complete forfeiture of retirement pay in 97 and a partial in 66 cases. Thirty-two of the complete forfeiture cases were due to the application of section 212 of Public, No. 212, Seventy-second Congress, approved June 30, 1932, as amended, which provided that in case the salary of any retired officer (except those whose disability was incurred in combat with an enemy of the United States or whose disability resulted from an explosion of an instrumentality of war) in the employ of the Federal Government together with the retirement pay exceeds

\$3,000 per annum, the retirement pay shall be reduced or discontinued to the extent to which the sum of the two equals \$3,000. Of the remaining 34 complete forfeiture cases 27 were on account of active duty in the Federal military service, and 7 because the beneficiary was incompetent and had an estate of over \$1,500. Of the 31 partial forfeitures 16 were due to the application of section 212, Public 212, as amended, and 15 because the beneficiaries were receiving retirement pay as enlisted men of the Regular Army.

The average monthly payment for officers receiving full retirement pay was \$137.28, based on the annual value of the roll at the close of this year, as compared with \$137.46 on June 30, 1944, a decrease of \$0.18.

The disbursements for this purpose during the fiscal year 1945 totaled \$4,084,049.12 as compared with \$4,202,834.33 in 1944, a decrease of \$118,785.21. Of the 2,550 officers entitled to retirement at the close of this year, 2,466 served in the Army, 68 in the Navy, and 16 in the Marine Corps.

#### RETIRED OFFICERS OF THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES (EXCEPT REGULARS)

Public, No. 18, Seventy-sixth Congress, April 3, 1939, and Public, No. 262, Seventy-seventh Congress, September 26, 1941, authorized the same retirement pay and hospital benefits for members of the Reserve Corps of the Army, who were called into the active service in excess of 30 days subsequent to February 28, 1925, and suffered disability in such service, as are provided for officers of corresponding grades and length of service of the Regular Army.

On June 30, 1945, there were 9,097 officers on the retirement roll under this legislation, as compared with 1,454 on June 30, 1944, an increase of 7,643 within the year. Full retirement was being paid in 9,015 cases, partial retirement in 27 cases, and retirement pay had been forfeited in 55 cases. Twenty-eight of the officers who had forfeited retirement pay are Government employees with salaries in excess of \$3,000 per annum.

The average monthly payment for officers receiving retirement pay was \$163.75, based on the annual value of the roll at the close of this year. The disbursements for this purpose during this fiscal year totaled \$10,174,646.32 as compared with \$1,554,443.46 in 1944, an increase of \$8,620,202.86.

The average age of the 9,097 officers entitled to retirement pay was 36 years and 9,061 of the total had service in World War II.

#### VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AND EDUCATION

During the year ending June 30, 1945, the Veterans' Administration carried on an expanding program under the provisions of Public Law 16, Seventy-eighth Congress (approved Mar. 24, 1943) for eligible disabled veterans with handicaps removable by training; and the first year of a program of education and training under the provisions of part II, Public Law 346, Seventy-eighth Congress, the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (approved June 22, 1944) for eligible nondisabled veterans in need of educational or occupational readjustment.

The purpose of vocational rehabilitation under Public Law 16 is to restore employability lost by reason of a handicap due to a service-connected disability. Eligibility requirements are stated in the act. In this program disabled veterans are professionally advised before induction into training, continuously supervised during training, and finally placed in suitable employment.

The purpose of education or training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, Public 346, is to enable returning veterans to recapture educational opportunities lost by reason of entrance into the service. Any eligible veteran may enter the course of his choice in any approved educational institution or training establishment which will accept him as qualified for such course. He may continue his course, within the time allotted for length of service, so long as his conduct and progress are satisfactory, according to the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the institution giving the training. The Veterans' Administration does not supervise the training, this being the function of the States and the institutions, and is not required by law to make the veteran employable as under Public 16. Guidance in educational or vocational matters is furnished by the Veterans' Administration through its regional offices and other guidance centers, to nondisabled veterans desiring it as well as to disabled veterans.

For the education and training of veterans under both laws, the Veterans' Administration uses accredited and approved educational institutions and established business or industrial concerns qualified and equipped to give the training in the individual case. Educational institutions include universities and colleges, professional and technological institutions, technical institutes, trade and business schools both private and public, junior colleges, secondary schools, and correspondence courses given usually in conjunction with other types of training and in hospitals. Training facilities include business establishments, industrial enterprises, and agricultural and business projects. The Veterans' Administration has not as yet set up any educational facilities for the purpose of training under either law, the policy being to use facilities which already exist.

Application for vocational rehabilitation or for education and training is made to the Veterans' Administration regional offices. But veterans intending to pursue courses of education or training under Public 346, may make application for such education or training directly to an approved educational or training institution. Applications for vocational rehabilitation are made by letter and on Rehabilitation Form 1900, to the nearest Veterans' Administration office; applications for education or training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act are made on Form 1950, which may be sent either to the nearest Veterans' Administration office or directly to the chosen approved educational institution, which in turn informs the Veterans' Administration office concerned so that necessary eligibility determination and financial arrangements may be made.

The Veterans' Administration pays under both acts for tuition and necessary books and supplies but with certain limitations as to amounts and methods of payment. It pays also for the subsistence of the veterans while in training. Veterans taking training under Public 16 receive an increased pension, if the disability pension is for a less amount, of \$92 per month if single, and \$103.50 per month if married,

with \$5.75 a month additional for each dependent child and \$11.50 a month for each dependent parent. Under title II, Public 346, the veteran receives for subsistence \$50 a month and if he has one or more dependents, \$75 a month.

Figures for the program under Public Law 16, as of June 30, 1945, are as follows:

During the 2 years the program has been in operation, 81,098 applications for vocational rehabilitation were received. Of this number 42,394 cases were deferred or denied, 16,472 were pending either the determination of need for training or induction into training, and 22,232 veterans were entered into training.

Of the 42,394 cases deferred or denied, 5,149 were those of applicants for whom training was not considered feasible; 10,455 were those of applicants who subsequently did not desire training; 10,854 made no response; 7,859 were employed; 4,088 were cases where the need for training was denied; 2,945 were cases declining training; 955 were cases where the vocational handicap had ceased to exist or where the disability was found to be not service-connected; and 89 had been placed in employment.

Of the 16,472 pending cases, 2,212 were cases in which advisement was not initiated; 8,634 were cases in which advisement was not completed; and 5,626 were cases pending actual induction into training.

Of the 22,232 veterans inducted into training since the beginning of the program, 14,986 were in training status on June 30, 1945; 5,013 had interrupted their training; 1,469 had discontinued their training; and 764 had been rehabilitated.

Of the 14,986 veterans in training on June 30, 1945, 9,374 were in institutional training and 5,612 were in training on-the-job. Of those in training in institutions, 6,232 were in professional, technical and managerial courses, 919 were in clerical and sales courses, 157 were in courses preparing for service occupations, 172 were in agricultural and kindred courses, and 1,894 were in trade and industrial courses. Of those in training on-the-job facilities, 705 were preparing for professional, technical, or managerial occupations, 377 were preparing for clerical or sales occupations, 107 were preparing for service occupations, 140 were preparing for agricultural and kindred occupations, and 4,283 were preparing for trade and industrial occupations.

The figures for the program under title II, Public 346, are as follows:

During the 1 year in which the program has been in operation, 83,016 applications for education or training had been received. Of this number 75,272 had been found eligible, 3,140 had been found ineligible, and 4,604 were pending determination of eligibility.

Of those found ineligible, 249 had been discharged under dishonorable conditions; 2,198 had had less than 90 days of active service and had no service-incurred disability; 311 had no eligible active service; 9 had no active service on or after September 16, 1940, and 373 were ineligible for other reasons.

Of those found eligible, 40,228 had not yet entered courses; 35,044 had entered courses, and of this number 12,709 had interrupted or discontinued their course. The number of veterans in training as of June 30, 1945, was 22,335.

Of those who had interrupted or discontinued training, 3,556 discontinued voluntarily on their own request, 317 made unsatisfactory progress, 6,531 interrupted their training due mainly to the termina-

tion of the school year as of the date June 30, 1945: 990 completed their course; and 1,315 transferred to vocational rehabilitation training under Public Law 16.

Of those in training, 20,704 were in institutional training and 1,631 were in training on-the-job. Of those in institutional training 13,761 were in colleges, universities, or professional schools; 522 were in teachers colleges; 318 were in junior colleges; 658 were in miscellaneous educational institutions below college grade, and 5,445 were in trade schools and business colleges, some of which were below and others at college grade. Of those in training on-the-job, 142 were in professional and managerial courses; 75 were in clerical and sales courses; 43 were in service occupation courses; 16 were in agricultural and kindred courses and 1,355 were in trade and industrial courses.

Almost all the training under Public 346, the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, is institutional, the great bulk being in universities, technical and professional schools, and other institutions of higher learning. Compared to training under this program that under Public 16 is entirely vocational although cultural subjects constitute part of the vocational training. The program under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act is characterized by a larger portion of men taking training on-the-job, although the largest numbers are in training in institutions. Both programs include some women.

Under both programs, at the close of the fiscal year, the total number of applications received from veterans for training was 164,114. The number inducted into training was 57,276; the number in active training was 37,321. The number rehabilitated under Public 16 was 764; the number who had completed courses of education or training under the provisions of Public 346 was 990.

Perhaps the signal contribution for the year was the establishment of guidance centers in addition to those in the Veterans' Administration regional offices, in universities, and colleges throughout the country to which veterans, not only disabled taking training under Public 16, but also veterans taking training under Public 346, may go for counsel and advice on educational matters and the choice of an occupation. As of June 30, 1945, contracts for guidance services had been made with 106 colleges and universities and 70 centers were in operation. The Manual of Advisement and Guidance which constitutes the directive for this part of the service has been published and is available through the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C.

During the year certain problems emerged: Among these were that of training recently recruited staffs in regional offices; that of cooperation with educational institutions; that of securing a sound occupational and economic basis for vocational guidance, and that of the uneven distribution of educational facilities throughout the country.

To meet the first of these problems, the need of training administrative and professional personnel, training institutes were scheduled in nine convenient centers throughout the country with emphasis upon the guidance features of the program, but including also training features.

The second problem, that of cooperation with educational institutions, is being solved continuously through regular meetings of the

special committee on vocational rehabilitation, education and training problems.

The third problem, that of securing a factual economic basis for vocational advisement, was solved through the occupational survey in central office. The purpose of this occupational survey is to project into the future the trends inherent in present conditions so that vocational guidance may proceed on a sound basis. An analysis of occupations from an employment point of view has been made covering occupations having good prospects of employment, occupations having undetermined prospects, and occupations having poor prospects of employment. Facts on the occupational outlook are being developed for the information of the advisement and guidance subdivisions in the field.

The fourth problem, more difficult of solution, consists in the uneven distribution of educational facilities and advantages throughout the country. Both the vocational rehabilitation program and the program of education and training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act vary in different regions because of uneven educational and vocational opportunities. Regional office programs differ in the relative number making application for training, in the relative number entering training, and in the relative number discontinuing training. It has been easier to achieve successful programs in the coastal areas, including the Pacific, the Northeast and Middle Atlantic States, and also the East North Central States, than in the South, the Mountain States and in the arid regions of the Southwest. Since most veterans desire to remain in their own communities, the training and vocational choices of many are limited by the adequacy of local facilities. The programs under the two acts thus depend not on the Veterans' Administration alone but on the various levels of efficiency of the cooperating institutions carrying on the training in the various sections of the country.

## INSURANCE

### UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE (CONVERTED) INSURANCE

At the close of the fiscal year there were 567,934 United States Government life (converted) insurance policies in force representing \$2,454,855,781 of insurance, as compared with 578,621 policies representing \$2,494,876,131 of insurance in force at the close of the preceding year, a decrease of 10,687 in the number of policies and \$40,020,350 in the amount of insurance.

Those persons who were in the active service on October 8, 1940, and those who entered on active duty with the land and naval forces of the United States after October 8, 1940 were privileged to apply for national service life insurance under the act approved on that day. The Veterans Administration is authorized to grant United States Government life insurance to veterans of World War I, including those veterans now serving with the land and naval forces, upon application, payment of premiums, and satisfactory proof of good health (38 U. S. C., 512a). No person may carry a combined amount of insurance with the Government in excess of \$10,000 at any one time.

There has been reserved for the payment of dividends the sum of \$9,060,000 to be distributed to policyholders entitled in accordance with this schedule on the anniversary dates of their policies during the calendar year 1945.

There was in force at the end of the calendar year 1944, total disability insurance issued in accordance with section 311 of the act as amended July 3, 1930, in connection with 39,461 Government life insurance policies representing a face amount of \$247,809,607, and total disability insurance issued in accordance with the amendment of May 29, 1928, in connection with 495 policies representing a face amount of \$2,174,981.

*Applications.*—Applications for United States Government life (converted) insurance approved during this fiscal year totaled 2,743, aggregating \$16,857,362, as compared with 7,472 applications amounting to \$55,434,340 approved during the fiscal year 1944. The total number of applications approved to June 30, 1945, is 1,139,362 amounting to \$4,789,218,846 insurance.

*Policies issued.*—The following table shows the number and amount of United States Government life (converted) insurance policies issued by month for the fiscal year 1945.

Date	Number	Amount	Date	Number	Amount
<i>1944</i>			<i>1945</i>		
July.....	300	\$1,965,237	January.....	201	\$1,208,478
August.....	348	2,232,407	February.....	144	901,500
September.....	271	1,683,578	March.....	185	1,073,511
October.....	295	1,843,500	April.....	156	895,500
November.....	241	1,457,000	May.....	183	1,069,651
December.....	233	1,521,000	June.....	186	1,005,000
			Total.....	2,743	16,857,362

*Analysis by plan.*—The following table shows the number and amount, the percentage, and the average amount of United States Government life insurance policies issued to June 30, 1945, classified by plan:

	To date		Percent of total		Average policy
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Ordinary life.....	223,426	\$1,072,694,981	19.61	22.40	\$4,801.12
20-payment life.....	322,751	1,151,430,805	28.33	24.04	3,567.55
30-payment life.....	38,460	188,869,855	3.37	3.94	4,910.81
20-year endowment.....	257,111	643,999,361	22.57	13.45	2,504.75
30-year endowment.....	46,409	190,739,589	4.07	3.98	4,109.97
Endowment at age 62.....	46,387	216,428,803	4.07	4.52	4,665.72
5-year convertible term.....	145,497	960,349,711	12.77	20.05	6,600.48
5-year level premium term.....	59,321	364,705,741	5.21	7.62	6,148.00
Total.....	1,139,362	4,789,218,846	100.00	100.00	4,203.42

*Policies in force.*—At the close of this fiscal year there were in force 567,934 United States Government life (converted) insurance policies amounting to \$2,454,855,781 insurance. During this fiscal year 439 policies amounting to \$1,600,792 insurance were reinstated. The

following table shows by fiscal years the number and amount of yearly renewable term and United States Government insurance in force.

Fiscal year ended June 30—	Yearly renewable term insurance		United States Government life insurance		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1921	397,890	\$2,980,660,235	253,164	\$868,715,500	651,054	\$3,849,375,735
1922	300,926	2,314,663,588	280,852	1,033,736,886	581,778	3,348,400,474
1923	240,291	1,854,145,796	319,774	1,216,064,021	560,065	3,070,209,817
1924	209,385	1,609,030,534	353,215	1,375,542,924	562,600	2,984,573,458
1925	177,328	1,372,091,391	375,012	1,492,937,338	552,340	2,865,028,729
1926	130,103	1,008,511,344	423,557	1,773,075,664	553,660	2,781,587,008
1927	87,100	672,074,816	500,880	2,220,969,824	587,980	2,893,044,640
1928	266	1,654,277	660,108	3,111,994,905	660,374	3,113,649,182
1929	229	1,342,290	649,837	3,058,577,039	650,066	3,059,919,329
1930	204	1,142,314	648,044	3,041,601,101	648,248	3,042,743,415
1931	91	506,276	645,964	3,023,938,351	646,055	3,024,444,627
1932	29	246,134	641,218	2,977,083,467	641,247	2,977,329,601
1933			616,069	2,782,708,583	616,069	2,782,708,583
1934			598,226	2,666,733,150	598,226	2,666,733,150
1935	121	389,145	590,744	2,605,011,255	590,865	2,605,400,400
1936	149	439,403	593,064	2,590,482,279	593,213	2,590,921,682
1937	150	356,519	596,832	2,577,982,119	596,982	2,578,338,638
1938	349	653,183	602,614	2,569,240,190	602,963	2,569,893,373
1939	355	641,553	605,716	2,561,712,315	606,071	2,562,353,868
1940	171	343,047	608,923	2,564,984,223	609,094	2,565,327,270
1941	88	237,686	613,320	2,567,154,350	613,408	2,567,392,036
1942	71	104,930	594,735	2,507,082,186	594,806	2,507,187,116
1943	41	52,155	586,590	2,499,603,842	586,631	2,499,655,997
1944	20	23,968	578,621	2,494,876,131	578,641	2,494,900,099
1945	7	8,336	567,934	2,454,855,781	567,941	2,454,864,117

*Policies matured as endowments.*—During the fiscal year 1945 there matured as endowments payable to the policyholders 3,456 policies amounting to \$11,666,168.23. The total number of policies matured as endowments through June 30, 1945, is 58,498 representing \$150,672,460.13 insurance.

*Policies surrendered for cash and paid-up insurance.*—United States Government life insurance policies provide that after having been in force 1 year they may be surrendered for cash or paid-up insurance. During this fiscal year, there were 1,751 policies, representing \$5,600,849.85 insurance, surrendered for cash. The total number of policies surrendered for cash through June 30, 1945, is 165,952, representing \$510,621,172.78 insurance.

During this fiscal year policies having a total face amount of \$503,000 were surrendered for paid-up insurance, while 80 policies having a total face amount of \$220,367 paid-up insurance were issued. Through June 30, 1945, policies having a total face amount of \$31,360,671 have been surrendered for paid-up insurance, and 5,756 policies having a total face amount of \$8,492,701.04 paid-up insurance have been issued.

*Premium income.*—United States Government life insurance premiums are deposited to the credit of the United States Government life insurance fund from which are paid claims on account of total permanent disability and death, dividends and refunds. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1945, premiums amounting to \$50,692,852.55 were received on United States Government life insurance policies. The amount of United States Government life insurance premiums received to date totals \$1,388,576,353.22.

*United States Government life insurance fund.*—The United States Government life insurance fund is a trust fund administered by the

Government as trustee for the sole benefit of the policyholders. The Government derives no profit whatever from the administration of the fund which may be used only for the payment of claims under United States Government life insurance contracts and dividends to the policyholders themselves. All premiums paid on United States Government life insurance and all interest earned thereon are covered into this fund in the United States Treasury. In considering the United States Government life insurance fund it must be clearly understood that the beneficial interest in the reserves belongs exclusively to the policyholders.

*Dividends.*—Dividends on United States Government life insurance represent a return from the excess of the premiums paid over the actual current cost of the insurance protection, provided the reserves necessary to cover the future liability assumed on account of the combined benefits, including both total permanent disability and death, have been accumulated.

All policies of United States Government life insurance include a provision granting benefits on account of total permanent disability, which is exceptionally valuable due to the fact that there is no limit as to the age before which such disability must occur. The premiums charged for this combined benefit, including both death and total permanent disability, are the net premiums for the death benefit only, based on the assumption that the deaths will occur in accordance with the American Experience Table of Mortality and that the invested funds will earn  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent interest. There is no loading added to the net premium for expenses, since the Government pays all the cost of administration as well as the losses resulting from the extra hazard of the military or naval service.

The cost of providing the benefits on account of total permanent disability is not the same for all policyholders, but varies with the plan of insurance and the age of the insured. It is greater under the life plans than under the endowment plans for the reason that under the former the protection is continued for the whole period of life, while under the latter, it ceases at the end of the endowment period. Furthermore, the cost under any given plan increases with the age of the insured.

Since no additional premium is charged for the benefit granted on account of total permanent disability, it is necessary to make provision for the cost of this benefit out of earnings which otherwise would be considered as surplus, if no benefit on account of total permanent disability were provided, before any part of these earnings can be distributed as dividends.

The present schedule of dividend payments is the result of an extensive study made by competent and disinterested consulting actuaries of the experience over a period of years under United States Government life insurance and it equitably reflects the sources from which gains and savings are derived. Under this schedule, those policies on which the premiums and earnings to date have been adequate to build up the entire reserves required on account of both the death and total permanent disability benefits provided in the policy are entitled to and are receiving dividends. Those policies which have not yet accumulated the necessary reserves will not become entitled to dividends unless and until the reserves required have been accumulated.

There were 410,230 dividends amounting to \$8,363,742.19 paid during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1945. The total dividends paid to date are 10,558,335 amounting to \$142,247,949.75.

*Claims (converted).*—Through June 30, 1945, a total of 23,496 awards had been made for permanent and total disability of which 9,524 have subsequently been changed to death awards. In addition, there have been 57,850 original death awards or a total of 67,374 such cases. These death awards involve the payment of insurance in the amount of \$378,754,996.82 of which \$242,970,604.24 was disbursed in lump-sum payments to 47,981 beneficiaries. Death cases numbering 6,330 having insurance amounting to \$28,576,760.60 have been terminated due to expiration in installment payments. Payments of converted insurance averaging \$35.10 monthly are being made to 10,841 permanently and totally disabled veterans.

During the calendar year 1944 awards were made to the beneficiaries of 4,601 deceased veterans, and to 711 veterans with permanent and total disabilities as compared with 4,639 and 840 respectively during the calendar year 1943.

An analysis of the principal plans of insurance on which death claims were paid during the calendar year 1944 shows that 25.15 percent of the policies were ordinary life, 36.43 percent were 20-payment life, 9.36 percent 20-year endowment, and 8.11 percent 5-year convertible term. Of the policies on which disability claims were paid during the same period, 35.06 percent were ordinary life, 23.57 percent 20-payment life, 6.09 percent 20-year endowment, and 16.43 percent 5-year convertible term.

*Claims (term and automatic).*—The disbursements for term and automatic insurance during this year totaled \$19,756,071.97, including \$12,941,477.28 transferred to the United States Government life insurance fund for cases traceable to extra hazards of military or naval service, making a net disbursement of \$6,814,594.69. Disbursements to date for this benefit total \$2,222,421,328.51 which is \$1,767,-785,081.65 in excess of the \$454,636,246.86 received in premiums. On June 30, 1945, monthly installments of term insurance were being paid to 9,301 permanently and totally disabled veterans and to the beneficiaries of 2,042 deceased veterans, as compared with 9,520 disability and 3,297 death cases on June 30, 1944. In addition to 2,042 death cases being paid in 240 monthly installments, 4 cases are being paid as annuities totaling \$140.92 monthly payments.

Through June 30, 1945, a total of \$7,554,989 has been approved and paid on 1,841 compromise cases authorized under Public, No. 78, Seventy-third Congress, June 16, 1933, of which 1,329 were disability and 512 death cases. Permanent total disability payments averaging \$48.06 per month are being made on insurance valued at \$77,743,695. An analysis of the disabilities for which term insurance is being paid discloses that neuropsychiatric diseases are the disabling cause in 54.9 percent of the cases, general medical and surgical conditions in 25.5 percent, and tuberculosis in 19.6 percent.

Awards of insurance to veterans who had been rated permanently and totally disabled have been terminated in 32,095 cases. In 13.6 percent of these cases the reason for termination was recovery and in 82.2 percent the death of the veteran. An analysis of the terminations for veterans disabled because of tuberculosis shows that 12.7 percent recovered and 85.8 percent died. In the neuropsychiatric group, 14.3

percent recovered and 73.1 percent died, while in the general medical and surgical group, 15.7 percent recovered and 79.3 percent died.

Payments of automatic insurance (provided for those who were permanently and totally disabled or who died within 120 days after entrance into service and before making application for term insurance) are being made to 215 permanently and totally disabled veterans. Payments are also being made to beneficiaries of 11 deceased veterans.

NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE

The national service life insurance was authorized by an act of Congress approved October 8, 1940, and identified as the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940 (Public, No. 801, 76th Cong.). A summary of this law was included on page 37 of the annual report for 1940. The authority for granting United States Government life insurance under section 300 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924 (38 U. S. C. 511), was specifically terminated by section 611 of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940.

*Applications.*—Applications for national service life insurance approved during this fiscal year totaled 2,206,813, aggregating \$20,-398,204,000. The total number of applications approved to June 30, 1945, is 17,492,388 amounting to \$135,021,405,000 insurance.

*Policies issued.*—The following table shows the number and amount of policies issued by month during the fiscal year 1945.

Date	Number	Amount	Date	Number	Amount
1944			1945		
July.....	262,979	\$2,464,753,500	January.....	144,989	\$1,315,346,000
August.....	227,806	2,082,440,000	February.....	156,993	1,446,180,000
September.....	245,300	2,260,984,500	March.....	163,993	1,531,143,000
October.....	185,100	1,680,080,000	April.....	177,579	1,667,140,000
November.....	141,779	1,270,901,000	May.....	227,127	2,152,322,000
December.....	132,533	1,211,245,000	June.....	139,635	1,315,069,000
			Total.....	2,206,813	20,398,204,000

*Analysis by branch of service.*—The following table shows the number and amount, the percentage, and the average amounts of national service life insurance policies issued to June 30, 1945, classified by branch of service.

Branch of service	To date		Percent of total		Average policy
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Army.....	12,856,997	\$95,113,232,500	73.50	70.44	\$7,397.78
Navy.....	3,873,429	33,801,138,500	22.14	25.03	8,726.41
Marine Corps.....	572,566	4,694,287,500	3.27	3.48	8,198.68
Coast Guard.....	188,622	1,405,369,000	1.08	1.04	7,450.72
Public Health Service.....	740	7,057,500	.01	.01	9,537.16
Coast and Geodetic Survey.....	34	320,000	.00	.00	9,411.76
Total.....	17,492,388	135,021,405,000	100.00	100.00	7,718.87

*Policies in force.*—At the close of this fiscal year there were in force 15,944,158 national service life insurance policies amounting

to \$123,579,575,163 insurance. The following table shows the number and amount classified by plan.

Plan	Number	Amount
5-year level premium term.....	15,848,000	\$123,028,045,996
Ordinary life.....	12,698	80,392,667
20-payment life.....	70,928	388,319,500
30-payment life.....	12,532	82,817,000
Total.....	15,944,158	123,579,575,163

*Claims (contract and gratuitous).*—Benefits of national service life insurance were awarded as of June 30, 1945, in 223,626 cases on insurance valued at \$2,039,255,100. Life annuities only are being paid in 173,343 cases on insurance with a face value of \$1,568,825,400; a combination of life annuity and installments in 8,392 cases on \$80,323,100 and 240 installments only in 41,419 cases of insurance valued at \$386,843,200. Of this insurance, gratuitous insurance valued at \$17,105,100 was awarded in 3,853 cases where the veteran had no National Service contract insurance at the time of death, and to the beneficiaries of 683 veterans whose national service contract insurance was less than \$5,000. Of the total active awards under contract insurance 20,285 or 9.3 percent of the veterans held \$5,000 policies and 185,669 or 84.9 percent of the veterans held \$10,000 policies at time of death. The average National Service contract insurance in force at the time of the veteran's death was \$9,191.42, and the average monthly payment (to beneficiaries) per case was \$50.60. Widows were the sole beneficiary in 22 percent and parents in 68 percent of the awarded cases, which indicates a large proportion of unmarried persons in the armed forces. Payments were being made in 160 cases in which the deceased veteran was a woman.

#### CIVIL RELIEF

An act to promote and strengthen the national defense by suspending enforcement of certain civil liabilities of certain persons serving in the military and naval establishments, including the Coast Guard, was approved on October 17, 1940 (Public, No. 861, 76th Cong.). Article IV of the act provides that the Government will, on application by the insured, guarantee to commercial insurance companies premiums on life insurance carried with such companies by persons on active duty in the military service of the United States.

Article IV of the act of 1940 was amended on October 6, 1942, by Public, No. 732, Seventy-seventh Congress. The act amendments of 1942 provide for an increase from \$5,000 to \$10,000 in the maximum amount of life insurance which may be protected; it extends the period of protection from 1 to 2 years after termination of military service of the insured; permits the beneficiary of a policy to make application if the insured is outside the United States, Alaska, and the Panama Canal Zone; permits the protection of policies on which there is outstanding a policy loan or other indebtedness equal to or greater than 50 per centum of the cash surrender value, such policies having been excluded under the act of 1940; it simplifies the method of accounting between the insurers and the United States, and authorizes

recovery from insureds, of amounts paid by the Government to insurers.

Through June 30, 1945, 103,227 applications for the insurance benefits of the act have been received, of which 87,037 representing \$216,993,141.30 insurance have been approved and 14,793 representing \$34,090,135.15 have been disapproved.

### FINANCE

The actual net disbursements from appropriations and trust funds of the Veterans' Administration (including adjustment on lapsed appropriations) during the fiscal year 1945 were as follows:

Appropriations:	<i>Disbursements</i>
Salaries and expenses.....	\$158,824,748.47
Printing and binding.....	553,756.46
Hospital and domiciliary facilities and services, Veterans' Administration.....	15,800,635.66
Army and Navy pensions and military and naval compensation.....	771,796,516.61
Military and naval insurance.....	19,756,071.97
National service life insurance appropriated fund.....	<sup>1</sup> 1,117,548,383.54
Adjusted service and dependent pay.....	63,909.11
Vocational rehabilitation (World War I).....	<sup>2</sup> 363.94
Military and naval family allowance.....	<sup>2</sup> 2,346.96
Vocational rehabilitation revolving fund (World War II).....	99,978.51
Soldiers' and sailors' civil relief, Veterans' Administration (World War II).....	27,877.90
Penalty mail costs, Veterans' Administration.....	180,516.30
Miscellaneous.....	18,066.40
<b>Trust funds:</b>	
U. S. Government life insurance.....	32,273,258.28
National Service life insurance.....	136,846,767.35
Adjusted-service certificate fund.....	11,223,396.84
General post fund.....	96,462.50
General post fund auxiliary account, Veterans' Administration.....	270,931.49
Funds due incompetent beneficiaries.....	185,223.06
Personal funds of patients, Veterans' Administration.....	5,754,543.87
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>2,271,318,333.42</b>

<sup>1</sup> Represents net amount transferred by voucher to National Service life insurance for payment of claims traceable to the extra hazards of military or naval service.

<sup>2</sup> Credit—the amount shown for the appropriation "Salaries and expenses" includes net disbursements of \$27,036.39 from allotments made to other Government agencies.

### LOAN GUARANTEE ACTIVITIES

The Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 became law on June 22, 1944. Title III thereof provided for the guarantee of loans for the purchase or construction of homes, farms, and business property for any person who shall have served in the active military or naval service of the United States at any time on or after September 16, 1940, and prior to the termination of the present war and who shall have been discharged or released therefrom under conditions other than dishonorable after active service of 90 days or more, or by reason of an injury or disability incurred in service in line of duty. Application for such benefits must be made within 2 years after separation from military or naval service or 2 years after termination of the war whichever is the later. The maximum guarantee may not exceed 50 percent or \$2,000, whichever is the lesser except in the case of a

loan secondary to a principal loan made, guaranteed, or insured by a Federal agency in which case the second loan may be guaranteed for the full amount but not to exceed \$2,000 and provided it is not in excess of 20 percent of the purchase price of the property securing the principal loan.

After passage of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 regulations were drafted and the forms necessary to put the provisions of this law into effect were designed and printed. Actual operations began in November 1944 at which time 4 field offices were equipped with loan guarantee divisions to handle the entire United States. From November 1944 to June 30, 1945, loan guarantee divisions were established in 22 additional offices, making a total of 26. As of June 30, 1945, the total applications received for guarantee of loans was 15,455. Of this number, 12,228 were guaranteed for a total of \$19,644,824.90, distributed by types as follows: Home loans, 11,220; farm loans, 270; and business loans, 738.

#### READJUSTMENT ALLOWANCES

Operations under title V of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 were begun on a Nation-wide basis on September 4, 1944. In the 74-day period intervening between the date of the passage of the act and the date that operations began, preparations were completed that permitted the payment of claims on the dates authorized by the act. An organization involving 4,000 offices and points of contact was established to administer the act.

This major organizational task was accomplished through the cooperation of the State unemployment compensation agencies including agencies of the territories of Alaska, Hawaii, and the District of Columbia, and the affected Federal Departments. As authorized by title V, the Veterans' Administration entered into agreements with the various State unemployment compensation agencies to assume the functions of taking, processing, adjustment, and determination of readjustment allowances, and payment of allowances relating to unemployment. An organization was established in Puerto Rico to administer the program there and one will be provided in the Philippine Islands as soon as practical.

The initial period of operations has verified the feasibility of the decentralized method of administration authorized by the act. Costs are relatively low, facilities are widespread, and the veterans' benefit from the years of experience gained by the State unemployment compensation agencies in administering their unemployment compensation laws. These agencies have been encouraged to employ veterans to service the veterans and it is believed they have and will give the veteran the proper and understanding consideration needed. A representative of this Administration is located in every State unemployment compensation agency for the purpose of hearing appeals from decisions rendered in the State agencies, advising the agencies relative to interpretations and policies, and observing and analyzing the procedures and decisions of the agencies to assure compliance with the provisions of the act.

The readjustment allowance program provides assistance to both unemployed veterans and those in self-employment. An unemployed veteran who has met the basic entitlement requirements is eligible for allowance providing he files a claim, registers for work and is

able to work and available for suitable work. However, this requirement is waived during a period of continuous unemployment if failure to comply is due to an illness or disability which occurs after the commencement of such period. A veteran in self-employment for profit in an independent establishment, business, trade, profession, or other vocation who has met the basic entitlement requirement is eligible for allowance providing he has been fully engaged in such employment and his net earnings have been less than \$100 in the previous calendar month.

During the period from September 4, 1944, through June 30, 1945, a total of 180,798 veterans filed applications for determination of entitlement for allowances; 159,886 veterans submitted claims for unemployment allowances; and 15,221 filed claims for self-employment allowances. Weekly claims for unemployment numbering 1,062,481, and 51,856 monthly claims covering self-employment were filed. Veterans paid allowances for unemployment received an average of approximately six weekly payments to June 30, 1945. Disbursements for the fiscal year 1945 totaled \$23,512,150 of which \$20,123,525 represented payments to unemployed veterans and \$3,388,625 payments to self-employed veterans. During the month of June 1945, a weekly average of 31,832 veterans received unemployment allowances aggregating \$3,200,312, while \$1,069,512 was paid to 11,926 self-employed veterans.

The number of veterans that have filed claims for allowances is less than 10 percent of the estimated discharges from the armed forces through June 30, 1945. Many veterans were able upon discharge to find immediate civilian employment because of the heavy demand for workers. If their jobs terminate or are temporarily discontinued during the reconversion period, readjustment allowances are available to provide aid during periods of involuntary unemployment. If those in self-employment find that their net monthly earnings are less than \$100, allowances will be paid if they are otherwise eligible.

The veterans assisted during the first 10 months of the program were not typical of those still in the armed services and soon to be demobilized. In general, they were composed of medical discharges and those discharged because of age or inability to maintain or adjust to the schedule of the armed forces. Sample studies indicate that a majority of those receiving allowances were handicapped in some degree by physical defect or infirmity. This group is more difficult to place in employment and it is a tribute to their initiative that so few applied for benefits and the average duration of allowances was so short.

With the termination of the war and the demobilization of the armed services, the readjustment allowance program will undoubtedly perform a service important to the economy of the Nation. Due to the relationship to employment, it may affect more veterans than any other program adopted to assist them. Short-term unemployment immediately upon discharge, unemployment due to reconversion, seasonal lay-offs, and technological changes, are hazards that confront practically every veteran. For those in self-employment, equivalent hazards exist and assistance may be required. For the period extending to 5 years after the termination of the war, the readjustment allowance program will be available to provide both unemployment and self-employment allowances for veterans to the

extent of their entitlement and for the specific purpose of readjusting them into a peacetime economy.

### SUPPLY ACTIVITIES

During this fiscal year there was obligated out of the appropriation "Salaries and expenses" for subsistence supplies the amount of \$15,329,128.15, for expendable supplies (other than subsistence) \$11,042,941.79, and for nonexpendable supplies (equipment) \$9,292,449.99. The obligations for expendable supplies (including subsistence) amounted to 15.03 percent of the total obligations from the appropriation "Salaries and expenses," while obligations for nonexpendable supplies amounted to 5.30 percent.

There were received 24,360 requisitions for supplies and equipment. The handling of these requisitions required the execution of 3,371 contracts, the issuance of 18,590 purchase orders, 7,933 letters of authority to purchase, and 3,906 shipping orders on supply depots. There were executed 2,645 contracts for services such as hospitalization in other than Government facilities, burial, electricity, gas, water, etc.

There were in operation at our facilities 105 concessions such as stores, restaurants, barber shops, etc., from which there was realized \$89,847.48 which, together with revenue from the rental of land and the sale of obsolete buildings, amounted to a total income of approximately \$147,000 which was deposited in the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

### LEGAL ACTIVITIES

#### LEGISLATION

There were introduced during the second session of the Seventy-eighth Congress from July 1, 1944, through December 31, 1944, and during the first session of the Seventy-ninth Congress up to July 1, 1945, 2,868 bills pertaining to veterans' benefits, many of which had for their purpose material changes in existing laws affecting veterans' relief. Of these, 2,458 were general bills, and 410 were for private relief. For the fiscal year, there were 272 reports furnished Committees, Members of Congress, the Bureau of the Budget, and the President on proposed legislation. In addition to these reports, there were 1,654 miscellaneous letters and memoranda prepared concerning legislative matters, and 870 letters and memoranda reviewed and necessary action taken informally. There were 108 separate drafts of proposed legislation prepared for committees and Members of Congress, and 496 printed committee reports and 132 documents read, compared to show changes, indexed and cross-referenced. House or Senate resolutions or concurrent resolutions to the number of 198 were received for classification and indexed for reference purposes. Digests of pending bills were prepared in 488 instances, including chronology of the legislative action taken thereon. Public acts to the number of 96 and 7 private acts were received for classification, indexing for reference purposes, and disposition to operating services affected thereby. Studies were conducted and résumés prepared during the fiscal year on 73 legislative problems and proposals affecting the Veterans' Administration. A considerable number of résumés, digests, and tabulated studies have been

prepared for or in cooperation and collaboration with other departments and agencies. Progress reports on the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, Public Law 346, Seventy-eighth Congress, in 6 parts were furnished the 21 members of the Committee on World War Veterans' legislation and to the chairman, Committee on Finance in the Senate. Digests of laws pertaining to and affecting Veterans' Administration, which were enacted by the Seventy-eighth Congress, first session, after July 13, 1943, and during the Seventy-eighth Congress, second session, up to and including June 30, 1944, were reported in the annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944. The following statement includes laws enacted by the Seventy-eighth Congress, second session, since July 1, 1944, and during the Seventy-ninth Congress, first session, up to and including June 30, 1945.

*New Legislation.*—Public Law 419, Seventy-eighth Congress, September 7, 1944. This act provides that effective December 7, 1941; where in the case of a person in the active land or naval service (missing or missing in action), a report of death or a finding of death has been made by the Secretary of War or Secretary of Navy, the effective date of an award of death pension or compensation payable under laws administered by the Veterans' Administration shall be the day following the date fixed by the Secretary as the date of death in such report or finding if claim is filed prior to 1 year after report or finding of death is made. Death pension or compensation shall not be payable to any dependent for any period for which such dependent has received, or is entitled to receive, an allowance, allotment, or service pay of the deceased.

Public Law 434, Seventy-eighth Congress, September 27, 1944. This act extends to honorably discharged veterans of World War II the same rights with reference to credit in homestead entries similar to those extended veterans of other wars. Any person who has served or may serve in the military or naval forces of the United States for a period of at least 90 days during World War II, and is honorably discharged, and makes a homestead entry, is entitled to have the term of his service in the Army or Navy not exceeding 2 years deducted from the 3 years' residence required under the homestead laws. If a veteran is discharged on account of wounds received or disability incurred in line of duty or regularly discharged but subsequently is furnished hospitalization or is awarded compensation by the Government on account of such wounds or disability, credit for 2 years' military or naval service is allowed. However, no patent shall issue to any such person who has not resided upon his homestead and otherwise complied with the provisions of the homestead laws for a period of at least 1 year.

The benefits are extended to a widow if unmarried, or in the case of her death or marriage to the minor children.

Those persons entitled to credit for military or naval service under the act are granted preference in connection with applications, under certain conditions, under the homestead or desert land laws or the act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609; 43 U. S. C., sec. 682a).

Public Law 439, Seventy-eighth Congress, September 27, 1944. Section 1 of this act repealed section 2 of the act approved May 17, 1926, which provided for the forfeiture of pay under certain conditions of persons in the military or naval service of the United States,

absent from duty on account of the direct effects of venereal disease due to their own misconduct.

Section 2 of the act amended paragraph VIII of Veterans' Regulation No. 10, as amended, to define "line of duty" for pension and compensation purposes.

The amendment to paragraph VIII of Veterans' Regulation No. 10, as amended, provides that an injury or disease incurred during military or naval service will be deemed to have been incurred in line of duty and not the result of the veteran's own misconduct when the person on whose account benefits are claimed was, at the time the injury was suffered or disease contracted, in active service in the military or naval forces, whether on active duty or on authorized leave, unless such injury or disease was the result of his own willful misconduct, provided that venereal disease shall not be presumed to be due to willful misconduct if the person in service complies with the Army or Navy regulations requiring him to report and receive treatment for such disease, and that the requirements for line of duty will not be met if it appears that at the time the injury was suffered or disease contracted the person on whose account benefits are claimed (1) was avoiding duty by deserting the service, or by absenting himself without leave materially interfering with the performance of military duties and (2) was confined under sentence of court martial or civil court.

Section 3 of the act amended the definition of "misconduct" as contained in paragraph IX of Veterans' Regulation No. 10, as amended. As amended the paragraph prohibits payment of pension under part III of Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (a), as amended, for any disability due to the claimant's own willful misconduct or vicious habits.

Section 4 of the act provides that it is effective from the date of its approval and applicable to claims filed or adjudicated thereafter and the beginning dates of awards shall be as provided in the applicable statute or regulations. No claim heretofore disallowed by reason of misconduct or line of duty requirement shall be revived but benefits may be payable on the basis of a new claim filed hereafter in such form as may be prescribed by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Public Law 452, Seventy-eighth Congress, September 30, 1944. This act amends certain subsections of section 602 of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940, as amended, and adds thereto a new subsection.

Section 1 of the act amends subsection (j) to provide that, in the event that no person within the permitted class survives to receive the insurance or any part thereof, if the reserve of a contract of converted national service life insurance, together with dividends accumulated thereon, less any indebtedness under such contract, exceeds the aggregate amount paid to beneficiaries, the excess shall be paid to the estate of the insured except where the estate would escheat.

Section 2 of the act, which amends subsection (3) (A) of section 602 (d), provides that any person in the active service who on or after October 8, 1940, and prior to April 20, 1942, becomes totally disabled as a result of injury or disease incurred in line of duty and such disability continues without interruption for a period of 6 months:

or until death intervening prior to the end of such 6-month period without having in force at time of incurrence of such disability at least \$5,000 insurance issued under the War Risk Insurance Act, as amended, or the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended, or this act, shall be deemed to have applied for and to have been granted, effective as of the commencement of such total disability, national service life insurance in an amount which together with any such insurance then in force shall aggregate \$5,000 and such gratuitous insurance shall continue in force without payment of premiums until 6 months after the insured ceases to be totally disabled or until 1 year after the date of enactment of this amendatory act, whichever is the earlier date. The change thus made by this amendment is to grant the gratuitous insurance in cases where death occurs before the total disability has continued 6 months and also extends the time for making application for continuance of waiver of premiums until 1 year after enactment of this act.

Section 3 of the act adds thereto a new subsection (r) which prevents lapse of insurance in a case in which premiums are not waived, under subsection (n) of the act, on account of total disability solely because death occurred prior to the continuance of such total disability for 6 months. The unpaid premiums become a lien against the proceeds of insurance. Proof of such facts must be filed by the beneficiary with the Veterans' Administration within 1 year after the enactment of this amendment or 1 year after the insured's death, whichever is the later date. If the beneficiary be insane or a minor, proof of such facts must be filed within 1 year after removal of such legal disability.

Section 4 of the act amends subsection (5) of section 602 (d) of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940, as amended, to permit application to be filed within 5 years after the death of any person granted gratuitous insurance under the provisions of subsections (2) and (3) thereof. Prior to this amendment, it was necessary that claim be filed within 1 year after the death of the insured or 1 year after July 11, 1942, whichever is later, and as a result the Veterans' Administration was required to deny insurance benefits because application was not timely filed in cases in which the insured's death was not announced by the service departments until more than 1 year after death occurred.

Sections 5 and 6 of the act amend section 602 (h) (1) and (2) to authorize the election of a refund life income in lieu of the mode of payment provided in prior law and the payment of the full face value of the insurance. The refund life income is to be payable in monthly installments for such period certain as may be required in order that the sum of the installments certain, including a last installment of such reduced amount as may be necessary, shall equal the face value of the contract, less any indebtedness, with such payments continuing throughout the lifetime of such beneficiary. Such optional settlement is not available in any case in which payments of insurance installments have been commenced prior to the date of this amendatory act, and when such settlement would result in payments of installments over a shorter period than 120 months.

Section 7 of the act amends subsection (n) of section 602 to provide that in the event of death of the insured without filing application for waiver of premiums on account of total disability, the beneficiary,

within 1 year after the death of the insured or the enactment of this amendment, whichever be the later, or if the beneficiary be insane or a minor, within 1 year after removal of such legal disability, may file application for waiver with evidence of the insured's right to waive under the conditions of this section.

Public Law 453, Seventy-eighth Congress, September 30, 1944. Section 1 of this act provides that any person granted national service life insurance under Public Law 97 and Public Law 99, Seventy-seventh Congress, approved June 3, 1941, shall be deemed to have continued such insurance in force by payment of premiums whether or not such premiums were or were not paid so long as he remains in active military service as a commissioned officer and not permanently relieved from duty involving participation in regular and frequent aerial flights. Any premium due and unpaid at the death of such person shall constitute a lien against the proceeds of such insurance.

Under section 2 of the act, a new subsection (s) is added to section 602 of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940, as amended to provide that payment of insurance benefits shall not be denied in any case in which the applicant for insurance died prior to July 1, 1942, and the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs finds that the failure to pay premiums or to effect deduction thereof as provided in section 602 (m) could in any way be attributed to the inadequacy of the service department's procedure for authorizing deductions of premiums from active service pay prior to that date, or to want of proper instructions as to the requirements of such procedure. Premiums due on such insurance shall be deducted from the proceeds of the insurance unless otherwise adjusted.

Section 3 of the act provides that any liability under this amendatory act shall be chargeable to the national service life insurance appropriation.

Public Law 457, Seventy-eighth Congress, October 3, 1944. This act known as the Surplus Property Act of 1944 provides for the disposition of Government surplus property and the establishing of a surplus property board to effectuate same. Section 16 of the act provides that the board shall prescribe regulations to effectuate the objectives of this act to aid veterans to establish and maintain their own small business, professional, or agricultural enterprises, by affording veterans suitable preferences to the extent feasible and consistent with the policies of this act in the acquisition of the types of surplus property useful in such enterprises.

Public Law 458, Seventy-eighth Congress, October 3, 1944. This act known as the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944 establishes the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion.

Under title I certain agencies are placed in the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion and will continue to exercise their functions under the supervision of the director of War Mobilization and Reconversion, whose powers and duties in meeting problems arising out of the transition from war to peace are defined therein. An advisory board is created to advise with the director with respect to war mobilization and reconversion and make such recommendations relating to legislation, policies, and procedures as may be necessary.

Title II sets forth certain demobilization and reconversion policies relating to persons in the armed forces, war production and war contracts, etc.

Title III establishes a Retaining and Reemployment Administration, the functions of which, subject to the general supervision of the director of War Mobilization and Reconversion will be exercised by a retraining and reemployment administrator. The same person may serve as retraining and reemployment administrator and as administrator of veterans' affairs. The Administration will have general supervision and direction of the activities of all existing executive agencies (except the Veterans' Administration and the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs) authorized by law relating to retraining, reemployment, vocational education, and vocational rehabilitation for the purpose of coordinating such activities and eliminating overlapping functions of such agencies, and to the extent necessary to achieve such purposes, the Administrator is authorized to issue regulations in connection with the work of such executive agencies. Nothing in this title shall be deemed to confer any power or authority upon any such agency or authorize any activities by any such agency not authorized by provisions of law other than this title or to extend any existing power beyond the date upon which it would otherwise expire. It will be the function of the Administration to confer with State and local agencies and officials in charge of existing programs relating to retraining, reemployment, vocational education, and vocational rehabilitation for the purpose of coordinating the activities of existing Federal agencies with the activities of such State and local agencies. To the fullest extent practicable the Administrator shall perform the duties imposed upon him through the facilities and personnel of other executive agencies.

Title IV deals with advances to State unemployment funds and by appropriate amendment to the Social Security Act provides for establishment of a Federal unemployment account in the unemployment trust fund, and for appropriations thereto to meet advances to State unemployment funds.

Title V authorizes the Federal Works Administration to make loans or advances to States and their agencies and political subdivisions to aid in construction of public works.

Title VI contains miscellaneous provisions relating to the act.

Public Law 462, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 6, 1944. This act amends Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (a), part II, paragraph II, subparagraph (k), as amended, to increase the rate of additional pension to \$26.25 per month in those cases in which the disabled person, as the result of service incurred disability, has suffered the anatomical loss or the loss of the use of only one foot, or one hand or one eye during peacetime service.

This amendment removes the inequality that existed between the monthly rate of compensation or pension payable for these disabilities incurred in wartime service and similar disabilities incurred in peacetime service. The peacetime service connected disability rates are generally 75 per centum of the wartime service-connected disability rates under Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (a), as amended. Public Law 198, Seventy-sixth Congress, approved July 19, 1939, increased the rate for war-service incurred disability but a corresponding in-

crease was not made for similar disabilities suffered by veterans who served during other than a period of war.

Public Law 469, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 7, 1944. This act increases by 15 percent the monthly rates of pension for service-connected disability, exclusive of special awards and allowances, payable under laws administered by the Veterans' Administration to veterans of the Regular Establishment and certain veterans of wars prior to World War I who were not included in section 1 of Public Law 312, Seventy-eighth Congress, approved May 27, 1944. The effective date of the act is June 1, 1944.

Public Law 471, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 8, 1944. This act liberalizes the eligibility requirements of the Civil War service pension laws and provides pension to the dependent unremarried widow of a Civil War veteran who is at least 60 years of age and who is barred from the receipt of pension because her marriage to the veteran occurred subsequent to June 26, 1905, but who is otherwise entitled to pension either under the act of May 1, 1920 (41 Stat. 585), or under the act of June 9, 1930 (46 Stat. 528), provided she married the veteran 10 years prior to his death and lived with him continuously from the date of the marriage to the date of the veteran's death except where there was a separation which was due to misconduct of or procured by the veteran without fault of the widow.

If pension has been granted to an insane, idiotic, or otherwise helpless child of the veteran or to a child or children of the veteran under 16 years of age, the widow shall not be entitled to the pension authorized in this act until the pension to the child or children terminates, unless such child or children be a member or members of her family and cared for by her; and when these conditions are fulfilled and the pension is granted to the widow, payment of pension to such child or children ceases; except that in the event the amount being paid to such child or children is less than the amount authorized to the widow by this act, then the difference between said amounts will be paid to the widow.

Payment of pension as provided by this act shall be effective from date of receipt of application in the Veterans' Administration after the date of the enactment of this act. The pension provided by the act will not be paid to a widow who has remarried since the death of the veteran and upon remarriage pension shall be terminated. The penal and forfeiture provisions of Civil War pension laws are applicable to the provisions of this act.

Public Law 473, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 8, 1944. This act amends the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to extend the time from 40 to 90 days within which application may be made for reemployment in the person's former position or one of similar status after release from training and service, and adds a new provision which authorizes application within 90 days after release from hospitalization continuing after discharge for a period of not more than 1 year.

Sections 2 and 3 insure application of the amendments to groups other than selectees who have been granted the right of restoration to a former position or one of similar status.

Public Law 483, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 14, 1944. Section 1 of this act amends Public Law 484, Seventy-third Congress, June 28, 1934, as amended to provide service pensions for widows

and children of deceased World War I veterans, employing the monthly rates and income limitations contained in that law but removing the requirement that at the time of the veteran's death from non-service-connected cause he must have had a service-connected disability.

Section 2 of the act amends Public Law 484, Seventy-third Congress, as amended to provide that monthly rates of pension shall be as follows: Widow but no child, \$35; widow and one child, \$45 (with \$5 for each additional child); no widow but one child, \$18; no widow but two children, \$27 (equally divided); no widow but three children, \$36 (equally divided) with \$4 for each additional child (the total amount to be equally divided). The total amount payable shall not exceed \$74, and the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is authorized to apportion this amount where such benefits would otherwise exceed \$74. The only change made in rates is an increase of the limitation on the aggregate amount of pension which can be paid in an individual case from \$64 to \$74.

Section 3 amends section 3 of Public Law 514, Seventy-fifth Congress, May 13, 1938, to define the term "Widow of a World War I veteran" as a woman who was married prior to the effective date of enactment of this amendment or married 10 or more years to the person who served.

All marriages shall be proven as valid marriages according to the law of the place where the parties resided at the time of marriage or the law of the place where the parties resided when the right to compensation or pension accrued. Where the original date of marriage meets the statutory requirement and the parties were legally married at the date of death of the veteran, the requirement of the statute as to date of marriage will be regarded as having been met. Compensation or pension will not be allowed a widow who has remarried and where properly discontinued by reason of remarriage it shall not thereafter be recommenced. There must have been continuous cohabitation with the person who served from the date of marriage to date of death except where there was a separation without fault of the widow.

Section 4 of the act provides that the act is effective from the date of approval. Claims otherwise payable for a period prior to the effective date of the act may be adjudicated and placed on the roll and the benefits of this act shall be applicable to such claims and those claims now on the rolls. Except to the extent they may conflict with the provisions of the act the provisions of Public Law No. 2, Seventy-third Congress, March 20, 1933, the Veterans' Regulations promulgated thereunder and of Public Law 144, Seventy-eighth Congress, July 13, 1943, as now or hereafter amended shall be applicable to this act. No compensation or pension shall be reduced or discontinued by enactment of this act.

Section 6 of the act reenacts certain provisions of Public Law 484 in order to preserve the rights granted in World War II cases by the act of May 27, 1944, Public Law 312, Seventy-eighth Congress, providing non-service-connected death benefits for widows and children of World War II veterans.

No outright service pension is granted in World War II cases. It will still be required in such cases that at time of death from non-

service-connected cause, the veteran had a disability connected with World War II service.

Public Law 529, Seventy-eighth Congress, December 22, 1944. First Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1945, appropriates additional amount of \$10,571,000, fiscal year 1945, for hospital and domiciliary facilities Veterans' Administration, including the 3 per centum limitation specified for this purpose in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1945. Authorizes to be expended an amount not to exceed \$5,000 for the preparation, shipment, installation and display of exhibits, photographic displays, moving pictures and other visual educational information and descriptive material, including the rental or purchase of equipment.

Increases the limitation upon the amount which may be expended to repair, alter, improve, or provide facilities in the several hospitals and homes under the jurisdiction of Veterans' Administration from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000. Increases the limitation imposed by section 105 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1945, upon travel expenses to \$4,000,000.

Authorizes \$485,625 to be deposited in the general fund of the Treasury for costs of penalty mail fiscal year, 1945. For property damage claims, \$247.84 is authorized. No part of any appropriation contained in this act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence.

Public Law 36, Seventy-ninth Congress, April 23, 1945. This act authorizes and directs the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to grant an easement to the county of Dallas, State of Texas, for highway purposes in certain lands so described of the Veterans' Administration facility, Dallas, Tex. The easement to be granted shall be limited to the period of time the aforesaid lands are required and actually used for highway purposes, and when no longer so required and used, all interest so authorized to be conveyed in said lands shall cease and determine.

Public Law 37, Seventy-ninth Congress, April 23, 1945. This act authorizes and directs the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to transfer by quitclaim deed to the city of Los Angeles, State of California, the property therein described and located at the Veterans' Administration facility, Los Angeles, Calif., subject to the conditions that the property shall be used for fire-station purposes and that 24-hour fire protection be furnished to all accessible parts of the Veterans' Administration facility, Los Angeles, Calif., without charge.

The deed authorized by this act shall contain the express reservation that should the city of Los Angeles, Calif., either fail to use the property for fire-station purposes or furnish 24-hour fire protection to all accessible parts of Veterans' Administration facility, Los Angeles, Calif., then all right, title, and interest in such property shall revert to and revest in and become the property of the United States, except that failure to furnish fire protection is temporary and is due to conditions beyond the control of the city of Los Angeles. That should such property so revert to and revest in the United States, the city of Los Angeles may remove the buildings and structures then existing and shall restore the land as nearly as possible to its former condition without expense to the United States.

Public Law 45, Seventy-ninth Congress, April 27, 1945. This act amends the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia by adding a new section, 548a, to provide for the recording of veterans' discharge certificates for which no fee shall be charged or collected. The usual fee shall be charged for making certified copies of discharge certificates.

Public Law 49, Seventy-ninth Congress, May 3, 1945. Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1946, provides a total appropriation for the Veterans' Administration of \$2,607,119,250 made up of the following items: \$227,675,000 for salaries and expenses, including maintenance and operation of medical, hospital, and domiciliary services (\$44,940 of the amount for salaries and expenses of Federal Board of Hospitalization; not to exceed \$5,000 for actuarial expenses; not to exceed \$200 for legal news papers); not to exceed \$50,000 for the preparation, shipment, installation, and display of exhibits, photographic displays, moving pictures, and other visual educational information and descriptive material including the purchase or rental of equipment; \$3,650,000 to repair, alter, improve, or provide facilities in the several hospitals and homes either by contract or by the hire of temporary employees and the purchase of materials; \$780,000 for printing and binding; for deposit in the general fund of the Treasury for cost of penalty mail, \$614,250; \$1,080,150,000 for compensation, pension, gratuities, and allowances, including emergency officers' retirement pay and annuities; for payment of benefits authorized by titles II, III, and V of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, \$295,000,000; \$18,000,000 for military and naval insurance; \$900,000,000 for transfer to the national service life insurance fund; \$400,000 for payment of claims as authorized by article IV of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act amendments of 1942; \$84,500,000 for hospital and domiciliary facilities.

This act authorizes the Administrator to utilize Government-owned automotive equipment in transporting children of Veterans' Administration employees located at isolated stations to and from school under such limitations as he may by regulation prescribe; authorizes employment of medical consultants for duty on such terms as Administrator may deem advisable and without regard to the civil service and classification laws; also authorizes purchase of printed reduced fare request for use of veterans when traveling at their own expenses from or to Veterans' Administration facilities. The appropriation available for expenses and travel shall be available, when specifically authorized by the Administrator, for expenses of attendance at meetings of organizations concerned with the function or activity for which the appropriation concerned is made. The amount available for such purpose shall not exceed 75 per centum of the amount authorized for the fiscal year 1945. No part of the appropriation may be used for hospitalization or examination of any persons except beneficiaries entitled under the laws bestowing such benefits, unless reimbursement of cost is made to the appropriation at such rates as may be fixed by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs. No part of any appropriation contained in this act shall be used to pay the salary of wages of any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence.

Public Law 51, Seventy-ninth Congress, May 4, 1945. This act amends section 2 of Public Law 140, Seventy-seventh Congress, which

has for its purpose the granting of certain retirement benefits to enlisted men of the Regular Army and the Philippine Scouts who, having had at least 20 years' service in the military forces of the United States, had been placed on the retired list by reason of permanent disability received in line of duty, but which did not provide for similar cases who had retired prior to the approval of the act. Public Law 51 extends the same benefits to similar persons retired prior to June 30, 1941, but provides that no benefits shall be paid for any period prior to the effective date of the amendment, May 4, 1945.

The act affects the Veterans' Administration by reason of the provisions of section 4 of Public Law 140, Seventy-seventh Congress, which permits the retired enlisted man to waive the retired pay and allowance for the purpose of receiving pension or compensation, and, thereafter, waive receipt of pension or compensation for the purpose of receiving retired pay and allowance.

Public Law 93, Seventy-ninth Congress, June 29, 1945. This act provides for the designation of the United States Veterans' Administration Hospital at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., as the Royal C. Johnson Veterans Memorial Hospital.

Public Law 98, Seventy-ninth Congress, June 30, 1945. Section 16 of this act amends section 502 of title III of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, relating to the purchase of farms and farm equipment, to provide approval for the guaranty of a loan to purchase stock in a cooperative association where the purchase of such stock is required by Federal Statute as an incident to obtaining a loan on which a guaranty is sought.

#### INTERPRETATIVE LAW

During this year 1,207 formal and precedent opinions were rendered covering all phases of the various laws granting benefits to veterans and their dependents and those governing administrative activities such as contracts, property, finance, personnel, etc.

In addition, a total of 4,498 memoranda and letter, embodying studies and observations on existing laws, proposed legislation, regulations, procedure and policy thereunder, and on other matters of a general nature, were released.

*Civil litigation.*—Six suits not under section 19 were disposed of as follows: Three were dismissed, two resulted in judgment in favor of plaintiff, and one resulted in judgment for United States.

There were pending in the Veterans' Administration on June 30, 1944, 115 cases which were in the course of consideration and investigation. During the fiscal year 337 complaints of violations of laws were received, considered, and investigated, which, with the number on hand made a total of 452 cases. One hundred and twenty-two of these cases were submitted to the Department of Justice for consideration of United States attorneys and 226 were closed without reference to the Department of Justice on account of the lack of evidence, expiration of the period of the statute of limitations, and so forth. A total of 104 cases remained in the course of investigation on June 30, 1945.

There were pending in the Department of Justice on June 30, 1944, a total of 102 cases. There were submitted during the fiscal year 122

cases, making a total of 224 cases. Of these 67 were disposed of by the Department of Justice, leaving a balance on June 30, 1945, of 157 cases.

The 67 cases were disposed of as follows:

Acquittals.....	1
No bills.....	3
Convictions.....	30
Closed by Department of Justice.....	27
Nolle prosequi.....	2
Defendant died after indictment.....	2
Filed away with leave to reinstate.....	2

In explanation it may be stated that the 27 cases closed by the Department of Justice were cases wherein it was believed that, on account of mitigating circumstances, a successful prosecution would not be obtained. However, there having been a prima facie showing of guilt, the Veterans' Administration informally submitted the cases in order that the proper enforcement branch of the Government might have the opportunity to consider the evidence.

*Admission to practice before the Veterans' Administration.*—In passing upon applications of admission to practice before the Administration it is shown by the records that during the fiscal year 1945 the following matters were completed: Three hundred ninety-three applications of attorneys were approved and 48 denied; 2 applications of agents were approved and 4 denied.

#### GUARDIANSHIP

During the fiscal year no Federal legislation directly affecting the guardianship program was enacted. The Revised Uniform Veterans' Guardianship Act was enacted by the States of Arizona, Colorado, Louisiana, and New Mexico. The States of Massachusetts and Minnesota while not adopting the whole act, enacted section 18 thereof, authorizing the commitment of mentally incompetent veterans to the Veterans' Administration instead of to a named hospital, and making such commitments by courts of other States effective in the enacting States, substantially as approved by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws at its 1942 meeting. The States of California and Iowa also enacted some of the provisions of the revised act.

The total number of beneficiaries under guardianship increased from 78,456 on June 30, 1944, to 87,346 on June 30, 1945. Minors increased from 34,214 to 42,249, and incompetents from 44,242 to 45,097.

The estates of these beneficiaries received during the year, a total of \$42,970,313.54 through payments and earnings, an increase of \$5,969,467.63 as compared with the preceding fiscal year. The assets of such estates aggregated \$163,158,552.78. Illegal investments noted were \$40,520.58 a decrease of \$11,539.10 as shown for the preceding year. Losses and recoveries or savings were reported as follows:

#### Losses:

Embezzled or misappropriated.....	\$5, 791. 49
Lost on deposits.....	11, 627. 33
Lost on investments.....	134, 692. 88

Recoveries and savings for beneficiaries by chief attorney's offices:

Of amounts embezzled or misappropriated.....	\$11,320.49
On investments and expenditures.....	60,697.31
On commissions.....	12,270.66
On fees.....	7,280.95
On contemplated investments and expenditures prevented.....	117,873.98
Legal services rendered.....	513,567.72

Total recoveries and savings..... 723,011.11

Actual cash collections for beneficiaries totaled \$70,349.86 and for the United States from escheated funds, overpayments, and illegal payments \$97,050.01.

Eleven thousand eight hundred sixty-three court appearances were made by Veterans' Administration attorneys.

The following cases of importance in the guardianship program were decided by appellate courts during the fiscal year:

The case of *In re Lindquist's Estate*, 154 Pac. (2d) 879, involved the construction of section 450 (3) of title 38, U. S. C. The incompetent veteran at his death was under guardianship and his estate consisted of an unexpended balance derived from pension payments in the amount of \$1,445.87. The State of California contended that the pension was an outright, absolute, complete gift; that the statute uses the term "escheat" in a technical sense to mean succession to property where there are no heirs; and that the statute constitutes an attempt by the Federal Government to regulate the laws of succession of the State as to a particular type of property. The Government on the other hand took the position that the word "escheat" as used in the statute does not have the technical limited meaning urged by the State and that its obvious purpose and intent is that the Federal Government has not made the gift of a pension absolute and complete, but has retained in itself a reversionary interest so that if any portion of the pension remaining at the death of the pensioner would otherwise escheat to the State, the reversionary contingent interest of the Government will vest. The Supreme Court of California decided the issues in favor of the Government, and certiorari was denied by the United States Supreme Court, 89 Law Ed. 1230 (Adv.).

*In re Walker's Estate*, 154 Pac. (2d) 891, involved the same general questions and was decided in favor of the Government, for the same reasons as in the *Lindquist* case, *supra*.

The allowances made for services of fiduciaries, attorneys, guardians ad litem, etc., continue to be reasonable generally, and nominal in a great proportion of the cases. The case of *In re McCann*, 51 N. Y. S. (2d) 914, involved excessive allowances to the committee, attorneys and special guardian, and the appellate court reduced the total allowances \$1,500. In the case of *In re Fisher*, 55 N. Y. S. (2d) 461, the appellate court disallowed an attorney fee of \$50 for assistance rendered the committee in obtaining a duplicate adjusted-service certificate, and cashing same, which involved a construction of section 619, title 38, U. S. C.

The case of *In re Mansour's Estate*, 185 S. W. (2d) 360, concerned what were considered to be excessive expenditures alleged to have been made by the guardian in behalf of the ward for his maintenance and for his travel, accompanied by the guardian as attendant, to his

former home in Syria. The guardian claimed that because the lower court had by order authorized the use of us to \$5,000 for such purposes, further proof of expenditures was not necessary and he did not submit proof as to many of the larger items thereof in his accounting. The appellate court held that the orders of the court merely appropriated \$5,000 from the estate for use, if necessary, but that the guardian must show by satisfactory evidence that all disbursements made were necessary, and remanded the case for further proceedings in harmony with the opinion.

The *North Dakota* case of *In re Estate of Gislason*, June 1945, involved the allowance of compensation based upon alleged extraordinary services rendered by the guardian. The guardian employed a trust company to manage the fiscal affairs of the estate, and alleged performance of ordinary services by himself relating to the guardianship of the ward's person. He sought the usual 5 percent of estate income as compensation for himself and an equal amount to be paid the trust company for handling the estate affairs. The Veterans' Administration contended that none of the services rendered either by the guardian or trust company, separately or taken together, constituted extraordinary services within the law so as to justify an extra allowance. The Supreme Court, however, decided adversely to the position of the Veterans' Administration and allowed the amounts claimed.

#### APPEALS

During the fiscal year, the Board of Veterans' Appeals rendered 22,585 appellate decisions involving 17,470 cases, the ratio of decisions to appellants being 1.29. During this period, 1,174 cases were remanded for further development of the evidence and reconsideration by agencies of original jurisdiction.

At the close of the fiscal year 5,289 cases were reported as pending appellate consideration. Physical inventory of cases actually before the Board of Veterans' Appeals as of that date totaled 2,825. The difference between the number reported pending and the number physically before the Board is represented by cases in transit between the field stations and the Board. The number of cases physically before the Board at the close of the fiscal year represented an increase of 1,870 over the number so pending at the close of the previous fiscal year. In addition to the cases receiving appellate consideration, 7,156 appeals had not been certified to the Board of Veterans' Appeals by the agencies of original jurisdiction due to the necessity for further development of the evidence or for other reasons. Many of these cases will not reach appellate channels since allowances based on further evidence and withdrawals will result in cancellations.

During the fiscal year, formal recorded hearings were held in 5,298 cases. As of June 30, 1945, hearings were pending in 279 cases.

Benefits to veterans or the dependents of veterans of all wars, beginning with the Civil War, as well as veterans of the Regular Establishment or their dependents, under the various laws administered by the Veterans' Administration, were involved in the cases receiving appellate consideration. For an analysis by wars and kind of claims, see table 56.

## PERSONNEL

Throughout this fiscal year, the Veterans' Administration continued to experience an expansion in all lines of activity and an increased difficulty in obtaining qualified personnel. Unusual methods of recruiting were placed into effect, directed toward filling our unprecedented number of vacancies, such as lowering of entrance standards, direct recruiting, and other inducements permitted under civil service regulations.

The services of many qualified on-duty medical and dental officers were retained through arrangements with the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy whereby they were commissioned in those services and detailed to the Veterans' Administration. The medical force was supplemented by detail from the War and Navy Departments of certain available officers qualified for duty with the Veterans' Administration. Detachments of limited service men were detailed to our field stations at the attendant level. Conscientious objectors were also used in that capacity in a few instances and prisoners of war were assigned as laborers in utility activities at some of our stations.

The expansion of vocational rehabilitation activities resulted in the appointment and training of large numbers of qualified persons to fill a wide range of positions such as vocational rehabilitation officer, vocational advisor, training officer, registration officer, educational research officer, and many others. Veterans' Administration guidance centers were established at well-known colleges and universities throughout the country and vocational rehabilitation and educational personnel was assigned to field stations to attend conferences with officials of private industries for the purpose of working out training programs for veterans and to discuss placement matters. A new development was the employment of consultants to give advice on planning educational programs and other guidance matters.

A readjustment allowance agent was assigned in each state as well as in Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and Alaska (part time); positions of assistant readjustment allowance agent are to be authorized as the readjustment allowance activities expand.

Contact activities were expanded greatly and new contact units established in various parts of the country. The development and training of new contact personnel as well as those already in the service was facilitated by a comprehensive manual written for the contact service which will assist in teaching facts about the Veterans' Administration, including benefits provided for veterans and their dependents and procedures for obtaining such benefits, all directed toward a more effective discharge of their responsibilities. Central office liaison representatives were assigned to represent the Veterans' Administration at Army separation centers and Navy personnel redistribution centers.

A field operations division was established in the personnel service under the direction of a chief, to develop a field personnel management program. This activity will facilitate arrangements for the orientation and indoctrination of new personnel officers and assistant personnel officers in the field service. A personnel manual was written and a training program inaugurated to develop personnel clerks for field assignment.

There was established a chaplaincy service in central office under the direction of a chief.

A large amount of on-the-job training is being done in many of the occupations represented in the utility and maintenance phases of operation at field stations. Recently a 10-day training institute was held in Chicago for engineers and ranking engineers from 15 stations in the midwest relative to the improvement of methods of training subordinates in this field.

Because of the acute recruitment problem prevailing throughout the country, training positions of assistant laboratorian were set up at strategic geographical points. Training courses were conducted for student dietitians, on completion of which these employees were advanced to staff dietitians. This has aided greatly in offsetting an acute shortage of this type of personnel. The nursing service has been improved in that a ratio of approximately one head nurse to four graduate nurses has been established. The plan of utilizing the services of volunteer nurses aides and senior cadet nurses has continued. Change from subprofessional to professional classification for nurses, dietitians, pharmacists, social workers, and librarians, was approved, effective July 1, 1945. It is believed that this will result in increased interest in the positions and will aid materially in filling vacant positions.

In order to meet the increasing need of the Administration for personnel with legal qualifications to handle the adjudication of claims of veterans and their dependents, there was established an adjudicator training pool in central office and similar pools are being set up at many of the field offices to facilitate the handling of claims.

Orientation training to help new employees adapt themselves more readily to the new conditions and requirements of the Administration and of Washington was given to 2,972 persons. More than 500 employees have been given refresher training in shorthand and typing in central office and in the New York branch of central office. The supervision improvement program which is an adaptation by the Civil Service Commission of training within industry (job instructions training, job relations training, and job methods training) continued. During the 1945 fiscal year in central office, 493 supervisors completed job relations training, the application of the principles of which led to the establishment and maintenance of better employee relations. Two hundred and thirteen supervisors in central office have completed job methods training which aided them materially in dealing with the problems of work planning, simplification, and improvement. As a result of these courses, the quantity of effective work on the part of employees has been increased, more efficient methods have been developed and a substantial man-hour and material saving has been effected. In the field, 16 facilities, regional offices, supply depots, and area offices have initiated and are continuing job instructions training courses for their supervisors.

There has been continued the practice of appointing clerks, typists, and stenographers at selected field stations for eventual transfer to central office. In addition, there were operated several central office transcribing and typing units in areas adjacent to Washington where local persons could be employed.

Appointment procedure has been streamlined. Placement work in the Administration has been expanded and special studies have been

made in connection with our program of utilizing skills and abilities of employees to the best advantage in line with full man-power utilization. Attention has been given to fitting the applicant to the job with due regard for his physical limitations.

In its placement of veterans, the Veterans' Administration is giving full compliance to all statutory requirements and civil service regulations applying to veterans, endeavoring to go beyond legal requirements by recognizing special skills and training acquired in the armed forces.

On June 30, 1945, there were on the rolls of the Veterans' Administration 64,639 employees (exclusive of those on a per-diem and per-hour basis) whose aggregate gross annual salaries, including allowances but excluding overtime pay, totaled \$111,597,487 as compared with 50,554 employees and \$85,171,212 in annual salaries on June 30, 1944, a net increase of 14,085 employees, and a net increase of \$26,426,275 in aggregate annual salaries.

	June 30, 1945		June 30, 1944		Increase	
	Employees	Annual salaries	Employees	Annual salaries	Employees	Annual salaries
Central office .....	8,124	\$16,550,420	6,303	\$12,815,476	1,821	\$3,734,944
New York branch .....	7,442	12,408,224	4,538	7,359,780	2,904	5,048,444
Total .....	15,566	28,958,644	10,841	20,175,256	4,725	8,783,388
Field .....	49,073	82,638,843	39,713	64,995,956	9,360	17,642,887
Grand total .....	64,639	111,597,487	50,554	85,171,212	14,085	26,426,275

At the close of this year 61.6 percent of the male and 5.2 percent of the female employees on the rolls had veterans' preference, while 30.3 percent of the total personnel had such status.

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# Statistical Tables

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## STATISTICAL TABLES

### MEDICAL AND DOMICILIARY TABLES

TABLE 1.—*Clinical laboratory tests and X-ray examinations, fiscal years 1924-45*

Fiscal year	Classified laboratory tests		X-ray examinations	
	Out-patient	In-patient	Out-patient	In-patient
1945.....	679,157	4,085,860	219,411	363,891
1944.....	444,093	3,648,070	130,202	293,941
1943.....	299,807	3,337,826	114,694	329,712
1942.....	309,661	3,402,240	140,986	428,027
1941.....	353,834	3,290,849	163,099	433,715
1940.....	357,028	2,992,322	160,067	404,876
1939.....	358,910	2,679,737	164,039	375,007
1938.....	359,592	2,381,366	181,040	370,875
1937.....	361,000	2,189,743	182,486	356,009
1936.....	365,841	2,024,927	176,998	331,402
1935.....	222,282	1,977,968	150,034	302,898
1934.....	128,758	1,578,211	69,644	224,024
1933.....	296,272	1,646,167	107,819	266,344
1932.....	442,539	1,582,659	228,064	302,049
1931.....	393,897	1,065,771	229,297	193,674
1930.....	176,181	910,683	112,694	159,531
1929.....	163,346	851,636	113,390	146,658
1928.....	169,712	817,269	104,836	129,329
1927.....	191,196	759,286	107,829	114,256
1926.....	184,670	708,538	114,997	103,000
1925.....	223,357	665,944	128,355	97,765
1924.....	128,383	285,938	132,213	85,632

NOTE.—Veterans' Administration homes not included prior to 1932.

TABLE 2.—*Out-patient medical service, by service rendered, fiscal years 1924-45*

Fiscal year	Individuals treated	Treatments	Individuals examined	Examinations	Operations	Anesthetics	Sent to hospital	Hospital visits	Home visits
1945.....	313,500	828,620	561,544	1,771,760	8,357	267	165,862	5,883	18,418
1944.....	248,276	746,866	379,072	1,134,338	5,161	71	138,812	4,979	19,957
1943.....	249,124	802,623	296,863	812,992	3,463	65	119,026	5,384	23,426
1942.....	296,390	1,003,429	350,310	933,812	3,630	34	133,762	5,034	30,193
1941.....	367,752	1,176,658	412,001	1,111,589	4,480	32	139,360	8,303	33,700
1940.....	401,090	1,169,684	420,885	1,124,374	3,786	50	138,108	9,776	35,517
1939.....	374,533	1,079,663	410,595	1,127,162	2,822	33	127,258	10,044	35,241
1938.....	345,798	994,968	387,119	1,128,587	3,145	25	102,355	8,726	26,652
1937.....	324,123	895,208	353,682	1,079,388	3,281	21	81,249	8,646	40,620
1936.....	369,244	1,166,095	394,346	1,094,109	2,537	31	73,126	4,029	41,824
1935.....	269,302	804,406	330,753	885,349	1,851	23	58,148	4,164	43,015
1934.....	206,029	575,816	215,472	659,554	867	64	35,874	6,929	41,293
1933.....	256,652	830,115	542,400	1,350,452	522	38	116,822	15,514	54,367
1932.....	263,776	895,298	842,133	2,057,712	746	123	133,337	20,759	55,867
1931.....	243,038	829,040	821,569	1,933,698	877	65	109,682	18,544	48,651
1930.....	223,018	786,599	325,112	950,252	968	245	93,448	15,319	42,156
1929.....	233,491	795,725	303,635	890,030	1,679	323	82,792	18,572	42,305
1928.....	260,590	827,122	322,302	871,756	2,364	423	73,472	19,666	38,633
1927.....	262,420	873,577	338,761	922,364	2,600	1,681	71,340	28,800	34,972
1926.....	346,968	1,044,124	331,947	936,744	4,289	2,177	67,871	49,259	35,063
1925.....	568,097	1,257,967	-----	1,144,330	5,863	3,085	59,916	81,680	38,091
1924.....	763,789	1,703,317	-----	1,363,295	15,312	3,758	47,965	95,992	45,152

TABLE 3.—Number of out-patient treatments divided into medical and dental, salary and fee, with percent of fee, fiscal years 1924-45

Fiscal year	Medical				Dental			
	Total	Salary	Fee	Percent fee	Total	Salary	Fee	Percent fee
1945	757,567	664,772	92,795	12.2	71,053	66,254	4,799	6.8
1944	685,028	615,427	69,601	10.2	61,828	58,967	2,861	4.6
1943	735,261	658,220	77,041	10.5	67,362	63,959	3,403	5.1
1942	913,380	817,360	96,020	10.5	90,049	84,799	5,250	5.8
1941	1,075,471	965,919	109,552	10.2	101,187	95,484	5,703	5.6
1940	1,066,729	955,685	111,044	10.4	102,955	96,660	6,295	6.1
1939	979,332	866,003	113,329	11.6	100,331	94,511	5,820	5.8
1938	899,400	783,547	115,853	12.9	95,568	88,759	6,809	7.1
1937	816,702	689,053	127,649	15.6	78,506	72,071	6,435	8.2
1936	1,081,252	931,665	149,587	13.8	84,843	76,997	7,846	9.2
1935	744,035	561,038	182,997	24.6	60,371	53,543	6,828	11.3
1934	540,384	345,973	194,411	36.0	35,432	29,465	5,967	16.8
1933	752,213	566,156	186,057	24.7	77,902	55,539	22,363	28.7
1932	803,782	594,333	209,449	26.1	91,516	64,664	26,852	29.3
1931	742,060	568,666	173,394	23.4	86,980	65,747	21,233	24.4
1930	705,802	567,139	138,663	19.6	80,797	64,036	16,761	20.8
1929	721,732	602,809	118,923	16.5	73,993	62,226	11,767	15.9
1928	747,019	649,598	97,421	13.0	80,103	68,366	11,737	14.7
1927	793,389	718,298	75,091	9.5	80,188	72,998	7,190	9.0
1926	950,397	904,475	45,922	4.8	93,727	87,446	6,281	6.7
1925	1,144,152	1,099,089	42,063	3.7	116,815	111,103	5,712	4.9
1924	1,515,433	1,456,585	58,848	3.9	187,884	179,933	7,951	4.2

TABLE 4.—Number of out-patient examinations divided into medical and dental, salary and fee, with percent of fee, fiscal years 1924-45

Fiscal year	Medical				Dental			
	Total	Salary	Fee	Percent fee	Total	Salary	Fee	Percent fee
1945	1,745,373	1,705,341	40,032	2.3	26,387	24,989	1,398	5.3
1944	1,118,448	1,110,204	8,244	0.7	15,890	15,063	827	5.2
1943	800,413	797,189	3,224	.4	12,579	11,559	1,020	8.1
1942	916,132	912,287	3,845	.4	17,680	16,211	1,469	8.3
1941	1,090,985	1,085,028	5,957	1.0	20,604	18,719	1,885	9.1
1940	1,104,501	1,096,917	7,584	1.0	19,873	18,122	1,751	8.9
1939	1,108,758	1,098,033	10,725	1.0	18,404	16,692	1,712	9.3
1938	1,110,812	1,097,723	13,089	1.2	17,775	15,944	1,831	10.3
1937	1,063,001	1,047,230	15,771	1.5	16,387	14,601	1,786	10.9
1936	1,075,263	1,054,267	20,996	2.0	18,846	16,648	2,198	11.7
1935	867,624	831,608	36,016	4.2	17,725	15,505	2,220	12.5
1934	548,320	501,850	46,470	8.5	11,234	9,517	1,717	15.3
1933	1,322,161	1,240,265	81,896	6.2	28,291	22,827	5,464	19.3
1932	2,018,787	1,771,911	246,876	12.2	38,925	31,118	7,807	20.1
1931	1,895,918	1,593,994	301,924	15.9	37,780	32,217	5,563	14.7
1930	920,537	892,290	28,247	3.1	29,715	25,623	4,092	13.8
1929	867,201	843,287	23,914	2.8	22,819	20,286	2,533	11.1
1928	850,923	830,962	19,961	2.2	21,733	19,191	2,542	11.7
1927	903,127	880,956	22,171	2.5	19,237	17,478	1,759	9.1
1926	915,433	886,972	28,461	3.1	21,311	19,830	1,481	6.9
1925	1,120,256	1,084,097	36,159	3.2	24,074	22,014	2,060	8.6
1924	1,327,591	1,273,547	54,044	4.1	35,704	33,111	2,593	7.3

TABLE 5.—Admissions of United States veterans for hospital treatment and domiciliary care, fiscal years 1920-45

Fiscal year	Hospital treatment			Domi- ciliary care	Fiscal year	Hospital treatment			Domi- ciliary care
	Total	Government facilities and hos- pitals	State and civil	Government facil- ities		Total	Government facilities and hos- pitals	State and civil	Government facil- ities
Total to June 30, 1945	3,170,692	2,951,639	219,053	-----	1934	63,900	63,151	749	8,305
1945	241,013	235,180	5,833	10,719	1933	136,626	132,791	3,835	13,492
1944	193,789	190,738	3,051	15,802	1932	148,662	142,555	6,107	19,593
1943	160,234	157,709	2,525	16,729	1931	109,649	104,522	5,127	-----
1942	179,274	176,728	2,546	24,508	1930	92,115	88,481	3,634	-----
1941	187,374	184,048	3,326	30,201	1929	83,188	80,262	2,926	-----
1940	179,497	176,649	2,848	29,111	1928	73,270	70,854	2,416	-----
1939	165,576	163,250	2,326	29,337	1927	71,967	69,145	2,822	-----
1938	152,966	150,893	2,073	28,585	1926	69,441	64,279	5,162	-----
1937	141,537	139,455	2,082	24,820	1925	76,812	68,474	8,338	-----
1936	120,365	117,915	2,450	13,009	1924	64,482	52,067	12,415	-----
1935	106,897	104,771	2,126	8,656	1923	83,031	59,637	23,394	-----
					1922	134,354	86,392	47,962	-----
					1921	91,440	48,070	43,370	-----
					1920	43,233	23,623	19,610	-----

<sup>1</sup> Includes 21 admissions to civil institutions in United States possessions.

TABLE 6.—Patients admitted for hospital treatment or domiciliary care during fiscal year 1945, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals, and type of patient

Class of beneficiary	Grand total	Domiciliary care	Hospital treatment															
			All facilities and hospitals				Veterans' Administration facilities				Other Government				State and civil			
			Total	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General	Total	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General	Total	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General	Total	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General
Grand total.....	254,713	10,719	243,994	14,050	45,654	184,290	205,858	12,193	42,514	151,151	32,303	1,563	1,979	28,761	5,833	294	1,161	4,378
United States veterans.....	251,732	10,719	241,013	13,979	45,465	181,569	202,894	12,122	42,325	148,447	32,286	1,563	1,979	28,744	5,833	294	1,161	4,378
World War II.....	113,682	1,473	112,209	7,385	28,827	74,997	95,687	6,172	27,935	61,580	13,915	1,051	1,023	11,841	2,607	162	869	1,576
Service-connected.....	35,871	311	35,560	5,382	15,508	14,670	32,625	4,693	14,911	13,021	2,264	597	182	1,485	671	92	415	164
Non-service-connected.....	61,582	1,128	60,454	1,886	13,609	44,959	48,625	1,385	12,533	35,707	9,109	435	703	7,971	1,720	66	373	1,281
Service-connection not stated.....	4,805	32	4,773	109	694	3,970	2,980	87	477	2,416	1,666	18	137	1,511	127	4	80	43
Examination and observation.....	11,424	2	11,422	8	16	11,398	10,457	7	14	10,436	876	1	1	874	89		1	88
World War I.....	123,583	8,240	115,343	5,839	13,957	95,547	95,865	5,358	12,799	77,708	16,336	349	881	15,106	3,142	132	277	2,733
Service-connected.....	6,219	609	5,610	964	1,209	3,437	5,039	902	1,155	2,982	481	51	23	407	90	11	31	48
Non-service-connected.....	109,237	7,606	101,631	4,715	12,329	84,587	85,244	4,351	11,336	69,557	13,494	246	756	12,492	2,893	118	237	2,538
Service-connection not stated.....	5,292	23	5,269	159	419	4,691	3,168	104	308	2,756	2,057	52	102	1,903	44	3	9	32
Examination and observation.....	2,835	2	2,833	1	1	2,832	2,414	1		2,413	304			304	115			115
Spanish-American War.....	10,216	739	9,477	128	911	8,433	7,979	117	856	7,006	1,436	11	52	1,373	62		3	59
Service-connected.....	122	13	109	6	33	70	60	5	33	22	47	1		46	2			2
Non-service-connected.....	10,094	726	9,368	122	878	8,368	7,919	112	823	6,984	1,389	10	52	1,327	60		3	57
All other wars, expeditions and occupations.....	137	17	120	2	18	100	107	2	16	89	13		2	11				
Service-connected.....	2	1	1		1	106	106		1	89								
Non-service-connected.....	135	16	119	2	17	100	106	2	15	89	13		2	11				
Regular Establishment.....	4,114	250	3,864	625	752	2,487	3,256	473	719	2,064	586	152	21	413	22		12	10
Service-connected.....	1,712	101	1,611	472	339	750	1,342	337	375	630	253	135	4	114	16		10	6
Non-service-connected.....	2,402	149	2,253	153	363	1,737	1,914	136	344	1,434	333	17	17	299	6		2	4
Allied veterans.....	130		130	23	8	99	122	23	8	91	8			8				
Military personnel in active service.....	1,939		1,939	8	139	1,792	1,939	8	139	1,792								
Miscellaneous.....	912		912	40	42	530	903	40	42	821	9			9				

TABLE 7.—Domiciliary and hospital admissions of United States veterans by branch of service, type of patient, sex, and color, fiscal year 1945

Branch of service	Total admissions					Domiciliary care					Hospital treatment					
	Grand Total	Male		Female		Total	Male		Female		Total	All types				
		White	Colored	White	Colored		White	Colored	White	Colored		Total	Male		Female	
													White	Colored	White	Colored
Total.....	251,732	220,769	28,365	2,527	71	10,719	9,944	732	43	-----	241,013	210,825	27,633	2,484	71	
Veterans' Administration.....	213,613	187,023	24,872	1,679	39	10,719	9,944	732	43	-----	202,894	177,079	24,140	1,636	39	
Federal Security Agency: Marine.....	9,322	7,855	1,565	93	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9,322	7,855	1,565	93	9	
U. S. Army.....	8,113	7,533	428	150	2	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	8,113	7,533	428	150	2	
U. S. Navy.....	14,851	13,448	1,225	174	4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	14,851	13,448	1,225	174	4	
State.....	181	106	7	63	5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	181	106	7	63	5	
Civil.....	5,652	5,004	268	368	12	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5,652	5,004	268	368	12	

  

Branch of service	Hospital treatment—Continued															
	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychotic				Other neuropsychiatric				General			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored
Total.....	12,270	1,567	139	3	21,754	3,380	354	4	17,936	1,794	234	9	158,865	20,892	1,757	55
Veterans' Administration.....	10,608	1,443	69	2	21,121	3,335	131	1	15,954	1,613	167	3	129,396	17,749	1,269	33
Federal Security Agency: Marine.....	205	36	-----	-----	44	10	1	-----	544	79	6	2	6,862	1,440	86	7
U. S. Army.....	1,069	58	52	-----	48	1	1	-----	282	12	6	-----	6,134	357	91	2
U. S. Navy.....	126	17	-----	-----	86	9	1	-----	763	72	12	-----	12,473	1,127	161	4
State.....	-----	-----	1	-----	94	6	54	3	7	1	7	2	5	-----	1	-----
Civil.....	262	13	17	1	361	19	166	-----	386	17	36	2	3,995	219	149	9

TABLE 8.—Beneficiaries remaining under hospital treatment or domiciliary care, June 30, 1945, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals, and type of patient

Class of beneficiary	Grand total	Domi- ciliary care	Hospital treatment															
			All facilities and hospitals				Veterans' Administration facilities				Other Government				State and civil			
			Total	Pulmo- nary tuber- culosis	Neuro- psychi- atric	Gen- eral	Total	Pulmo- nary tuber- culosis	Neuro- psychi- atric	Gen- eral	Total	Pulmo- nary tuber- culosis	Neuro- psychi- atric	Gen- eral	Total	Pulmo- nary tuber- culosis	Neuro- psychi- atric	Gen- eral
Grand total.....	80,218	8,779	71,439	6,796	44,630	19,963	67,017	6,508	43,662	16,847	2,962	117	274	2,571	1,460	171	744	545
United States veterans.....	80,008	8,779	71,229	6,732	44,636	19,861	66,818	6,445	43,622	16,751	2,958	117	274	2,567	1,453	170	740	543
World War II.....	21,134	360	20,774	3,148	11,450	6,176	19,201	3,045	11,090	5,066	1,042	38	72	932	531	65	288	178
Service connected.....	11,722	67	11,655	2,632	7,445	1,578	11,261	2,573	7,275	1,413	180	18	17	145	214	41	153	20
Non-service connected.....	8,471	289	8,182	490	3,857	3,835	7,230	453	3,701	3,076	676	15	44	617	276	22	112	142
Service connection not stated.....	672	4	668	26	147	495	466	19	113	334	170	5	11	154	32	2	23	7
Observation and examination.....	269	4	269	26	147	495	466	19	113	334	170	5	11	154	32	2	23	7
World War I.....	52,376	7,588	44,788	3,249	29,546	1,993	42,236	3,090	28,942	10,204	1,686	54	192	1,440	866	105	412	349
Service connected.....	10,110	414	9,696	365	8,883	448	9,345	344	8,613	388	134	13	70	51	217	8	200	9
Non-service connected.....	41,160	7,163	33,994	2,820	20,467	10,707	32,061	2,694	20,149	9,218	1,308	30	110	1,168	625	96	208	321
Service connection not stated.....	997	8	989	64	182	743	731	52	166	513	240	11	12	217	18	1	4	13
Observation and examination.....	109	8	109	64	182	743	731	52	166	513	240	11	12	217	18	1	4	13
Spanish-American War.....	3,382	589	2,793	72	1,349	1,372	2,619	70	1,336	1,213	154	2	5	147	20	1	8	12
Service connected.....	27	7	20	1	9	10	16	1	8	7	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2
Non-service connected.....	3,355	582	2,773	71	1,340	1,362	2,603	69	1,328	1,206	153	2	5	146	17	1	7	10
Civil War.....	9	1	8	2	6	6	7	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Non-service connected.....	9	1	8	2	6	6	7	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
All other wars, expeditions and oc- cupations.....	57	16	41	19	22	41	41	19	22	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Service connected.....	57	16	41	19	22	41	41	19	22	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Non-service connected.....	57	16	41	19	22	41	41	19	22	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Regular establishment.....	3,050	225	2,825	263	2,270	292	2,714	240	2,233	241	75	23	5	47	36	1	32	4
Service connected.....	2,038	72	1,966	200	1,663	103	1,903	180	1,641	82	37	20	17	26	22	4	22	4
Non-service connected.....	1,012	153	859	63	607	189	811	60	592	159	38	3	5	30	10	1	10	4
Allied veterans.....	47	1	47	20	14	13	38	20	10	8	4	1	1	4	5	1	4	1
Military personnel in active service.....	79	1	79	6	22	51	79	6	22	51	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Miscellaneous.....	84	1	84	38	8	38	82	37	8	37	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1

NOTE.—Includes veterans on less than 30 days' leave.

TABLE 9.—United States veterans remaining under hospital treatment or domiciliary care June 30, 1945, by State location of facility or hospital and veteran's reported State of residence

State in which veteran is hospitalized or domiciled	Total	Reported State of residence																								
		Alabama	Arizona	Arkansas	California	Colorado	Connecticut	Delaware	District of Columbia	Florida	Georgia	Idaho	Illinois	Indiana	Iowa	Kansas	Kentucky	Louisiana	Maine	Maryland	Massachusetts	Michigan	Minnesota	Mississippi	Missouri	Montana
Grand total.....	80,008	1,581	537	966	7,212	749	996	114	740	1,861	1,667	299	5,233	1,856	1,247	931	1,574	1,351	536	1,310	2,684	2,561	1,646	1,078	2,556	331
United States.....	79,049	1,581	537	966	7,210	749	996	114	740	1,861	1,667	299	5,233	1,856	1,247	931	1,574	1,351	536	1,310	2,684	2,561	1,646	1,078	2,556	331
Alabama.....	2,618	1,052	---	66	3	---	1	---	8	172	344	---	7	3	2	4	36	212	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arizona.....	690	4	327	4	173	8	---	1	---	2	2	---	8	5	5	1	---	3	---	1	5	2	---	---	---	---
Arkansas.....	1,863	26	5	575	36	3	---	---	3	8	11	1	11	1	5	5	1	3	---	2	2	2	1	---	31	11
California.....	7,278	1	110	8	6,545	23	4	4	3	3	7	---	31	8	9	6	2	98	4	3	10	15	13	1	323	4
Colorado.....	1,143	1	48	3	156	414	---	---	1	---	---	---	5	---	6	131	---	4	---	1	---	2	3	---	27	1
Connecticut.....	319	---	---	---	---	253	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	39	---
Delaware.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	53	---	---	---	---	---
District of Columbia.....	401	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	211	5	3	1	---	---	1	1	3	3	1	41	4	1	---	1	1	1
Florida.....	1,413	10	---	---	3	2	3	---	11	1,110	121	---	10	2	---	---	---	---	3	3	5	5	1	2	3	---
Georgia.....	1,645	61	---	---	2	---	---	---	5	280	799	---	4	1	---	---	---	---	3	3	5	5	1	2	5	---
Idaho.....	224	1	---	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	107	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	1	2	---	---	---	---
Illinois.....	6,497	15	1	19	12	8	3	1	3	13	7	---	4,116	329	42	45	105	13	---	2	3	136	29	24	692	8
Indiana.....	1,989	2	---	2	7	4	2	---	2	4	6	---	33	33	7	25	67	4	---	3	7	71	8	2	47	1
Iowa.....	1,892	2	---	9	3	5	---	---	2	---	---	---	22	2	1,017	156	1	6	---	1	7	1	27	---	331	1
Kansas.....	717	---	---	5	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	1	299	---	2	---	---	---	2	2	---	---	318	---
Kentucky.....	1,139	25	19	3	1	---	---	---	4	1	6	---	40	48	---	---	762	---	1	---	2	8	---	16	45	---
Louisiana.....	657	20	38	1	---	---	---	---	1	11	7	---	---	---	2	1	356	---	1	---	2	8	---	60	3	
Maine.....	623	---	---	---	---	15	2	1	---	1	---	---	1	---	1	---	---	385	---	2	21	3	---	---	---	---
Maryland.....	2,230	2	---	2	5	2	6	56	269	9	8	---	6	3	1	8	4	1	2	991	13	3	1	1	10	---
Massachusetts.....	3,485	2	---	1	2	2	407	1	4	1	1	---	4	2	2	1	1	64	10	2,291	10	2	1	1	---	---
Michigan.....	2,337	3	1	2	4	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	97	20	2	5	---	---	---	---	3	1,840	7	2	4	---
Minnesota.....	1,848	1	1	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	---	27	1	---	---	---	2	19	1,390	---	---	---	6
Mississippi.....	1,538	141	1	29	11	---	3	---	3	72	22	---	4	4	---	4	---	---	---	3	---	---	459	10	---	---
Missouri.....	655	2	---	11	---	---	---	---	---	1	1	---	115	---	16	23	7	---	1	---	4	1	---	1	435	1
Montana.....	103	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	100
Nebraska.....	205	---	---	---	8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	17	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---
Nevada.....	28	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
New Hampshire.....	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
New Jersey.....	1,953	---	---	---	2	4	1	5	---	2	2	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	14	---	---	---	---	---	---
New Mexico.....	456	2	20	4	28	42	2	---	5	2	2	---	12	---	2	6	---	3	5	---	5	---	---	---	---	---

New York.....	8,686	2	1	1	11	3	267	8	14	7	6	13	6	2	1	35	27	124	39	2	2
North Carolina.....	1,240	92	1	11	3		3	49	72	127	1	2	11	39	18		56	3	4	42	26
North Dakota.....	149				1							1						1		3	94
Ohio.....	4,724	3	1	12	10	2	8	9	7	9	1	86	193	10	29	299	11	29	19	69	163
Oklahoma.....	292			4	1													1		1	3
Oregon.....	949		1	3	75	1		1	1		30	7	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	2
Pennsylvania.....	2,983				3			27	4		2	3	2	1	1	1	14	1	1	1	1
Rhode Island.....	55																	17			
South Carolina.....	517	7							1	11	44										1
South Dakota.....	514		1	4	3	62												1		26	9
Tennessee.....	2,376	92	1	98	3		3		9	44	105	4	5	14	16	1		1		3	14
Texas.....	2,839	5	3	24	11	5	3		2		4	3	2	5	10	4	30	1	3	5	170
Utah.....	140				7						1	1								3	30
Vermont.....	133										9									3	6
Virginia.....	2,589	5		2	6	1	4	5	112	15	16	3	3	2		1	8			2	1
Washington.....	1,423	1	3	2	11	3	1	1			105	1	3	3	2	18	4	1	98	16	2
West Virginia.....	210			1												4	1			2	4
Wisconsin.....	2,423	1	2	7	10	3	1		3	5	1	1	564	63	37	32	6	1	1	4	203
Wyoming.....	838	1	9		46	142	1		1	1	1	29	3	7	9	3	2	2	2	6	69
U. S. possessions.....	959				2																
Alaska.....	14																				
Canal Zone.....	13																				
Hawaii.....	117				2																
Puerto Rico.....	815																				

NOTE.—Includes veterans on less than 30 days leave.

TABLE 9.—United States veterans remaining under hospital treatment or domiciliary care June 30, 1945, by State location of facility or hospital and veteran's reported State of residence—Continued.

State in which veteran is hospitalized or domiciled	Reported State of residence																				Unknown or outside United States				
	Nebraska	Nevada	New Hampshire	New Jersey	New Mexico	New York	North Carolina	North Dakota	Ohio	Oklahoma	Oregon	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	South Carolina	South Dakota	Tennessee	Texas	Utah	Vermont	Virginia		Washington	West Virginia	Wisconsin	Wyoming
Grand total.....	661	96	301	2,106	388	7,553	1,464	323	3,828	912	859	4,949	360	941	371	1,720	3,666	272	176	1,870	1,252	938	2,030	216	1,140
United States.....	661	96	301	2,106	388	7,553	1,464	323	3,828	912	859	4,949	360	941	371	1,720	3,666	272	176	1,870	1,252	938	2,030	216	183
Alabama.....				3	3		78		5	15		6		111		88	96			33		2	1		
Arizona.....	3	3	1	6	2	15	2	1	10	12	2		1			4	20		5	3	10	3			3
Arkansas.....	4	1		1	4	6	4		4	281		3		6		38	246			2	1	3	2		2
California.....	6	40	1	4	53	27	5	3	21	18	26	15	1	4	5	3	62	33		5	43	4	12	3	30
Colorado.....	31	2			108	4	2		4	31	1	6			2	3	72	45		1	3		3	3	2
Connecticut.....						7								5											
Delaware.....																									
District of Columbia.....			1			7	8		2	1		10		6		3			1	60		17	1		1
Florida.....			1	6		32	6		16		1	10	1	11	1	7	5			11	1				1
Georgia.....	1			2		6	147		6		1	4	1	259		34	5			8					4
Idaho.....		6		1							41	1					1	9		1					
Illinois.....	44			1	1	17	1	5	128	38	4	23	1	1	11	18	65		1	2	33	14	488	2	6
Indiana.....	16		1	3		14	3	4	326	2	2			1	3	23	12		1	6	18	53			2
Iowa.....	219			2		3		3		11		66		1	24	2	6				2	29		1	6
Kansas.....	15									39													3		
Kentucky.....							1		48	1		7				67	2			6		22	1		2
Louisiana.....	2			1			8			6				3		13	119			2					
Maine.....			22	10		119			4			24	11						4						1
Maryland.....			1	28	1	43	32		15	3		487	1	9		7	4			94	3	82	2	1	14
Massachusetts.....			164	18		114			2		2	19	251	1			2	102		3					8
Michigan.....	1					11			262			16		2	1	7	3			2	1	3		27	4
Minnesota.....	3					3		110				1	1	67		1	1			3	3		197	1	3
Mississippi.....	2			1	2	5	5		6	18		3	1	4		29	145	1		4	1	3	1		3
Missouri.....	5				1				1	13		1				4	2			1	1		2		
Montana.....																			1						
Nebraska.....	174													7							1				
Nevada.....		20																							
New Hampshire.....			11																						
New Jersey.....		2		1,406		263	2		1			215	4	3		1	2			6					5
New Mexico.....		2		2	176	7			3	15		2		1		1	94	4			1				

New York			20	496	6,708	2	1	45	1	1	760	28	5	1	4	5	1	8	17	12	4	1	6	
North Carolina				3	15	339	1	21	2		32		70		97	4			95	40	2			
North Dakota							97							8										
Ohio	4		4	8	37	11	1	2,723	12	2	450	9	3	1	24	26		8	19	1	298	6		7
Oklahoma								250						1		30								
Oregon	1	7		3	5			3	2	651	6			1	1						98	1	1	11
Pennsylvania	2			67	13	1		64			2,688	1	2			7					6	73	4	1
Rhode Island												38				1								
South Carolina						109					3													
South Dakota							82	1	7							6				5				
Tennessee	60	1		6	4	194		14	8		7		79		1,183	3					81	1	20	3
Texas	1	1		1	24	5		7	106		1				3	2,546					2		2	1
Utah		5			1	1		1	2		1												2	4
Vermont			71		3								1								108		2	
Virginia			1	21	33	502	1	8	1		41	2	39	1	42	3	1	50	1,390		177	2	3	3
Washington	1	2		2	4	1	5	3	2	120	3		1	1	2	4	5				1,037	1	6	38
West Virginia								24													2	143		
Wisconsin	7			4	1	13	1	46	12		24	1	1	6	6	18				4	1	1,173	1	4
Wyoming	58	6		15	5		5	2	3	5	5	3		50	20	55				8	6	2	165	6
U. S. possessions																								957
Alaska																								14
Canal Zone																								13
Hawaii																								115
Puerto Rico																								815

NOTE.—Includes veterans on less than 30 days leave.

TABLE 10.—United States veterans remaining under hospital treatment or domiciliary care, by sex and color, at end of each fiscal year, 1919–45

Fiscal Year	Total					Hospital treatment					Domiciliary care				
	Grand total	Male		Female		Total	Male		Female		Total	Male		Female	
		White	Colored	White	Colored		White	Colored	White	Colored		White	Colored	White	Colored
1945	80,008	70,722	8,371	896	19	71,229	62,971	7,503	736	19	8,779	7,751	868	160	
1944	72,376	64,516	7,158	693	9	63,800	56,969	6,284	538	9	8,576	7,547	874	155	
1943	65,638	58,690	6,417	531		56,641	50,824	5,427	390		8,997	7,866	990	141	
1942	67,646	60,500	6,626	520		56,073	50,386	5,312	375		11,573	10,114	1,314	145	
1941	72,138	64,526	7,061	551		58,160	52,216	5,540	404		13,978	12,310	1,521	147	
1940	73,114	65,412	7,175	527		56,596	50,829	5,378	389		16,518	14,583	1,797	138	
1939	69,287	61,949	6,896	442		53,861	48,241	5,244	376		15,426	13,708	1,652	66	
1938	64,924	58,054	6,483	387		50,670	45,389	4,948	333		14,254	12,665	1,535	54	
1937	57,180	51,419	5,442	319		46,142	41,594	4,267	281		11,038	9,825	1,175	38	
1936	51,128	46,239	4,610	279		41,542	37,833	3,465	244		9,586	8,406	1,145	35	
1935	51,922	46,790	4,858	274		42,599	38,540	3,822	237		<sup>1</sup> 9,323	8,250	1,036	37	
1934	48,849	44,415	4,150	284		<sup>1</sup> 39,445	36,007	3,188	250		<sup>2</sup> 9,404	8,408	962	34	
1933	44,644	40,906	3,471	267		33,457	30,844	2,378	235		11,187	10,062	1,093	32	
1932	62,255	56,684	5,200	371		43,567	39,845	3,384	338		18,688	16,839	1,816	33	
1931	51,980	47,298	4,346	336		34,948	32,223	2,431	294		<sup>2</sup> 17,032	15,075	1,915	42	
1930	30,311	27,981	2,086	244		30,311	27,981	2,086	244						
1929	27,487	25,475	1,812	200		27,487	25,475	1,812	200						
1928	25,899	23,927	1,780	192		25,899	23,927	1,780	192						
1927	25,310	23,464	1,652	194		25,310	23,464	1,652	194						
1926	24,915	23,075	1,663	177		24,915	23,075	1,663	177						
1925	26,610	24,578	1,791	241		26,610	24,578	1,791	241						
1924	21,730	20,328	1,162	240		21,730	20,328	1,162	240						
1923	23,611	22,085	1,306	220		23,611	22,085	1,306	220						
1922	26,869					26,869									
1921	26,237					26,237									
1920	17,471					17,471									
1919	3,279					3,279									

<sup>1</sup> Status on original admission.<sup>2</sup> Permanent status of veteran.<sup>3</sup> Includes domiciliary members receiving hospital treatment.

NOTE.—Veterans in United States possessions not included prior to 1927.

TABLE 11.—United States veterans remaining under hospital treatment at the end of each fiscal year, by type of disease, showing those hospitalized for service-connected and non-service-connected disabilities, 1919-45

Fiscal year ended June 30	Total				Pulmonary tuberculosis				Neuropsychiatric				General							
	Grand total	Service-connected		Non-service-connected <sup>1</sup>		Total	Service-connected		Non-service-connected <sup>1</sup>		Total	Service-connected		Non-service-connected <sup>1</sup>		Total	Service-connected		Non-service-connected <sup>1</sup>	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent		Number	Per- cent	Number	Per- cent		Number	Per- cent	Number	Per- cent		Number	Per- cent	Number	Per- cent
1945	71,229	23,337	32.76	47,892	67.24	6,732	3,198	47.50	3,534	52.50	44,636	18,000	40.33	26,636	59.67	19,851	2,139	10.77	17,722	89.23
1944	63,800	17,860	27.99	45,940	72.01	6,190	2,290	37.00	3,900	63.00	40,382	14,124	34.98	26,258	65.02	17,228	1,446	8.39	15,782	91.61
1943	56,641	14,172	25.02	42,469	74.98	4,974	1,391	27.97	3,583	72.03	35,369	12,018	33.04	24,351	66.96	15,298	763	4.99	14,535	95.01
1942	56,073	12,999	23.18	43,074	76.82	4,900	1,111	22.67	3,789	77.33	34,659	11,147	32.16	23,512	67.84	16,514	741	4.49	15,773	95.51
1941	58,160	12,488	21.47	45,672	78.53	4,637	792	17.08	3,845	82.92	34,508	10,888	31.55	23,620	68.45	19,015	808	4.25	18,207	95.75
1940	56,596	12,328	21.78	44,268	78.22	4,644	818	17.61	3,826	82.39	33,016	10,645	32.24	22,371	67.76	18,936	865	4.57	18,071	95.43
1939	53,861	12,097	22.46	41,764	77.54	4,913	966	19.66	3,947	80.34	31,190	10,269	32.92	20,921	67.08	17,758	862	4.85	16,896	95.15
1938	50,670	11,998	23.68	38,672	76.32	4,857	1,004	20.67	3,853	79.33	29,267	10,078	34.43	19,189	65.57	16,546	916	5.54	15,630	94.46
1937	46,142	11,824	25.63	34,318	74.37	4,789	1,064	22.22	3,725	77.78	26,394	9,828	37.24	16,566	62.76	14,959	932	6.23	14,027	93.77
1936	41,542	11,668	28.09	29,874	71.91	4,539	1,076	23.71	3,463	76.29	24,447	9,683	39.61	14,764	60.39	12,556	909	7.24	11,647	92.76
1935	42,599	12,046	28.28	30,553	71.72	5,134	1,269	24.72	3,865	75.28	23,358	9,574	40.99	13,784	59.01	14,107	1,203	8.53	12,904	91.47
1934	39,445	12,390	31.41	27,055	68.59	5,032	1,241	24.66	3,791	75.34	22,226	9,988	44.94	12,238	55.06	12,187	1,161	9.53	11,026	90.47
1933	33,457	14,080	42.08	19,377	57.92	5,425	1,587	29.25	3,838	70.75	20,109	11,181	55.60	8,928	44.40	7,923	1,312	16.56	6,611	83.44
1932	43,567	15,460	35.49	28,107	64.51	6,499	2,026	31.17	4,473	68.83	20,160	11,605	57.56	8,555	42.44	16,938	1,829	10.82	15,079	89.18
1931	34,948	15,701	44.93	19,247	55.07	6,193	2,470	39.88	3,723	60.12	17,001	11,386	66.97	5,615	33.03	11,754	1,845	15.70	9,909	84.30
1930	30,311	16,219	53.51	14,092	46.49	6,274	3,055	48.69	3,219	51.31	14,941	11,099	74.29	3,842	25.71	9,096	2,065	22.70	7,031	77.30
1929	27,487	15,664	56.99	11,823	43.01	6,121	3,178	51.92	2,943	48.08	13,461	10,527	78.20	2,934	21.80	7,905	1,959	24.78	5,946	75.22
1928	25,899	16,271	62.82	9,628	37.18	6,045	3,513	58.13	2,532	41.89	12,839	10,628	82.78	2,211	17.22	7,015	2,130	30.36	4,885	69.64
1927	25,310	17,902	70.73	7,408	29.27	6,658	4,612	69.27	2,046	30.73	12,538	10,806	86.19	1,732	13.81	6,114	2,484	40.63	3,630	59.37
1926	24,915	19,903	79.88	5,012	20.12	7,308	6,112	83.63	1,196	16.37	12,220	10,833	88.65	1,387	11.35	5,387	2,958	54.91	2,429	45.09
1925	26,610	22,771	85.57	3,839	14.43	9,314	8,416	90.36	898	9.64	11,905	10,750	90.30	1,155	9.70	5,391	3,605	66.87	1,786	33.13
1924	21,730	21,730	100.00	-----	-----	8,082	8,082	100.00	-----	-----	9,461	9,461	100.00	-----	-----	4,187	4,187	100.00	-----	-----
1923	23,611	23,611	100.00	-----	-----	9,577	9,577	100.00	-----	-----	9,194	9,194	100.00	-----	-----	4,840	4,840	100.00	-----	-----
1922	26,869	26,869	100.00	-----	-----	10,849	10,849	100.00	-----	-----	9,231	9,231	100.00	-----	-----	6,789	6,789	100.00	-----	-----
1921	26,237	26,237	100.00	-----	-----	10,337	10,337	100.00	-----	-----	7,499	7,499	100.00	-----	-----	8,401	8,401	100.00	-----	-----
1920	17,471	17,471	100.00	-----	-----	6,018	6,018	100.00	-----	-----	5,042	5,042	100.00	-----	-----	6,411	6,411	100.00	-----	-----
1919	3,279	3,279	100.00	-----	-----	1,362	1,362	100.00	-----	-----	1,053	1,053	100.00	-----	-----	864	864	100.00	-----	-----

<sup>1</sup> From 1925 through 1930—veterans remaining who were admitted under authority of sec. 202-10, World War Veterans Act, 1924. From 1931 through 1933—veterans remaining who were admitted under authority of sec. 202-10; under laws governing admissions to national homes; and examinations or observations for insurance, compensation and disability allowance. From 1934—veterans remaining for treatment of disabilities classified

as non-service-connected according to act of Mar. 20, 1933; also included with non-service are veterans remaining for emergency observation or examination for insurance, pension, or compensation, and observation or examination for diagnosis.

NOTE.—Veterans in United States possessions not included prior to 1927.

TABLE 12.—Domiciliary and hospital discharges of United States veterans showing results of hospital treatment and type of patient, fiscal year 1945

	Total			Type of patient									
				Pulmonary tuberculosis			Neuropsychiatric			General medical and surgical			
	Cases	Average days	Percent	Cases	Average days	Percent	Cases	Average days	Percent	Cases	Average days	Percent	
Domiciliary care.....	<sup>1</sup> 15,586	194.5											
Hospital treatment.....	<sup>2</sup> 235,022	73.0	100.0	13,499	156.7	100.0	42,237	198.7	100.0	179,286	37.0	100.0	
Hospitalization complete.....	190,217	62.4	80.9	5,776	177.2	42.8	30,416	167.8	72.0	154,025	37.3	85.9	
Result of treatment:													
Recovered or cured.....	23,044	35.3	9.8				1,841	44.3	4.3	21,203	34.5	11.8	
Arrested.....	457	445.7	.2	457	445.7	3.4							
Apparently arrested.....	147	317.1	.1	147	317.1	1.1							
Quiescent.....	175	384.5	.1	175	384.5	1.3							
Improved.....	115,560	54.4	49.1	660	196.0	4.9	21,039	119.4	49.8	93,861	38.8	52.4	
Unimproved.....	8,946	53.5	3.8	225	87.1	1.6	2,993	74.7	7.1	5,728	41.1	3.2	
Died.....	15,488	237.1	6.6	2,320	233.0	17.2	2,018	1,109.3	4.8	11,150	80.1	6.2	
Condition not stated.....	26,400	11.7	11.2	1,792	9.1	13.3	2,525	18.7	6.0	22,083	11.1	12.3	
Hospitalization incomplete.....	44,805	117.7	19.1	7,723	141.4	57.2	11,821	278.3	28.0	25,261	35.3	14.1	
Result of treatment:													
Apparently recovered or cured.....	1,663	45.8	.7				307	46.9	.7	1,356	45.5	.7	
Improved.....	18,582	142.8	7.9	3,730	186.2	27.6	3,591	382.2	8.5	11,261	52.0	6.3	
Unimproved.....	13,379	181.8	5.7	<sup>3</sup> 3,496	111.2	25.9	5,612	333.3	13.3	4,271	40.6	2.4	
Condition not stated.....	11,181	10.1	4.8	497	17.1	3.7	2,311	14.2	5.5	8,373	8.6	4.7	

<sup>1</sup> Includes 4,369 intrafacility transfers.

<sup>2</sup> Includes 5,170 intrafacility transfers.

<sup>3</sup> Includes 6 terminal cases discharged with unfavorable prognosis.

## PENSION AND COMPENSATION TABLES

**TABLE 13.**—Statement showing number of living veterans who were receiving pension, compensation, disability allowance, or emergency provisional, probationary, temporary or reserve officers' retirement pay; also the number of deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving compensation or pension benefits at the end of each fiscal year, the amounts disbursed for these benefits during the fiscal years 1914-45 and the total amounts disbursed to June 30, 1913 and 1945 for each war and regular establishment

Fiscal year	Total				War of 1812			War with Mexico				
	Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans	Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans		
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$16, 672, 952, 959. 31				\$14, 019, 736. 48	\$32, 198, 494. 09		\$28, 748, 117. 32		\$32, 886, 401. 65		
1945.....	1, 144, 088	\$554, 180, 684. 01	369, 498	\$185, 400, 966. 58		1	\$240. 00			55	\$31, 129. 24	
1944.....	813, 469	368, 929, 066. 54	253, 451	126, 001, 994. 85		1	240. 00			66	39, 048. 33	
1943.....	621, 572	329, 574, 732. 85	238, 508	112, 785, 587. 02		1	240. 00			82	49, 324. 00	
1942.....	623, 659	320, 373, 509. 72	236, 035	110, 910, 200. 21		1	240. 00			95	54, 966. 34	
1941.....	618, 926	319, 887, 183. 46	237, 515	113, 226, 769. 30		1	240. 00			107	65, 772. 33	
1940.....	610, 122	314, 434, 413. 91	239, 176	114, 704, 050. 65		1	240. 00			130	84, 613. 33	
1939.....	602, 757	307, 512, 130. 34	239, 674	109, 191, 738. 02		1	190. 00			168	102, 844. 28	
1938.....	600, 848	301, 276, 717. 25	236, 105	101, 491, 978. 72		1	840. 00			195	116, 687. 99	
1937.....	598, 510	299, 659, 837. 31	243, 427	96, 370, 214. 81		2	840. 00			221	132, 776. 34	
1936.....	600, 562	299, 000, 808. 47	251, 470	99, 991, 669. 31		4	1, 390. 00			247	154, 135. 42	
1935.....	585, 955	278, 006, 898. 15	252, 982	96, 400, 271. 42		2	2, 381. 00			294	180, 316. 20	
1934.....	581, 225	227, 797, 923. 21	257, 630	93, 578, 863. 67		7	3, 222. 50			351	198, 558. 20	
1933.....	997, 918	428, 456, 151. 69	272, 749	122, 103, 190. 54		7	3, 906. 67		1	\$85. 00	415	285, 133. 68
1932.....	994, 351	421, 367, 015. 55	283, 695	124, 409, 746. 13		7	4, 900. 00		1	1, 043. 86	478	325, 080. 46
1931.....	790, 782	364, 652, 558. 50	289, 205	123, 736, 384. 42		8	5, 391. 00			10. 00	547	344, 975. 00
1930.....	542, 610	290, 474, 801. 10	298, 223	127, 958, 007. 81		10	5, 703. 34			504. 00	630	394, 394. 21
1929.....	525, 961	287, 065, 745. 65	306, 003	131, 754, 896. 41		11	7, 201. 67		1	2, 239. 26	730	470, 454. 35
1928.....	516, 566	286, 640, 666. 14	317, 798	124, 124, 672. 17		14	8, 903. 34		4	5, 886. 00	845	538, 520. 46
1927.....	489, 805	277, 854, 011. 13	326, 575	125, 775, 666. 43		17	9, 805. 66		6	7, 732. 39	970	561, 233. 84
1926.....	472, 623	247, 259, 215. 27	334, 465	125, 022, 272. 44		20	7, 400. 00		9	12, 045. 66	1, 080	422, 747. 03
1925.....	456, 530	223, 164, 174. 32	333, 609	125, 583, 895. 22		21	9, 392. 00		17	15, 818. 54	1, 257	491, 078. 92
1924.....	427, 153	223, 395, 622. 00	335, 394	125, 094, 147. 01		33	13, 383. 00		31	29, 347. 47	1, 437	551, 253. 55
1923.....	436, 776	255, 724, 424. 72	341, 404	132, 882, 345. 08		40	18, 010. 00		49	18, 848. 00	1, 636	666, 866. 44
1922.....	430, 942	253, 423, 940. 08	341, 437	125, 734, 185. 74		49	19, 957. 00		73	59, 814. 62	1, 878	716, 098. 63
1921.....	422, 691	253, 258, 718. 55	345, 881	126, 767, 155. 55		64	24, 160. 21		109	74, 546. 06	2, 135	813, 478. 58
1920.....	419, 627	201, 186, 125. 16	349, 916	115, 231, 904. 41		71	21, 145. 03		148	62, 665. 46	2, 423	614, 017. 12
1919.....	338, 216	132, 926, 906. 52	335, 616	100, 533, 728. 83		81	17, 704. 33		215	88, 499. 09	2, 741	669, 657. 10
1918.....	341, 632	99, 451, 229. 30	307, 865	80, 725, 464. 72		99	21, 118. 12		289	116, 383. 00	3, 064	767, 471. 25
1917.....	370, 147	105, 714, 609. 65	302, 964	55, 180, 444. 29		109	18, 701. 94		384	158, 134. 59	3, 422	683, 920. 80
1916.....	403, 372	112, 861, 836. 71	306, 200	46, 293, 253. 21		115	18, 848. 00		513	213, 118. 76	3, 785	590, 161. 78
1915.....	437, 723	118, 785, 570. 50	310, 424	46, 732, 695. 64		134	22, 348. 90		680	277, 029. 20	4, 253	648, 817. 40
1914.....	470, 623	125, 083, 254. 33	314, 616	47, 334, 291. 93		170	27, 532. 40		893	354, 799. 79	4, 699	705, 729. 95
1913 and prior years.....		\$4, 557, 539, 824. 68			\$14, 019, 736. 48	\$31, 903, 277. 98		\$27, 220, 435. 24		\$20, 412, 139. 10		

<sup>1</sup> Accrued disability payments.

<sup>2</sup> Includes unclassified amounts.

TABLE 13.—Statement showing number of living veterans who were receiving pension, compensation, disability allowance, or emergency provisional, probationary, temporary or reserve officers' retirement pay; also the number of deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving compensation or pension benefits at the end of each fiscal year, the amounts disbursed for these benefits during the fiscal years 1914-45, and the total amounts disbursed to June 30, 1913 and 1945 for each war and regular establishment—Continued

Fiscal year	Indian wars				Civil War				Spanish-American War			
	Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$53,854,569.00		\$41,836,205.27		\$8,119,393,971.49				\$1,815,439,314.52		\$368,036,944.14	
1945.....	1,115	\$955,573.20	2,673	\$1,305,867.10	229	\$328,846.77	24,521	\$11,544,251.06	128,104	\$111,313,837.15	71,955	\$31,483,634.89
1944.....	1,278	994,654.96	2,885	1,234,566.33	383	546,898.88	27,650	13,348,325.51	133,408	100,595,494.34	67,059	24,460,404.35
1943.....	1,475	1,156,235.90	3,319	1,252,618.21	625	870,564.63	32,552	15,682,859.46	140,093	99,457,260.43	64,391	23,531,288.05
1942.....	1,713	1,332,595.20	3,676	1,330,940.07	975	1,340,514.75	37,714	18,184,938.41	146,886	102,692,905.36	62,947	22,981,247.54
1941.....	1,955	1,504,114.43	3,836	1,404,348.46	1,560	2,049,976.78	43,313	21,123,490.17	153,072	105,273,998.31	60,555	22,083,084.89
1940.....	2,216	1,694,482.65	4,055	1,483,472.19	2,381	3,158,998.10	50,141	24,631,254.83	159,230	106,203,201.30	57,720	21,224,174.53
1939.....	2,525	1,854,131.99	4,251	1,564,663.34	3,516	4,622,304.21	57,915	28,556,447.43	165,710	105,065,718.76	55,882	20,232,011.22
1938.....	2,814	1,889,161.99	4,426	1,628,059.30	5,048	6,448,253.46	66,873	32,784,881.19	170,755	98,850,424.84	53,345	19,332,593.49
1937.....	3,119	1,811,536.67	4,590	1,681,906.66	7,031	8,967,519.20	76,131	37,628,438.76	175,361	96,618,456.10	50,292	18,305,668.73
1936.....	3,513	2,019,230.01	4,648	1,730,297.69	9,664	12,298,487.29	87,543	43,338,321.98	179,169	91,872,486.05	48,872	16,711,619.06
1935.....	3,899	2,138,494.97	4,745	1,714,071.03	13,273	16,144,255.36	100,290	47,385,327.36	164,502	66,252,826.14	39,045	11,500,469.06
1934.....	4,370	2,178,191.07	4,606	1,537,856.10	18,455	20,051,397.35	112,577	49,763,325.78	165,231	47,933,272.10	35,022	7,680,839.78
1933.....	4,774	2,908,111.40	4,446	1,807,596.17	23,877	31,300,417.78	125,638	66,972,158.65	194,473	109,016,660.00	38,797	16,288,992.48
1932.....	5,102	2,867,166.98	4,453	1,708,423.67	31,090	37,958,493.14	139,924	69,907,267.74	197,073	99,118,249.74	36,802	14,640,207.69
1931.....	5,360	2,884,716.78	4,302	1,650,201.69	39,449	45,952,130.16	153,437	76,041,620.30	193,792	88,997,801.76	33,437	13,258,678.20
1930.....	5,454	2,942,208.17	4,191	1,612,907.05	49,018	46,086,774.40	167,674	79,698,159.03	186,811	71,369,072.55	30,919	12,381,648.69
1929.....	5,574	2,929,346.20	4,000	1,522,188.52	59,984	57,119,891.76	181,235	86,474,399.92	179,218	65,461,824.31	28,643	11,383,879.97
1928.....	5,267	2,618,189.84	3,604	1,338,753.96	74,972	69,710,306.28	197,934	79,958,669.91	165,075	60,058,722.71	26,195	10,615,696.56
1927.....	3,915	1,356,291.82	3,100	657,474.60	90,049	81,665,502.37	212,642	84,827,706.21	139,091	47,716,422.69	23,547	9,516,405.61
1926.....	3,821	1,309,510.41	3,081	590,675.53	106,844	85,735,598.99	226,650	85,870,024.28	122,388	24,233,115.04	20,811	5,990,103.63
1925.....	3,924	1,351,707.92	3,034	607,402.11	126,626	95,455,326.21	241,193	90,753,068.15	101,871	19,728,876.36	18,363	5,369,624.53
1924.....	3,893	1,360,040.25	2,937	569,219.40	146,815	107,377,798.96	253,136	95,622,156.20	85,038	16,118,296.53	16,104	5,021,566.92
1923.....	3,923	1,340,124.36	2,828	567,252.69	168,623	130,616,234.36	264,580	108,308,697.58	68,393	14,083,567.00	13,167	3,803,254.28
1922.....	3,867	1,276,274.80	2,748	520,034.94	193,881	133,105,620.62	272,194	103,645,623.70	45,955	9,698,181.14	9,198	1,941,159.59
1921.....	3,784	1,094,925.24	2,569	470,937.17	218,877	141,413,236.45	281,225	105,171,403.19	31,066	4,424,397.09	8,216	1,747,172.73
1920.....	3,745	1,209,715.83	2,483	536,593.14	243,629	112,335,359.85	290,100	90,250,946.19	23,144	3,023,119.18	7,288	1,600,979.50
1919.....	3,436	1,191,146.37	2,027	370,391.12	271,520	119,463,920.53	296,823	92,747,970.23	23,382	3,008,785.41	4,869	869,403.72
1918.....	2,421	644,756.07	1,817	295,160.34	298,971	92,728,510.46	292,822	77,673,508.68	23,538	3,044,661.86	3,767	660,467.23
1917.....	564	143,099.07	1,743	270,898.31	329,437	99,581,750.81	288,889	52,588,827.76	24,060	3,087,058.10	4,215	696,621.84
1916.....	676	173,415.46	1,902	301,656.48	362,529	106,686,622.52	291,478	43,745,130.97	24,101	3,076,733.88	4,371	723,491.83
1915.....	786	199,772.96	2,046	313,933.22	396,645	112,571,005.38	294,961	44,697,766.05	24,370	3,105,807.74	4,542	745,893.73
1914.....	915	225,664.88	2,182	334,582.52	429,646	118,780,198.65	298,483	44,597,352.88	24,250	3,132,372.53	4,660	775,137.00
1913 and prior years....	\$4,320,017.15		\$7,921,256.46		\$4,294,596,944.47				\$31,805,708.02		\$10,379,522.32	

Fiscal year	Regular Establishment				World War I							
	Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans							
					Pensions		Compensation service connection <sup>1</sup>		Emergency officers' retirement <sup>2</sup>		Disability allowance or nonservice	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Total to June 30, 1945	\$225, 750, 934. 10		\$68, 805, 387. 77		-----		\$3, 894, 978, 325. 26		\$90, 012, 531. 56		\$468, 743, 049. 06	
1945	42, 925	\$18, 737, 740. 79	13, 666	\$6, 162, 021. 55			332, 628	\$180, 349, 901. 86	2, 484	\$4, 054, 049. 12	90, 477	\$53, 061, 553. 55
1944	42, 895	16, 902, 171. 97	13, 692	6, 304, 661. 54			337, 311	162, 466, 628. 74	2, 532	4, 202, 834. 33	85, 700	37, 996, 340. 21
1943	43, 197	17, 162, 826. 52	13, 661	5, 649, 537. 27			341, 505	165, 865, 297. 31	2, 581	4, 362, 639. 47	84, 878	37, 879, 290. 87
1942	41, 583	15, 623, 585. 08	11, 929	3, 670, 338. 41			348, 103	168, 362, 812. 92	2, 646	4, 405, 889. 98	81, 660	26, 603, 293. 11
1941	27, 520	14, 382, 840. 09	10, 860	3, 286, 452. 75			349, 724	169, 142, 735. 47	2, 617	4, 114, 971. 80	72, 478	23, 418, 546. 58
1940	36, 051	12, 728, 872. 47	10, 136	3, 082, 893. 78			348, 164	168, 387, 884. 83	1, 784	2, 953, 259. 11	60, 296	19, 324, 715. 45
1939	34, 185	8, 929, 468. 26	9, 415	2, 910, 175. 04			342, 072	166, 948, 863. 01	1, 813	2, 991, 326. 30	52, 936	17, 100, 317. 81
1938	33, 062	8, 868, 785. 83	8, 725	2, 645, 831. 53			340, 590	166, 875, 363. 36	1, 831	3, 117, 229. 96	46, 748	15, 227, 497. 81
1937	33, 036	8, 647, 027. 17	8, 109	2, 407, 076. 75			336, 528	166, 417, 519. 36	1, 841	3, 138, 955. 75	41, 594	13, 758, 823. 06
1936	31, 192	7, 434, 834. 45	7, 505	2, 275, 630. 66			337, 767	169, 382, 036. 92	1, 811	3, 283, 356. 64	37, 446	12, 710, 374. 11
1935	32, 124	7, 541, 495. 86	7, 240	1, 896, 103. 96			336, 876	171, 877, 328. 10	1, 677	2, 709, 127. 88	33, 604	11, 543, 369. 84
1934	20, 484	6, 223, 411. 08	5, 838	1, 609, 189. 39			332, 216	139, 445, 822. 97	1, 566	2, 181, 249. 52	29, 903	9, 784, 579. 12
1933	19, 559	5, 241, 451. 38	4, 807	1, 159, 026. 68	36	\$9, 232. 90	335, 710	184, 824, 065. 79	6, 007	9, 968, 980. 32	412, 482	85, 186, 547. 12
1932	18, 391	4, 860, 875. 59	4, 571	1, 105, 643. 84	38	9, 428. 54	328, 658	189, 540, 380. 76	6, 415	11, 553, 143. 57	407, 584	75, 458, 233. 37
1931	16, 920	4, 279, 663. 04	4, 128	989, 855. 37	41	10, 582. 53	299, 288	181, 900, 493. 14	6, 364	10, 937, 594. 04	229, 568	29, 689, 567. 05
1930	15, 661	3, 802, 089. 76	3, 830	894, 741. 62	44	10, 809. 00	279, 539	155, 034, 081. 21	6, 083	11, 229, 262. 01		
1929	14, 758	3, 655, 087. 62	3, 699	847, 588. 90	45	11, 310. 00	262, 138	153, 090, 587. 74	4, 243	4, 795, 658. 76		
1928	13, 665	3, 255, 566. 50	3, 555	840, 196. 73	47	11, 365. 53	257, 536	150, 980, 629. 28				
1927	13, 085	2, 958, 571. 78	3, 455	859, 468. 44	48	10, 943. 76	243, 611	144, 138, 546. 32				
1926	13, 028	2, 713, 805. 36	3, 923	941, 993. 96	49	11, 252. 40	226, 484	133, 243, 887. 41				
1925	12, 399	2, 471, 169. 57	3, 762	879, 115. 09	49	11, 060. 60	211, 644	104, 130, 215. 12				
1924	12, 283	2, 417, 027. 52	3, 754	904, 151. 70	56	13, 589. 63	179, 037	96, 089, 557. 64				
1923	12, 641	2, 569, 043. 11	3, 790	963, 552. 60	57	16, 909. 30	183, 090	107, 050, 565. 26				
1922	13, 081	2, 485, 436. 80	4, 002	915, 735. 67	61	14, 951. 33	174, 024	106, 783, 690. 77				
1921	13, 832	2, 501, 808. 01	4, 081	954, 383. 44	63	16, 518. 97	154, 960	103, 728, 308. 60				
1920	14, 477	2, 522, 774. 08	4, 554	1, 081, 264. 52	76	19, 713. 60	134, 408	82, 012, 777. 16				
1919	14, 655	2, 619, 732. 40	4, 563	1, 082, 050. 43	61	15, 708. 15	24, 947	6, 539, 114. 57				
1918	15, 233	2, 741, 434. 51	4, 610	1, 034, 613. 92	24	2, 681. 90	1, 156	172, 801. 50				
1917	15, 702	2, 744, 567. 08	4, 586	921, 473. 64								
1916	15, 553	2, 711, 946. 09	4, 549	913, 964. 15								
1915	15, 242	2, 631, 955. 22	4, 488	903, 936. 34								
1914	14, 919	2, 581, 190. 51	4, 422	893, 957. 18								
1913 and prior years	\$19	\$20, 702, 678. 60		\$7, 758, 690. 92								

<sup>1</sup> Includes special-act cases.<sup>2</sup> Includes provisional, probationary, or temporary officers.



Fiscal year	World War II									
	Living veterans									
	Pensions		Increased pay- ments on account of vocational training	Retired reserve officers <sup>2</sup>		Pensions		Total		
	Service-connected			Number	Amount	Non-service-connected				
	Number	Amount	Amount			Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$213, 679, 326. 48		\$7, 613, 016. 62	\$11, 960, 565. 75		\$152, 846. 87		\$233, 405, 755. 72		
1945.....	536, 541	\$167, 975, 339. 72	7, 046, 348. 66	9, 042	\$10, 174, 646. 32	543	\$152, 846. 87	546, 126	\$185, 349, 181. 57	
1944.....	208, 519	43, 102, 931. 69	566, 667. 96	1, 443	1, 554, 443. 46			209, 962	45, 224, 043. 11	
1943.....	7, 037	2, 589, 141. 75		181	231, 475. 97			7, 218	2, 820, 617. 72	
1942.....	93	11, 913. 32						93	11, 913. 32	
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<sup>1</sup> Adjusted.<sup>2</sup> Retired Reserve officers and enlisted men included with Regular Establishment living veterans prior to fiscal year 1943.

TABLE 13.—Statement showing number of living veterans who were receiving pension, compensation, disability allowance, or emergency provisional, probationary, temporary or reserve officers' retirement pay; also the number of deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving compensation or pension benefits at the end of each fiscal year, the amounts disbursed for these benefits during the fiscal years 1914-45 the total amounts disbursed to June 30, 1913 and 1945 for each war and regular establishment—Continued

Fiscal year	World War II—Continued						Unclassified <sup>3</sup> Amount
	Deceased veterans						
	Service-connected		Non-service-connected		Total		
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$81,028,777.76		\$66,418.66		\$81,095,196.42		\$86,513,425.54
1945.....	94,463	\$60,058,586.30	164	\$66,418.66	94,627	\$60,125,004.96	
1944.....	27,835	17,011,052.63			27,835	17,011,052.63	
1943.....	8,136	3,770,263.93			8,136	3,770,263.93	
1942.....	1,153	188,874.90			1,153	188,874.90	
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1921.....							4,978.13
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1917.....							
1916.....							
1915.....							
1914.....							9,027.97
1913 and prior years.....							86,499,419.44

<sup>3</sup> Includes \$70,000,000 disbursed for War of the Revolution.

TABLE 14.—Statement showing the average annual value of monetary benefits exclusive of insurance, subsistence allowance, readjustment allowances, and adjusted compensation, by wars, and Regular Establishment, at the end of each fiscal year, 1910-45

Year	Average for all wars, veterans			War of 1812, veterans	War with Mexico, veterans			Indian wars; veterans		
	Living	Deceased	Total	Deceased	Living	Deceased	Total	Living	Deceased	Total
1945	\$546.35	\$552.85	\$547.93	\$240.00		\$576.44	\$576.44	\$843.37	\$456.19	\$570.16
1944	542.78	508.20	534.57	240.00		573.09	573.09	805.30	452.03	560.48
1943	520.64	467.14	505.81	240.00		578.34	578.34	751.58	358.51	479.45
1942	520.67	459.97	504.00	240.00		576.25	576.25	748.48	358.21	482.27
1941	509.45	462.77	496.50	240.00		578.92	578.92	745.44	358.18	488.02
1940	510.27	466.84	498.04	240.00		579.88	579.88	736.38	358.01	491.72
1939	503.35	454.28	489.39	240.00		578.71	578.71	726.36	357.94	495.29
1938	496.20	426.94	476.66	240.00		577.48	577.48	683.83	357.98	484.63
1937	489.79	387.88	460.33	420.00		578.50	578.50	529.94	357.98	427.53
1936	483.61	392.62	456.76	420.00		576.39	576.39	526.94	357.95	430.65
1935	448.10	382.52	428.32	510.00		579.35	579.35	528.81	357.88	434.98
1934	452.41	384.66	431.60	514.29		581.40	581.40	534.07	357.48	443.45
1933	400.15	401.69	400.48	514.29		582.07	582.07	533.45	357.76	448.73
1932	108.54	403.90	407.51	514.29		583.68	583.68	529.70	358.05	450.12
1931	451.27	411.45	440.61	525.00		580.69	580.69	519.35	358.62	447.79
1930	513.94	404.37	475.08	540.00		586.32	586.32	513.16	359.10	446.22
1929	512.94	407.00	473.97	567.27	\$864.00	587.11	587.49	505.76	359.32	444.58
1928	516.92	382.00	465.53	574.29	972.00	588.21	590.02	496.20	357.74	439.95
1927	531.77	369.04	466.67	578.82	1,008.00	588.02	590.61	479.37	355.70	424.72
1926	489.58	350.93	432.12	360.00	805.33	583.87	362.56	242.89	148.73	200.86
1925	454.07	343.79	407.51	360.00	708.71	358.60	363.27	243.23	149.32	202.28
1924	464.01	344.01	411.23	353.45	719.23	357.62	365.26	241.70	148.89	201.79
1923	479.01	343.24	419.45	354.60	729.31	357.56	368.37	242.12	149.59	203.36
1922	499.21	345.71	431.35	355.59	712.44	357.30	370.59	241.06	148.79	202.72
1921	509.49	347.11	436.41	356.63	692.26	357.09	373.37	240.99	148.80	203.71
1920	421.93	280.36	357.56	232.73	414.36	229.66	240.29	239.72	148.84	203.49
1919	395.10	295.80	345.64	210.52	368.04	230.56	240.56	240.27	150.02	206.78
1918	279.14	294.22	286.29	207.52	359.46	212.71	225.36	239.57	148.22	200.41
1917	274.42	195.56	238.92	202.57	359.34	204.39	220.02	229.45	145.65	166.14
1916	268.85	147.83	216.62	148.59	355.53	145.59	170.64	229.38	144.58	166.82
1915	263.02	148.33	215.43	149.01	356.28	146.12	175.09	229.89	144.63	168.30
1914	254.83	147.87	211.97	148.52	352.85	144.74	177.97	231.82	144.20	170.08
1913	247.33	148.24	209.08	151.48	348.76	144.81	181.99	230.16	144.19	171.17
1912	192.94	148.13	176.17	151.26	248.95	144.48	164.52	115.52	144.10	134.62
1911	187.89	148.15	173.56	152.43	239.44	144.51	164.92	114.92	106.05	109.12
1910	184.19	148.64	171.90	150.75	238.34	144.54	167.27	109.68	144.09	131.84

  

Year	Civil War veterans			Spanish-American War veterans			Regular Establishment		
	Living	Deceased	Total	Living	Deceased	Total	Living	Deceased	Total
1945	\$1,188.21	\$451.73	\$458.55	\$861.21	\$432.84	\$707.14	\$430.42	\$457.01	\$436.84
1944	1,184.33	451.53	461.55	845.09	399.76	696.12	382.95	455.85	400.59
1943	1,179.30	452.41	466.10	695.26	366.50	591.74	384.40	418.24	392.53
1942	1,176.27	453.98	472.18	687.21	367.32	591.25	384.32	308.47	367.41
1941	1,159.12	455.30	479.77	675.21	365.67	587.47	385.16	301.84	366.46
1940	1,161.65	456.87	488.82	659.52	366.59	581.59	377.76	303.72	361.53
1939	1,163.58	458.06	498.44	632.11	367.66	565.42	262.94	305.23	272.07
1938	1,136.42	459.01	506.56	584.52	368.48	533.09	264.86	298.76	271.93
1937	1,129.54	460.63	517.18	549.37	369.96	509.39	265.99	299.06	272.50
1936	1,046.73	462.09	520.13	523.24	370.52	490.51	227.53	295.58	240.73
1935	1,060.37	462.75	532.60	387.52	286.10	368.06	223.51	279.58	233.82
1934	1,078.10	464.68	551.07	389.51	284.69	371.18	219.76	260.11	226.43
1933	1,086.64	467.73	566.57	523.02	381.03	499.41	235.84	206.25	230.00
1932	1,087.05	469.09	581.43	516.28	362.94	492.15	241.41	216.32	236.42
1931	1,076.24	469.63	593.69	473.33	385.98	460.48	236.82	220.62	233.64
1930	851.90	451.91	542.39	388.61	388.50	388.59	235.09	218.98	231.92
1929	850.25	451.10	550.35	373.27	390.86	375.69	218.49	223.11	219.42
1928	847.48	406.38	527.56	356.86	303.67	361.90	223.64	216.85	222.23
1927	846.63	385.60	522.75	343.72	395.40	351.20	200.34	131.86	186.03
1926	745.47	360.76	484.01	333.57	398.71	343.04	198.07	221.16	203.42
1925	698.75	360.36	476.85	192.78	278.11	205.81	191.55	211.93	197.82
1924	675.89	360.61	476.35	187.24	280.76	202.13	186.68	216.65	193.70
1923	660.99	359.38	476.78	181.00	245.28	191.38	217.58	212.71	216.46
1922	647.94	360.48	480.06	177.26	187.22	178.93	179.49	221.08	189.24
1921	627.97	360.81	477.74	158.89	184.96	164.34	175.11	211.93	183.50
1920	451.77	280.67	358.77	131.63	174.98	142.01	173.18	203.99	180.55
1919	433.65	298.74	363.19	128.54	197.15	140.37	171.15	195.95	177.04
1918	297.01	298.36	297.68	123.82	200.26	134.87	169.18	218.28	180.59
1917	290.17	196.30	246.31	127.13	158.52	131.81	169.04	195.21	174.95
1916	282.55	147.01	222.14	125.79	159.68	130.99	170.02	191.78	174.95
1915	274.77	147.42	220.46	129.13	159.68	133.91	168.87	199.99	175.95
1914	264.16	147.09	216.17	134.87	158.80	138.73	176.52	193.70	180.45
1913	256.57	147.48	213.69	123.90	158.57	129.70	151.73	194.67	161.69
1912	197.06	147.41	178.21	122.57	158.56	128.82	168.46	193.76	174.33
1911	191.38	147.75	175.50	121.86	168.80	128.48	166.84	196.03	173.64
1910	187.19	147.96	173.56	120.62	158.55	127.57	166.14	196.51	173.27

1 Includes average annual value for retired reserve officers for 1942.

TABLE 14.—Statement showing the average annual value of monetary benefits exclusive of insurance, subsistence allowance, readjustment allowances, and adjusted compensation, by wars, and Regular Establishment, at the end of each fiscal year, 1910-45—Continued

Year	World War I										
	Living veterans					Deceased veterans					Total
	Pensions	Compensation (service-connected) <sup>1</sup>	Disability allowance or non-service	Emergency officers' retirement pay <sup>2</sup>	Total	Pensions	Compensation		Total		
							Service-connected	Non-service-connected			
1945		\$535.13	\$551.63	\$1,636.72	\$545.07		\$597.31	\$490.91	\$546.35	\$545.42	
1944		535.71	541.50	1,636.55	543.42		598.80	407.03	553.99	545.66	
1943		478.29	429.54	1,642.57	475.65		562.45	409.76	527.76	486.77	
1942		477.40	425.93	1,645.31	474.82		559.65	415.66	530.07	486.71	
1941		476.56	321.12	1,642.22	457.22		558.41	420.94	532.95	473.78	
1940		477.23	318.88	1,632.14	458.98		557.91	427.17	538.33	476.59	
1939		479.18	318.55	1,632.58	463.02		531.22	350.56	511.52	473.70	
1938		481.39	319.95	1,637.19	467.44		457.42	355.48	450.04	463.81	
1937		481.64	320.21	1,640.91	469.58		351.08	352.99	351.17	444.12	
1936		481.69	319.44	1,638.41	471.13		352.06	356.55	352.19	445.69	
1935		481.43	315.16	1,627.64	471.58		347.99	359.20	348.20	445.17	
1934		476.08	307.32	1,617.42	467.12		337.04	-----	337.04	439.24	
1933	\$240.67	524.42	189.05	1,653.60	350.22	\$283.64	336.46	-----	336.45	348.63	
1932	234.95	529.43	193.19	1,683.31	354.86	300.00	335.75	-----	335.75	352.64	
1931	249.95	532.60	199.29	1,686.91	403.32	284.00	334.83	-----	334.83	393.15	
1930	254.45	528.69	-----	1,682.13	553.21	278.40	330.77	-----	330.76	499.48	
1929	253.33	528.98	-----	1,688.42	547.40	275.29	329.55	-----	329.54	493.45	
1928	247.15	539.31	-----	-----	539.26	280.94	327.91	-----	327.90	486.52	
1927	241.00	541.44	-----	-----	541.38	283.76	326.83	-----	326.82	486.94	
1926	221.88	474.14	-----	-----	474.08	285.47	324.34	-----	324.33	435.40	
1925	215.02	452.78	-----	-----	452.72	294.86	317.31	-----	317.30	420.55	
1924	226.29	445.60	-----	-----	445.53	288.00	306.93	-----	306.93	411.63	
1923	235.59	445.87	-----	-----	445.81	250.34	307.87	-----	307.84	413.78	
1922	226.24	448.30	-----	-----	448.22	265.24	315.68	-----	315.65	418.02	
1921	232.01	448.81	-----	-----	448.72	251.63	315.99	-----	315.94	417.53	
1920	224.84	449.32	-----	-----	449.19	231.69	316.44	-----	316.33	417.00	
1919	236.07	378.92	-----	-----	378.57	230.67	318.30	-----	318.10	348.64	
1918	219.50	332.27	-----	-----	329.98	225.75	319.19	-----	317.16	322.85	

  

Year	World War II								
	Living veterans				Deceased veterans				Total
	Pensions		Retired Reserve officers <sup>3</sup>	Total	Pensions		Total		
	Service-connected	Non-service-connected			Service-connected	Non-service-connected			
1945	\$456.83	\$378.83	\$1,964.95	\$481.72	\$698.32	\$498.80	\$697.98	\$513.66	
1944	368.09	-----	1,995.19	379.27	669.24	-----	669.24	413.21	
1943	477.14	-----	2,058.96	516.81	580.99	-----	-----	550.82	
1942	527.74	-----	-----	327.74	391.62	-----	-----	401.78	

<sup>1</sup> Includes average annual value for special-act cases from 1934.

<sup>2</sup> Includes average annual value for provisional, probationary, or temporary officers.

<sup>3</sup> Included in Regular Establishment living veterans in 1942.

NOTE.—Increases in 1944 annual values due to new legislation.

TABLE 15.—Statement showing by wars and Regular Establishment and by public and special acts the number of living veterans who were receiving monetary benefits, the number of deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving monetary benefits, and the aggregate annual value of these benefits on June 30, 1945 (exclusive of insurance, subsistence allowance, readjustment allowance and adjusted compensation)

Wars and Regular Establishment	Total		Public acts		Special acts	
	Number	Annual value	Number	Annual value	Number	Annual value
Grand total .....	1, 513, 586	\$829, 344, 660	1, 510, 336	\$828, 302, 468	3, 250	\$1, 042, 132
Living veterans .....	1, 144, 088	625, 069, 044	1, 143, 368	624, 923, 784	690	145, 260
Deceased veterans .....	369, 498	204, 275, 616	366, 968	203, 378, 684	2, 560	896, 932
War of 1812: Deceased veterans .....	1	240	—	—	1	240
Mexican War: Deceased veterans .....	55	31, 704	51	30, 600	4	1, 104
Indian wars .....	3, 788	2, 159, 760	3, 727	2, 145, 492	61	14, 268
Living veterans .....	1, 115	940, 356	1, 097	936, 972	18	3, 384
Deceased veterans .....	2, 673	1, 219, 404	2, 630	1, 208, 520	43	10, 884
Civil War .....	24, 750	11, 349, 008	22, 596	10, 599, 680	2, 154	749, 328
Living veterans .....	229	272, 160	226	270, 360	3	1, 800
Deceased veterans .....	24, 521	11, 076, 908	22, 370	10, 329, 380	2, 151	747, 528
Spanish-American War .....	200, 059	141, 468, 900	199, 893	141, 420, 264	166	48, 636
Living veterans .....	128, 104	110, 323, 908	128, 043	110, 307, 924	61	15, 984
Service-connected and special act cases .....	901	1, 037, 652	840	1, 021, 668	61	15, 984
Non-service-connected .....	127, 203	109, 286, 256	127, 203	109, 286, 256	—	—
Deceased veterans .....	71, 955	31, 144, 992	71, 850	31, 112, 340	105	32, 652
Service-connected special act cases .....	1, 315	754, 452	1, 210	721, 800	105	32, 652
Non-service-connected .....	76, 640	30, 309, 540	76, 640	30, 309, 540	—	—
World War I .....	587, 589	320, 483, 928	587, 587	320, 482, 368	2	1, 560
Living veterans .....	425, 589	231, 974, 772	425, 587	231, 973, 212	2	1, 560
Service-connected and special act cases .....	332, 628	177, 999, 144	332, 626	177, 997, 584	2	1, 560
Non-service-connected .....	90, 477	49, 910, 004	90, 477	49, 910, 004	—	—
Emergency officers' retirement .....	2, 475	4, 050, 804	2, 475	4, 050, 804	—	—
Provisional, probationary or temporary officers' retirement .....	9	14, 820	9	14, 820	—	—
Deceased veterans .....	162, 000	88, 509, 156	162, 000	88, 509, 156	—	—
Service-connected .....	84, 416	50, 422, 728	84, 416	50, 422, 728	—	—
Non-service-connected .....	77, 584	38, 086, 428	77, 584	38, 086, 428	—	—
World War II .....	640, 753	329, 129, 700	640, 753	329, 129, 700	—	—
Living veterans .....	546, 126	263, 082, 036	546, 126	263, 082, 036	—	—
Service-connected .....	536, 541	245, 109, 216	536, 541	245, 109, 216	—	—
Non-service-connected .....	543	205, 704	543	205, 704	—	—
Reserve officers' retirement .....	9, 042	17, 767, 116	9, 042	17, 767, 116	—	—
Deceased veterans .....	94, 627	66, 047, 664	94, 627	66, 047, 664	—	—
Service-connected .....	94, 463	65, 965, 860	94, 463	65, 965, 860	—	—
Non-service-connected .....	164	81, 804	164	81, 804	—	—
Regular Establishment .....	56, 591	24, 721, 420	55, 729	24, 494, 364	862	227, 056
Living veterans .....	42, 925	18, 475, 872	42, 319	18, 353, 340	606	122, 532
Deceased veterans .....	13, 666	6, 245, 548	13, 410	6, 141, 024	256	104, 524

TABLE 16.—World War II pensions—Active service-connected disability awards; degree of impairment correlated with classification of major disability, showing number of disabled veterans and monthly value of awards, as of June 30, 1945

Degree of impairment	Grand total				Tuberculosis				
	Number	Percent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total tuberculosis	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total.....	536,541	100.0	\$20,425,768	\$38.07	10,251	100.0	1.9	\$862,141	\$84.10
Less than 10 percent <sup>1</sup> .....	14	-----	1,238	88.43	1	-----	7.1	104	104.00
10 percent.....	188,010	35.0	2,482,940	13.21	93	.9	1,288	13.85	
20 percent.....	53,141	9.9	1,372,890	25.83	53	.5	1,719	32.43	
30 percent.....	123,657	23.0	4,670,672	37.77	120	1.2	4,924	41.03	
40 percent.....	29,895	5.6	1,484,518	49.66	26	.2	1,346	51.77	
50 percent.....	68,227	12.7	4,054,643	59.43	1,837	17.9	109,952	59.85	
60 percent.....	21,549	4.0	1,552,848	72.06	107	1.0	7,574	70.79	
70 percent.....	9,979	1.9	833,954	83.57	870	8.5	67,947	78.10	
80 percent.....	4,720	.9	455,370	96.48	57	.6	4,936	86.60	
90 percent.....	536	.1	66,467	124.01	6	.1	540	90.00	
100 percent.....	36,813	6.9	3,450,228	93.72	7,081	69.1	661,811	93.46	

Degree of impairment	Neuropsychiatric				General medical and surgical					
	Number	Percent of total neuropsychiatric	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total general medical and surgical conditions	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total.....	242,204	100.0	45.1	\$9,858,230	\$40.70	284,086	100.0	53.0	\$9,705,397	\$34.16
Less than 10 percent <sup>1</sup> .....	5	-----	35.8	512	102.40	8	-----	57.1	622	77.75
10 percent.....	77,410	32.0	41.2	997,507	12.89	110,507	38.9	58.8	1,484,145	13.43
20 percent.....	8,704	3.6	16.4	224,296	25.77	44,384	15.6	83.5	1,146,875	25.84
30 percent.....	58,496	24.2	47.3	2,171,824	37.13	65,041	22.9	52.6	2,493,924	38.34
40 percent.....	9,472	3.9	31.7	454,987	48.03	20,397	7.2	68.2	1,028,185	50.41
50 percent.....	48,906	20.2	71.7	2,878,182	58.85	17,484	6.2	25.6	1,066,509	61.00
60 percent.....	10,515	4.3	48.8	731,305	69.55	10,927	3.8	50.7	813,969	74.49
70 percent.....	6,450	2.7	64.6	522,298	80.98	2,659	.9	26.7	243,709	91.65
80 percent.....	2,233	.9	47.3	204,555	91.61	2,430	.9	51.5	245,879	101.18
90 percent.....	111	-----	20.7	11,988	108.00	419	.1	78.2	53,939	128.73
100 percent.....	19,902	8.2	54.1	1,660,776	83.45	9,830	3.5	26.7	1,127,641	114.71

<sup>1</sup> The degree of impairment was reduced to less than 10 percent after entrance into vocational training, or entitlement is only for a special award for a condition rated less than 10 percent aggravated by World War II service

TABLE 17.—World War I—Compensation—Service-connected active disability awards; comparative analysis of type of major disability, by extent of disability at the end of each fiscal year, 1923-45

Fiscal year	Total				Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total 1			
	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value
GRAND TOTAL																				
1945	332,626	100.00	\$14,833,132	\$44.59	4,276	1.28	\$175,212	\$40.98	492	0.15	\$47,780	\$97.11	294,946	83.67	\$10,876,001	\$36.87	32,912	9.90	\$3,734,139	\$113.46
1944	337,309	100.00	15,058,168	44.64	6,006	1.78	239,420	39.86	622	.18	61,100	98.23	297,071	83.07	10,940,447	36.83	33,610	9.97	3,817,201	113.57
1943	341,503	100.00	13,611,304	39.86	9,253	2.71	322,920	34.90	833	.24	70,691	84.86	296,865	83.93	9,783,586	32.96	34,552	10.12	3,434,107	99.39
1942	348,101	100.00	13,848,472	39.78	24,075	6.92	790,143	32.82	1,324	.38	115,665	87.36	288,209	82.79	9,502,352	32.97	34,493	9.91	3,440,312	99.74
1941	349,722	100.00	13,888,706	39.71	32,283	9.23	1,052,144	32.59	1,533	.44	136,262	88.89	282,177	80.69	9,335,581	33.08	33,729	9.64	3,364,719	99.76
1940	348,164	100.00	13,846,315	39.77	38,595	11.09	1,264,019	32.75	1,696	.49	152,900	90.15	274,988	73.98	9,152,628	33.28	32,885	9.44	3,276,768	99.64
1939	342,072	100.00	13,659,562	39.93	44,213	12.92	1,452,220	32.85	1,813	.53	163,677	90.28	263,955	77.17	8,843,541	33.50	32,091	9.38	3,200,124	99.72
1938	340,590	100.00	13,663,096	40.12	51,142	15.02	1,675,890	32.77	1,874	.55	169,637	90.52	255,148	74.91	8,581,781	33.63	32,426	9.52	3,235,783	99.79
1937	336,528	100.00	13,507,032	40.14	65,403	19.43	2,111,389	32.28	2,109	.63	190,343	90.25	237,113	70.46	8,028,588	33.86	31,903	9.48	3,176,712	99.57
1936	337,767	100.00	13,558,242	40.14	74,770	22.13	2,399,084	32.09	2,261	.68	204,144	90.29	228,286	67.59	7,734,586	33.88	32,450	9.60	3,220,423	99.24
1935	336,876	100.00	13,315,117	40.12	84,436	25.06	2,665,645	31.57	2,723	.81	247,366	90.84	217,322	64.51	7,406,120	34.08	32,395	9.62	3,195,986	98.66
1934	332,216	100.00	13,180,139	39.67	74,742	22.50	2,389,806	31.97	3,122	.94	295,364	94.61	223,682	67.33	7,438,854	35.26	30,670	9.23	3,056,115	99.65
1933	336,710	100.00	14,714,893	43.70	109,930	32.65	3,704,865	33.70	11,481	3.41	1,072,173	93.39	179,242	53.23	6,298,261	35.14	36,057	10.71	3,639,594	100.94
1932	328,658	100.00	14,500,192	44.12	106,811	32.50	3,649,544	34.17	12,318	3.74	1,145,300	92.98	173,645	52.84	6,104,967	35.16	35,884	10.92	3,600,381	100.33
1931	299,288	100.00	13,283,319	44.38	91,392	30.53	3,172,663	34.71	11,577	3.87	1,064,916	91.99	161,788	54.06	5,644,467	34.89	34,531	11.54	3,401,273	98.50
1930	279,539	100.00	12,315,797	44.06	81,295	29.08	2,850,988	35.07	11,651	4.17	1,053,294	90.40	152,001	54.37	5,207,747	34.26	34,592	12.38	3,203,768	92.62
1929	262,138	100.00	11,555,558	44.08	72,609	27.70	2,538,006	34.95	11,859	4.52	1,052,927	88.79	144,548	55.14	4,926,285	34.08	33,122	12.64	3,038,340	91.73
1928	257,536	100.00	11,574,308	44.94	66,445	25.80	2,290,856	34.48	14,063	5.46	1,247,004	88.67	143,721	55.81	4,994,335	34.75	33,307	12.93	3,042,113	91.34
1927	243,611	100.00	10,991,795	45.12	64,304	26.40	2,147,180	33.39	17,932	7.36	1,574,655	87.81	129,187	53.03	4,344,030	35.63	32,188	13.21	2,925,930	90.90
1926	226,484	100.00	8,948,740	39.51	72,876	32.18	1,999,585	27.44	21,939	9.68	1,897,505	86.49	103,518	45.71	2,498,700	24.14	28,151	12.43	2,552,950	90.69
1925	211,644	100.00	7,985,670	37.73	81,632	38.57	1,827,835	22.39	26,595	12.56	2,304,685	86.66	81,538	38.53	1,761,175	21.60	21,879	10.34	2,091,975	95.62
1924	179,037	100.00	6,648,270	37.13	83,339	46.55	1,783,725	21.40	21,980	12.28	1,905,075	86.67	56,976	31.82	1,268,345	22.26	16,742	9.35	1,691,125	101.01
1923	183,090	100.00	6,802,890	37.16	119,682	65.37	2,355,125	19.68	29,062	15.87	2,496,200	85.89	20,558	11.23	567,075	27.58	13,788	7.53	1,384,490	100.41

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE 17.—World War I—Compensation—Service-connected active disability awards; comparative analysis of type of major disability, by extent of disability at the end of each fiscal year, 1923-45—Continued

Fiscal year	Total				Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total <sup>1</sup>			
	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent	Monthly value	Average monthly value
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISEASES																				
1945	65,246	19.62	\$3,788,360	\$58.06	1,277	0.38	\$55,397	\$43.38	188	0.06	\$16,365	\$87.05	48,267	14.51	\$2,076,780	\$43.03	15,514	4.67	\$1,639,818	\$105.70
1944	66,301	19.65	3,863,256	58.27	1,795	.53	76,036	42.36	243	.07	21,199	87.24	48,310	14.32	2,077,245	43.00	15,953	4.73	1,688,779	105.86
1943	67,535	19.78	3,448,416	51.06	2,818	.83	104,033	36.92	333	.10	24,581	73.82	47,791	13.99	1,793,363	37.53	16,593	4.86	1,526,339	91.99
1942	68,694	19.73	3,504,850	51.02	7,379	2.12	261,379	35.42	506	1.55	38,863	76.30	44,169	12.68	1,666,618	37.73	16,640	4.78	1,537,990	92.43
1941	68,906	19.70	3,510,237	50.94	10,130	2.90	359,195	35.46	577	1.66	45,564	78.97	41,728	11.93	1,583,278	37.94	16,471	4.71	1,522,200	92.42
1940	68,727	19.74	3,490,780	50.79	12,107	3.48	432,359	35.71	617	1.86	49,311	79.92	39,807	11.43	1,514,255	35.04	16,196	4.65	1,494,855	92.30
1939	67,366	19.69	3,412,200	50.65	13,916	4.06	498,130	35.80	647	1.91	51,968	80.32	37,165	10.87	1,412,343	38.00	15,638	4.57	1,449,759	92.71
1938	66,898	19.64	3,404,867	50.90	16,190	4.75	576,650	35.62	659	1.99	53,623	81.37	34,311	10.07	1,311,188	38.21	15,738	4.63	1,463,406	92.99
1937	65,741	19.54	3,326,862	50.61	21,159	6.29	740,244	34.98	761	2.21	56,352	80.39	28,515	8.47	1,108,473	38.87	15,366	4.57	1,421,793	92.63
1936	64,441	19.08	3,294,990	51.13	23,099	6.84	807,853	34.97	702	2.03	61,277	80.42	25,041	7.41	990,904	39.57	15,539	4.60	1,434,956	92.95
1935	64,047	19.01	3,260,565	50.91	24,553	7.29	848,515	34.46	872	2.26	70,556	80.91	23,167	6.87	928,017	40.06	15,455	4.59	1,415,477	91.46
1934	59,795	18.00	3,021,451	50.53	20,133	6.06	714,722	35.50	759	2.23	66,094	87.08	24,743	7.45	947,162	38.28	14,160	4.26	1,293,473	91.55
1933	69,380	20.60	3,904,962	56.28	31,425	9.33	1,208,171	38.45	3,581	1.06	314,407	87.80	15,649	4.65	646,270	41.30	18,725	5.56	1,736,114	92.72
1932	67,916	20.67	3,819,103	56.23	36,431	9.26	1,170,698	38.47	3,749	1.14	327,100	87.25	15,146	4.61	622,927	41.13	18,590	5.66	1,698,378	91.36
1931	62,430	20.86	3,487,388	55.86	26,755	8.94	1,031,049	38.54	3,528	1.18	302,680	85.79	14,248	4.70	575,017	40.22	17,899	5.98	1,580,642	88.31
1930	59,847	21.41	3,243,142	54.19	24,097	8.62	930,599	38.62	3,475	1.25	288,719	83.08	13,548	4.84	529,541	39.09	18,747	6.70	1,494,293	79.79
1929	56,205	21.44	2,996,577	53.32	22,356	8.53	851,084	38.67	3,376	1.29	272,406	80.69	12,730	4.86	483,116	37.95	17,080	6.76	1,389,971	78.34
1928	54,973	21.34	2,900,601	52.78	21,639	8.40	810,542	37.46	3,570	1.39	290,525	81.38	12,669	4.92	482,363	38.07	17,080	6.63	1,317,171	77.12
1927	52,665	21.62	2,714,985	51.55	20,789	8.53	735,110	35.36	4,466	1.84	350,990	78.59	11,506	4.72	433,320	37.00	15,904	6.53	1,195,565	75.17
1926	49,773	21.98	2,320,345	46.62	20,807	9.19	563,485	27.08	5,921	2.61	459,450	77.60	9,831	4.34	322,085	33.70	13,214	5.84	775,325	73.81
1925	44,845	21.19	2,017,705	44.99	21,052	9.95	431,505	20.50	7,230	3.42	594,450	82.22	7,157	3.38	206,575	28.86	9,406	4.44	685,075	83.47
1924	32,103	17.93	1,581,455	49.26	15,371	8.99	315,375	20.52	5,288	2.95	443,200	83.81	4,545	2.54	133,075	29.28	6,899	2.85	689,805	99.99
1923	28,256	15.43	1,392,530	49.28	15,801	8.63	319,350	20.23	6,247	3.41	521,340	83.45	1,053	.58	36,790	34.87	5,153	2.81	514,750	99.89

TUBERCULOSIS

1945	50,766	15.26	2,756,079	54.29	685	0.21	37,627	54.93	131	0.04	12,328	94.11	44,218	13.29	2,077,184	46.98	5,732	1.72	628,940	109.72
1944	51,498	15.27	2,803,308	54.44	790	.24	44,641	56.51	143	.04	13,648	95.44	44,665	13.24	2,096,336	46.93	5,900	1.75	648,683	109.95
1943	52,179	15.28	2,730,193	52.32	921	.27	49,556	53.92	177	.05	15,057	85.07	44,950	13.16	2,073,228	46.17	6,131	1.80	590,252	96.27
1942	53,277	15.31	2,802,097	52.59	1,348	.39	75,981	55.70	251	.07	21,827	86.96	45,303	13.02	2,088,558	46.16	6,375	1.83	616,631	96.73
1941	53,859	15.40	2,847,045	52.86	1,584	.45	90,960	56.86	303	.09	26,251	86.64	45,468	13.00	2,100,338	46.19	6,504	1.86	630,396	96.92
1940	54,855	15.76	2,918,235	55.20	1,826	.53	106,536	58.40	329	.09	28,807	87.56	45,954	13.20	2,127,089	46.29	6,746	1.94	655,703	97.20
1939	55,634	16.27	2,968,637	53.36	2,125	.62	125,184	58.91	373	.11	32,760	87.83	46,303	13.54	2,146,849	46.37	6,833	2.00	663,844	97.15

1938	56,389	16.56	3,026,205	53.67	2,541	.75	151,608	59.66	408	.12	35,583	87.21	46,339	13.61	2,148,970	46.37	7,101	2.08	690,044	97.18
1937	56,953	16.92	3,070,957	53.92	3,276	0.97	193,845	59.7	496	.15	43,240	87.18	45,879	13.63	2,125,549	46.33	7,302	2.17	708,323	97.00
1936	58,092	17.20	3,139,085	54.04	3,804	1.14	227,391	58.45	557	.17	48,573	87.20	45,962	13.61	2,117,029	46.06	7,709	2.28	746,092	96.78
1935	59,141	17.56	3,202,192	54.15	4,263	1.26	246,332	57.78	747	.22	65,459	87.63	46,064	13.68	2,111,181	45.83	8,067	2.40	779,290	96.59
1934	57,270	17.24	3,139,232	54.81	3,150	0.95	185,346	58.84	922	.28	85,184	92.39	45,444	13.68	2,094,060	46.08	7,754	2.33	774,642	99.90
1933	63,932	18.99	3,830,368	59.91	6,063	1.80	377,159	62.21	3,287	.98	312,442	95.05	45,160	13.41	2,152,207	47.66	9,422	2.80	988,560	104.92
1932	63,371	19.28	3,859,432	60.90	6,449	1.96	401,737	62.29	3,727	1.13	353,094	94.74	43,477	13.23	2,080,723	47.86	9,718	2.96	1,023,878	105.36
1931	59,739	19.96	3,711,091	62.12	6,447	2.15	398,821	61.86	3,923	1.31	369,414	94.17	39,599	13.23	1,917,463	48.43	9,778	3.27	1,025,398	104.87
1930	55,598	19.89	3,551,652	63.88	6,695	2.40	408,424	61.00	4,226	1.51	393,910	93.21	34,892	12.48	1,734,307	49.71	9,785	3.50	1,015,011	103.73
1929	56,535	21.57	3,600,916	63.69	6,545	2.50	396,504	60.58	4,806	1.83	411,353	91.83	35,371	13.49	1,749,507	49.46	9,813	3.75	1,013,552	103.29
1928	60,690	23.57	3,905,822	64.36	4,516	1.75	283,192	62.71	6,642	2.38	604,809	91.06	38,701	15.03	1,904,379	49.21	10,831	4.21	1,113,442	102.80
1927	57,748	23.70	3,830,365	66.33	6,036	2.48	336,400	55.73	9,418	3.36	855,845	90.87	31,040	12.74	1,477,120	47.59	11,254	4.62	1,161,000	103.16
1926	48,150	21.26	2,858,435	59.37	13,702	6.05	504,545	36.82	11,853	5.23	1,066,280	89.96	12,019	5.31	201,960	16.80	10,576	4.67	1,085,650	102.65
1925	45,839	21.66	2,873,565	62.69	16,339	7.72	545,375	33.58	14,824	7.00	1,312,175	88.52	5,515	2.61	81,990	14.87	9,161	4.33	934,620	101.96
1924	39,099	21.84	2,428,040	62.10	16,774	9.37	569,780	33.57	12,278	6.86	1,079,140	87.89	2,685	1.50	39,425	14.68	7,362	4.11	739,695	100.47
1923	41,551	22.70	2,721,530	65.50	18,221	9.95	630,400	34.60	16,544	9.04	1,437,070	86.86	314	.17	6,000	19.11	6,472	3.54	648,060	100.13

## GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CONDITIONS

1945	216,614	65.12	8,288,693	38.26	2,314	0.69	82,188	35.52	173	0.05	19,087	110.33	202,461	60.87	6,722,037	33.20	11,666	3.51	1,465,381	125.61
1944	219,510	65.08	8,391,504	38.23	3,421	1.01	118,743	34.71	236	.07	26,253	111.24	204,096	60.51	6,766,869	33.16	11,757	3.49	1,479,739	125.86
1943	221,789	64.94	7,432,695	33.51	5,514	1.61	169,251	30.69	323	.09	31,053	96.14	204,124	59.78	5,914,995	28.98	11,828	3.46	1,317,416	111.38
1942	226,130	64.96	7,541,525	33.35	15,348	4.41	453,683	29.56	567	.16	54,975	96.96	198,737	57.09	5,747,176	28.92	11,478	3.30	1,285,691	112.01
1941	226,957	64.90	7,531,424	33.18	20,569	5.88	602,889	29.51	653	.19	64,447	98.69	194,981	55.76	5,651,965	28.99	10,754	3.07	1,212,123	112.71
1940	224,582	64.50	7,437,300	33.12	24,662	7.08	725,024	29.40	750	.22	74,782	99.71	189,227	54.35	5,511,284	29.13	9,943	2.85	1,126,210	113.27
1939	219,072	64.04	7,278,725	33.23	28,172	8.24	828,906	29.42	793	.23	78,949	99.56	180,487	52.76	5,284,349	29.28	9,620	2.81	1,086,521	112.94
1938	217,303	63.80	7,202,024	33.28	32,411	9.52	947,632	29.24	807	.24	80,431	99.67	174,498	51.23	5,121,623	29.35	9,587	2.81	1,082,338	112.90
1937	213,834	63.54	7,109,213	33.25	40,968	12.17	1,177,300	28.74	912	.27	90,751	99.51	162,719	48.36	4,794,566	29.47	9,235	2.74	1,046,596	113.33
1936	215,234	63.72	7,124,167	33.10	47,807	14.15	1,363,840	28.53	942	.28	94,294	100.10	157,283	46.57	4,626,653	29.42	9,202	2.72	1,036,380	112.95
1935	213,688	63.43	7,052,360	33.00	55,620	16.51	1,570,798	28.24	1,104	.33	111,351	100.86	148,091	43.96	4,366,922	29.49	8,873	2.63	1,003,289	113.07
1934	215,151	64.76	7,019,456	32.63	51,459	15.49	1,489,738	28.55	1,441	.43	144,086	99.99	153,495	46.20	4,397,632	28.65	8,756	2.64	988,000	112.84
1933	203,398	60.41	6,979,563	34.31	72,442	21.52	2,119,535	29.26	4,613	1.37	445,324	96.54	118,433	35.17	3,499,784	29.55	7,910	2.35	914,920	115.67
1932	197,371	60.05	6,821,657	34.56	66,931	21.28	2,077,109	29.70	4,842	1.47	465,106	96.06	115,022	35.00	3,401,317	29.57	7,576	2.30	878,125	115.91
1931	177,119	59.18	6,084,840	34.35	58,190	19.44	1,742,793	29.55	4,126	1.38	392,822	95.21	107,949	36.07	3,153,987	29.22	6,854	2.29	795,238	116.03
1930	164,094	58.70	5,521,003	33.65	50,503	18.06	1,511,965	29.54	3,950	1.41	370,665	93.54	103,561	37.05	2,943,899	28.43	6,080	2.18	694,474	114.22
1929	149,398	56.99	4,958,065	33.19	43,708	16.67	1,290,418	29.52	3,677	1.40	339,168	92.24	96,447	36.79	2,693,662	27.93	5,566	2.13	634,817	114.05
1928	141,888	55.09	4,767,885	33.60	46,290	15.65	1,197,122	29.71	3,851	1.49	351,670	91.32	92,351	35.86	2,607,593	28.24	5,396	2.09	611,500	113.32
1927	133,198	54.68	4,446,445	33.38	37,479	15.39	1,075,670	28.70	4,045	1.66	367,820	90.86	86,641	35.57	2,433,590	28.09	5,030	2.06	569,365	113.19
1926	128,561	56.76	3,769,960	29.32	38,367	16.94	931,555	24.28	4,168	1.84	371,775	89.26	81,668	36.06	1,674,655	24.18	4,361	1.92	491,975	112.81
1925	120,960	57.15	3,094,400	25.58	44,241	20.90	850,855	19.23	5,441	2.14	398,060	87.66	68,866	32.54	1,472,610	21.38	3,312	1.57	372,757	112.58
1924	107,835	60.23	2,638,775	24.47	51,194	28.59	898,570	17.55	4,414	2.47	382,735	86.71	49,746	27.78	1,095,845	22.03	2,481	1.39	261,625	105.45
1923	113,283	61.87	2,688,530	23.74	85,660	46.79	1,405,075	16.40	6,271	3.42	537,790	85.76	19,189	10.48	524,285	27.32	2,163	1.18	221,680	102.49

<sup>1</sup> Includes double permanent total cases.

TABLE 18.—World War I compensation—service-connected active disability awards; extent of disability and degree of impairment correlated with classification of major disability, showing number of disabled veterans and monthly value of awards, as of June 30, 1945

Extent of disability and degree of impairment	Grand total				Neuropsychiatric diseases										
					Endocrines		Nervous system		Psychiatric diseases		Total				
	Number	Per cent of grand total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Number	Per cent of total neuropsychiatric	Per cent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Grand total	332,626	100.0	\$14,833,132	\$44.59	3,039	\$140,813	49,243	\$2,516,282	12,664	\$1,131,265	65,246	100.0	19.6	\$3,788,360	\$58.06
Total, partial ratings	295,222	90.0	11,051,213	36.93	2,652	97,276	43,363	1,844,180	3,529	190,721	49,544	75.9	16.6	2,132,177	43.04
No disability	2,196	.7	54,813	24.96											
10-19 percent	85,838	25.2	1,251,984	15.05	631	9,807	4,853	77,547	506	6,266	5,990	9.2	7.1	93,620	15.63
20-29 percent	97,685	29.4	3,287,180	33.65	865	22,734	13,450	363,470	86	2,246	14,401	22.0	14.8	388,470	26.98
30-39 percent	42,061	12.6	1,637,101	38.92	435	16,176	7,535	281,697	111	4,046	8,081	12.4	19.2	301,919	37.36
40-49 percent	24,455	7.4	1,215,983	49.72	181	8,516	4,911	235,081	517	23,468	5,609	8.5	22.9	267,065	47.61
50-59 percent	21,765	6.6	1,332,948	59.86	175	10,086	6,035	355,446	1,041	58,870	7,251	11.1	33.3	424,402	58.53
60-69 percent	12,589	3.8	929,500	73.83	101	7,199	2,994	213,889	412	27,351	3,507	5.4	27.9	248,439	70.84
70-79 percent	8,659	2.6	745,783	86.13	153	12,366	2,055	170,153	758	59,382	2,966	4.6	34.2	242,201	81.66
80-89 percent	4,890	1.4	488,483	99.89	102	9,408	1,435	135,665	94	8,393	1,631	2.5	33.3	153,466	94.09
90-99 percent	1,084	.3	127,438	117.56	9	964	95	11,232	4	399	108	.2	10.0	12,595	116.62
Temporary partial	4,276	1.3	175,212	40.98	62	2,498	1,079	45,535	136	7,364	1,277	1.9	29.9	55,397	43.38
10-19 percent	796	.2	11,439	14.37	10	151	95	1,440	7	171	112	.2	14.1	1,762	15.73
20-29 percent	895	.3	22,559	25.25	19	444	320	8,148	2	75	341	.5	38.1	8,667	25.42
30-39 percent	736	.2	28,717	39.02	4	161	143	5,055	29	1,137	176	.3	23.9	6,353	36.10
40-49 percent	584	.2	26,798	45.89	3	149	120	5,305	35	1,767	158	.2	27.1	7,221	45.70
50-59 percent	482	.2	26,439	54.85	11	582	188	10,212	25	1,337	224	.3	46.5	12,131	54.16
60-69 percent	280	.1	18,347	65.53	7	415	103	6,627	30	2,172	140	.2	50.0	9,214	65.81
70-79 percent	321	.1	24,841	77.39	6	443	84	6,582	7	621	97	.2	30.2	7,648	78.82
80-89 percent	105	.1	8,738	83.22	2	153	21	1,679	1	84	24	.2	22.9	1,916	79.33
90-99 percent	77	.0	7,294	94.73			5	487		5	5	.0	6.5	487	97.40
Permanent partial	294,946	88.7	10,876,061	36.87	2,590	94,778	42,284	1,798,645	3,393	183,357	48,267	74.0	16.4	2,076,780	43.03
No disability	2,196	.7	54,813	24.96											
10-19 percent	85,042	25.0	1,250,545	15.06	621	9,656	4,758	76,107	499	6,095	5,878	9.0	7.1	91,858	15.63
20-29 percent	96,790	29.1	3,264,581	33.73	846	22,310	13,130	355,322	84	2,171	14,060	21.5	14.5	379,803	27.01
30-39 percent	41,325	12.4	1,608,384	38.92	431	16,015	7,392	276,642	82	2,909	7,905	12.1	19.1	295,566	37.39
40-49 percent	25,871	7.2	1,189,185	49.82	178	8,367	4,791	229,776	482	21,701	5,451	8.3	22.8	259,844	47.67
50-59 percent	21,283	6.4	1,276,509	59.98	164	9,504	5,847	345,234	1,016	57,533	7,027	10.2	33.0	412,271	58.67
60-69 percent	12,509	3.7	911,153	74.02	94	6,784	2,891	207,262	382	25,179	3,369	5.2	27.3	239,225	71.05
70-79 percent	8,338	2.5	720,942	86.46	147	11,923	1,971	163,571	751	59,061	2,869	4.4	34.4	234,555	81.75
80-89 percent	4,785	1.4	479,745	100.26	100	9,255	1,411	133,986	93	8,309	1,607	2.5	33.6	151,550	94.31
90-99 percent	1,007	.3	120,144	119.31	9	964	90	10,745	4	399	103	.2	10.2	12,108	117.55
Temporary total	492	.1	47,780	97.11	6	633	50	5,459	128	10,273	188	.3	38.2	16,365	87.05
Permanent total	32,846	9.9	3,717,035	113.17	381	42,904	5,814	663,512	9,307	930,271	15,502	23.8	47.2	1,636,687	105.58
Double permanent total	66		17,104	259.15			12	3,131			12		18.2	3,131	260.92

Extent of disability and degree of impairment	Tuberculosis					General medical and surgical conditions				
	Number	Percent of total tuberculosis	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total general medical and surgical conditions	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Grand total	50,766	100.0	15.3	\$2,756,079	\$54.29	216,614	100.0	65.1	\$8,288,693	\$38.26
Total, partial ratings	44,903	88.4	15.0	2,114,811	47.10	204,775	94.6	68.4	6,804,225	33.23
No disability						2,196	1.0	100.0	54,813	24.96
10-19 percent	90	.2	.1	1,299	14.43	77,758	35.9	92.8	1,167,065	15.01
20-29 percent	35,967	70.8	36.8	1,638,463	45.55	47,317	21.9	48.4	1,260,247	26.63
30-39 percent	3,507	7.0	8.3	164,296	46.85	30,473	14.0	72.5	1,170,886	38.42
40-49 percent	1,982	3.9	8.1	96,222	48.55	16,864	7.8	69.0	852,696	50.56
50-59 percent	2,203	4.3	10.1	125,678	57.05	12,311	5.7	56.6	752,868	61.15
60-69 percent	347	.6	2.7	23,064	66.47	8,735	4.1	69.4	657,997	89.56
70-79 percent	518	1.0	6.0	40,090	77.39	5,175	2.4	59.8	463,492	103.71
80-89 percent	165	.4	3.4	14,127	85.62	3,094	1.4	63.3	320,890	80.56
90-99 percent	124	.2	11.4	11,572	93.32	852	.4	78.6	103,271	121.21
Temporary partial	685	1.3	16.0	37,627	54.93	2,314	1.1	54.1	82,188	35.52
10-19 percent						684	.3	85.9	9,677	14.15
20-29 percent	3		.3	116	38.67	551	.3	61.6	13,816	25.07
30-39 percent	235	.5	31.9	10,672	45.41	325	.1	44.2	11,692	35.98
40-49 percent	215	.4	36.8	9,833	45.73	211	.1	36.1	9,744	46.18
50-59 percent	19		3.9	958	50.42	239	.1	49.6	13,350	55.86
60-69 percent	28		10.0	1,460	52.14	112	.1	40.0	7,673	68.51
70-79 percent	90	.2	28.0	6,381	70.90	134	.1	41.8	10,814	80.70
80-89 percent	39	.1	37.1	3,082	79.03	42		40.0	3,740	89.05
90-99 percent	56	.1	72.7	5,125	91.52	16		20.8	1,682	105.13
Permanent partial	44,218	87.1	15.0	2,077,184	46.98	202,461	93.5	68.6	6,722,037	33.20
No disability						2,196	1.0	100.0	54,813	24.96
10-19 percent	90	.2	.1	1,299	14.43	77,074	35.6	92.8	1,157,388	15.02
20-29 percent	35,964	70.8	37.2	1,638,347	45.56	46,766	21.6	48.3	1,246,431	26.65
30-39 percent	3,272	6.5	7.9	153,624	46.95	30,148	13.9	73.0	1,159,194	38.45
40-49 percent	1,767	3.5	7.4	86,389	48.89	16,653	7.7	66.8	842,952	50.62
50-59 percent	2,184	4.3	10.3	124,720	57.11	12,072	5.6	56.7	739,518	61.26
60-69 percent	319	.6	2.6	21,604	67.72	8,623	4.0	70.1	650,324	75.42
70-79 percent	428	.8	5.1	33,709	78.76	5,041	2.3	60.5	452,678	89.80
80-89 percent	126	.3	2.6	11,045	87.66	3,052	1.4	65.8	317,150	103.92
90-99 percent	68	.1	6.8	6,447	94.81	836	.4	83.0	101,589	121.52
Temporary total	131	.3	26.6	12,328	94.11	173	.1	35.2	19,087	110.33
Permanent total	5,731	11.3	17.4	628,675	109.70	11,613	5.3	35.4	1,451,673	258.00
Double permanent total	1		1.5	265	265.00	53		80.3	13,708	258.64

NOTE.—Does not include 2 veterans receiving pensions having a monthly value of \$130 under special acts.

TABLE 19.—World War I Compensation—service-connected active disability awards; number of disabled veterans rated on a temporary basis showing those receiving additional compensation for dependents and number of dependents as of June 30, 1945

	Total			Temporary partial			Temporary total		
	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total veterans on a temporary basis.....	4,768	\$222,992	\$46.77	4,276	\$175,212	\$40.98	492	\$47,780	\$97.11
Without dependents.....	1,332	51,448	38.62	1,246	46,282	37.14	86	5,166	60.07
With dependents.....	3,436	171,544	49.93	3,030	128,930	42.55	406	42,614	104.96
Total dependents.....	8,644			7,565			1,079		
Wives.....	3,235			2,854			381		
Children.....	5,247			4,583			664		
Parents.....	162			128			34		

TABLE 20.—World War I and World War II pensions, non-service-connected active disability awards; number of disabled veterans receiving pension for non-service-connected disability classified by type of major disability, as of June 30, 1945

Class of disability	World War I				World War II			
	Number	Per cent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Per cent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total.....	90,477	100.0	\$4,159,167	\$45.97	543	100.0	\$17,142	\$31.57
Tuberculosis.....	9,647	10.7	433,795	44.97	64	11.8	2,150	33.59
Neuropsychiatric diseases.....	28,710	31.7	1,215,822	42.35	275	50.6	6,985	25.40
General medical and surgical conditions.....	52,120	57.6	2,509,550	48.15	204	37.6	8,007	39.25

TABLE 21.—World War I, World War II, and Regular Establishment veterans and dependents of deceased veterans receiving compensation or pension benefits showing number of cases on which insurance payments are also being made as of June 30, 1945

Kind of claim	Disability			Death				
	World War I		Regular Establishment service-connected	World War I		Regular Establishment service-connected	World War II	
	Service-connected	Non-service-connected		Service-connected	Non-service-connected		Service-connected	Non-service-connected
Total.....	1,332,626	90,477	42,319	84,416	77,584	13,410	94,463	164
Compensation or pension only.....	323,435	88,093	41,786	82,128	74,975	11,417	11,292	128
Compensation or pension and term insurance.....	5,366	154	117	1,443	112	98	-----	-----
Compensation or pension and automatic insurance.....	84	1	1	20	1	9	-----	-----
Compensation or pension and U. S. Government life insurance.....	3,591	2,228	415	822	2,491	597	-----	-----
Compensation or pension, term insurance and U. S. Government life insurance.....	150	1	-----	2	4	-----	-----	-----
Compensation or pension and National Service life insurance.....	-----	-----	-----	1	1	1,272	83,171	36
Compensation or pension, National Service life insurance and U. S. Government life insurance.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	17	-----	-----

<sup>1</sup> Does not include 2 special acts. <sup>2</sup> Does not include 606 special acts. <sup>3</sup> Does not include 256 special acts.

**TABLE 22.—Spanish-American War veterans receiving pensions for service-connected disabilities showing type of major disability and degree of impairment, as of June 30, 1945**

Degree of impairment	Grand total				Neuropsychiatric					Tuberculosis					General medical and surgical conditions				
	Number	Percent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of total	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Grand total.....	840	100.0	\$85,139	\$101.36	136	100.0	16.2	\$13,339	\$98.08	34	100.0	4.0	\$3,456	\$101.65	670	100.0	79.8	\$68,344	\$102.01
General law—Total	19	2.3	\$986	\$51.89	3	2.2	15.8	\$112	\$37.33	—	—	—	—	—	16	2.4	54.2	\$374	\$54.63
Public No. 2—Total.....	821	97.7	\$84,153	\$102.50	133	97.8	16.2	\$13,227	\$99.45	34	100.0	4.1	\$3,456	\$101.65	654	97.6	79.7	\$67,470	\$103.17
Degree of impairment:																			
10 percent.....	12	1.4	144	12.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	1.8	100.0	144	12.00
20 percent.....	7	.8	149	21.29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	.9	85.7	129	21.50
30 percent.....	24	2.9	1,215	50.63	1	.7	14.3	20	20.00	—	—	—	—	—	24	3.6	100.0	1,215	50.63
40 percent.....	38	4.5	2,775	73.03	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	5.4	94.7	2,613	72.58
50 percent.....	41	4.9	2,862	69.80	2	1.5	5.3	162	81.00	—	—	—	—	—	33	4.9	80.5	2,866	71.70
60 percent.....	49	5.8	4,018	82.00	8	5.8	19.5	496	62.00	—	—	—	—	—	42	6.3	85.7	3,225	79.17
70 percent.....	77	9.2	6,701	87.03	13	9.6	16.9	1,062	81.69	1	2.9	2.0	69	69.00	56	8.3	72.7	4,991	89.13
80 percent.....	113	13.4	10,647	94.22	9	6.6	7.9	828	92.00	2	5.9	1.8	184	92.00	102	15.2	90.3	9,635	94.46
90 percent.....	10	1.2	1,180	118.00	2	1.5	20.0	278	139.00	—	—	—	—	—	8	1.2	80.0	902	112.75
100 percent.....	388	46.2	44,232	114.00	79	58.1	20.4	7,612	96.35	21	61.8	5.4	2,225	105.95	288	43.0	74.2	34,395	119.43
100 percent with nurse.....	62	7.4	10,230	165.00	13	9.6	21.0	2,145	165.00	2	5.9	3.2	330	165.00	47	7.0	75.8	7,755	165.00

NOTE.—Does not include 61 veterans receiving pensions having a monthly value of \$1,332 under special acts.

**TABLE 23.—Spanish-American War veterans receiving pensions for non-service-connected disabilities, as of June 30, 1945**

Status of pensions	Number	Percent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Status of pensions	Number	Percent of total	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Grand total.....	127,203	100.0	\$9,107,188	\$71.60	Degree of impairment:				
Paid under Public No. 2.....	357	.3	14,903	41.75	1/10.....	390	0.3	\$7,656	\$19.63
For age.....	235	.2	12,088	51.44	1/4.....	635	.5	15,437	24.31
For disability.....	122	.1	2,815	23.07	1/2.....	3,348	2.6	115,104	34.38
Paid under service pension laws.....	126,846	99.7	9,092,285	71.68	3/4.....	8,740	6.9	428,260	49.00
For age.....	58,869	46.3	4,335,637	73.65	Totally disabled.....	47,117	37.0	3,419,752	72.58
For disability.....	67,977	53.4	4,756,648	69.97	Totally disabled with nurse.....	7,747	6.1	770,439	99.45

TABLE 24.—Regular Establishment service-connected active disability pension awards; degree of impairment correlated with classification of major disability, showing number of disabled veterans and monthly value of awards, as of June 30, 1945

Degree of impairment	Grand total				Type of disability										
					Tuberculosis					Neuropsychiatric diseases					
	Number	Percent of group total	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of group total	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Percent of group total	Total neuropsychiatric diseases			
												Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	
Grand total.....	42,319		\$1,529,445	\$36.14	4,434		10.5	\$279,052	\$62.93	10,232		24.2	\$430,176	\$42.04	

PRIOR TO 1898

Total.....	529	100.0	\$20,936	\$39.58	13	100.0	2.4	\$617	\$47.46	29	100.0	5.5	\$1,539	\$53.07
10-19 percent.....	94	17.8	791	8.41						3	10.4	3.2	27	9.00
20-29 percent.....	78	14.7	1,174	15.05	1	7.7	1.3	12	12.00	2	6.9	2.6	34	17.00
30-39 percent.....	61	11.5	1,722	28.23	3	23.1	4.9	78	25.00	3	10.4	4.9	78	26.00
40-49 percent.....	30	5.7	1,102	36.73										
50-59 percent.....	47	8.9	1,473	31.34	3	23.1	6.4	83	27.67	8	27.6	17.0	298	37.25
60-69 percent.....	21	4.0	1,028	48.95										
70-79 percent.....	39	7.4	1,545	39.62	3	23.1	7.7	148	49.33	1	3.4	2.6	28	28.00
80-89 percent.....	10	1.9	690	69.00						1	3.4	10.0	69	69.00
90-99 percent.....	2	.4	208	104.00						1	3.4	50.0	104	104.00
100 percent.....	90	17.0	7,371	81.90	2	15.3	2.2	172	86.00	6	20.7	6.7	405	67.50
100 percent with nurse.....	23	4.3	2,805	121.96	1	7.7	4.3	124	124.00	4	13.8	17.4	496	124.00
Specific injury.....	31	5.8	936	30.19										
100 percent with periodic aid.....	1	.2	55	55.00										
Section 206 cases.....	2	.4	36	18.00										

SUBSEQUENT TO 1898

Total.....	41,790	100.0	\$1,508,509	\$36.10	4,421	100.0	10.6	\$278,435	\$62.98	10,203	100.0	24.4	\$428,637	\$42.01
10-19 percent.....	11,484	27.5	104,305	9.08	71	1.6	.6	639	9.00	2,283	22.4	19.9	20,690	9.06
20-29 percent.....	4,019	9.6	69,739	17.35	55	1.3	1.4	935	17.00	321	3.1	8.0	5,556	17.31
30-39 percent.....	8,705	20.8	243,150	27.93	570	12.9	6.6	14,739	25.86	1,586	15.5	18.2	41,642	26.26
40-49 percent.....	2,766	6.6	109,798	39.70	50	1.1	1.8	1,731	34.62	443	4.3	16.0	15,545	35.09
50-59 percent.....	3,281	7.9	143,780	43.82	834	18.9	25.4	35,780	42.90	1,011	9.9	30.8	43,391	42.92
60-69 percent.....	1,649	3.9	91,090	55.24	95	2.1	5.8	4,925	51.84	159	1.6	9.6	8,607	54.13
70-79 percent.....	943	2.3	59,662	63.27	359	8.1	38.1	21,350	59.47	209	2.1	22.1	12,713	60.83
80-89 percent.....	739	1.8	53,412	72.28	63	1.4	8.5	4,399	69.83	209	2.1	28.3	14,523	69.49
90-99 percent.....	68	.2	6,698	98.50	1		1.5	78	78.00	3		4.4	347	115.67
100 percent.....	7,865	18.8	593,189	75.42	2,268	51.3	28.9	186,998	82.45	3,864	37.9	49.1	251,322	65.04
100 percent with nurse.....	271	.6	33,686	124.30	55	1.3	20.3	6,861	124.75	115	1.1	42.4	14,301	124.36

NOTE.—Does not include 606 veterans receiving pensions having a monthly value of \$10,211 under special acts.

TABLE 24.—Regular Establishment service-connected active disability pension awards; degree of impairment correlated with classification of major disability, showing number of disabled veterans and monthly value of awards, as of June 30, 1945—Continued

Degree of impairment	Type of disability—Continued									
	Neuropsychiatric diseases—Continued				General medical and surgical conditions					
	Psychotic		Other neuropsychiatric							
	Number	Monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Number	Percent of group total	Percent of degree of impairment	Monthly value	Average monthly value	
Grand total.....	4,620	\$215,870	5,612	\$214,306	27,653	-----	65.3	\$820,217	\$29.66	
PRIOR TO 1898										
Total.....	3	\$224	26	\$1,315	487	100.0	92.1	\$18,780	\$38.56	
10-19 percent.....			3	27	91	18.7	96.8	764	8.40	
20-29 percent.....			2	34	75	15.4	96.1	1,128	15.04	
30-39 percent.....			3	78	55	11.3	90.2	1,566	28.47	
40-49 percent.....					30	6.2	100.0	1,102	36.73	
50-59 percent.....					36	7.4	76.6	1,092	30.33	
60-69 percent.....			8	298	21	4.3	100.0	1,028	48.95	
70-79 percent.....			1	28	35	7.2	89.7	1,369	39.11	
80-89 percent.....			1	69	9	1.8	90.0	621	99.00	
90-99 percent.....			1	104	1	.2	50.0	104	104.00	
100 percent.....	2	100	4	305	82	16.8	91.1	6,794	82.85	
100 percent with nurse.....	1	124	3	372	18	3.7	78.3	2,185	121.89	
Specific injury.....					31	6.4	100.0	936	30.19	
100 percent with periodio aid.....					1	.2	100.0	55	55.00	
Section 206 cases.....					2	.4	100.0	36	18.00	

SUBSEQUENT TO 1898

Total	4, 617	\$215, 646	5, 586	\$212, 991	27, 166	100. 0	65. 0	\$901, 437	\$29. 50
10-19 percent	769	6, 846	1, 524	13, 844	9, 130	33. 6	79. 5	52, 976	9. 09
20-29 percent	24	408	297	5, 148	3, 643	13. 4	90. 6	63, 248	17. 36
30-39 percent	416	10, 888	1, 170	30, 754	6, 549	24. 1	75. 2	186, 769	28. 52
40-49 percent	16	536	427	15, 009	2, 273	8. 4	82. 2	92, 522	40. 70
50-59 percent	318	13, 374	693	30, 017	1, 436	5. 3	43. 8	64, 609	44. 99
60-69 percent	23	1, 095	136	7, 512	1, 395	5. 1	84. 6	77, 558	55. 60
70-79 percent	138	8, 125	71	4, 588	375	1. 4	39. 8	25, 999	68. 26
80-89 percent	4	276	205	14, 247	467	1. 7	63. 2	34, 490	73. 85
90-99 percent			3	847	64	0. 2	94. 1	6, 273	98. 02
100 percent	2, 913	173, 354	951	77, 968	1, 733	6. 4	22. 0	154, 869	89. 36
100 percent with nurse	6	744	109	13, 557	101	0. 4	37. 3	12, 524	124. 00

TABLE 25.—Age groups of World War I, Spanish-American War, Regular Establishment, and World War II veterans in receipt of compensation or pension benefits, as of June 30, 1945

	World War I <sup>1</sup>	Spanish-American War	Regular Establishment	World War II <sup>4</sup>
Average age <sup>2</sup> .....	52.4	69.2	41.9	29.5
Total number veterans.....	425,589	128,104	42,925	546,126
Age not stated.....	<sup>3</sup> 4,834	<sup>4</sup> 147	<sup>5</sup> 928	1,528
Under 20.....			2	6,095
20 to 24.....			1,368	140,493
25 to 29.....			6,155	163,143
30 to 34.....			5,370	109,520
35 to 39.....			5,564	83,885
40 to 44.....	1,225		7,498	25,205
45 to 49.....	109,446		6,086	12,640
50 to 54.....	197,325		3,093	2,650
55 to 59.....	90,632	195	2,984	723
60 to 64.....	13,236	9,932	2,366	217
65 to 69.....	5,692	66,850	765	27
70 to 74.....	2,063	37,536	327	
75 to 79.....	874	10,590	228	
80 to 84.....	232	2,325	133	
85 to 89.....	30	460	48	
90 to 94.....		63	10	
95 and over.....		6		

<sup>1</sup> Includes veterans receiving compensation, pension or emergency, provisional, or temporary officers retirement pay.

<sup>2</sup> Average based on 1-year age group of veterans.

<sup>3</sup> Includes 2 special act cases.

<sup>4</sup> Includes 61 special act cases.

<sup>5</sup> Includes 606 special act cases.

<sup>6</sup> Includes retired Reserve officers.

TABLE 26.—Terminations of compensation or pension disability awards, showing reasons for terminations, during fiscal year 1945

Reasons for terminations	World War II		World War I		Spanish-American War	Regular Establishment
	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected		
Total.....	<sup>1</sup> 21,131	<sup>1</sup> 62	6,148	11,421	7,104	1,283
Claimant reenlisted or recalled to active service.....	116		51	1	3	59
Death of veteran.....	2,074	42	4,695	7,128	6,716	620
Disability less than 10 percent.....	12,964		175			148
Disability less than permanent total.....		4		955		
Disability not result of service.....	344		42			
Discharge other than honorable.....	4					1
Estate over \$1,500.....	25	3	328	1,692	34	49
Forfeiture.....						
Further payments not desired.....	288		18	32	3	10
Income provision.....					3	
Misconduct.....	4		1	3		
Veteran in receipt of other benefits.....	237		13	4	5	46
Veteran residing in enemy occupied or belligerent country.....			2			
Miscellaneous <sup>2</sup> .....	5,075	13	823	1,606	340	350

<sup>1</sup> Net terminations only.

<sup>2</sup> Includes all temporary terminations.

TABLE 27.—World War II pensions, service- and non-service-connected active death awards, number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving pensions, showing class of beneficiary and number of dependents, as of June 30, 1945

Class of beneficiary	Service-connected			Non-service-connected		
	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total cases on which pensions are being paid .....	94,463	\$5,497,155	\$58.19	164	\$6,817	\$41.57
Widow alone .....	22,061	1,103,050	50.00	58	2,030	35.00
Widow and children .....	22,007	1,539,390	69.95	95	4,562	48.02
Widow, children, and mother .....	2,104	241,329	114.70			
Widow, children, and father .....	352	40,360	114.66			
Widow, children, mother and father .....	1,342	160,235	119.40			
Widow and mother .....	2,549	241,059	94.57			
Widow and father .....	423	39,652	93.74			
Widow, mother and father .....	1,824	182,400	100.00			
Children alone .....	1,208	35,479	29.37	11	225	20.45
Children and mother .....	295	17,585	74.83			
Children and father .....	38	2,787	73.34			
Children, mother and father .....	132	10,321	78.19			
Mother alone .....	19,162	855,008	44.62			
Father alone .....	3,557	155,050	43.59			
Mother and father .....	17,469	873,450	50.00			
Number of dependents .....	160,960			319		
Widows .....	52,662			153		
Children .....	38,344			166		
Mothers .....	44,817					
Fathers .....	25,137					

TABLE 28.—World War I compensation, service- and non-service-connected active death awards, number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving compensation, showing class of beneficiary and number of dependents, as of June 30, 1945

Class of beneficiary	Service-connected			Non-service-connected		
	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total cases on which compensation is being paid .....	84,416	\$4,201,894	\$49.78	77,584	\$3,173,869	\$40.91
Widow alone .....	21,452	1,062,442	49.53	37,684	1,315,269	34.90
Widow and children .....	6,321	458,404	72.52	35,581	1,756,593	49.37
Widow and mother .....	1,642	153,513	93.49			
Widow, children, and mother .....	352	40,646	115.47			
Widow and father .....	395	36,813	93.20			
Widow, children, and father .....	75	8,790	117.20			
Widow, mother, and father .....	261	25,865	99.10			
Widow, mother, mother, and father .....	62	7,373	118.92			
Children alone .....	2,653	78,026	29.64	4,319	102,007	23.62
Children and mother .....	260	18,529	71.27			
Children and father .....	44	3,202	72.77			
Children, mother, and father .....	46	3,507	76.24			
Mother alone .....	34,204	1,525,776	44.61			
Father alone .....	9,396	417,185	44.40			
Mother and father .....	7,253	361,223	49.80			
Number of dependents .....	108,184			148,359		
Widows .....	30,560			73,265		
Children .....	16,012			75,094		
Mothers .....	44,080					
Fathers .....	17,532					

TABLE 29.—*World War I compensation—Service- and non-service-connected active death awards; number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving compensation, showing number of dependents as of the end of each fiscal year, 1923-45*

Fiscal year	Deceased veterans		Dependents								Average monthly value per case	
			Total		Widows		Children		Parents			
	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	
1945	84,416	77,584	108,184	148,359	30,560	73,265	16,012	75,094	61,612	\$49.78	\$40.91	
1944	87,566	26,697	114,417	53,161	30,581	23,028	18,244	30,133	65,592	49.90	33.92	
1943	89,925	26,441	120,317	53,809	30,728	22,817	20,869	30,992	68,720	46.87	34.15	
1942	94,171	24,349	130,361	52,358	30,642	20,814	25,790	31,544	73,929	46.64	34.64	
1941	96,833	22,010	137,038	49,469	30,509	18,728	29,267	30,741	77,262	46.53	35.08	
1940	99,479	17,524	143,602	41,181	29,947	14,949	32,576	26,232	81,079	46.49	35.60	
1939	99,822	12,220	146,989	29,856	29,070	10,356	35,521	19,500	82,398	44.27	29.21	
1938	95,118	7,422	142,292	18,443	28,135	6,024	37,378	12,419	76,779	38.12	29.62	
1937	99,032	5,050	148,228	12,754	28,244	4,149	38,863	8,605	81,121	29.26	29.42	
1936	99,659	2,994	150,837	7,625	27,512	2,531	39,948	5,094	83,377	29.34	29.71	
1935	99,394	1,970	151,588	4,989	26,456	1,741	39,157	3,248	86,975	29.00	29.93	
1934	99,229	.....	150,881	.....	26,090	.....	39,314	.....	85,477	28.09	.....	
1933	98,628	.....	149,975	.....	24,757	.....	37,771	.....	87,447	28.04	.....	
1932	97,448	.....	148,016	.....	23,961	.....	36,565	.....	87,490	27.98	.....	
1931	93,334	.....	141,250	.....	22,843	.....	34,700	.....	83,707	27.90	.....	
1930	90,954	.....	136,163	.....	21,754	.....	32,765	.....	81,644	27.56	.....	
1929	87,668	.....	130,138	.....	20,643	.....	30,168	.....	79,327	27.46	.....	
1928	85,634	.....	125,395	.....	19,260	.....	27,314	.....	78,821	27.33	.....	
1927	82,827	.....	120,487	.....	18,565	.....	25,172	.....	76,750	27.24	.....	
1926	78,881	.....	113,542	.....	17,556	.....	22,976	.....	73,010	27.03	.....	
1925	65,958	.....	94,102	.....	16,346	.....	20,472	.....	57,284	26.44	.....	
1924	57,971	.....	82,041	.....	14,447	.....	17,396	.....	50,198	25.58	.....	
1923	55,334	.....	78,234	.....	14,809	.....	15,854	.....	47,571	25.60	.....	

1 Adjusted.

TABLE 30.—*Spanish-American War pensions—service- and non-service-connected active death awards; number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving pensions, showing class of beneficiary and number of dependents, as of June 30, 1945*

Class of beneficiary	Service-connected			Non-service-connected		
	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total cases on which pensions are being paid	1,210	\$60,150	\$49.71	70,640	\$2,532,545	\$35.85
Widow alone	1,014	50,537	49.84	66,921	2,393,140	35.76
Widow and children	29	2,159	74.45	2,463	95,993	38.97
Widow and mother	1	95	95.00	.....	.....	.....
Children alone	7	279	39.86	1,256	43,412	34.56
Mother alone	146	6,520	44.66	.....	.....	.....
Father alone	13	560	43.08	.....	.....	.....
Number of dependents	1,272			74,832		
Widows	1,044			69,384		
Children	68			5,448		
Mothers	147			.....		
Fathers	13			.....		

NOTE.—Does not include 105 special act cases having a monthly value of \$2,721 being paid to 98 widows, 4 children, 2 parents, and 5 other beneficiaries.

TABLE 31.—Regular Establishment pensions; active death awards, number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving pensions, showing class of beneficiary and number of dependents, as of June 30, 1945.

Class of beneficiary	Regular Establishment			Prior to 1898			Subsequent to 1898		
	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total cases on which pensions are being paid.....	13, 410	\$511, 752	\$38. 16	231	\$8, 728	\$37. 78	13, 179	\$503, 024	\$38. 17
Widow alone.....	4, 047	152, 781	37. 75	224	8, 516	38. 02	3, 823	144, 265	37. 74
Widow and children.....	1, 861	101, 587	54. 59	2	108	54. 00	1, 859	101, 479	54. 59
Widow and mother.....	135	8, 753	64. 84				135	8, 753	64. 84
Widow, mother, and children.....	114	9, 192	80. 63				114	9, 192	80. 63
Widow and father.....	44	2, 777	63. 11				44	2, 777	63. 11
Widow, father, and children.....	25	1, 647	65. 88				25	1, 647	65. 88
Widow, father, and mother.....	52	4, 234	81. 42				52	4, 234	81. 42
Widow, father, mother, and children.....	36	3, 093	85. 92				36	3, 093	85. 92
Children alone.....	1, 115	26, 611	23. 87	5	104	20. 80	1, 110	26, 507	23. 88
Mother and children.....	83	4, 518	54. 43				83	4, 518	54. 43
Father and children.....	18	802	44. 56				18	802	44. 56
Father, mother, and children.....	27	1, 675	62. 04				27	1, 675	62. 04
Mother alone.....	3, 448	106, 317	30. 83				3, 448	106, 317	30. 83
Father alone.....	900	27, 037	30. 04				900	27, 037	30. 04
Father and mother.....	1, 505	60, 728	40. 35				1, 505	60, 728	40. 35
Number of dependents.....		19, 754			235			19, 519	
Widows.....		6, 314			226			6, 088	
Children.....		5, 433			9			5, 424	
Mothers.....		5, 400						5, 400	
Fathers.....		2, 607						2, 607	

Note: Does not include 256 special act cases having a monthly value of \$8,710 being paid to 165 widows, 37 children, 80 parents, and 10 other beneficiaries.

TABLE 32.—Terminations of compensation or pension death awards, showing reasons for termination, during fiscal year 1945

Reasons for terminations	World War II <sup>1</sup>		World War I		Spanish-American War	Regular Establishment
	Service-connected	Non-service-connected	Service-connected	Non-service-connected		
Total.....	1, 958	7	4, 236	3, 324	1, 394	516
Child becomes of age.....	8		347	485	<sup>2</sup> 128	<sup>2</sup> 61
Child marries.....			35	44		
Child's schooling completed.....			276	156		
Claimant in receipt of other benefits.....			2	14	137	13
Death of payee.....	160	1	2, 892	145	853	216
Dependency of mother or father not shown.....	79		86			22
Further payments not desired.....	5		2	4	5	3
Income provision.....		2		1, 512	5	
Payee married.....	1, 617	3	408	587	<sup>3</sup> 221	<sup>3</sup> 152
Miscellaneous <sup>4</sup> .....	89	1	188	377	45	49

<sup>1</sup> Net terminations only.

<sup>2</sup> Includes child's schooling completed.

<sup>3</sup> Includes child marries.

<sup>4</sup> Includes all temporary terminations.

**RETIREMENT OF EMERGENCY, PROVISIONAL, PROBATIONARY, OR TEMPORARY OFFICERS' TABLE—WORLD WAR I**

TABLE 33.—*Emergency, provisional, probationary, or temporary officers of World War I entitled to retirement pay as of June 30, 1945, classified by organization and rank*

Organization and rank at time of discharge from commissioned service	Total number entitled to retirement pay	Retirement pay forfeited	Receiving retirement pay as of June 30, 1945						
			Total			Emergency officers		Provisional, probationary, or temporary officers	
			Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Number	Monthly value
Grand total.....	12,550	66	2,484	\$338,802	\$136.39	2,475	\$337,567	9	\$1,235
Total, Army.....	2,466	63	2,403	327,699	136.37	2,395	326,629	8	1,070
Colonel.....	6	6	6	1,852	308.67	6	1,852		
Lieutenant Colonel.....	25	2	23	5,819	253.00	23	5,819		
Major.....	152		152	31,032	204.16	152	31,032		
Captain.....	616	16	600	93,914	156.52	598	93,639	2	275
First Lieutenant.....	956	20	936	121,033	129.31	931	120,355	5	678
Second Lieutenant.....	711	25	686	74,049	107.94	685	73,932	1	117
Total, Navy.....	68	3	65	8,985	138.23	65	8,985		
Commander.....	2	1	1	241	241.00	1	241		
Lieutenant Commander.....	3		3	600	200.00	3	600		
Lieutenant.....	18		18	2,880	160.00	18	2,880		
Lieutenant (j. g.).....	27		27	3,574	132.37	27	3,574		
Ensign.....	17	2	15	1,573	104.87	15	1,573		
Warrant Officer.....	1		1	117	117.00	1	117		
Total, Marine Corps.....	16		16	2,118	132.38	15	1,953	1	165
Captain.....	6		6	930	155.00	5	765	1	165
First Lieutenant.....	8		8	976	122.00	8	976		
Second Lieutenant.....	2		2	212	106.00	2	212		

<sup>1</sup> Includes 902 officers entitled under Public, No. 743, 76th Cong.

NOTE.—5 additional officers have been found to be entitled to retirement pay but have not made the election between retirement benefits and compensation.

**RETIRED OFFICERS OF THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES' TABLE**

TABLE 34.—*Retired officers of the Army of the United States (except Regulars) entitled to retirement pay as of June 30, 1945, classified by rank*

Rank at time of discharge from commissioned service	Total number entitled to retirement pay	Retirement pay forfeited	Receiving retirement pay								
			Total			Full retirement pay			Partial retirement pay		
			Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value	Number	Monthly value	Average monthly value
Total.....	9,097	55	9,042	\$1,480,593	\$163.75	9,015	\$1,478,825	\$164.04	27	\$1,768	\$65.48
General.....	6		6	2,250	375.00	6	2,250	375.00			
Colonel.....	100	3	97	33,252	342.80	97	33,252	342.80			
Lieutenant Colonel.....	576	2	574	166,096	289.37	574	166,096	289.37			
Major.....	1,151	9	1,142	264,734	231.82	1,141	264,701	231.96	1	33	33.00
Captain.....	2,316	18	2,298	393,747	171.34	2,291	393,394	171.71	7	353	50.43
First Lieutenant.....	2,616	14	2,602	346,041	132.99	2,590	345,078	133.23	12	963	80.25
Second Lieutenant.....	2,013	9	2,004	232,773	116.15	1,997	232,354	116.35	7	419	59.86
Warrant Officer.....	319		319	41,700	130.72	319	41,700	130.72			

## ADJUSTED COMPENSATION TABLES—WORLD WAR I

TABLE 35.—Number of applications for adjusted compensation received by fiscal years from September 1924 to June 30, 1945

Fiscal year	Applications received	Fiscal year	Applications received
Total.....	4, 161, 536	1935.....	18, 686
1945.....	19	1934.....	12, 538
1944.....	6	1933.....	42, 505
1943.....	8	1932.....	161, 641
1942.....	72	1931.....	108, 938
1941.....	209	1930.....	30, 840
1940.....	5, 368	1929.....	138, 689
1939.....	4, 341	1928.....	124, 175
1938.....	5, 147	1927.....	183, 316
1937.....	46, 515	1926.....	397, 008
1936.....	36, 335	To June 30, 1925.....	2, 845, 180

TABLE 36.—Action taken on applications for adjusted compensation to June 30, 1945

Branch of service and type of claims	Number	Amount
Grand total.....	4, 121, 534	\$3, 766, 906, 801. 21
Cash:		
(a) Veterans (\$50 or less).....	178, 077	5, 842, 687. 21
(b) Dependents (less than \$50).....	12, 282	331, 583. 00
Dependents (\$50 or over).....	138, 601	46, 872, 524. 00
Certificates.....	3, 792, 574	3, 710, 036, 627. 00
\$60 lump-sum payments.....		3, 823, 380. 00
Army		
Total.....	3, 535, 790	3, 188, 102, 509. 35
Cash:		
(a) Veterans (\$50 or less).....	161, 755	5, 430, 114. 35
(b) Dependents (less than \$50).....	11, 149	300, 995. 00
Dependents (\$50 or over).....	122, 408	41, 396, 324. 00
Certificates.....	3, 240, 478	3, 137, 537, 016. 00
\$60 lump-sum payments.....		3, 438, 060. 00
Navy:		
Total.....	512, 811	504, 897, 294. 19
Cash:		
(a) Veterans (\$50 or less).....	15, 627	390, 474. 19
(b) Dependents (less than \$50).....	1, 007	27, 186. 00
Dependents (\$50 or over).....	12, 863	4, 350, 050. 00
Certificates.....	438, 314	499, 867, 804. 00
\$60 lump-sum payments.....		261, 780. 00
Marine Corps:		
Total.....	72, 933	73, 906, 997. 67
Cash:		
(a) Veterans (\$50 or less).....	695	22, 098. 67
(b) Dependents (less than \$50).....	126	3, 402. 00
Dependents (\$50 or over).....	3, 330	1, 126, 150. 00
Certificates.....	68, 782	72, 631, 807. 00
\$60 lump-sum payments.....		123, 540. 00



TABLE 39.—Number of term and automatic insurance active disability and death awards at the end of each fiscal year 1918-45

June 30	Grand total	Disability			Death		
		Total	Term	Auto-matic	Total	Term	Auto-matic
1945	11,569	9,516	9,301	215	2,053	2,042	11
1944	13,051	9,739	9,520	219	3,312	3,297	15
1943	14,643	9,941	9,717	224	4,702	4,683	19
1942	16,649	10,217	9,981	236	6,432	6,402	30
1941	19,076	10,445	10,205	240	8,631	8,586	45
1940	23,570	11,231	10,944	287	12,339	12,258	81
1939	30,703	11,434	11,134	300	19,269	19,097	172
1938	119,907	11,871	11,582	289	107,936	106,392	1,544
1937	137,779	12,343	12,040	303	125,436	119,966	5,470
1936	142,592	12,757	12,452	305	129,835	122,974	6,861
1935	145,172	12,916	12,616	300	132,256	125,364	6,892
1934	147,836	13,275	12,976	299	134,561	127,551	7,010
1933	149,637	13,270	12,972	298	136,367	129,287	7,080
1932	153,017	13,003	12,713	290	140,014	132,818	7,196
1931	153,868	12,135	11,862	273	141,733	134,537	7,196
1930	154,994	11,704	11,430	274	143,290	136,057	7,233
1929	157,369	11,944	11,660	284	145,425	138,020	7,405
1928	158,937	12,048	11,761	287	146,889	139,412	7,477
1927	161,318	12,634	12,335	299	148,684	141,087	7,597
1926	161,750	12,104	11,802	302	149,646	141,916	7,730
1925	160,199	10,777	10,470	307	149,422	141,384	8,038
1924	156,373	9,553	9,260	293	146,820	138,965	7,855
1923	146,403	7,226	7,053	173	139,177	132,085	7,092
1922	141,568	6,188	6,032	156	135,380	128,350	7,030
1921	138,434	6,510	6,367	143	131,924	125,047	6,877
1920	129,133	2,788	2,677	111	126,345	120,410	5,935
1919	104,126	169	129	40	103,957	99,524	4,433
1918	5,722				5,722	4,651	1,071

TABLE 40.—Term and automatic insurance active disability and death awards, as of June 30, 1945

	Number	Amount of insurance		Number	Amount of insurance
TERM AND AUTOMATIC			Total term:		
Total	11,569	\$91,536,077	Disability	9,301	\$77,743,695
			Death	2,042	12,810,638
Disability	9,516	78,677,655	Total automatic:		
Death	2,053	12,858,422	Disability	215	933,960
			Death	11	47,784

1 In addition monthly payments totalling \$140.92 are being paid on 4 annuity cases.

TABLE 41.—Term and automatic insurance terminated disability and death awards, as of June 30, 1945

	Number	Amount of insurance		Number	Amount of insurance
Disability awards terminated:			Death awards terminated:		
Term	32,095	\$269,180,969	Term	169,331	\$1,396,505,860
Automatic	423	1,837,512	Automatic	8,522	37,017,913

NOTE.—Disability and death awards cannot be added since they represent gross terminations.

TABLE 42.—Converted insurance claims awarded and terminated during the calendar year 1944, by plan of insurance

Plan of insurance	Converted insurance claims awarded during calendar year 1944											
	Total permanent disability						Death					
	Policies		Lives		Amount of insurance		Policies		Lives		Amount of insurance	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent
Ordinary life.....	305	35.06	261	36.71	\$1,811,237	38.92	1,295	25.15	1,133	24.62	\$7,057,597	29.93
20-payment life.....	205	23.57	178	25.04	926,024	19.90	1,876	36.43	1,726	37.51	6,463,052	27.41
30-payment life.....	43	4.94	24	3.38	187,076	4.02	161	3.13	133	2.89	893,340	3.79
20-year endowment.....	53	6.09	33	4.64	199,212	4.28	482	9.36	446	9.69	1,261,067	5.35
30-year endowment.....	24	2.76	19	2.67	96,418	2.07	202	3.92	161	3.50	936,612	3.97
Endowment at 62.....	34	3.91	23	3.23	163,462	3.51	211	4.10	167	3.63	1,046,577	4.44
5-year convertible term:												
Duration less than 5 years.....							1	.02	1	.02	8,248	.03
Duration more than 5 years.....	79	9.08	62	8.72	491,707	10.56	236	4.58	202	4.39	1,458,787	6.19
Renewed, second period.....	1	.11	1	.14	10,000	.22						
Renewed, third period.....	21	2.41	18	2.53	150,500	3.23	46	.89	39	.85	318,500	1.35
Renewed, fourth period.....	42	4.83	42	5.91	318,500	6.84	135	2.62	126	2.74	975,000	4.13
5-year level premium term:												
Duration less than 5 years.....	25	2.88	20	2.81	129,911	2.79	285	5.53	271	5.89	2,286,129	9.69
Renewed, second period.....	10	1.15	8	1.13	41,000	.88	43	.83	38	.83	295,500	1.25
Renewed, third period.....	1	.11	1	.14	10,000	.22	13	.25	11	.24	67,000	.28
Extended insurance.....	26	2.99	21	2.95	117,823	2.53	138	2.68	124	2.70	446,060	1.89
Paid-up life.....	1	.11	0		1,468	.03	23	.45	20	.43	69,807	.30
Paid-up endowment.....							3	.06	3	.07	744	.00
Total.....	870	100.00	711	100.00	4,654,338	100.00	5,150	100.00	4,601	100.00	23,584,020	100.00

Plan of insurance	Converted insurance disability claims terminated during calendar year 1944											
	By recovery						By death					
	Policies		Lives		Amount of insurance		Policies		Lives		Amount of insurance	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent
Ordinary life.....	37	20.55	32	22.07	\$207,000	25.80	257	33.03	231	34.79	\$1,585,621	36.71
20-payment life.....	41	22.78	34	23.45	155,000	19.32	166	21.34	144	21.69	792,857	18.36
30-payment life.....	7	3.89	4	2.76	45,000	5.61	27	3.47	16	2.41	120,266	2.78
20-year endowment.....	142	23.33	134	23.45	1,127,493	15.89	103	13.24	85	12.80	385,105	8.92
30-year endowment.....	13	7.22	7	4.83	62,000	7.73	17	2.19	15	2.26	93,000	2.15
Endowment at 62.....	2 <sup>1</sup> 12	6.67	2 <sup>1</sup> 9	6.20	2 <sup>1</sup> 49,000	6.11	25	3.21	21	3.16	124,168	2.88
5-year convertible term:												
Duration less than 5 years.....	6	3.33	4	2.76	49,000	6.11	47	6.04	39	5.87	348,000	8.06
Duration more than 5 years.....	5	2.78	4	2.76	35,917	4.48	46	5.91	37	5.57	314,751	7.29
Renewed, second period.....	2	1.11	2	1.38	15,000	1.87	18	2.31	13	1.96	127,000	2.94
Renewed, third period.....	2	1.11	2	1.38	6,000	.75	26	3.34	24	3.62	171,000	3.96
Renewed, fourth period.....	1	.56	1	.69	5,000	.62	11	1.41	10	1.51	84,000	1.94
5-year level premium term:												
Duration less than 5 years.....	3	1.67	3	2.07	25,000	3.12	8	1.03	7	1.05	44,000	1.02
Renewed, second period.....	1	.56	1	.69	5,000	.62	4	.52	2	.30	25,000	.58
Renewed, third period.....												
Extended insurance.....												
Paid-up life.....	8	4.44	8	5.51	15,785	1.97	22	2.83	20	3.01	103,381	2.39
Paid-up endowment.....							1	.13	0	.00	724	.02
Total.....	180	100.00	145	100.00	802,195	100.00	778	100.00	664	100.00	4,318,873	100.00

<sup>1</sup> Includes matured endowments 23 policies 17 lives for \$77,493.<sup>2</sup> Includes matured endowments 6 policies 5 lives for \$31,000.

TABLE 43.—*Report of United States Government life insurance in force Dec. 31, 1944, total, all plans*

	Number	Amount
Insurance in force December 31, 1943.....	583, 413	\$2, 505, 203, 372
Issued during 1944.....	4, 305	29, 612, 292
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>587, 718</b>	<b>2, 534, 815, 664</b>
<b>Terminations:</b>		
Death claims awarded.....	5, 156	23, 596, 727
Disability claims awarded.....	941	4, 889, 364
Matured endowments.....	3, 506	11, 604, 764
Surrendered for cash.....	1, 875	6, 154, 376
Surrendered for paid-up insurance.....	79	520, 000
Lapsed.....	1, 740	6, 621, 637
Reduced.....	32	999, 130
Canceled.....	32	148, 002
Extended insurance expired.....	1, 913	5, 184, 201
5-year term expired.....	84	318, 500
Canceled rerated disability claims.....	13	47, 226
<b>Total terminations.....</b>	<b>15, 339</b>	<b>60, 083, 927</b>
<b>Additions:</b>		
Rerated disability claims.....	127	406, 166
Paid-up insurance issued.....	79	222, 924
Revived.....	569	2, 121, 003
Continued under extended insurance.....	666	1, 176, 392
<b>Total additions.....</b>	<b>1, 441</b>	<b>3, 926, 485</b>
Net terminations.....	13, 898	56, 157, 442
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1944.....	573, 820	2, 478, 658, 222

TABLE 44.—*Report of United States Government life insurance in force by plan, as of Dec. 31, 1944*

	Number	Amount
Ordinary life.....	161, 278	\$823, 724, 353
20-payment life.....	212, 301	759, 711, 734
30-payment life.....	28, 415	147, 259, 536
20-year endowment.....	55, 187	148, 113, 532
30-year endowment.....	27, 964	119, 383, 566
Endowment at age 62.....	28, 955	136, 615, 265
5-year term.....	45, 180	307, 146, 777
Extended insurance.....	11, 054	30, 963, 359
Paid-up life.....	2, 783	4, 947, 861
Paid-up endowment.....	703	792, 239
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>573, 820</b>	<b>2, 478, 658, 222</b>

TABLE 45.—*National Service life insurance, active death awards as of June 30, 1945*

	Number	Amount of insurance
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>223, 154</b>	<b>\$2, 035, 991, 700</b>
Life annuity.....	173, 343	1, 568, 825, 400
240 installments.....	41, 419	386, 843, 200
Life annuity and 240 installments.....	8, 392	80, 323 100

TABLE 46.—Active death awards on which National Service life insurance payments are being made, classified by beneficiary and amount of insurance as of June 30, 1945

Beneficiary and relationship	Total	\$1,000 to \$1,999	\$2,000 to \$2,999	\$3,000 to \$3,999	\$4,000 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$5,999	\$6,000 to \$6,999	\$7,000 to \$7,999	\$8,000 to \$8,999	\$9,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000
Total.....	223,154	2,245	3,014	2,523	1,161	23,566	792	1,012	1,093	2,058	185,690
Widow.....	48,670	151	302	301	140	3,948	131	257	285	342	42,813
Child or children.....	963	20	37	31	19	278	7	8	6	11	546
Parent or parents.....	151,350	1,698	2,228	1,866	849	16,907	507	583	638	1,300	124,774
Sister, brother, 1 or more.....	11,815	365	400	263	112	1,987	69	72	71	235	8,241
Widow and child or children.....	334	-----	2	3	-----	24	2	2	4	4	293
Parent or parents and widow.....	6,370	-----	13	11	15	130	37	48	44	80	5,992
Parent or parents and widow with child or children.....	16	-----	-----	-----	-----	3	-----	-----	-----	2	11
Parent or parents and child or children.....	169	-----	4	1	2	21	-----	2	1	2	136
Sister, brother, 1 or more and parent or parents.....	3,078	11	26	42	17	251	36	30	38	71	2,556
Sister, brother, 1 or more and widow with or without children.....	329	-----	2	2	5	14	3	8	5	10	280
Sister, brother, 1 or more and widow and parent or parents.....	31	-----	-----	-----	1	-----	-----	2	-----	-----	27
Sister, brother, 1 or more and child or children.....	29	-----	-----	3	1	3	-----	-----	1	-----	21

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TABLE 47.—Appropriations and other receipts versus disbursements to June 30, 1945

Purpose	Appropriations	Receipts other than appropriations	Total	Disbursements		Covered into Treasury	Investments and loans	Balance
				Fiscal year	To date			
Grand total.....	\$21,108,203,857.76	\$6,436,227,318.75	\$27,544,431,176.51	\$2,271,318,333.42	\$20,395,907,101.11	\$542,571,614.01	\$4,513,164,442.65	\$2,092,788,018.74
Total.....	17,463,045,901.36	499,126,336.50	17,962,172,237.86	2,084,667,750.03	15,410,179,924.61	522,902,252.37	-----	2,029,090,060.88
Salaries and expenses, 1945.....	177,619,940.00	455,537.53	178,075,477.53	150,660,017.83	150,660,017.83	-----	-----	27,415,459.70
Salaries and expenses, 1944.....	134,477,000.00	749,329.29	135,226,329.29	7,839,840.81	131,445,681.05	-----	-----	3,780,648.24
Salaries and expenses, 1943.....	117,684,088.00	795,252.16	118,479,340.16	340,542.13	116,161,789.22	-----	-----	2,317,550.94
Salaries and expenses, 1918-42.....	1,500,644,178.65	823,779.17	1,501,467,957.82	115,739.53	1,385,479,304.33	115,953,284.11	-----	35,369.38
Emergency fund for the President, national defense (allotment to Veterans' Administration) 1942-1944.....	6,829,000.00	-----	6,829,000.00	87.23	43,442.96	6,785,385.51	-----	171.53
Increase of compensation, 1920-24.....	12,584,784.00	-----	12,584,784.00	-----	8,697,319.47	3,887,464.53	-----	-----
Printing and binding, 1945.....	650,000.00	-----	650,000.00	425,045.37	425,045.37	-----	-----	224,954.63
Printing and binding, 1944.....	425,000.00	-----	425,000.00	128,607.81	418,744.97	-----	-----	6,255.03
Printing and binding, 1943.....	303,000.00	-----	303,000.00	103.28	289,399.56	-----	-----	13,600.44
Printing and binding, 1924-42.....	3,010,787.72	-----	3,010,787.72	-----	2,617,674.08	392,115.52	-----	998.12
Administrative expenses, adjusted compensation, 1924-25.....	1,188,500.00	-----	1,188,500.00	-----	835,061.82	353,438.18	-----	-----
Administrative expenses, Adjusted Compensation Payment Act, Veterans' Administration, 1936-37.....	5,500,000.00	-----	5,500,000.00	-----	3,695,714.33	1,804,285.67	-----	-----
Adjusted service and dependent pay.....	55,736,398.00	-----	55,736,398.00	63,909.11	55,641,572.97	186.06	-----	94,638.97
Loans to veterans for transportation, 1933.....	100,000.00	-----	100,000.00	-----	76,103.36	23,896.64	-----	-----
Medical and hospital services, 1921-31 and prior years.....	488,184,562.00	897,496.12	489,082,058.12	-----	426,587,865.74	62,494,222.38	-----	-----
Hospital and domiciliary facilities, V. A.....	226,147,500.00	20,805.27	226,168,305.27	15,800,635.66	89,929,802.02	58,946.89	-----	186,179,556.36
Hospital facilities and services, 1928-29.....	7,000,000.00	-----	7,000,000.00	-----	6,962,398.82	37,601.18	-----	-----
Hospital facilities and services, 1926-27.....	8,000,000.00	-----	8,000,000.00	-----	7,650,000.00	350,000.00	-----	-----
Hospital facilities and services, 1924-26.....	3,850,000.00	-----	3,850,000.00	-----	3,846,117.20	3,882.80	-----	-----
Hospital facilities and services.....	38,000,000.00	-----	38,000,000.00	-----	37,991,530.61	-----	-----	8,469.39
National Industrial Recovery, Veterans' Administration, 1933-39.....	3,041,650.00	-----	3,041,650.00	-----	3,018,704.79	22,945.21	-----	-----
Public Works Administration, act of 1933 (allotment to Veterans' Administration) 1938-43.....	13,268,200.00	-----	13,268,200.00	-----	13,198,826.79	50,397.78	-----	18,975.43
Emergency relief (transfers from W. P. A.) 1941-43.....	140,027.57	-----	140,027.57	-----	139,921.36	-----	-----	106.21
Vocational rehabilitation, 1920-July 2, 1928.....	699,360,370.80	845,266.32	700,205,637.12	1,349.53	636,792,698.49	63,412,938.63	-----	-----
Vocational rehabilitation, no year.....	8,000,000.00	28.30	8,000,028.30	14.41	7,993,571.29	15.30	-----	6,441.71

Vocational rehabilitation revolving fund (World War I).....	500,000.00		500,000.00		1,668.95	498,288.25		42.80
Vocational rehabilitation revolving fund (World War II).....	500,000.00		500,000.00	99,978.51	113,623.51			388,376.49
Military and naval compensation, no year—1933 and prior years.....	2,545,634,895.55		2,545,634,895.55	1 8,571.21	2,523,288,932.85	22,345,962.70		
Army and Navy pensions, no year.....	1,080,150,000.00		1,080,150,000.00					1,080,150,000.00
Army and Navy pensions, 1945 and prior years.....	791,252,000.00		791,252,000.00	771,498,494.53	775,253,514.67			15,993,485.33
Army and Navy pensions, 1944 and prior years.....	493,000,000.00		493,000,000.00	381,031.19	490,735,664.73			2,264,335.27
Army and Navy pensions, 1933-43 and prior years.....	4,130,959,301.00		4,130,959,301.00	1 72,209.83	4,044,857,558.38	83,922,321.33		2,179,421.29
Army and Navy pensions, 1931-33.....	702,225,000.00		702,225,000.00	1 2,228.07	701,447,606.57	777,393.43		
Readjustment benefits, Veterans' Administration.....	295,000,000.00		295,000,000.00					295,000,000.00
Military and naval insurance, no year.....	23,000,000.00	2 454,636,246.86	477,636,246.86	1 47,766.34	473,161,562.06			4,474,684.80
Military and naval insurance, 1945 and prior years.....	19,794,000.00		19,794,000.00	19,787,303.43	19,787,303.43			6,696.57
Military and naval insurance, 1944 and prior years.....	21,458,000.00		21,458,000.00	19,813.77	10,351,669.24			11,103,330.76
Military and naval insurance, 1943 and prior years.....	12,821,000.00		12,821,000.00	1 129.25	12,809,971.20			11,028.80
Military and naval insurance, 1923-42 and prior years.....	1,781,165,104.45		1,781,165,104.45	1 3,149.64	1,706,310,822.58	74,854,217.93		63.94
National Service life insurance, appropriated fund, Veterans' Administration, 1943-44.....	250,000,000.00		250,000,000.00	1,349,767.15	6 103,778,930.23			146,221,069.77
National Service life insurance, appropriated fund, no year.....	1,447,770,000.00	1 13,245,728.13	1,434,524,271.87	1,116,198,616.39	6 1,134,494,546.08			300,029,725.79
Soldiers' and sailors' civil relief, Veterans' Administration (World War II).....	870,000.00	3.87	870,003.67	27,877.90	27,877.90			842,125.77
Military and naval family allowance.....	298,615,000.00		298,615,000.00	1 2,346.96	282,053,101.89	16,520,742.14		11,155.97
Marine and seamen's insurance.....	50,000,000.00	53,148,319.94	103,148,319.94		35,078,013.20	68,070,306.74		
Maintenance and expense, Bureau of Pensions, 1931.....	3 1,839,241.59		1,839,241.59		1,781,635.70	57,605.89		
Salaries and expenses, employees' retirement, 1931.....	110,000.00		110,000.00		109,343.30	656.70		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, 1931.....	4 1,269,181.23		1,269,181.23		1,098,739.42	170,441.81		
State and Territorial homes for disabled soldiers and sailors, 1931-33.....	1,728,317.03		1,728,317.03		1,693,116.19	35,200.84		
Penalty mail of the Veterans' Administration (Pub., 364).....	485,625.00		485,625.00	180,516.30	180,516.30			305,108.70
Miscellaneous.....	1,154,218.77		1,154,218.77	18,066.40	1,135,897.80	18,108.22		212.75
Trust funds, total.....	3,645,157,956.40	5,937,100,982.25	9,582,258,938.65	186,650,583.39	4,985,727,176.50	19,669,361.64	4,513,164,442.65	63,697,957.86
U. S. Government life insurance.....		1,994,149,068.86	1,994,149,068.86	32,273,258.28	665,306,236.99		1,324,529,076.63	4,313,755.24
National Service life insurance.....		3,399,594,608.66	3,399,594,608.66	136,846,767.35	178,261,733.21		3,187,149,653.75	34,183,221.70
Adjusted-service certificate fund.....	3,645,157,956.40	179,993,574.82	3,825,151,531.22	11,223,396.84	7 3,808,864,932.53			13,286,598.69

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 47.—Appropriations and other receipts versus disbursements to June 30, 1945—Continued

Purpose	Appropriations	Receipts other than appropriations	Total	Disbursements		Covered into Treasury	Investments and loans	Balance	
				Fiscal year	To date				
Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard allotments.....		\$320,526,075.00	\$320,526,075.00		\$300,845,410.06	\$19,669,278.12		\$11,386.82	
Vocational rehabilitation, special fund.....		78,144.50	78,144.50		78,060.98	83.52			
General post fund.....		3,482,869.32	3,482,869.32	\$96,462.50	1,949,685.38		\$1,485,712.27	47,471.67	
General post fund auxiliary account, Veterans' Administration.....		432,395.60	432,395.60	270,931.49	270,931.49			161,464.11	
Horatio Ward fund.....		21,742.33	21,742.33		21,742.33				
Funds due incompetent beneficiaries.....		3,519,019.39	3,519,019.39	185,223.06	\$ 1,596,496.07			1,922,523.32	
Personal funds of patients, Veterans' Administration.....		35,303,483.77	35,303,483.77	5,754,543.87	\$ 28,531,947.46			6,771,536.31	
Purpose:			Purpose—Continued.						
Civil Service retirement and disability fund, annuities and refunds to Aug. 31, 1934.....			<i>Disbursements</i> \$249,620,791.07	Disbursements by Bureau of Pensions: Army and Navy pensions 1790 to June 30, 1931.....			<i>Disbursements</i> \$8,169,801,911.88		
Canal Zone retirement and disability fund, annuities and refunds to Aug. 31, 1934.....			1,158,146.76	Maintenance and expenses.....			151,212,728.16		
				Total.....			8,321,014,640.04		
				Disbursements by National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, 1867 to June 30, 1931.....			287,169,004.24		

1 Credit.  
 2 Premiums refunded in amount of \$506,327.40 paid from fiscal year appropriations have not been deducted from this figure.  
 3 Available balance transferred from Interior Department.  
 4 Available balance June 30, 1931.  
 5 Decrease in appropriation of amount transferred to National Service life insurance fund by warrant to Aug. 31, 1942.  
 6 Amount transferred by voucher to National Service life insurance fund for payment of claims traceable to the extra hazards of military or naval service.

7 This amount represents payments made on adjusted-service certificates and amounts reimbursed to the U. S. Government life insurance fund on account of loans made from that fund on certificates under the provisions of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, and the Adjusted Compensation Payment Act, 1936. Outstanding direct loans and loans redeemed from banks amounting to \$5,694,424.56 are included in the total disbursements from the adjusted-service certificate fund.  
 8 Disbursed from July 1, 1935, to date.  
 9 Includes \$146,502.52 transferred to general post fund auxiliary account and \$1,339,209.75 investments.

TABLE 48.—Disbursements made by Veterans' Administration, former Veterans' Bureau, National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and Pension Bureau, for all wars and Regular Establishment, and annuities and refunds to civil employees under civil service and Canal Zone Retirement Acts

Fiscal year	Grand total (including civil-service and Canal Zone retirement)	Total disbursements for relief of veterans	Salaries and expenses <sup>2</sup>	Medical and hospital services	Maintenance and expenses for pensions	Veterans' Administration homes		
						Veterans' Administration homes	General post fund	Horatio Ward fund
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$29,254, 869, 683. 22	\$29,004, 090, 745. 39	\$1, 800, 769, 194. 99	\$426, 587, 865. 74	\$153, 103, 707. 16	\$251, 411, 623. 26	\$ 2, 220, 616. 87	\$21, 742. 33
1945.....	2, 271, 318, 333. 42	2, 271, 318, 333. 42	159, 378, 504. 93	.....	.....	.....	367, 393. 99	.....
1944.....	828, 391, 436. 33	828, 391, 436. 33	130, 979, 618. 44	.....	.....	.....	29, 155. 28	.....
1943.....	643, 406, 394. 64	643, 406, 394. 64	114, 662, 347. 69	.....	.....	.....	34, 156. 86	.....
1942.....	647, 333, 991. 90	647, 333, 991. 90	104, 696, 156. 19	.....	.....	.....	35, 906. 51	.....
1941.....	614, 357, 411. 24	614, 357, 411. 24	99, 544, 923. 28	.....	.....	.....	37, 903. 71	.....
1940.....	639, 126, 696. 89	639, 126, 696. 89	94, 456, 132. 45	.....	.....	.....	34, 727. 42	.....
1939.....	600, 221, 534. 14	600, 221, 534. 14	87, 913, 433. 68	.....	.....	.....	134, 132. 35	.....
1938.....	629, 829, 721. 73	629, 829, 721. 73	85, 880, 662. 85	.....	.....	.....	192, 438. 01	.....
1937.....	893, 994, 175. 08	893, 994, 175. 08	84, 745, 276. 77	.....	.....	.....	459, 424. 97	.....
1936.....	3, 839, 120, 426. 07	3, 839, 120, 426. 07	83, 132, 732. 96	.....	.....	.....	170, 525. 63	.....
1935.....	618, 522, 341. 50	609, 916, 432. 81	77, 809, 130. 79	.....	.....	.....	324, 142. 95	306. 55
1934.....	594, 022, 058. 08	545, 838, 321. 57	66, 338, 527. 82	.....	.....	.....	134, 432. 51	1, 599. 94
1933.....	868, 688, 479. 42	833, 499, 000. 44	89, 956, 627. 40	.....	.....	.....	52, 637. 62	2, 584. 60
1932.....	869, 099, 937. 38	841, 436, 894. 77	95, 866, 758. 66	.....	.....	.....	213, 639. 03	17, 251. 24
1931.....	783, 350, 332. 16	759, 367, 014. 75	46, 142, 002. 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1930.....	702, 149, 359. 82	684, 022, 860. 91	41, 739, 295. 59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1929.....	689, 351, 143. 11	673, 288, 573. 04	40, 059, 884. 49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1928.....	674, 623, 245. 22	659, 870, 785. 32	37, 949, 154. 33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1927.....	658, 357, 071. 76	644, 962, 428. 25	36, 481, 501. 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1926.....	663, 675, 796. 96	653, 493, 578. 72	42, 322, 943. 48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1925.....	629, 850, 682. 89	620, 822, 799. 63	45, 974, 519. 36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1924.....	663, 338, 597. 48	654, 786, 399. 74	45, 109, 755. 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1923.....	751, 375, 688. 44	743, 634, 695. 96	35, 754, 971. 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1922.....	751, 287, 807. 09	744, 896, 350. 16	8, 010, 052. 77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1921.....	667, 451, 947. 41	664, 538, 414. 82	10, 137, 269. 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1920.....	514, 979, 421. 29	514, 979, 421. 29	16, 627, 824. 12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1919.....	701, 064, 116. 29	701, 064, 116. 29	16, 270, 257. 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1918 and prior years.....	5, 846, 570, 866. 53	5, 846, 570, 866. 53	2, 828, 929. 49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48.—Disbursements made by Veterans' Administration, former Veterans' Bureau, National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and Pension Bureau, for all wars and Regular Establishment, and annuities and refunds to civil employees under civil service and Canal Zone Retirement Acts—Continued

Fiscal year	State and Territorial homes	Hospital and domiciliary facilities and services (construction)	National Industrial Recovery Administration Veterans' Administration 1933-39	Public Works Administration Act of 1938 (allotment to Veterans' Administration 1938-43)	Army and Navy pensions and military and naval compensation				
					Total pensions and compensation	Participants in yellow fever experiments	Total		War of the Revolution
							Living veterans	Deceased veterans	
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$38, 549, 236. 59	\$146, 379, 848. 65	\$3, 018, 704. 79	\$13, 198, 826. 79	\$16, 673, 179, 698. 06	\$226, 738. 76			\$70, 000, 000. 00
1945.....		15, 800, 635. 66			739, 591, 025. 59	9, 375. 00	\$554, 180, 684. 01	\$185, 400, 966. 58	
1944.....		4, 850, 857. 78			494, 941, 561. 39	10, 500. 00	368, 929, 066. 54	125, 001, 994. 85	
1943.....		2, 694, 330. 81		26 158. 49	442, 373, 819. 87	13, 500. 00	329, 574, 732. 85	112, 785, 587. 02	
1942.....		4, 002, 650. 93		42 502. 37	431, 298, 450. 93	14, 750. 00	320, 373, 509. 72	110, 910, 200. 21	
1941.....	3 *502. 34	3, 425, 168. 22		1, 115, 911. 65	433, 128, 952. 76	15, 000. 00	319, 887, 183. 46	113, 226, 769. 30	
1940.....		5, 978, 545. 60		7, 659, 254. 93	429, 153, 464. 56	15, 000. 00	314, 434, 413. 91	114, 704, 050. 65	
1939.....	3 *30. 00	6, 602, 668. 51	5. 00	4, 354, 999. 35	416, 718, 868. 36	15, 000. 00	307, 512, 130. 34	103, 191, 738. 02	
1938.....	3 *45. 66	9, 311, 252. 65	35, 607. 12		402, 783, 695. 97	15, 000. 00	301, 276, 117. 25	101, 491, 978. 72	
1937.....	3 *1, 071. 00	8, 872, 848. 73	90, 876. 63		396, 045, 927. 12	15, 875. 00	299, 659, 837. 31	95, 370, 214. 81	
1936.....	3 *907. 32	1, 933, 263. 04	1, 004, 575. 71		399, 009, 852. 78	17, 375. 00	299, 000, 808. 47	94, 991, 669. 31	
1935.....	3 *84. 34	1, 416, 735. 22	1, 486, 256. 15		374, 425, 539. 57	18, 370. 00	278, 006, 898. 15	95, 400, 271. 42	
1934.....	3 151, 844. 76	2, 769, 263. 77	401, 384. 18		321, 334, 530. 63	17, 743. 75	227, 797, 923. 21	93, 578, 863. 67	
1933.....		13, 517, 369. 43			505, 585, 092. 23	26, 750. 00	428, 456, 151. 69	124, 409, 746. 13	
1932.....		785, 946. 91			545, 800, 261. 68	23, 500. 00	361, 652, 558. 50	123, 736, 384. 42	
1931.....		589, 999. 80			488, 388, 942. 92		290, 474, 801. 10	127, 958, 007. 81	
1930.....		584, 728. 00			418, 432, 808. 91		287, 065, 745. 65	131, 754, 896. 41	
1929.....		584, 049. 33			418, 820, 642. 06		286, 640, 666. 14	124, 124, 672. 17	
1928.....		574, 930. 32			410, 755, 338. 31		277, 854, 011. 13	125, 775, 666. 43	
1927.....		573, 373. 69			403, 629, 677. 56		247, 259, 215. 27	125, 022, 272. 44	
1926.....		612, 100. 35			372, 281, 487. 71		223, 164, 174. 32	123, 583, 895. 22	
1925.....		644, 077. 33			346, 748, 069. 54		223, 395, 022. 00	122, 094, 147. 01	
1924.....		635, 182. 67			345, 489, 769. 01		255, 724, 424. 72	132, 882, 345. 08	
1923.....		727, 438. 96			388, 606, 769. 80		253, 423, 940. 08	123, 734, 185. 74	
1922.....		813, 351. 84			377, 158, 125. 82		253, 258, 718. 55	126, 767, 155. 55	
1921.....		863, 226. 07			300, 025, 874. 10		201, 186, 125. 16	115, 231, 904. 41	
1920.....		865, 449. 57			233, 460, 635. 35		132, 926, 906. 52	100, 533, 728. 53	
1919.....		839, 284. 44							
1918 and prior years.....	27, 898, 928. 03				5, 395, 702, 474. 96				70, 000, 000. 00

Fiscal year	Army and Navy pensions and military and naval compensation—Continued								
	War of 1812			Indian wars			War with Mexico		
	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans
Total to June 30, 1945	\$46,218,230.57	\$14,019,736.48	\$32,198,494.09	\$95,700,774.27	\$53,864,569.00	\$41,836,205.27	\$61,634,518.97	\$23,748,117.32	\$32,886,401.65
1945	240.00	-----	240.00	2,261,440.30	955,573.20	1,305,867.10	31,129.24	-----	31,129.24
1944	240.00	-----	240.00	2,229,221.29	994,654.96	1,234,566.33	39,048.33	-----	39,048.33
1943	240.00	-----	240.00	2,408,854.11	1,156,235.90	1,252,618.21	49,324.00	-----	49,324.00
1942	240.00	-----	240.00	2,663,535.27	1,332,595.20	1,330,940.07	54,966.34	-----	54,966.34
1941	240.00	-----	240.00	2,908,462.89	1,504,114.43	1,404,348.46	65,772.33	-----	65,772.33
1940	240.00	-----	240.00	3,177,954.84	1,694,482.65	1,483,472.19	84,613.33	-----	84,613.33
1939	190.00	-----	190.00	3,418,795.33	1,854,131.99	1,564,663.34	102,844.28	-----	102,844.28
1938	840.00	-----	840.00	3,517,221.29	1,889,161.99	1,628,059.30	116,687.99	-----	116,687.99
1937	840.00	-----	840.00	3,493,443.33	1,811,536.67	1,681,906.66	132,776.34	-----	132,776.34
1936	1,390.00	-----	1,390.00	3,749,528.00	2,019,230.01	1,730,297.99	154,135.42	-----	154,135.42
1935	2,681.00	-----	2,681.00	3,852,566.00	2,138,494.97	1,714,071.03	180,316.20	-----	180,316.20
1934	3,222.50	-----	3,222.50	3,716,047.17	2,178,191.07	1,537,856.10	198,558.20	-----	198,558.20
1933	3,906.67	-----	3,906.67	4,715,707.57	2,908,111.40	1,807,596.17	285,218.68	85.00	285,133.68
1932	4,000.00	-----	4,000.00	4,575,590.05	2,867,166.98	1,708,423.07	326,124.32	1,043.86	325,080.46
1931	5,391.00	-----	5,391.00	4,534,918.47	2,884,716.78	1,650,201.69	344,985.00	10.00	344,975.00
1930	5,703.34	-----	5,703.34	4,555,115.22	2,942,208.17	1,612,907.05	394,898.21	504.00	394,394.21
1929	7,201.67	-----	7,201.67	4,451,534.72	2,929,346.20	1,522,188.52	472,693.61	2,239.26	470,454.35
1928	8,903.34	-----	8,903.34	3,956,943.80	2,618,189.84	1,338,753.96	544,406.46	5,886.00	538,520.46
1927	9,805.66	-----	9,805.66	2,013,766.42	1,356,291.82	657,474.60	568,966.23	7,732.39	561,233.84
1926	7,400.00	-----	7,400.00	1,900,185.94	1,309,510.41	590,675.53	434,792.69	5,839.62	428,953.07
1925	9,392.00	-----	9,392.00	1,959,110.03	1,351,707.92	607,402.11	506,897.46	15,818.54	491,078.92
1924	13,383.00	-----	13,383.00	1,919,223.65	1,350,004.25	569,219.40	580,601.02	29,347.47	551,253.55
1923	18,010.00	-----	18,010.00	1,907,377.05	1,340,124.36	567,252.69	717,847.77	47,981.33	669,866.44
1922	19,957.00	-----	19,957.00	1,796,309.74	1,276,274.80	520,034.94	775,913.25	59,814.62	716,098.63
1921	24,160.21	-----	24,160.21	1,565,862.41	1,094,925.24	470,937.17	888,024.64	74,546.06	813,478.58
1920	21,145.03	-----	21,145.03	1,746,308.97	1,209,715.83	536,593.14	676,682.58	62,665.46	614,017.12
1919	17,704.33	-----	17,704.33	1,561,537.49	1,191,146.37	370,391.12	758,156.19	88,499.09	669,657.10
1918 and prior years	46,031,563.82	14,019,736.48	32,011,827.34	15,144,212.92	5,706,725.59	9,437,487.33	52,148,138.86	23,339,898.58	23,808,240.28

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48.—Disbursements made by Veterans' Administration, former Veterans' Bureau, National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and Pension Bureau, for all wars and Regular Establishment, and annuities and refunds to civil employees under civil service and Canal Zone Retirement Acts—Continued

Fiscal year	Army and Navy pensions and military and naval compensation—Continued					
	Civil War			War with Spain		
	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans
Total to June 30, 1945 .....	\$8, 119, 393, 971. 49			\$2, 183, 476, 258. 66	\$1, 815, 439, 314. 52	\$368, 036, 944. 14
1945 .....	11, 873, 097. 83	\$328, 846. 77	\$11, 544, 251. 06	142, 797, 472. 04	111, 313, 837. 15	31, 483, 634. 89
1944 .....	13, 895, 224. 39	546, 898. 88	13, 348, 325. 51	125, 055, 898. 69	100, 595, 494. 34	24, 460, 404. 35
1943 .....	16, 553, 415. 09	870, 564. 63	15, 682, 850. 46	122, 988, 548. 48	99, 477, 260. 43	23, 581, 288. 05
1942 .....	19, 525, 453. 16	1, 340, 514. 75	18, 184, 938. 41	125, 674, 152. 90	102, 692, 905. 36	22, 981, 247. 54
1941 .....	23, 173, 466. 95	2, 049, 976. 78	21, 123, 490. 17	127, 357, 083. 20	105, 273, 998. 31	22, 083, 084. 89
1940 .....	27, 790, 282. 93	3, 158, 998. 10	24, 631, 284. 83	127, 427, 375. 83	106, 203, 201. 30	21, 224, 174. 53
1939 .....	33, 178, 751. 64	4, 622, 304. 21	28, 556, 447. 43	125, 297, 729. 98	105, 065, 718. 76	20, 232, 011. 22
1938 .....	39, 233, 134. 65	6, 448, 253. 46	32, 784, 881. 19	118, 183, 018. 33	98, 850, 424. 84	19, 332, 593. 49
1937 .....	46, 595, 957. 96	8, 967, 519. 20	37, 628, 438. 76	114, 924, 124. 83	96, 618, 456. 10	18, 305, 668. 73
1936 .....	55, 636, 809. 27	12, 298, 487. 29	43, 338, 321. 98	108, 584, 105. 11	91, 872, 486. 05	16, 711, 619. 06
1935 .....	63, 529, 582. 72	16, 144, 255. 36	47, 385, 327. 36	77, 753, 295. 20	66, 252, 826. 14	11, 500, 469. 06
1934 .....	69, 814, 723. 13	20, 051, 397. 35	49, 763, 325. 78	55, 614, 111. 88	47, 933, 272. 10	7, 680, 839. 78
1933 .....	98, 272, 576. 43	31, 300, 417. 78	66, 972, 158. 65	125, 305, 652. 48	109, 016, 660. 00	16, 288, 992. 48
1932 .....	107, 865, 760. 88	37, 958, 493. 14	69, 907, 267. 74	113, 758, 457. 43	99, 118, 249. 74	14, 640, 207. 69
1931 .....	121, 993, 750. 46	45, 952, 130. 16	76, 041, 620. 30	102, 256, 479. 96	88, 997, 801. 76	13, 258, 678. 20
1930 .....	125, 784, 933. 43	46, 086, 774. 40	79, 698, 159. 03	83, 750, 721. 24	71, 369, 072. 55	12, 381, 648. 69
1929 .....	143, 594, 291. 68	57, 119, 891. 76	86, 474, 399. 92	76, 845, 704. 28	65, 461, 824. 31	11, 383, 879. 97
1928 .....	149, 668, 976. 19	69, 710, 306. 28	79, 958, 669. 91	70, 674, 419. 27	60, 058, 722. 71	10, 615, 696. 56
1927 .....	166, 493, 208. 58	81, 665, 502. 37	84, 827, 706. 21	57, 232, 828. 30	47, 716, 422. 69	9, 516, 405. 61
1926 .....	171, 605, 623. 27	85, 735, 598. 99	85, 870, 024. 28	30, 223, 218. 67	24, 233, 115. 04	5, 990, 103. 63
1925 .....	186, 208, 394. 36	95, 455, 326. 21	90, 753, 068. 15	25, 098, 500. 89	19, 728, 876. 36	5, 369, 624. 53
1924 .....	202, 999, 955. 16	107, 377, 798. 96	95, 622, 156. 20	21, 139, 863. 45	16, 118, 296. 53	5, 021, 566. 92
1923 .....	238, 924, 931. 94	130, 616, 234. 36	108, 308, 697. 58	17, 886, 821. 28	14, 083, 576. 36	3, 803, 254. 28
1922 .....	236, 151, 244. 32	133, 105, 620. 62	103, 045, 623. 70	11, 639, 340. 73	9, 698, 181. 14	1, 941, 159. 59
1921 .....	246, 584, 639. 64	141, 413, 236. 45	105, 171, 403. 19	6, 171, 569. 82	4, 424, 397. 09	1, 747, 172. 73
1920 .....	202, 586, 306. 04	112, 335, 359. 85	90, 250, 946. 19	4, 624, 098. 68	3, 023, 119. 18	1, 600, 979. 50
1919 .....	212, 211, 890. 76	119, 463, 920. 53	92, 747, 970. 23	3, 878, 189. 13	3, 008, 785. 41	869, 403. 72
1918 and prior years .....	5, 087, 647, 618. 63			61, 333, 476. 58	47, 252, 342. 13	14, 081, 134. 45

Army and Navy pensions and military and naval compensation—Continued

Fiscal year	Regular Establishment			Unclassified	World War I				
	Total	Living veterans	Deceased veterans		Total World War I	Living veterans			
						Total	Service-connected disability compensation	Emergency officers' retirement pay	Disability allowance or non-service pension
Total to June 30, 1945.....	\$294,556,321.87	\$225,750,934.10	\$68,805,387.77	\$16,513,425.54	\$5,470,958,506.80	\$4,453,733,905.88	\$3,894,978,325.26	\$90,012,531.56	\$468,743,049.06
1945.....	24,899,762.34	18,737,740.79	6,162,021.55	-----	312,244,322.31	237,495,504.53	180,349,901.86	4,084,049.12	53,061,553.55
1944.....	23,206,833.51	16,902,171.97	6,304,661.54	-----	268,269,469.44	204,665,803.28	162,466,628.74	4,202,834.33	37,996,340.21
1943.....	22,812,363.79	17,162,826.52	5,649,537.27	-----	270,956,692.75	208,107,227.65	165,865,297.31	4,362,639.47	37,879,200.87
1942.....	19,293,923.49	15,623,585.08	3,670,338.41	-----	263,870,650.55	199,371,996.01	168,362,812.92	4,405,889.98	26,603,293.11
1941.....	17,669,292.84	14,382,840.09	3,284,452.75	-----	261,939,634.55	196,676,253.85	169,142,735.47	4,114,971.80	23,418,546.58
1940.....	15,811,766.25	12,728,872.47	3,082,893.78	-----	254,846,261.38	190,648,859.39	168,387,894.83	2,936,259.11	19,324,715.45
1939.....	11,839,642.30	8,929,468.26	2,910,178.04	-----	242,885,913.83	187,040,507.12	166,948,863.01	2,991,326.30	17,100,317.81
1938.....	11,514,617.36	8,868,785.83	2,645,831.53	-----	230,203,176.35	185,220,091.13	166,875,363.36	3,117,229.96	15,227,497.81
1937.....	11,414,103.92	8,947,027.17	2,467,076.75	-----	219,468,805.74	183,315,298.17	166,417,519.36	3,138,955.75	13,768,823.06
1936.....	9,710,465.11	7,434,834.45	2,275,630.66	-----	221,156,044.87	185,375,770.67	169,382,036.92	3,283,359.64	12,710,374.11
1935.....	9,237,599.82	7,341,495.86	1,896,103.96	-----	219,851,128.63	186,129,825.82	171,877,328.10	2,709,127.88	11,543,369.84
1934.....	7,832,600.47	6,223,411.08	1,609,189.39	-----	184,197,523.53	151,411,651.61	139,445,822.97	2,181,249.52	9,784,579.12
1933.....	6,400,478.06	5,241,451.38	1,159,026.68	-----	315,575,802.34	279,969,426.13	184,833,898.69	9,968,980.32	85,186,547.12
1932.....	5,966,519.43	4,860,875.59	1,105,643.84	-----	313,280,309.57	276,561,136.24	189,549,809.30	11,553,143.57	75,458,233.37
1931.....	5,289,558.41	4,279,663.04	989,895.37	-----	253,993,859.62	222,538,236.76	181,911,075.67	10,937,594.04	29,689,567.05
1930.....	4,696,831.38	3,802,089.76	894,741.62	-----	199,244,606.09	166,274,152.22	155,044,890.21	11,229,263.01	-----
1929.....	4,502,678.52	3,655,087.62	847,588.90	-----	185,946,539.58	157,897,336.50	153,101,697.74	4,795,608.76	-----
1928.....	4,095,763.23	3,255,566.50	840,196.73	-----	181,815,928.02	150,991,994.81	150,991,994.81	-----	-----
1927.....	3,818,070.22	2,958,571.78	850,498.44	-----	173,498,032.15	144,149,490.08	144,149,490.08	-----	-----
1926.....	3,655,796.32	2,713,805.36	941,993.96	-----	164,464,467.62	133,255,139.81	133,255,139.81	-----	-----
1925.....	3,350,284.66	2,471,160.57	879,115.09	-----	129,615,490.14	104,141,275.72	104,141,275.72	-----	-----
1924.....	3,321,179.22	2,417,027.52	904,151.70	-----	115,515,563.51	96,103,147.27	96,103,147.27	-----	-----
1923.....	3,532,595.71	2,569,043.11	963,552.60	-----	126,619,186.05	107,067,474.56	107,067,474.56	-----	-----
1922.....	3,401,172.47	2,485,436.80	915,735.67	-----	123,374,188.31	106,798,612.10	106,798,612.10	-----	-----
1921.....	3,456,191.45	2,501,908.01	954,383.44	4,978.13	121,330,447.80	103,744,827.57	103,744,827.57	-----	-----
1920.....	3,604,036.60	2,522,774.08	1,081,264.52	-----	103,139,449.67	82,032,490.76	82,032,490.76	-----	-----
1919.....	3,701,782.83	2,619,732.40	1,082,050.43	-----	11,331,374.62	6,554,822.72	6,554,822.72	-----	-----
1918 and prior years.....	46,540,406.16	34,113,772.01	12,426,636.15	16,508,447.41	348,608.58	175,483.40	175,483.40	-----	-----







Fiscal year	Vocational training World War I	Allotments and allowances	Marine and seamen's insurance	Funds due incompetent beneficiaries	Personal funds of patients, Veterans' Administration	Penalty mail costs, Veterans' Administration	Miscellaneous	Civil-service retirement and disability fund to Aug. 31, 1934	Canal Zone retirement and disability fund to Aug. 31, 1934
Total to June 30, 1945...	\$644,865,999.71	\$582,928,511.95	\$35,078,013.20	\$1,596,496.07	\$28,531,947.46	\$180,516.30	<sup>10</sup> \$1,275,819.16	\$249,620,791.07	\$1,158,146.76
1945	*363.94	*2,346.96		185,223.06	5,754,543.87	180,516.30	18,066.40		
1944	*4,737.51	*3,998.78		153,847.27	4,347,720.96		7,849.79		
1943	*3,452.55	*2,641.23		89,187.24	3,078,508.21		140,072.21		
1942	*3,641.63	*2,217.06		124,148.39	2,702,885.67		25,885.59		
1941	*3,646.83	*1,365.18		350,275.79	2,465,841.86		16,310.07		
1940	*2,916.26	*504.91		128,332.07	2,226,274.56		165,714.03		
1939	*1,657.18	*335.50		135,758.00	2,031,166.42		21,111.43		
1938	*1,084.69	*1,309.11		117,846.38	2,123,823.93		40,111.61		
1937	*9,022.38	*1,226.34		143,409.79	1,987,069.51		13,112.89		
1936	*6,267.25	*633.58		168,468.08	1,814,112.47		12,712.22		
1935	*9,192.36	*695.44					15,507.22	8,519,553.38	86,355.31
1934	*7,247.29	2,998.70	94.51				2,690.45	47,656,099.54	527,036.97
1933	*16,825.80	7,798.77					492,644.71	34,837,692.05	351,786.93
1932	*17,109.11	8,732.62					4,818.00	27,470,075.06	192,967.55
1931	*21,747.50	5,070.03	1,600.00				101,716.55	23,992,317.41	
1930	*20,224.67	2,366.34					65,500.80	18,126,498.91	
1929	*2,923.87	*8,707.41	1,500.00				60,969.35	16,062,570.07	
1928	233,724.49	*60,952.21					4,477.81	14,752,459.90	
1927	2,206,256.01	*187,637.52					21,341.53	13,394,643.51	
1926	25,840,481.60	*21,200.66	*33,583.69				12,153.00	10,182,218.24	
1925	60,486,084.93	10,045.26	1,500.00				13,535.10	9,027,883.26	
1924	106,961,887.06	13,082.95	4,100.00				*251.16	8,552,197.74	
1923	149,499,849.53	*273,582.36	9,525.50				19,766.56	7,740,992.48	
1922	166,051,141.22	4,982,113.22	249,075.78					6,391,456.93	
1921	99,064,993.21	23,774,032.06	56,911.56					2,913,532.59	
1920	34,651,973.53	53,568,637.08	514,881.79						
1919		392,882,494.33	7,706,896.37						
1918 and prior years		108,240,494.84	26,565,511.38						

<sup>1</sup> Includes revolving fund loans outstanding June 30, 1945, \$1,668.95.

<sup>2</sup> Salaries and expenses include increase of compensation, printing and binding, administrative expenses, adjusted compensation, administrative expenses, Adjusted Compensation Payment Act, 1936, and Emergency Fund for the President (allot. to V. A.) 1942-45. Medical, hospital, and domiciliary services are included from June 30, 1931, to date and State and Territorial homes for the fiscal years 1934-45.

<sup>3</sup> Disbursed from appropriations for previous years.

<sup>4</sup> Includes construction.

<sup>5</sup> Disbursements from general post fund from June 30, 1931, to date; amounts for fiscal year 1945 and to date include \$270,931.49 from general post auxiliary account, Veterans' Administration.

<sup>6</sup> Includes unclassified \$4,978.13.

<sup>7</sup> Disbursements for retired Reserve officers were included in Regular Establishment, living veterans, prior to fiscal year 1943.

<sup>8</sup> Amount transferred by voucher to national service life insurance fund for payment of claims traceable to the extra hazards of military or naval service.

<sup>9</sup> This amount represents payments made on adjusted-service certificates and amounts reimbursed to the U. S. Government life insurance fund on account of loans made from that fund on certificates under the provisions of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, and the Adjusted Compensation Payment Act, 1936. Disbursements include amounts for repayment of loans due to a change in the method of reporting, as of July 1, 1941, to conform to Executive Order No. 8512, and Regulation No. 1 issued pursuant thereto. Actual disbursements for the fiscal year 1942 amounted to \$1,659,220.95.

<sup>10</sup> Includes \$139,921.36 Emergency Relief (transfers from W. P. A.) 1941-43.

\*Credit.

NOTE.—The total amount disbursed from insurance premiums, allotments deducted from pay of World War I veterans while in service, etc., \$1,666,576,504.03.

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945

State	Number of veterans or deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pension benefits, including compensation and certain retirement pay, on June 30, 1945, and disbursements for these benefits during the fiscal year 1945											
	World War II											
	Living veterans										Deceased veterans	
	Service-connected		Vocational rehabilitation		Non-service-connected		Reserve officers		Total living veterans		Service-connected	
Number	Amount	Number in training <sup>1</sup>	Increased payments on account of vocational training	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Alabama.....	11,569	\$3,633,197	274	\$128,834	8	\$1,694	108	\$123,236	11,685	\$3,886,961	2,186	\$1,379,741
Arizona.....	2,955	994,437	104	48,900	8	3,192	57	56,648	3,020	1,103,177	427	273,191
Arkansas.....	7,108	2,394,022	217	102,032	16	5,635	96	117,529	7,220	2,619,218	1,483	931,871
California.....	36,118	11,331,744	1,153	542,135	40	14,088	712	844,338	36,870	12,732,305	5,914	4,286,876
Colorado.....	4,617	1,490,137	167	78,523	9	2,889	155	177,347	4,781	1,748,896	866	574,659
Connecticut.....	8,731	2,813,863	385	181,025	7	1,623	128	136,359	8,866	3,132,870	996	609,751
Delaware.....	939	270,176	18	8,464			19	25,045	958	303,685	153	95,667
District of Columbia.....	4,503	1,492,304	216	101,562	1	446	116	152,479	4,620	1,746,791	620	455,631
Florida.....	8,749	2,935,941	344	161,747	11	3,121	234	274,243	8,994	3,375,052	1,516	1,035,376
Georgia.....	11,952	3,829,706	256	120,370	13	2,051	172	216,395	12,137	4,168,522	2,488	1,594,845
Idaho.....	1,996	655,929	74	34,794	2		38	43,401	2,036	735,016	315	206,354
Illinois.....	31,960	9,264,123	557	261,899	52	11,199	542	574,246	32,554	10,111,467	4,706	2,861,402
Indiana.....	11,005	3,389,318	240	112,847	15	3,691	196	213,509	11,216	3,719,365	2,253	1,387,297
Iowa.....	8,217	2,805,283	273	128,363	4	1,409	134	140,404	8,355	3,075,459	1,578	1,022,750
Kansas.....	5,397	1,810,583	217	102,032	11	2,657	120	130,102	5,528	2,045,374	1,297	825,000
Kentucky.....	12,012	3,931,793	118	55,483	9	2,140	134	142,373	12,155	4,131,789	2,676	1,608,340
Louisiana.....	8,404	2,858,096	258	121,310	14	3,995	124	143,491	8,542	3,126,892	1,678	1,109,378
Maine.....	3,386	1,050,425	75	85,265	5	731	57	68,475	3,448	1,204,896	563	355,380
Maryland.....	7,017	2,377,596	225	105,794	6	1,926	123	143,248	7,146	2,628,564	1,225	787,003
Massachusetts.....	20,089	6,501,501	788	370,984	8	1,320	327	384,090	20,424	7,257,895	3,079	1,959,818
Michigan.....	20,894	5,816,263	367	172,562	4	660	303	333,173	21,201	6,322,658	3,165	1,934,958
Minnesota.....	10,785	3,717,386	510	239,800	21	6,741	181	199,819	10,987	4,163,746	1,704	1,110,477
Mississippi.....	7,837	2,614,536	228	107,205	12	3,103	101	123,325	7,950	2,848,169	1,558	1,000,982
Missouri.....	13,954	4,280,427	446	209,707	4	1,783	196	230,552	14,154	4,722,469	2,699	1,679,948

Montana.....	1, 687	568, 923	109	51, 251	9	4, 012	31	32, 088	1, 727	656, 274	307	203, 126
Nebraska.....	3, 782	1, 150, 220	115	54, 072	2	892	94	102, 857	3, 878	1, 308, 041	773	490, 161
Nevada.....	495	140, 546	7	3, 291			10	14, 021	505	157, 858	58	40, 928
New Hampshire.....	1, 828	605, 052	92	43, 258			37	49, 462	1, 865	697, 772	365	236, 846
New Jersey.....	17, 480	4, 982, 700	310	145, 761	6	803	324	338, 218	17, 810	5, 467, 482	2, 559	1, 540, 259
New Mexico.....	2, 088	775, 347	69	32, 444	7	2, 372	43	49, 297	2, 138	860, 460	576	362, 443
New York.....	64, 287	18, 394, 082	1, 419	667, 207	85	20, 294	1, 052	1, 103, 149	65, 424	20, 189, 732	8, 265	5, 110, 309
North Carolina.....	11, 973	4, 025, 689	245	114, 198	9	2, 889	139	150, 138	12, 121	4, 293, 914	2, 759	1, 751, 905
North Dakota.....	1, 729	583, 026	92	43, 258	1	446	43	43, 741	1, 773	675, 471	354	220, 676
Ohio.....	28, 719	9, 194, 006	881	414, 242	16	5, 261	450	498, 781	29, 185	10, 102, 290	4, 503	2, 796, 508
Oklahoma.....	8, 286	2, 795, 169	174	31, 814	4	1, 783	141	161, 510	8, 431	2, 990, 276	1, 919	1, 250, 864
Oregon.....	5, 355	1, 700, 104	249	117, 079	10	2, 960	115	135, 271	5, 480	1, 955, 414	687	465, 309
Pennsylvania.....	36, 064	10, 927, 879	1, 163	546, 837	29	8, 319	520	548, 853	36, 613	12, 031, 888	6, 640	3, 953, 400
Rhode Island.....	3, 657	1, 118, 099	94	44, 198	4	1, 783	45	51, 526	3, 706	1, 215, 606	568	345, 727
South Carolina.....	5, 507	1, 665, 236	138	64, 887	5	1, 373	135	164, 526	5, 647	1, 894, 022	1, 525	957, 311
South Dakota.....	1, 437	479, 235	39	18, 338	2	892	31	34, 524	1, 470	532, 989	381	241, 251
Tennessee.....	13, 533	4, 174, 401	302	141, 999	12	4, 226	124	141, 669	13, 669	4, 462, 295	2, 536	1, 517, 980
Texas.....	27, 599	9, 269, 165	609	286, 349	22	6, 259	545	634, 584	28, 166	10, 196, 357	6, 174	4, 130, 387
Utah.....	2, 308	849, 701	151	71, 000	1	446	51	65, 519	2, 360	984, 666	403	264, 033
Vermont.....	1, 097	391, 646	54	25, 391	2	517	31	35, 120	1, 130	455, 674	261	174, 261
Virginia.....	9, 087	2, 844, 469	213	100, 152	11	3, 781	178	210, 026	9, 276	3, 158, 428	2, 122	1, 386, 190
Washington.....	7, 451	2, 293, 914	214	100, 622	9	1, 765	173	200, 765	7, 636	2, 597, 066	1, 096	778, 977
West Virginia.....	7, 034	2, 282, 535	177	83, 225	3	963	92	101, 036	7, 129	2, 467, 759	1, 608	964, 578
Wisconsin.....	10, 337	3, 317, 097	498	234, 157	13	3, 379	201	228, 968	10, 551	3, 783, 601	2, 069	1, 300, 380
Wyoming.....	939	314, 315	20	9, 404	1	446	21	23, 010	961	347, 175	127	83, 305
Total, United States.....	533, 953	167, 090, 342	14, 945	7, 027, 071	543	152, 847	9, 002	10, 123, 486	543, 498	184, 393, 746	93, 840	59, 653, 809
United States possessions.....	2, 370	816, 660	41	19, 278								
Foreign countries.....	218	68, 338					32	43, 011	2, 402	878, 949	321	224, 432
							8	8, 149	226	76, 487	302	180, 345
Grand total.....	536, 541	167, 975, 340	14, 986	7, 046, 349	543	152, 847	9, 042	10, 174, 646	546, 126	185, 349, 182	94, 463	60, 058, 586

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945—Continued

State	Number of veterans or deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pension benefits, including compensation and certain retirement pay, on June 30, 1945, and disbursements for these benefits during the fiscal year 1945—Continued											
	World War II—Continued				World War I							
	Deceased veterans—Continued				Living veterans							
	Non-service-connected		Total deceased veterans		Service-connected <sup>2</sup>		Non-service-connected		Emergency officers' retirement pay <sup>3</sup>		Total living veterans	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama.....	3	\$1,218	2,189	\$1,380,959	6,937	\$3,380,593	2,408	\$1,445,970	43	\$73,943	9,388	\$4,900,506
Arizona.....			427	273,191	2,761	2,107,510	921	515,784	29	44,535	3,711	2,667,829
Arkansas.....	3	1,121	1,486	932,992	5,966	3,189,873	2,212	1,383,566	41	71,352	8,219	4,644,791
California.....	8	2,826	5,922	4,289,732	27,637	16,598,548	6,414	3,731,627	359	586,818	34,410	20,916,993
Colorado.....	3	1,120	869	575,779	4,382	3,036,869	1,135	657,020	63	106,263	5,580	3,800,152
Connecticut.....	1	438	997	610,139	4,745	2,684,996	738	432,938	30	46,959	5,513	3,164,893
Delaware.....			153	95,637	332	182,677	72	42,617	5	7,964	409	233,258
District of Columbia.....	3	1,413	623	457,044	3,441	1,920,339	816	484,595	63	108,586	4,320	2,513,520
Florida.....	2	926	1,518	1,036,302	5,681	3,512,654	2,090	1,266,165	105	179,639	7,876	4,958,458
Georgia.....	6	2,387	2,494	1,597,232	6,696	3,739,641	2,162	1,332,140	72	116,293	8,930	5,188,074
Idaho.....	2	614	317	206,938	1,141	612,982	354	199,717	4	7,325	1,499	820,004
Illinois.....	5	1,539	4,711	2,862,971	15,725	7,759,755	4,911	2,693,696	131	209,052	20,767	10,662,503
Indiana.....	5	2,114	2,258	1,389,411	9,088	4,555,564	1,711	1,007,992	43	72,402	10,842	5,635,958
Iowa.....	4	1,900	1,582	1,024,650	5,008	2,652,493	1,982	1,168,684	12	22,005	7,002	3,843,182
Kansas.....	1	438	1,298	825,438	3,792	1,936,762	1,451	888,614	31	52,953	5,274	2,878,329
Kentucky.....	4	1,588	2,680	1,609,928	9,743	4,868,480	1,854	1,124,063	32	52,391	11,629	6,044,934
Louisiana.....	4	1,705	1,682	1,111,033	4,659	2,549,887	1,803	1,130,901	22	38,285	6,484	3,719,073
Maine.....	3	1,169	566	356,549	1,871	1,036,080	623	367,585	12	19,820	2,506	1,423,485
Maryland.....	2	926	1,227	787,929	4,361	2,710,270	1,123	643,627	46	73,465	5,530	3,427,362
Massachusetts.....	2	926	3,081	1,960,744	14,912	8,291,216	2,996	1,708,931	113	190,689	18,021	10,190,836
Michigan.....	4	1,539	3,169	1,936,517	10,394	5,094,006	2,016	1,111,207	56	95,338	12,466	6,300,551
Minnesota.....	2	974	1,766	1,111,451	9,892	5,878,169	2,250	1,298,478	45	75,154	12,817	7,251,801
Mississippi.....	5	1,880	1,563	1,002,832	7,957	4,140,815	1,459	867,940	15	24,136	9,431	5,032,891
Missouri.....	1	487	2,700	1,680,435	10,974	5,552,082	2,660	1,606,728	64	103,463	13,698	7,262,273
Montana.....			307	203,126	1,833	1,026,348	329	187,324	9	15,322	2,191	1,229,504
Nebraska.....	3	955	776	491,116	2,503	1,226,540	872	535,108	11	16,190	3,386	1,777,838
Nevada.....			58	40,928	525	279,617	112	67,979	3	4,322	641	351,918
New Hampshire.....	3	1,237	368	238,113	1,209	688,140	296	187,721	11	17,856	1,516	893,717

New Jersey	1	341	2,580	1,540,800	7,015	3,788,003	1,732	985,255	63	104,842	8,810	4,878,700
New Mexico	3	1,267	579	363,710	1,932	1,263,863	549	334,101	8	13,623	2,489	1,611,587
New York	10	4,238	8,275	5,114,947	24,226	12,780,104	8,223	4,515,637	206	332,682	32,655	17,628,423
North Carolina	2	760	2,761	1,732,865	5,083	3,070,748	2,002	1,248,778	46	76,772	7,131	4,386,298
North Dakota			354	220,576	1,361	758,231	352	228,023	1	1,266	1,744	987,520
Ohio	9	3,751	4,512	2,800,259	19,637	10,075,005	4,628	2,605,573	101	168,057	24,366	12,848,635
Oklahoma	6	2,241	1,925	1,253,105	6,565	3,229,320	1,696	1,059,682	22	33,668	8,226	4,322,660
Oregon	1	487	688	465,796	4,037	2,282,024	1,062	605,897	36	61,674	5,135	2,950,595
Pennsylvania	12	4,521	6,652	3,957,921	20,919	11,061,996	4,907	2,979,824	143	220,257	25,969	14,262,677
Rhode Island			568	345,727	1,753	918,885	411	250,316	10	16,513	2,174	1,185,714
South Carolina	2	1,120	1,527	958,431	3,860	1,923,410	1,445	918,370	39	67,800	5,344	2,907,610
South Dakota			381	241,251	1,647	834,307	568	325,319	4	6,268	2,219	1,165,894
Tennessee	4	1,754	2,540	1,519,734	7,463	4,203,364	1,907	1,171,488	41	69,238	9,411	5,444,060
Texas	18	7,161	6,192	4,137,548	15,093	8,220,449	4,483	2,785,318	114	183,424	19,690	11,189,191
Utah	1	438	404	264,471	1,330	725,608	253	149,462	2	3,283	1,585	878,353
Vermont	1	341	262	174,902	996	570,100	274	161,929	5	9,211	1,275	741,240
Virginia	6	2,533	2,128	1,388,723	5,036	2,628,968	1,601	874,329	59	93,665	6,696	3,586,862
Washington	2	926	1,098	779,903	5,128	2,801,563	1,232	679,783	34	51,758	6,394	3,538,044
West Virginia	5	2,144	1,613	966,722	3,473	1,734,518	1,048	651,742	19	34,285	4,540	2,420,540
Wisconsin	1	438	2,070	1,300,818	8,424	4,142,957	2,251	1,228,348	48	83,178	10,720	5,454,478
Wyoming			127	83,305	762	407,859	310	143,967	3	4,633	1,075	556,459
Total, United States	163	65,981	94,003	59,719,790	329,863	178,634,733	88,737	51,990,853	2,474	4,069,017	421,074	234,694,603
United States possessions	1	438	322	224,870	913	617,493	1,467	889,533	3	4,155	2,383	1,511,181
Foreign countries			302	180,345	1,852	1,097,676	273	181,167	7	10,877	2,132	1,289,720
Grand total	164	66,419	94,627	60,125,005	332,628	180,349,902	90,477	53,061,553	2,484	4,084,049	425,589	237,493,504

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945—Continued

State	Number of veterans or deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pension benefits, including compensation and certain retirement pay on June 30, 1945, and disbursements for these benefits during the fiscal year 1945—Continued													
	World War I—Continued						War of 1812		Mexican War		Indian Wars			
	Deceased veterans						Deceased veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans	
	Service-connected		Non-service-connected		Total deceased veterans									
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama.....	1,820	\$1,073,916	1,897	\$610,773	3,717	\$1,684,689			4	\$2,266	3	\$2,209	7	\$3,158
Arizona.....	501	316,857	334	103,454	835	420,311					74	66,467	106	49,818
Arkansas.....	1,316	814,189	1,529	488,253	2,845	1,302,442			1	567	2	1,161	19	9,312
California.....	5,199	3,116,463	3,676	1,176,638	8,875	4,293,101			7	3,286	174	156,105	366	176,513
Colorado.....	961	585,588	882	264,498	1,843	850,086					20	16,102	35	19,255
Connecticut.....	944	552,431	947	307,393	1,891	859,824					4	4,147	16	7,864
Delaware.....	115	72,570	71	23,018	186	95,588			1	567	2	1,120	1	495
District of Columbia.....	752	447,415	893	259,382	1,645	706,797					19	16,525	68	33,510
Florida.....	1,430	841,581	1,484	459,180	2,914	1,300,761			1	850	22	18,438	37	17,894
Georgia.....	2,055	1,229,567	2,099	669,835	4,144	1,899,402			1	850	6	14,002	17	8,582
Idaho.....	252	144,592	208	77,133	460	221,725					11	8,528	31	14,736
Illinois.....	3,835	2,342,749	3,898	1,230,421	7,733	3,573,170			3	1,269	45	45,700	86	42,401
Indiana.....	2,029	1,216,723	2,032	645,126	4,061	1,861,849					81	25,053	60	27,887
Iowa.....	1,437	825,626	890	294,705	2,327	1,120,331			1	567	27	20,735	30	15,255
Kansas.....	1,199	698,931	1,159	349,021	2,358	1,047,952			1	340	33	26,669	90	43,974
Kentucky.....	2,148	1,295,403	2,597	829,030	4,745	2,124,433			3	1,700	15	13,540	41	18,20
Louisiana.....	1,798	1,078,888	1,628	489,399	3,426	1,568,287			1	850	4	3,453	11	5,994
Maine.....	571	339,405	686	206,236	1,257	545,641					4	3,629	4	1,961
Maryland.....	1,110	655,539	1,156	359,187	2,266	1,014,726					20	18,469	59	28,358
Massachusetts.....	3,048	1,834,394	2,456	859,425	5,504	2,693,819					22	18,412	81	40,593
Michigan.....	2,319	1,347,730	1,544	534,076	3,863	1,881,806			1	567	25	21,013	65	32,321
Minnesota.....	1,929	1,137,896	2,721	813,293	4,650	1,951,189					35	30,595	41	20,618
Mississippi.....	1,462	912,307	1,313	431,228	2,775	1,343,535			1	567			5	2,167
Missouri.....	2,758	1,606,990	3,038	934,036	5,796	2,541,026			4	2,550	26	21,764	68	31,887
Montana.....	268	152,313	357	112,093	625	264,406					42	39,034	50	24,148
Nebraska.....	681	397,457	603	188,614	1,284	586,071					20	16,329	40	20,012

Nevada.....	35	20,284	43	14,822	78	35,106				1	726	3	1,300	
New Hampshire.....	357	206,285	466	140,645	823	346,930				3	2,689	9	4,272	
New Jersey.....	2,061	1,173,102	2,547	776,163	4,548	1,949,265			1	567	16	14,486	64	
New Mexico.....	395	236,391	379	127,509	774	363,900				28	21,676	64	31,082	
New York.....	6,442	3,849,515	5,784	1,896,206	12,226	5,745,721			2	567	50	42,361	135	
North Carolina.....	1,786	1,075,322	2,852	867,621	4,638	1,942,943			1	1,133	4	3,655	4	
North Dakota.....	288	167,596	507	159,243	795	326,839				6	3,964	13	7,244	
Ohio.....	3,899	2,289,763	4,112	1,310,676	8,011	3,600,439			2	906	38	32,103	100	
Oklahoma.....	1,510	881,478	1,371	446,777	2,881	1,328,255			1	566	19	16,910	67	
Oregon.....	770	444,742	886	256,860	1,656	701,602	1	240	1	566	24	18,210	63	
Pennsylvania.....	5,187	3,057,215	4,443	1,497,992	9,630	4,555,207			3	1,643	59	49,462	103	
Rhode Island.....	364	213,924	246	80,498	610	294,422					4	3,377	7	
South Carolina.....	1,267	761,955	1,011	352,403	2,278	1,114,358					3	2,506	8	
South Dakota.....	398	237,867	526	163,256	924	401,123					45	41,837	65	
Tennessee.....	2,245	1,356,005	1,716	571,867	3,962	1,927,872			3	1,700	8	6,830	31	
Texas.....	3,937	2,341,448	3,304	1,049,487	7,241	3,390,935			5	2,833	31	29,825	235	
Utah.....	287	174,896	268	88,457	555	263,353					10	8,345	86	
Vermont.....	303	179,069	303	94,604	611	273,673							3	
Virginia.....	1,754	1,037,380	1,962	606,499	3,716	1,643,879					14	9,935	29	
Washington.....	1,130	652,236	456	174,004	1,586	826,240			1	566	32	25,722	82	
West Virginia.....	1,067	633,833	978	316,140	2,045	950,023					1	726	5	
Wisconsin.....	2,051	1,198,650	2,333	714,646	4,384	1,913,296			1	566	12	9,127	29	
Wyoming.....	98	55,168	130	40,737	228	95,905					7	6,407	20	
Total, United States.....	79,514	47,281,694	76,711	24,462,559	156,225	71,744,253	1	240	54	30,562	1,104	950,378	2,659	1,298,994
United States possessions.....	977	582,571	758	226,259	1,735	808,830					1	455	1	495
Foreign countries.....	3,925	2,155,138	115	40,597	4,040	2,195,735			1	567	10	4,740	13	6,378
Grand total.....	84,416	50,019,403	77,584	24,729,415	162,000	74,748,818	1	240	55	31,129	1,115	955,573	2,673	1,305,867

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945—Continued

State	Number of veterans or deceased veterans whose dependants were receiving pension benefits, including compensation and certain retirement pay on June 30, 1945, and disbursements for these benefits during the fiscal year 1945—Continued											
	Civil War				Spanish-American War				Regular Establishment			
	Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans		Living veterans		Deceased veterans	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama.....			124	\$54,836	1,106	\$974,833	815	\$352,088	752	\$317,661	290	\$129,839
Arizona.....	1	\$1,723	63	29,632	723	630,732	279	118,796	413	246,962	74	32,481
Arkansas.....	4	4,250	332	158,808	1,458	1,335,192	648	279,628	682	313,161	175	77,042
California.....	30	38,478	1,963	948,227	15,947	13,883,745	7,999	3,471,683	5,119	2,348,928	1,474	695,674
Colorado.....	7	10,625	313	149,038	1,308	1,152,485	628	271,709	948	615,404	177	83,925
Connecticut.....	1	2,297	244	116,693	1,373	1,166,785	833	365,453	514	206,327	110	50,677
Delaware.....			55	25,669	246	209,953	156	70,431	67	30,380	25	10,166
District of Columbia.....			163	76,768	1,782	1,439,979	1,241	569,349	1,243	519,927	421	205,844
Florida.....	5	6,892	320	154,381	4,203	3,748,321	1,523	658,323	875	413,621	288	132,843
Georgia.....			82	34,404	1,517	1,322,808	1,282	555,023	1,071	444,890	413	186,267
Idaho.....	1	1,149	82	39,580	534	452,811	203	89,268	134	61,378	27	12,615
Illinois.....	14	22,829	2,032	882,764	6,637	5,761,569	3,535	1,533,889	1,626	644,881	404	179,067
Indiana.....	10	13,783	1,436	664,936	4,126	3,652,587	2,115	912,117	1,252	491,771	300	129,422
Iowa.....	5	12,922	829	397,788	1,821	1,591,361	939	414,229	443	183,019	134	59,426
Kansas.....	6	10,739	1,122	503,973	1,907	1,699,029	1,029	442,753	437	211,136	142	67,301
Kentucky.....	7	10,912	676	333,264	2,768	2,458,580	1,464	641,459	1,267	511,637	390	172,609
Louisiana.....	3	3,446	158	72,091	1,205	1,060,135	901	391,680	524	219,786	175	82,254
Maine.....	3	5,169	349	162,509	892	784,108	447	200,214	230	105,938	104	48,450
Maryland.....	2	3,446	274	129,046	1,658	1,423,679	1,259	564,223	780	317,803	281	133,344
Massachusetts.....	2	5,887	828	391,505	4,313	3,735,272	2,838	1,283,725	1,278	527,063	510	231,213
Michigan.....	7	10,194	962	451,054	4,266	3,732,901	2,179	948,052	1,220	466,987	277	120,256
Minnesota.....	8	11,917	353	184,786	2,004	1,775,762	1,006	437,589	545	226,793	130	57,524
Mississippi.....	1	1,149	163	61,310	753	694,123	518	222,656	501	220,489	143	65,872
Missouri.....	20	20,962	1,476	693,655	3,920	3,423,436	2,182	946,335	1,004	420,892	245	111,603
Montana.....			71	35,891	661	575,024	287	123,089	133	52,960	33	14,052
Nebraska.....	6	9,160	380	183,167	1,138	1,009,840	530	232,958	218	91,525	71	30,413
Nevada.....			8	4,225	242	205,216	76	32,668	76	27,176	6	2,405
New Hampshire.....	1	4,020	141	68,272	545	476,165	312	140,474	118	50,265	49	23,503
New Jersey.....	4	5,255	465	228,603	3,946	3,332,326	2,556	1,136,375	921	361,964	315	145,085
New Mexico.....	1	1,149	62	28,632	382	333,274	167	74,536	237	146,638	50	21,514
New York.....	12	15,363	1,524	727,198	10,327	8,786,137	7,032	3,137,189	2,847	1,154,108	943	433,358
North Carolina.....	1	1,148	133	60,001	1,479	1,295,232	1,057	461,312	946	449,048	311	141,798
North Dakota.....			40	20,004	269	237,570	109	47,306	47	22,039	20	9,634
Ohio.....	23	31,874	1,858	882,549	8,144	7,156,822	4,081	1,776,125	1,868	711,944	428	184,568
Oklahoma.....	12	14,501	482	234,172	1,528	1,345,988	837	355,920	648	297,988	187	77,153

Oregon.....	3	4,738	366	173,956	2,214	1,954,516	970	408,193	566	215,474	130	53,650
Pennsylvania.....	12	14,300	1,550	729,548	8,446	7,378,458	5,117	2,274,539	2,247	992,096	646	284,982
Rhode Island.....			116	52,885	600	521,705	475	213,630	210	93,968	100	47,728
South Carolina.....			55	21,170	824	723,286	704	308,174	490	200,790	195	87,461
South Dakota.....	1	1,148	107	53,645	456	413,450	168	73,071	103	51,567	37	15,683
Tennessee.....	2	3,446	560	249,863	2,446	2,203,811	1,571	686,330	1,188	489,631	349	155,707
Texas.....	3	5,743	401	183,035	3,889	3,401,597	2,406	1,038,824	2,239	1,063,884	781	369,558
Utah.....	1	1,148	41	13,636	359	307,860	191	83,408	155	59,006	42	19,521
Vermont.....			146	70,592	333	299,447	224	103,372	88	39,423	32	15,207
Virginia.....	1	1,723	191	87,824	2,005	1,716,922	1,583	715,192	1,049	445,154	470	216,848
Washington.....	4	5,599	415	203,113	3,398	2,954,793	1,447	624,036	1,003	390,364	224	99,632
West Virginia.....	2	2,297	352	153,309	1,153	1,026,912	668	285,411	478	183,098	125	54,877
Wisconsin.....	3	7,466	512	250,369	2,333	2,067,604	1,123	493,515	638	243,082	156	71,695
Wyoming.....			34	18,445	320	266,032	137	59,116	92	33,218	18	6,974
Total, United States.....	229	328,847	24,369	11,483,821	123,904	108,070,173	69,857	30,623,435	41,530	17,943,244	12,407	5,658,720
United States possessions.....			1	357	2,985	2,205,751	1,452	583,088	1,228	707,999	1,081	429,531
Foreign countries.....			121	58,073	1,215	1,037,913	646	269,112	167	85,498	178	73,771
Grand total.....	229	328,847	24,521	11,545,251	128,104	111,313,837	71,955	31,483,635	42,925	18,737,741	13,666	6,132,022

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945—Continued

State	Number of veterans or deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pension benefits, including compensation and certain retirement pay on June 30, 1945, and disbursements for these benefits during the fiscal year 1945—Continued				Education and training		Readjustment allowance	
	Total compensation and pension benefits				Number receiving education and training	Subsistence allowance	Reimbursed to States for payment to unemployed veterans	Paid direct to self-employed veterans
	Living veterans		Deceased veterans					
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount				
Alabama	22,934	\$10,082,170	7,146	\$3,607,835	333	\$116,335	\$320,278	\$181,723
Arizona	7,942	4,716,890	1,784	924,229	68	23,756	124,032	1,781
Arkansas	17,585	8,917,773	5,506	2,760,791	85	29,695	363,902	168,120
California	92,550	50,076,554	26,606	13,878,186	1,945	679,497	1,373,378	43,641
Colorado	12,644	7,343,664	3,865	1,949,793	280	97,820	49,533	19,513
Connecticut	16,271	7,677,319	4,091	2,010,700	179	62,535	392,041	4,119
Delaware	1,682	778,696	4,577	298,583	31	10,530	29,494	136
District of Columbia	11,984	6,236,742	4,161	2,049,312	381	133,105	214,936	3,686
Florida	21,975	12,820,782	6,601	3,301,354	530	185,159	297,093	98,133
Georgia	23,661	11,288,296	8,433	4,281,760	286	99,616	364,396	115,409
Idaho	4,215	2,078,886	1,120	584,892	27	9,433	19,683	10,632
Illinois	61,646	27,248,949	18,504	9,075,531	2,220	775,670	857,739	28,843
Indiana	27,477	13,838,517	10,231	4,986,472	520	181,665	318,469	36,834
Iowa	17,653	8,266,678	5,842	3,032,346	247	86,291	322,929	87,306
Kansas	13,185	6,871,276	6,040	2,934,731	95	33,189	63,091	16,783
Kentucky	27,841	13,711,392	9,999	4,904,597	196	68,474	386,071	101,665
Louisiana	16,762	8,327,785	6,354	3,232,239	263	91,880	56,823	95,262
Maine	7,083	3,827,225	2,727	1,315,344	44	15,572	112,468	5,512
Maryland	15,136	7,819,323	5,266	2,657,626	225	78,605	85,719	2,477
Massachusetts	44,060	21,735,365	12,842	6,601,599	746	260,619	787,279	9,886
Michigan	39,185	16,854,304	10,506	5,370,573	918	320,708	425,467	8,093
Minnesota	25,766	13,460,614	7,946	3,763,157	415	144,983	266,662	57,846
Mississippi	18,636	8,766,821	5,168	2,698,969	191	66,727	125,251	827,091
Missouri	32,822	15,871,796	12,471	6,012,491	674	235,466	316,109	73,699
Montana	4,754	2,552,796	1,373	664,712	41	14,324	36,080	16,977
Nebraska	8,646	4,212,733	3,081	1,546,737	132	46,115	15,860	14,779
Nevada	1,465	742,894	229	116,632	9	3,144	7,704	1,013

New Hampshire.....	4,048	2,124,628	1,702	821,564	28	9,782	82,784	5,456
New Jersey.....	31,507	14,060,213	10,509	5,031,577	395	137,995	1,090,141	14,734
New Mexico.....	5,275	2,974,784	1,697	883,508	83	28,995	13,244	14,206
New York.....	111,315	47,816,124	30,137	15,224,902	4,123	1,440,394	2,026,410	52,265
North Carolina.....	21,682	10,439,295	8,915	4,361,437	211	73,714	513,020	152,622
North Dakota.....	3,839	1,926,564	1,331	631,703	14	4,891	6,807	29,828
Ohio.....	63,624	30,883,668	18,992	9,295,990	969	338,526	203,105	40,099
Oklahoma.....	18,864	8,988,323	6,360	3,280,897	177	61,836	36,798	200,494
Oregon.....	13,422	7,098,947	3,875	1,839,002	221	77,208	45,722	14,662
Pennsylvania.....	73,346	34,728,231	23,701	11,854,166	2,017	704,650	2,192,239	21,645
Rhode Island.....	6,694	3,020,370	1,876	957,612	129	45,067	232,924	3,468
South Carolina.....	12,308	5,728,214	4,767	2,492,876	88	30,743	231,025	58,422
South Dakota.....	4,294	2,206,885	1,682	816,874	36	12,577	32,165	27,400
Tennessee.....	26,724	12,610,103	9,016	4,555,137	415	144,983	856,156	288,924
Texas.....	54,018	25,886,597	17,261	9,242,180	1,061	370,666	1,921,654	341,264
Utah.....	4,470	2,239,378	1,319	693,994	95	33,189	20,071	2,848
Vermont.....	2,826	1,535,784	1,278	638,808	31	10,830	30,252	5,576
Virginia.....	19,041	8,929,024	8,118	4,067,892	155	54,150	122,399	14,451
Washington.....	18,467	9,506,588	4,852	2,574,545	281	98,169	42,527	5,948
West Virginia.....	13,303	6,106,332	4,809	2,419,632	91	31,791	465,793	3,492
Wisconsin.....	24,257	11,565,358	8,275	4,045,305	470	164,197	151,648	18,638
Wyoming.....	2,455	1,214,291	564	274,023	20	6,987	2,856	8,435
<b>Total, United States.....</b>	<b>1,131,339</b>	<b>546,380,991</b>	<b>359,605</b>	<b>180,564,815</b>	<b>22,191</b>	<b>7,752,553</b>	<b>18,052,227</b>	<b>3,355,817</b>
United States possessions.....	8,999	5,304,335	4,592	2,052,171	144	50,307	4,913	-----
Foreign countries.....	3,750	2,495,358	5,301	2,783,981	-----	-----	-----	-----
<b>Grand total.....</b>	<b>1,144,088</b>	<b>554,180,684</b>	<b>369,498</b>	<b>185,400,967</b>	<b>22,335</b>	<b>7,802,860</b>	<b>* 18,057,140</b>	<b>† 3,355,817</b>

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 49.—An approximate distribution of expenditures, by States, during fiscal year 1945, showing the number of beneficiaries as of June 30, 1945—Continued

State	Military and naval insurance	National Service life insurance	Adjusted service and dependent pay	Administration	Construction	Total disbursements
Alabama	\$96, 135	\$2, 319, 948	\$1, 079	\$3, 399, 676	\$1, 017, 873	\$21, 146, 052
Arizona	119, 733	600, 251	43	1, 655, 112		8, 165, 827
Arkansas	136, 258	1, 656, 918	1, 434	2, 439, 153	165, 949	16, 633, 993
California	608, 747	8, 264, 142	4, 720	9, 586, 422	1, 397, 093	85, 912, 380
Colorado	238, 570	1, 272, 011	1, 120	1, 608, 041	199, 374	12, 804, 439
Connecticut	53, 798	1, 912, 897	527	958, 382	24, 784	13, 099, 102
Delaware	5, 049	250, 962	125			1, 373, 875
District of Columbia	136, 803	727, 685	359	4 26, 401, 665		35, 898, 293
Florida	126, 735	1, 871, 354	865	2, 187, 651		20, 589, 126
Georgia	116, 180	2, 649, 183	1, 591	3, 100, 036	301, 883	22, 158, 650
Idaho	51, 000	600, 949	68	586, 459		3, 942, 002
Illinois	381, 044	8, 102, 954	3, 670	8, 487, 463	1, 333, 091	56, 294, 854
Indiana	196, 248	3, 513, 154	1, 717	2, 526, 284	94, 513	25, 393, 873
Iowa	108, 971	2, 626, 023	2, 202	2, 342, 890	699, 222	18, 634, 858
Kansas	63, 473	2, 025, 971	804	1, 914, 995	760, 378	14, 686, 691
Kentucky	124, 204	2, 942, 268	1, 181	2, 028, 615	346, 717	24, 075, 184
Louisiana	78, 381	1, 889, 136	544	1, 799, 932		15, 376, 982
Maine	36, 366	969, 143	485	1, 180, 293	25, 258	7, 181, 466
Maryland	137, 059	1, 773, 177	688	2, 908, 588	294, 586	15, 757, 848
Massachusetts	263, 337	5, 038, 711	2, 812	4, 565, 337	454, 787	39, 719, 762
Michigan	146, 547	5, 513, 876	2, 689	3, 040, 968	618, 940	32, 305, 165
Minnesota	192, 744	3, 056, 652	1, 363	3, 072, 549	236, 305	24, 252, 875
Mississippi	87, 437	1, 587, 928	568	1, 879, 200	2, 680	16, 042, 672
Missouri	216, 431	3, 479, 793	2, 553	2, 410, 349		28, 621, 678
Montana	47, 329	594, 132	479	514, 868		4, 441, 697
Nebraska	56, 439	1, 310, 384	1, 260	718, 053		7, 922, 360
Nevada	11, 762	123, 399		134, 186		1, 140, 734
New Hampshire	26, 891	545, 691	226	186, 326		3, 803, 348
New Jersey	128, 883	4, 608, 818	1, 704	2, 085, 871	1, 042, 578	28, 198, 514
New Mexico	75, 056	678, 728	54	1, 152, 428		5, 820, 003
New York	581, 067	13, 184, 670	5, 707	6 23, 688, 552	1, 196, 624	105, 216, 715
North Carolina	121, 608	3, 151, 917	1, 804	2, 649, 067	2, 216	21, 466, 700
North Dakota	24, 514	722, 355	358	477, 885	185	3, 825, 090
Ohio	268, 150	7, 457, 706	2, 966	5, 927, 149	911, 777	55, 329, 136
Oklahoma	147, 835	2, 365, 558	1, 471	1, 077, 357		16, 160, 559
Oregon	107, 900	1, 268, 245	438	1, 560, 515		12, 012, 639
Pennsylvania	388, 418	11, 259, 605	3, 517	5, 416, 779	930, 173	67, 494, 473
Rhode Island	32, 548	838, 373	522	443, 700		5, 574, 584

South Carolina.....	77,061	1,515,479	894	1,305,000		11,439,714
South Dakota.....	20,949	650,389	63	921,198	364,622	5,053,122
Tennessee.....	173,200	2,855,104	1,265	3,369,514	4,947	24,864,333
Texas.....	257,246	7,110,474	2,990	4,831,478	1,609,590	51,574,139
Utah.....	29,634	665,125	150	533,713		4,218,102
Vermont.....	21,708	400,755	24	461,139	683	3,108,559
Virginia.....	130,378	2,699,332	1,073	2,901,062	1,013,464	19,933,225
Washington.....	122,810	1,859,863	269	2,346,423		16,557,142
West Virginia.....	64,794	2,154,431	1,024	830,740		12,078,029
Wisconsin.....	109,638	3,197,355	2,203	3,534,641	446,792	23,535,775
Wyoming.....	4,611	288,159	24	1,069,248	303,552	3,209,186
Total, United States.....	6,746,709	136,151,133	63,692	158,276,952	15,800,636	1,073,145,525
United States possessions.....	1,879	438,516		1,096,049		8,958,170
Foreign countries.....	56,007	257,118	217	5,504		5,598,185
Grand total.....	6,814,595	136,846,767	63,909	159,378,505	15,800,636	1,087,701,880

<sup>1</sup> Included in the number of veterans shown under service connected pension.

<sup>2</sup> Includes 2 special act cases.

<sup>3</sup> Includes 9 provisional, probationary or temporary officers.

<sup>4</sup> District of Columbia and central office excluding hospitalization by Army, Navy, and Public Health hospitals located in the States and possessions.

<sup>5</sup> Includes expenditures at New York branch of central office.

<sup>6</sup> Puerto Rico unemployment—\$2,069,008 not included in total. Difference of —\$2,623 in total fiscal year figures due to late reports by States.

<sup>7</sup> Puerto Rico self-employment —\$10,287 not included in total. Difference of +\$22,521 in total fiscal year figures due to late reports by States.

NOTE.—Administration includes all expenditures incident to the maintenance and operation of all hospitals, all forms of medical, hospital, and domiciliary care. The expenditure of \$1,181,517,263 (U. S. Government life insurance fund, amount transferred from Military and Naval insurance to the U. S. Government life insurance fund, amount transferred from National Service appropriated fund to the National Service trust fund, adjusted service certificates fund, funds due incompetent veterans, personal funds of patients, general post fund and miscellaneous) is not included in the above figures.

TABLE 50.—*Summary of policy loans for fiscal year 1945, U. S. Government life insurance fund*

Total amount of policy loans issued to date.....		\$408,690,784.63
Outstanding policy loans July 1, 1944.....		127,806,183.62
New loans issued during the year and increase in old loans.....	\$9,206,032.43	
Less: Repayments		
(a) In cash.....	\$14,317,120.33	
(b) From surrenders.....	1,478,217.38	
(c) From claims.....	1,327,928.48	
(d) From dividend payments and deposits.....	14,397.92	
(e) From matured endowments.....	1,326,186.96	
Total repayments.....	<u>18,463,851.07</u>	
Net decrease in outstanding loans.....		<u>9,257,818.64</u>
Outstanding policy loans June 30, 1945.....		<u>118,548,364.98</u>

TABLE 51.—Financial statement of the U. S. Government life insurance fund by calendar years from origin of fund to Dec. 31, 1944

	From origin to Dec. 31, 1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Ledger assets.....	( <sup>1</sup> )	\$921,434,902.55	\$981,725,634.55	\$1,015,136,096.59	\$1,039,306,597.76	\$1,077,600,350.21	\$1,122,740,665.45	\$1,171,170,568.28
<b>INCOME</b>								
Premiums.....	\$967,979,318.79	62,372,665.26	61,144,283.65	58,047,049.02	56,105,030.21	51,292,318.12	53,283,001.86	51,488,035.19
Interest.....	314,916,602.95	38,802,428.36	42,078,757.21	41,846,773.90	40,564,429.97	42,311,575.98	45,593,590.47	44,566,423.81
Dividends deposited.....	1,374,746.48	230,507.42	271,165.57	273,209.50	294,572.92	310,985.77	333,280.43	362,508.25
Received from the United States on account of extra hazard of the military and naval service.....	83,442,252.40	3,261,312.27	2,526,456.43	2,144,171.34	2,612,134.94	6,643,368.51	3,328,123.79	11,031,380.56
Consideration for supplementary installment contracts under claims.....	130,392,309.76	11,496,278.31	18,003,999.13	18,234,401.94	18,007,630.54	18,481,615.72	18,475,861.26	18,502,581.43
Other income.....	11,095,390.94	179,980.40	451,079.76	265,392.37	189,074.77	242,418.78	464,599.03	2,316,628.04
Total income.....	1,509,200,621.32	116,343,172.02	124,475,841.75	120,810,998.07	117,772,873.35	119,282,282.88	121,478,456.84	128,267,557.28
Total.....	1,509,200,621.32	1,037,778,074.57	1,106,201,476.30	1,135,947,094.66	1,157,079,471.11	1,196,882,633.09	1,244,219,122.29	1,299,438,225.56
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>								
Claims (death and total permanent disability).....	267,141,822.19	20,807,616.02	21,956,662.91	21,121,992.78	23,788,968.79	25,555,022.55	27,701,632.40	28,109,468.02
Claims under total disability con- tract.....	466,906.00	155,183.00	350,645.00	72,265.00	56,554.00	136,528.00	296,696.00	348.00
Matured endowments.....	4,192,552.56	889,369.09	34,117,279.92	40,745,544.41	22,335,631.54	16,061,810.76	14,335,485.64	11,658,468.87
Paid as surrender values.....	138,762,951.33	13,021,026.48	11,790,563.41	10,989,937.36	8,529,336.11	7,035,191.42	4,742,416.75	3,367,553.52
Accrued interest paid on bond pur- chases.....	4,349,979.76	118,672.33	261,504.84	-----	38,720.41	193,981.47	1,061.48	310.50
Unearned premiums refunded.....	7,521,989.73	487,023.25	507,333.78	503,605.36	473,989.75	429,490.89	392,811.04	425,109.10
Dividends paid.....	79,956,858.67	7,789,553.24	8,925,575.95	8,338,212.27	8,272,418.23	8,034,567.70	8,189,352.22	8,329,754.03
Paid on supplementary installment contracts under claims.....	79,320,792.60	11,564,903.15	12,439,497.98	14,018,396.42	15,132,748.47	15,936,227.44	16,801,092.68	17,695,473.90
Other disbursements.....	3,111,865.93	1,219,093.46	716,115.92	850,543.30	851,353.60	759,147.41	588,005.80	610,018.20
Total disbursements.....	587,765,718.77	56,052,440.62	91,065,579.71	96,640,496.90	79,479,120.90	74,141,967.64	73,048,554.01	70,196,504.14
Balance.....	921,434,902.55	981,725,634.55	1,015,136,096.59	1,039,306,597.76	1,077,600,350.21	1,122,740,665.45	1,171,170,568.28	1,229,241,721.42

<sup>1</sup> See balance at foot of column for ledger assets at Dec. 31, 1937.

TABLE 51.—Financial statement of the U. S. Government life insurance fund by calendar years as of Dec. 31 for the years indicated—Continued

	From origin to Dec. 31, 1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
<b>ASSETS</b>								
<i>Ledger assets</i>								
Book value of special Treasury bonds.....	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40	\$500,157,956.40
Book value of all other bonds.....	273,746,511.05	325,038,236.42	354,797,807.45	377,549,517.33	413,765,594.61	469,870,035.11	530,031,197.34	599,268,890.72
Policy loans.....	138,468,345.35	147,426,343.12	149,663,421.09	150,644,758.84	151,206,253.87	144,762,359.39	133,412,255.19	123,102,001.06
Loans on security of adjusted service certificates.....	2,550,870.59	2,664,191.15	2,783,012.83	2,907,213.52	3,037,258.66	3,173,267.11	3,615,219.46	3,778,168.56
Cash on hand.....	6,511,219.16	6,438,907.46	7,733,898.82	8,047,151.67	9,433,286.67	4,777,047.44	3,953,939.89	2,934,704.68
Total ledger assets as per "balance" under income and disbursements.....	921,434,902.55	981,725,634.55	1,015,136,096.59	1,039,306,597.76	1,077,600,350.21	1,122,740,665.45	1,171,170,568.28	1,229,241,721.42
<i>Nonledger assets</i>								
Interest accrued on bonds, loans, and deferred premiums.....	19,504,058.98	21,106,947.54	20,487,536.12	19,649,817.36	20,741,863.06	21,695,951.03	19,847,773.73	19,986,316.54
Premiums due (grace period).....	445,694.61	445,257.50	468,552.73	461,419.00	462,025.00	452,175.00	450,325.00	450,127.00
Premiums in course of collection through Government departments.....	683,782.80	560,706.30	496,875.64	602,311.00	672,117.00	690,210.00	395,829.23	00.00
Due from the United States on account of extra hazard of the military and naval service.....	172,229.60	00.00	134,590.75	00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00
Policy liens.....	55,021.10	50,883.98	49,729.76	45,245.27	42,571.39	40,168.87	41,545.80	3,059.00
Total nonledger assets.....	20,860,787.09	22,163,795.32	21,637,285.00	20,758,792.63	21,918,576.45	22,878,504.90	20,735,473.76	20,439,502.54
Total assets.....	942,295,689.64	1,003,889,429.87	1,036,773,381.59	1,060,065,390.39	1,099,518,926.66	1,145,619,170.35	1,191,906,042.04	1,249,681,223.96
<b>LIABILITIES</b>								
Reserves.....	850,303,488.24	907,882,857.42	932,700,963.01	948,125,086.55	981,183,337.24	1,015,738,675.96	1,055,360,055.19	1,108,274,702.10
Present value of future installments on claims.....	70,729,079.64	73,183,162.50	77,548,054.93	80,335,797.99	84,139,391.89	88,545,093.45	92,654,799.61	96,884,396.38
Present value of future installments on matured endowments.....	00.00	00.00	4,659,400.64	9,253,283.10	11,738,820.87	13,535,031.27	14,962,859.91	15,976,668.57
Claims in process of settlement.....	3,173,605.00	3,281,416.82	2,723,982.47	3,446,025.47	3,965,325.47	8,270,916.47	9,080,085.47	9,442,027.47
Premiums paid in advance.....	7,860,576.37	7,749,675.08	8,493,747.62	8,058,515.00	7,818,666.29	7,151,085.00	7,468,450.00	7,267,997.00
Dividends deposited with interest.....	1,098,867.18	1,287,752.46	1,451,072.27	1,609,290.34	1,821,135.45	2,067,099.85	2,371,674.62	2,720,830.77
Advance payments from War Department.....	427,250.32	455,321.33	484,759.35	578,455.35	634,666.86	1,397,232.68	2,415.57	00.00
Apportioned for payment of dividends.....	8,173,000.00	9,350,000.00	8,650,000.00	8,600,000.00	8,160,000.00	8,860,000.00	8,950,000.00	9,060,000.00
Other liabilities.....	529,822.89	694,244.26	61,401.30	58,936.59	57,582.59	54,035.67	55,701.67	54,601.67
Total liabilities.....	942,295,689.64	1,003,889,429.87	1,036,773,381.59	1,060,065,390.39	1,099,518,926.66	1,145,619,170.35	1,191,906,042.04	1,249,681,223.96

\* Included in "Other liabilities" prior to 1939.

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TABLE 52.—Incompetent and minor wards under guardianship June 30, 1945

Office	Total wards										
	Incompetent veterans				Other incompetents			Minors			Total wards
	Under guard-ians	Institutional awards only	Under legal custodians	Total	Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians	Total incompetents	Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians	Total	
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	190			190	17	1	208	267	249	516	724
Atlanta, Ga.	965			965	65	1	1,031	638	537	1,175	2,206
Baltimore, Md.	460	1		461	40	2	503	132	265	397	900
Batavia, N. Y.	1,154	39	5	1,198	92	24	1,314	481	335	816	2,130
Bay Pines, Fla.	498		4	502	42	7	551	273	521	794	1,345
Boise, Idaho.	97	1		98	9		107	118	140	258	365
Boston, Mass.	1,693	40	7	1,740	157	0	1,906	663	601	1,264	3,170
Brecksville, Ohio.	1,157	33		1,190	130	2	1,322	304	462	766	2,088
Cheyenne, Wyo.	1,130			1,130	6		136	35	41	76	212
Columbia, S. C.	450	3		453	33		486	301	281	582	1,068
Dayton, Ohio.	1,096	2		1,098	181	4	1,283	587	516	1,103	2,386
Dearborn, Mich.	1,285	16		1,301	126	3	1,430	662	648	1,310	2,740
Denver, Colo.	323	3	7	333	48	4	385	360	352	712	1,097
Des Moines, Iowa.	821			821	117		938	298	314	612	1,550
Fargo, N. Dak.	176	1		177	15	1	193	63	57	120	313
Fayetteville, N. C.	620			620	74		694	602	504	1,106	1,800
Ht. Harrison, Mont.	165		2	167	17	1	185	67	181	248	433
Hines, Ill.	2,739	228	21	2,988	266	5	3,259	976	1,466	2,442	5,701
Huntington, W. Va.	444			444	43		487	354	150	504	991
Indianapolis, Ind.	971		6	977	212	5	1,194	534	662	1,196	2,390
Jackson, Miss.	590			590	39		629	195	474	669	1,298
Kansas City, Mo.	507			507	95	1	603	241	353	594	1,197
Lexington, Ky.	904		2	906	111	8	1,025	658	597	1,255	2,280
Lincoln, Nebr.	395		1	396	51	3	450	166	135	301	751
Little Rock, Ark.	646			646	53	3	702	362	404	766	1,468
Los Angeles, Calif.	1,016	21	1	1,038	135	17	1,190	559	1,576	2,135	3,325
Lyons, N. J.	1,043	14	1	1,058	68	13	1,139	306	535	841	1,980
Manchester, N. H.	159		2	161	22	3	186	86	116	202	388
Minneapolis, Minn.	1,249	19		1,268	120	2	1,390	583	421	1,004	2,394
Montgomery, Ala.	548	3	1	552	36	6	594	280	574	854	1,448
Murfreesboro, Tenn.	823		1	824	108	10	942	698	525	1,223	2,165
Muskogee, Okla.	798	26	6	830	90	3	923	402	465	867	1,790
Newington, Conn.	666	25		691	44	4	739	201	263	464	1,203
New Orleans, La.	679		3	682	35	5	722	295	391	686	1,408
New York, N. Y.	3,485	368		3,853	208	15	4,076	1,358	290	1,618	5,694
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,348	86	7	1,441	159	12	1,612	679	544	1,223	2,835
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,183	10	3	1,196	116	9	1,321	372	539	911	2,232
Portland, Oreg.	457	2		459	51	3	513	151	338	489	1,002
Providence, R. I.	407	12		419	39	3	461	170	160	330	791
Reno, Nev.	37			37	2		39	16	42	58	97
Roanoke, Va.	613	5		618	65		683	351	422	773	1,456
St. Louis, Mo.	762		3	765	85		790	303	477	780	1,570
Salt Lake City, Utah.	131			131	11		142	74	122	196	338
San Francisco, Calif.	1,001	48		1,049	87	8	1,144	363	899	1,262	2,406
Seattle, Wash.	510		5	515	39	1	555	426	253	679	1,234
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	179	1		180	21	2	203	53	69	122	325
Togus, Maine.	238			238	51	4	293	86	179	265	558
Tucson, Ariz.	75			75	9	1	85	148	335	483	568
Waco, Tex.	1,285		7	1,292	82	13	1,387	593	1,387	1,980	3,367
Washington, D. C.	539		6	545	84	7	636	318	434	752	1,388
White River Junction, Vt.	154	3	1	158	34		192	72	52	125	317
Wichita, Kans.	348	11	1	360	72	3	435	225	226	451	886
Wood, Wis.	962	5		967	118		1,085	376	507	883	1,968
Central office:											
U. S. possessions and foreign <sup>1</sup>	288	17	1	306	73		379	540	191	731	1,110
San Juan, P. R.	199	13		212	8		220	157	123	280	500
Total	39,598	1,056	104	40,758	4,111	228	45,097	19,579	22,670	42,249	87,346

<sup>1</sup> Not including San Juan, P. R.

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TABLE 52.—Incompetent and minor wards under guardianship June 30, 1945—Continued

Office	World War II wards										
	Incompetent veterans				Other incompetents		Total incompetents	Minors			Total wards
	Under guard-ians	Institutional awards only	Under legal custodians	Total	Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians		Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians	Total	
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	37			37	1	1	39	47	52	99	138
Atlanta, Ga.	149			149	5		154	137	130	267	421
Baltimore, Md.	28	1		29			29	35	63	98	127
Batavia, N. Y.	127	19		146		1	147	137	49	186	333
Bay Pines, Fla.	90		1	91	1	2	94	93	114	207	301
Boise, Idaho.	12			12	1		13	33	49	82	95
Boston, Mass.	62	22	1	85	9	1	95	59	134	193	288
Brecksville, Ohio.	120	13		133	13		146	69	76	145	291
Cheyenne, Wyo.	9			9	1		10	9	5	14	24
Columbia, S. C.	23	2		25	4		29	62	49	111	140
Dayton, Ohio.	124	9		124	7		131	113	104	217	348
Dearborn, Mich.	115	9		124	1		125	104	158	262	387
Denver, Colo.	37	3	3	43			43	75	50	125	168
Des Moines, Iowa.	55			55	6		61	87	62	149	210
Fargo, N. Dak.	9			9	2	1	12	13	12	25	37
Payetteville, N. C.	79			79	5		84	114	161	275	359
Ft. Harrison, Mont.	7			7	1		8	19	32	51	59
Hines, Ill.	196	44		240	18		258	227	246	473	731
Huntington, W. Va.	40			40	40		40	102	48	150	190
Indianapolis, Ind.	61		1	62	7	1	70	150	108	258	328
Jackson, Miss.	120			120	3		123	53	95	148	271
Kansas City, Mo.	26			26	5		31	55	77	132	163
Lexington, Ky.	159		1	160	6		166	150	102	252	418
Lincoln, Nebr.	41		1	42	7		49	53	32	85	134
Little Rock, Ark.	64			64	3		67	67	113	180	247
Los Angeles, Calif.	81	7		88	7		95	213	347	560	655
Lyons, N. J.	92	6		98	4		102	93	60	153	255
Manchester, N. H.	17		1	18	1		19	18	36	54	73
Minneapolis, Minn.	90	8		98	13		111	101	74	175	286
Montgomery, Ala.	35			35	3		38	71	127	198	236
Murfreesboro, Tenn.	149			149	4		153	164	122	286	439
Muskogee, Okla.	76	3		79	15		94	105	104	209	303
Newington, Conn.	124	16		140	5		145	65	49	114	259
New Orleans, La.	88		1	89	1	1	91	62	131	193	284
New York, N. Y.	244	102		346	4		350	333	45	378	728
Philadelphia, Pa.	40	46		86	4	1	91	139	104	243	334
Pittsburgh, Pa.	124	5		129	6		135	91	114	205	340
Portland, Oreg.	37	1		38	4		42	40	50	90	132
Providence, R. I.	17	2		19	4		23	29	38	67	90
Reno, Nev.	4			4	1		5	2	6	8	13
Roanoke, Va.	54	1		55	5		60	86	95	181	241
St. Louis, Mo.	67			67	7		74	75	107	182	256
Salt Lake City, Utah.	39			39	1		40	22	24	46	86
San Francisco, Calif.	57	11		68	3		71	93	182	275	346
Seattle, Wash.	24		1	25	1		26	87	35	122	148
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	22			22	4		26	22	15	37	63
Togus, Maine.	42			42	2		44	23	38	61	105
Tucson, Ariz.	10			10			10	16	15	31	41
Waco, Tex.	181		6	187	6	1	194	172	347	519	713
Washington, D. C.	24	1		25			25	36	39	75	100
White River Junction, Vt.	9	1		10	3		13	17	17	34	47
Wichita, Kans.	13	9		22	2		24	45	64	109	133
Wood, Wis.	102			102	17		119	109	78	187	306
Central office:											
U. S. possessions and foreign	2	12		14	1		15	31	26	57	72
San Juan, P. R.	67			67			67	7	14	21	88
Total	3,721	343	18	4,082	234	10	4,326	4,430	4,624	9,054	13,380

Not including San Juan, P. R.

TABLE 52.—Incompetent and minor wards under guardianship June 30, 1945—Continued

Office	World War I and other wards										
	Incompetent veterans				Other incompetents		Total incompetents	Minors			Total wards
	Under guard-ians	Institutional awards only	Under legal custodians	Total	Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians		Under guard-ians	Under legal custodians	Total	
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	153			153	16		169	220	197	417	586
Atlanta, Ga.	816			816	60	1	877	501	407	908	1,785
Baltimore, Md.	432			432	40	2	474	97	202	299	773
Batavia, N. Y.	1,027	20	5	1,052	92	23	1,167	344	286	630	1,797
Bay Pines, Fla.	408		3	411	41	5	457	180	407	587	1,044
Boise, Idaho	85	1		86	8		94	85	91	176	270
Boston, Mass.	1,631	18	6	1,655	148	8	1,811	604	467	1,071	2,882
Brecksville, Ohio	1,037	20		1,057	117	2	1,176	235	386	621	1,797
Cheyenne, Wyo.	121			121	5		126	26	36	62	188
Columbia, S. C.	427	1		428	29		457	239	232	471	928
Dayton, Ohio	972	2		974	174	4	1,152	474	412	886	2,038
Dearborn, Mich.	1,170	7		1,177	125	3	1,305	558	490	1,048	2,353
Denver, Colo.	286		4	290	48	4	342	285	302	587	929
Des Moines, Iowa	766			766	111		877	211	252	463	1,340
Fargo, N. Dak.	167	1		168	13		181	50	45	95	276
Fayetteville, N. C.	541			541	69		610	483	343	831	1,441
Ft. Harrison, Mont.	158		2	160	16	1	177	48	149	197	374
Hines, Ill.	2,543	184	21	2,748	248	5	3,001	749	1,220	1,969	4,970
Huntington, W. Va.	404			404	43		447	252	102	354	801
Indianapolis, Ind.	910		5	915	205	4	1,124	384	554	938	2,062
Jackson, Miss.	470			470	36		506	142	379	521	1,027
Kansas City, Mo.	481			481	90	1	572	186	276	462	1,034
Lexington, Ky.	745		1	746	105	8	859	508	495	1,063	1,862
Lincoln, Nebr.	354			354	44	3	401	113	103	216	617
Little Rock, Ark.	582			582	50	3	635	295	291	586	1,221
Los Angeles, Calif.	935	14	1	950	128	17	1,095	346	1,229	1,575	2,720
Lyons, N. J.	951	8		1,060	64	13	1,037	213	475	688	1,725
Manchester, N. H.	142		1	143	21	3	167	68	80	148	315
Minneapolis, Minn.	1,159	11		1,170	107	2	1,279	482	347	829	2,108
Montgomery, Ala.	513	3	1	517	33	6	556	209	447	656	1,212
Murfreesboro, Tenn.	674		1	675	104	10	789	534	403	937	1,726
Muskogee, Okla.	722	23	6	751	75	3	829	297	361	658	1,487
Newington, Conn.	542	9		551	39	4	594	136	214	350	944
New Orleans, La.	591		2	593	34	4	631	233	260	493	1,124
New York, N. Y.	3,241	266		3,507	204	15	3,726	1,025	215	1,240	4,966
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,308	40	7	1,355	155	11	1,521	540	440	980	2,501
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,059	5	3	1,067	110	9	1,186	281	425	706	1,892
Portland, Oreg.	420	1		421	47	3	471	111	288	399	870
Providence, R. I.	390	10		400	35	3	438	141	122	263	701
Reno, Nev.	33			33	1		34	14	36	50	84
Roanoke, Va.	559	4		563	60		623	265	327	592	1,215
St. Louis, Mo.	635		3	638	78		716	228	370	598	1,314
Salt Lake City, Utah	92			92	10		102	52	98	150	252
San Francisco, Calif.	944	37		981	84	8	1,073	270	717	987	2,060
Seattle, Wash.	486		4	490	38	1	529	339	218	557	1,086
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	157	1		158	17	2	177	31	54	85	262
Togus, Maine	196			196	49	4	249	63	141	204	453
Tucson, Ariz.	65			65	9	1	75	132	320	452	527
Waco, Tex.	1,104		1	1,105	76	12	1,193	421	1,040	1,461	2,654
Washington, D. C.	515		5	520	84	7	611	282	395	677	1,288
White River Junction, Vt.	145	2	1	148	31		179	56	35	91	270
Wichita, Kans.	335	2	1	338	70	3	411	180	162	342	753
Wood, Wis.	860	5		865	101		966	267	429	696	1,662
Central office:											
U. S. possessions and foreign <sup>1</sup>	286	5	1	292	72		364	509	165	674	1,038
San Juan, P. R.	132	13		145	8		153	150	109	259	412
Total	35,877	713	86	36,676	3,877	218	40,771	15,149	18,046	33,195	73,966

<sup>1</sup> Not including San Juan, P. R.

TABLE 53.—Summary of fiduciary accounts, guardians' commissions, and attorneys' fees, for the fiscal year 1945

Field offices	Summary of accounts												
	Total amount of receipts	Guardians' commissions allowed	Attorneys' fees allowed	Amount of estates						Cash balance (funds on deposit in banking institutions or otherwise not included in invested amounts)	Amounts embezzled or misappropriated	Amounts lost or deposits	Amounts lost on investments
				Total amount of estates	Invested in accordance with State law		Invested not in accordance with law		Cash balance (funds on deposit in banking institutions or otherwise not included in invested amounts)				
					General investments	Deposits in banks or other institutions in lieu of investments	Nonlegal or questionable	Illegal					
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	\$272,332.70	\$4,278.48	\$4,993.55	\$755,601.57	\$627,053.39					\$128,548.18			
Atlanta, Ga.	1,006,783.39	29,070.26	3,102.93	3,153,303.55	2,682,370.37					470,933.18	\$52.52		
Baltimore, Md.	504,325.48	16,739.38	5,579.72	2,389,900.94	2,068,360.26	\$26,302.97				295,237.71			
Batavia, N. Y.	1,303,314.66	31,800.94	11,173.91	5,239,320.20	4,162,685.22	772,888.90				333,746.08			\$3,331.49
Bay Pines, Fla.	514,853.96	12,760.64	2,528.45	1,312,929.35	1,116,041.54					196,887.81			
Boise, Idaho	155,435.95	2,912.89	483.50	528,121.51	439,073.08	34,564.29				54,484.14			
Boston, Mass.	1,543,577.63	50,685.42	20,670.21	7,056,172.89	2,831,844.85	4,058,413.79				165,914.27			
Brecksville, Ohio	1,107,277.98	43,313.30	12,313.74	4,875,738.21	4,146,523.68	447,146.48	\$6,624.84	\$2,659.38		262,843.83	311.90		7.90
Cheyenne, Wyo.	99,744.18	3,506.04	600.00	762,209.60	692,712.21		4,125.00			41,451.89			
Columbia, S. C.	528,776.32	18,222.92	2,287.25	2,113,774.19	1,815,926.49					297,847.70			824.50
Dayton, Ohio	1,035,492.05	39,762.95	10,914.39	4,690,482.16	4,381,522.35	264.03				308,695.78			
Dearborn, Mich.	974,108.60	39,254.87	4,848.47	4,651,066.27	4,032,435.11					618,661.16	\$301.13		2,712.42
Denver, Colo.	446,865.76	13,974.06	4,816.63	1,723,528.11	1,435,068.57					291,469.54			
Des Moines, Iowa	663,711.22	26,223.89	22,694.46	4,469,365.70	4,102,790.85	15,393.77				351,181.08		159.93	28.80
Fargo, N. Dak.	155,475.62	7,854.46	3,297.94	960,600.16	888,423.29	13,974.89				58,291.98		151.90	8.86
Fayetteville, N. C.	705,678.85	28,781.42	3,642.48	2,852,842.26	2,541,199.28					311,642.98	600.00		
Ft. Harrison, Mont.	165,018.47	6,420.43	5,520.37	622,197.25	810,579.89					111,617.35			
Hines, Ill.	2,472,999.95	95,586.73	44,591.69	10,494,745.89	9,565,567.93			21,086.00		908,091.96		941.49	7,198.11
Huntington, W. Va.	478,614.22	16,056.96	1,485.35	1,447,401.90	1,260,901.85					186,500.05			
Indianapolis, Ind.	1,048,083.27	40,876.62	18,062.04	5,467,787.54	4,868,869.60				4,301.99	594,613.95	427.80	1,878.25	1,091.89
Jackson, Miss.	748,193.34	21,303.19	24,687.81	2,047,035.30	1,643,083.21	18,400.81			1,900.00	383,651.28	131.21	173.97	22.00
Kansas City, Mo.	577,648.11	21,195.43	3,883.67	2,466,130.02	2,178,470.78	3,061.06	14,851.62	1,005.62		268,723.94	217.03		
Lexington, Ky.	973,498.46	34,746.17	8,572.10	3,586,492.05	3,104,478.75	56,089.14	1,225.85			424,698.31			2,587.16
Lincoln, Neb.	428,857.21	14,797.06	3,451.85	2,622,390.23	1,798,964.24	43,415.74		1,600.00		178,410.25			
Little Rock, Ark.	631,457.29	26,822.78	2,655.38	2,655,876.16	1,811,923.03					243,953.13			2,546.59
Los Angeles, Calif.	1,365,114.07	37,642.31	30,420.25	3,193,535.21	2,510,294.69	389,310.09				293,931.43			13,650.53
Lyons, N. J.	1,078,209.32	33,473.73	3,665.00	2,470,739.10	2,282,195.96					188,543.14			8,239.23
Manchester, N. H.	174,979.41	3,144.51	1,220.63	918,065.33	462,460.99	455,604.34					600.00		55.93
Minneapolis, Minn.	1,405,458.86	43,695.96	11,930.06	5,025,532.93	4,672,712.37					352,820.56			

Montgomery, Ala.....	704,878.92	19,151.63	10,005.66	2,441,516.52	2,058,117.99	71,821.18				311,577.35			152.89
Murfreesboro, Tenn.....	972,557.72	39,192.65	3,929.90	3,564,323.15	2,843,573.64	285,681.28	4,721.19	2,832.59		427,514.45			
Muskogee, Okla.....	1,050,735.19	24,147.55	11,468.71	3,725,937.63	3,173,939.53					551,998.10	1,722.17		87.73
Newington, Conn.....	646,412.66	17,872.92	1,883.28	2,655,331.35	1,477,791.15	1,082,771.30				94,768.90		1,152.76	212.00
New Orleans, La.....	866,848.19	23,537.05	4,625.54	2,182,844.44	1,893,475.39					289,365.05			
New York, N. Y.....	3,074,373.52	74,076.29	48,775.23	14,865,058.08	9,997,734.87	4,870,323.21						2,245.35	34,803.85
Philadelphia, Pa.....	2,786,811.99	82,324.80	41,601.87	4,960,766.19	4,303,158.06	107,533.31		8,671.84	635.00	540,770.98			35,746.59
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1,261,840.57	55,419.46	13,846.42	3,240,156.29	2,925,142.99	33,754.70		6,882.33		274,376.27			78.16
Portland, Ore.....	482,168.83	16,155.77	9,880.81	1,871,214.48	1,602,139.98					268,074.50		374.80	
Providence, R. I.....	338,412.24	8,553.24	1,288.84	1,584,878.32	1,157,810.72	374,505.86				52,561.74			16.34
Reno, Nev.....	34,839.78	823.54	785.00	136,412.33	117,983.26	12,193.21				6,235.86			
Roanoke, Va.....	591,023.72	42,376.70	2,550.39	2,727,812.59	2,486,117.09					241,695.50		1,680.64	6,337.01
St. Louis, Mo.....	719,250.72	26,532.98	7,830.81	3,270,804.25	2,911,997.25				4,000.00	354,807.00			
Salt Lake City, Utah.....	149,755.46	2,826.47	2,415.18	511,832.22	414,116.92	6,345.24				91,370.06			
San Francisco, Calif.....	881,230.92	32,145.12	42,838.34	4,449,903.68	3,605,037.02	221,618.26		163.30		623,085.10			8,853.43
Seattle, Wash.....	427,067.77	17,081.24	6,216.83	2,216,798.67	1,424,961.21	652,723.78				139,113.68	450.00	669.61	196.00
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.....	150,073.72	5,965.17	2,612.47	784,637.45	710,699.32	14,741.26				57,185.17			11.67
Togus, Maine.....	284,249.72	8,954.97	1,431.00	1,012,181.11	800,291.20	141,582.95		2,011.70		70,306.96			332.40
Tucson, Ariz.....	98,223.50	1,786.03	648.00	371,646.65	298,772.64	72,333.97				540.04			929.25
Waco, Texas.....	1,910,569.37	31,306.87	25,177.31	6,278,944.30	5,255,774.30					1,023,170.00			
Washington, D. C.....	1,252,222.69	12,036.97	2,516.50	3,128,417.70	2,097,850.91	337,018.93				1,028,566.79			
White River Junction, Vt.....	168,549.43	5,332.79	107.50	566,411.78	337,018.93	197,223.47				32,168.38		165.71	
Wichita, Kans.....	354,337.59	10,490.26	2,621.44	1,512,636.36	1,269,119.49	28,646.48				214,870.39			
Wood, Wis.....	926,111.94	26,144.49	10,313.05	4,889,932.66	4,007,926.70	777,786.27		532.12	500.00	103,187.57	1,278.86	1,387.72	7,974.22
Central office: United States possessions and foreign <sup>1</sup>	54,194.27	430.55	490.00	159,582.96	124,845.77	6,988.94				27,748.25			
San Juan, P. R.....	197,706.80	4,284.03	1,551.20	361,465.04	231,496.39	115,317.70				14,650.95			
Total.....	42,970,313.54	1,353,653.34	530,505.11	163,158,552.78	132,462,428.55	15,442,643.17	49,809.79	40,520.58	15,163,152.60	5,791.49	11,627.33	134,692.88	

<sup>1</sup> Not including San Juan, P. R.

## CONSTRUCTION TABLES

TABLE 54.—Statement showing by location the hospital and domiciliary beds under the control of the Veterans' Administration at the close of the fiscal years 1944 and 1945 and the authorized or proposed development of facilities under present appropriations through the fiscal year 1947

[The program as outlined for 1946 and 1947 is tentative]

Location	Beds available June 30, 1944		Additions fiscal year 1945		Beds available June 30, 1945		Additions fiscal year 1946		Beds available June 30, 1946		Additions fiscal year 1947		Beds available June 30, 1947 <sup>1</sup>	
	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary
Alabama:														
Alabama-Mississippi.....										500			500	
Montgomery.....	268		61		329				329				268	
Tuscaloosa.....	621		170		791		328		1,119				1,056	
Tuskegee.....	1,713		218		1,931		336		2,267				2,063	
Arizona:														
Tucson.....	428				428				428				428	
Whipple.....	527				527		-136	134	391	134			391	134
Arkansas:														
Fayetteville.....	258		47		305				305				258	
North Little Rock.....	1,625				1,325		640		2,265				1,726	
California:														
Central.....										250			250	
Livermore.....	408		54		462				462	90			552	
Los Angeles.....	1,748	2,405	768	117	2,516	2,522	1,266	370	3,782	2,892			3,350	2,455
Palo Alto.....	1,417				1,417				1,417				1,161	
San Fernando.....	358		15		403				403				394	
San Francisco.....	340		1		341				341				341	
Colorado:														
Fort Lyon.....	1,026				1,026		162		1,188				1,041	
Grand Junction.....													150	
Connecticut: Newington.....	472				472				472				490	
Delaware: Wilmington.....													300	
District of Columbia: Wash- ington.....	327				327				327				327	
Florida:														
Bay Pines.....	619	824	-15		604	824			604	824			444	824
Lake City.....	419				419				419				419	
Georgia:														
Atlanta.....	415				415				415		325		642	
Augusta.....	1,137		250		1,417				1,417				1,225	
Southwest.....											200		200	
Idaho: Boise.....	203	147			203	147			203	147			203	147
Illinois: Danville.....	2,300		-2		2,298				2,298				2,025	

Downey.....	1,600		450		2,050		-25		2,025			1,900
Dwight.....	196				196		90		286			286
Hines.....	2,154		-161		1,993				1,993	629		2,341
Marion.....	214				214				214			160
Indiana:												
Indianapolis.....	345				345				345	275		620
Marion.....	1,803		537		2,340				2,340			1,721
Iowa:												
Des Moines.....	545				545				545			393
Knoxville.....	1,805		359		1,964				1,964			1,631
Kansas:												
Salina.....							500	1,400	500	1,400		500
Wadsworth.....	742	1,689	1,322	-1,689	2,064				2,064			2,064
Wichita.....	248		4		252				252			252
Kentucky:												
Lexington.....	863		169		832		519		1,351			1,230
Outwood.....	375		5		380				380			380
Louisiana:												
Alexandria.....	739				739				739			739
Shreveport.....										450		450
Maine: Togus.....	1,234		-132		1,102				1,102			1,102
Maryland:												
Fort Howard.....	310		54		364		79		443			389
Fort Washington.....				151		151	72	406	72	557		72
Perry Point.....	1,633		219		1,852		328		2,180			1,829
Massachusetts:												
Bedford.....	1,749		132		1,881		139		2,020			1,705
Northampton.....	1,002		4		1,006		196		1,202			970
Rutland Heights.....	469		23		497				497	150		647
West Roxbury.....	320		66		386				386	400		720
Michigan:												
Dearborn.....	463		-3		460		779		1,239			1,129
Fort Custer.....	1,723		156		1,879		493		2,372			2,076
Michigan.....										250		250
Minnesota:												
Minneapolis.....	786		23		808				808			666
St. Cloud.....	1,219		351		1,570				1,570			1,387
Mississippi:												
Biloxi.....	208	793			208	793			208	793		208
Gulfport.....	914		58		972		164		1,136			939
Missouri:												
Excelsior Springs.....	267		7		274				274			274
Jefferson Barracks.....	597		8		605				605			597
Kansas City.....										500		500
Missouri.....										250		250
Montana:												
Fort Harrison.....	184		200		384		-36		348			348
Miles City.....										100		100
Nebraska: Lincoln.....	379				379				379			280
Nevada: Reno.....	26		5		31				31	142		166
New Hampshire: Manchester.....										150		150
New Jersey: Lyons.....	1,925		118		2,043		383		2,426			2,202

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE 54.—Statement showing by location the hospital and domiciliary beds under the control of the Veterans' Administration at the close of the fiscal years 1944 and 1945 and the authorized or proposed development of facilities under present appropriations through the fiscal year 1947—Continued

[The program as outlined for 1946 and 1947 is tentative]

Location	Beds available June 30, 1944		Additions fiscal year 1945		Beds available June 30, 1945		Additions fiscal year 1946		Beds available June 30, 1946		Additions fiscal year 1947		Beds available June 30, 1947 <sup>1</sup>	
	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary	Hospital	Domi- ciliary
New Mexico:														
Albuquerque	313				313				313					259
Fort Bayard	305				305				305					305
New York:														
Batavia	295		-1		294				294					294
Bath	428	1,477		-1	428	1,476	17		445	1,476				445
Bronx	2,090		-6		2,084				2,084					1,719
Canandaigua	1,275		160		1,435		492		1,927					1,775
Castle Point	625				625				625		400			1,025
Metropolitan											1,250			1,250
Northport, L. I.	2,685		121		2,806				2,806					2,312
Peekskill											1,492			1,492
Saratoga Springs	47		3		50				50					50
Sunmount	589		-6		583				583					583
North Carolina:														
Fayetteville	298		-1		297				297					270
Oteen	1,269		-3		1,266				1,266					1,266
Salisbury											900			900
North Dakota:														
Fargo	159				159		262		421					421
Minot											150			150
Ohio:														
Brecksville	413				413				413		180			449
Chillicothe	1,360		6		1,866		714		2,580					2,106
Dayton	1,077	2,574	-33		1,044	2,574			1,044	2,574				1,029
Northern											400			400
Northern					418				418					418
Oklahoma: Muskogee	428		-10											
Oregon:														
Portland	517		9		526				526					416
Roseburg	623		36		659				659					566
Pennsylvania:														
Aspinwall	1,134				1,134				1,134					764
Coatesville	1,728		143		1,871		316		2,187					1,928
Eastern											600			600
Eastern											475			475
Eastern														527
Lebanon									527					527
Pittsburgh											1,200			1,200
Western											1,800			1,800

Rhode Island: Providence										400		400	
South Carolina: Columbia	606		116		722				722			606	
South Dakota:													
Fort Meade			720		720				720			720	
Hot Springs	276	558	-4		272	558			272	558		272	558
Tennessee:													
Memphis	565		-5		560				560			434	
Mountain Home	553	1,766		15	553	1,781	59		612	1,781		612	1,781
Murfreesboro	1,007				1,007		474		1,481			1,259	
Texas:													
Amarillo	156		24		180				180			156	
Big Springs											250	250	
Dallas	342		7		349				349		500	770	
Legion	409				409				409		400	806	
Waco	1,394		492		1,886		328		2,214			1,942	
Utah: Salt Lake City	204				204				204			158	
Vermont: White River Junction	188		51		239				239			188	
Virginia:													
Kecoughtan	538	1,124	-6	518	532	1,642			532	1,642		532	1,642
Roanoke	1,687		10		1,697		656		2,353			1,961	
Washington:													
American Lake	789		36		825		320		1,145			996	
Walla Walla	421				421				421			421	
Washington										500		300	
West Virginia: Huntington	321		-55		266				266			266	
Wisconsin:													
Mendota	334		-65		269				269			250	
Tomah							1,172		1,172			1,172	
Waukesha			258		258				258			258	
Wood	1,403	1,610			1,403	1,610			1,403	1,610		1,403	1,610
Wyoming:													
Cheyenne	212		-11		201				201			151	
Sheridan	713				713		164		877			758	
Grand total	73,602	14,967	7,531	-889	81,133	14,078	11,778	2,310	92,911	16,388	16,298	98,391	15,951

## SUMMARY

Facilities:													
Neuropsychiatric	41,034		6,780		47,814		8,826		56,640		4,192		53,517
Tuberculosis	6,480		358		6,838		-136		6,702		2,490		9,183
General	18,496		425		18,921		1,174		20,095		9,616		26,833
General homes	7,592		-32		7,560		1,914		9,474				8,858
Domiciliary		14,967		-889		14,078		2,310		16,388			15,951
Total	73,602	14,967	7,531	-889	81,133	14,078	11,778	2,310	92,911	16,388	16,298	98,391	15,951

<sup>1</sup> Exclusive of 10,818 emergency hospital and 437 emergency domiciliary beds utilized during 1946.

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<b>Alabama:</b>						
Montgomery.....	\$1, 178, 474. 67					
Tuscaloosa.....	1, 215, 177. 24					
Tuskegee.....	2, 858, 624. 60	\$373, 670. 89		\$446, 313. 01	\$870, 933. 94 824, 699. 80	\$25, 000. 00
<b>Arizona:</b>						
Tucson.....	1, 678, 967. 74					
Whipple.....	1, 323, 688. 86					
<b>Arkansas:</b>						
Fayetteville.....	831, 529. 39					
Hot Springs (Army).....	1, 049, 931. 72					
North Little Rock.....	1, 867, 431. 00				1, 798, 075. 71	
<b>California:</b>						
Camp Kearney (closed).....	26, 907. 24					
Livermore.....	1, 517, 526. 90					
Los Angeles.....	6, 629, 818. 77			970, 518. 21	1, 773, 637. 66	169, 750. 00
Palo Alto.....	1, 640, 860. 80					
San Fernando.....	1, 460, 911. 89					
San Francisco.....	1, 239, 484. 24					
<b>Colorado:</b>						
Fort Lyon.....	1, 215, 972. 14	37, 593. 83		433, 514. 07	44, 000. 00	
<b>Connecticut:</b>						
New Haven (closed).....	23, 227. 76					
Newington.....	1, 398, 032. 96					
<b>District of Columbia</b>						
Walter Reed (Army).....	1, 149, 567. 05					
Washington.....	1, 185, 243. 23					
<b>Florida:</b>						
Bay Pines.....	2, 267, 028. 76					
Jacksonville (closed).....	28, 958. 60					
Lake City.....	793, 864. 07					
<b>Georgia:</b>						
Atlanta.....	1, 073, 656. 73					
Augusta.....	1, 319, 262. 16			351, 496. 87		
<b>Idaho:</b>						
Boise.....	353, 158. 60					
<b>Illinois:</b>						
Danville.....	1, 515, 095. 45					
Downey.....	2, 437, 660. 71			1, 371, 478. 73		
Dwight.....	291, 492. 06					
Hines.....	6, 625, 237. 12		\$417, 453. 79 58, 192. 00			
Marion.....	1, 394, 284. 39					

Indiana:						
Indianapolis	763,049.11					
Marion	1,503,708.84					
Iowa:						
Des Moines	1,040,510.50					
Knoxville	2,513,192.29		363,750.00	421,771.69		
Kansas:						
Salina						
Wadsworth	1,506,415.67					800,000.00
Wichita	760,545.41					
Kentucky:						
Lexington	1,680,233.76		443,082.49		1,550,993.10	
Outwood	2,256,394.94					
Pikesville (abandoned)	15,280.88					
Louisiana: Alexandria	1,927,370.72					
Maine: Togus	956,302.06					182,690.19
Maryland:						
Fort Howard	924,910.00	420,897.27				
Fort Henry (closed)	67,614.54					
Fort Washington						
Perry Point	2,320,905.03				1,046,598.42	45,000.00
Massachusetts:						
Bedford	3,250,512.82	266,742.35			475,647.17	
Northampton	2,782,546.97	34,861.09				
Rutland Heights	1,167,729.38			418,095.38		
West Roxbury	1,602,162.30					
Michigan:						
Dearborn	1,554,368.11	388,000.00				310,400.00
Fort Custer	2,720,556.79			533,565.46	928,288.78	
Minnesota:						
Minneapolis	1,958,928.15					
St. Cloud	2,369,738.43	403,387.09				
Mississippi:						
Biloxi	1,428,023.88					
Gulfport	1,525,862.77				534,984.00	
Missouri:						
Excelsior Springs	948,434.29					
Jefferson Barracks	1,925,472.95					
St. Louis (closed)	4,141.60					
Montana: Fort Harrison	435,486.61					
Nebraska: Lincoln	1,118,101.62					
Nevada: Reno	99,221.40					
New Jersey:						
Cape May (closed)	21,099.29					
Lyons	3,813,547.97			1,536,092.08		
New Mexico:						
Deming (closed)	3,712.35					
Albuquerque	1,160,601.79					
Fort Bayard	1,021,577.98					

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New York:						
Bath.....	\$919,918.44		\$17,567.50			
Batavia.....	891,993.72					
Bronx.....	4,439,639.23	\$41,454.11				
Canandaigua.....	3,138,244.52				\$1,545,975.98	
Castle Point.....	2,523,073.47					
Danville (closed).....	7,504.63					
Fox Hills (closed).....	83,829.64					
Hudson St. (P. H. S.).....	359,700.12					
Northport, Long Island.....	6,100,976.00					
Peekskill.....	217,779.93				17,855.00	
Stapleton (P. H. S.).....	2,020,080.34					
Sunmount.....						
North Carolina:						
Fayetteville.....	1,229,802.57					\$203,700.00
Oteen.....	1,901,848.11					
North Dakota: Fargo.....	302,505.50		7,760.00		1,643,529.00	135,800.00
Ohio:						
Brecksville.....	47,509.35					
Chillicothe.....	2,986,084.55			\$1,286,170.18		
Dayton.....	3,729,577.52					
Oklahoma: Muskogee.....	940,519.77	35,822.29				
Oregon:						
Portland.....	1,385,327.94					
Roseburg.....	1,130,331.73					
Pennsylvania:						
Aspinwall.....	1,924,152.39					
Coatesville.....	3,367,857.95	422,021.54			1,016,887.70	
Lebanon.....	116,170.00	1,995,839.63			97,000.00	
Parkview (closed).....	12,643.50					
South Carolina:						
Columbia.....	1,444,609.45					
Greenville (closed).....	610,242.89					
South Dakota:						
Fort Meade.....					419,994.99	
Hot Springs.....	782,675.83					
Sioux Falls.....			150,000.00			

Tennessee:						
Memphis.....	1,267,705.37					
Mountain Home.....	1,405,648.33					
Murfreesboro.....	1,731,214.71		7,275.00		1,550,056.00	
Texas:						
Amarillo.....						
Corpus Christi (closed).....	139,296.11					
Dallas.....						
Houston (closed).....	42,182.28					
Legion.....	1,222,301.42					
Waco.....	2,615,757.74			1,476,334.32	445,982.32	
Utah: Salt Lake City.....	657,781.62					
Vermont: White River Junction.....	635,735.79					
Virginia:						
Keecoughtan.....	908,045.07					
Norfolk (P. H. S.).....	889,831.78					
Roanoke.....	1,711,350.52			800,000.00	771,674.59	
Sewells Point (closed).....	69,542.38					
Washington:						
American Lake.....	1,613,589.78				1,445,009.00	
Walla Walla.....	776,695.66					
West Virginia: Huntington.....	885,232.69					
Wisconsin:						
Mendota.....						
Tomah.....					4,551,485.00	
Waukesha.....	727,165.97					
Wood.....	1,961,966.73					2,500.00
Wyoming:						
Cheyenne.....	546,833.53					
Sheridan.....	390,647.10				506,508.26	
Equipment.....	494,921.34					
Technical Services.....	3,794,264.90	136,710.00	136,710.00	310,680.00	949,500.00	221,235.00
Surplus.....	911,087.94					
Unobligated.....	799,182.42		2,955,209.22		6,750,683.58	5,278,424.81
Miscellaneous.....	30,719.28					
Total.....	165,574,267.60	4,557,000.00	4,557,000.00	10,356,000.00	31,650,000.00	7,374,500.00

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Location	Public 529, 78th Cong., 12-22-44, \$10,571,000	Public 49, 79th Cong., 5-3-45 \$84,500,000	Allocations from relief appropria- tions, 1 \$16,309,850	General Post Fund 2, \$1,133,448	Annual approp- riations 3 \$27,764,494.54	Total \$364,347,560.14
Alabama:						
Montgomery					\$11,490.00	\$1,189,964.67
Tuscaloosa			\$195,164.22		78,211.65	2,830,800.06
Tuskegee			29,113.67		302,436.55	4,388,545.51
Arizona:						
Tucson					197,203.10	1,876,170.84
Whipple					160,668.28	1,484,357.14
Arkansas:						
Payetteville					48,062.46	879,591.85
Hot Springs (Army)						1,049,931.72
North Little Rock	\$32,634.00				946,867.49	4,645,038.20
California:						26,907.24
Camp Kearney (closed)						1,959,934.71
Livermore	9,000.00				433,407.81	10,666,024.00
Los Angeles	82,036.53		595,655.21	\$79,406.28	365,201.34	3,507,980.84
Palo Alto			272,670.65		1,594,449.39	1,610,663.89
San Fernando					149,752.00	1,267,827.01
San Francisco	1,449.77				26,893.00	
Colorado:						
Fort Lyon	1,299.00				181,573.82	1,613,952.86
Connecticut:						23,227.76
New Haven (closed)				3,047.67	84,361.45	1,509,499.43
Newington	24,057.35					1,149,567.05
District of Columbia:						1,792,571.77
Walter Reed (Army)					607,328.54	
Washington						2,615,967.38
Florida:				149,617.81	196,452.81	28,958.60
Bay Pines	2,868.00				404,785.73	1,188,649.80
Jacksonville (closed)						
Lake City						
Georgia:						150,189.96
Atlanta					1,289,035.58	1,223,846.69
Augusta			9,759.22			2,969,523.83
Idaho:						245,160.22
Boise						598,318.82
Illinois:						
Danville	5,000.00		56,881.14	37,192.23	204,828.50	1,818,997.32
Downey	11,999.85		473,937.19		939,215.76	5,234,292.24
Dwight					39,743.70	748,689.55
Hines	45,000.00				1,950,549.66	8,678,978.78
Marion					15,216.29	1,409,500.68

Indiana:						
Indianapolis			287,835.59		156,385.98	1,207,270.68
Marion	3,299.08		39,498.42		502,926.05	2,049,432.39
Iowa:						
Des Moines	8,259.17				80,733.57	1,129,503.24
Knoxville			551,518.53		142,160.18	3,992,392.69
Kansas:						
Salina	4,000.00					4,000.00
Wadsworth		245,916.35	378,194.05	8,632.86	116,547.18	3,055,706.11
Wichita			119,770.56		50,868.20	981,284.17
Kentucky:						
Lexington	10,474.91				95,222.79	3,780,007.05
Outwood					188,095.00	2,444,489.94
Pikesville (abandoned)						15,280.88
Louisiana: Alexandria					270,985.20	2,198,855.92
Maine: Togus			1,132,362.89	198,974.14	243,228.91	2,714,158.19
Maryland:						
Fort Howard					66,877.00	1,412,684.27
Fort Henry (closed)						67,614.54
Fort Washington	172,500.00					172,500.00
Perry Point	1,110.00					5,052,196.12
Massachusetts:					1,638,582.67	
Bedford	6,474.00		474,984.24		334,421.14	4,808,781.72
Northampton			550,704.11		550,704.11	3,814,367.83
Rutland Heights			28,160.37		901,852.33	2,069,581.71
West Roxbury	9,929.67				50,261.13	1,662,353.10
Michigan:						
Dearborn	310,400.00	2,634,363.91			69,598.00	5,267,130.02
Fort Custer	2,202.47	40,888.00	616,516.35		232,244.28	5,073,862.13
Minnesota:						
Minneapolis					185,594.39	2,144,522.54
St. Cloud	1,043.75				397,339.00	3,171,508.27
Mississippi:						
Biloxi				113,950.19	107,496.90	1,649,470.97
Gulfport	235.00				370,160.11	2,431,241.88
Missouri:						
Excelsior Springs					79,561.00	1,027,995.29
Jefferson Barracks				130,160.38	399,617.33	2,455,250.66
St. Louis (closed)						4,141.60
Montana: Fort Harrison					874,081.96	1,309,568.57
Nebraska: Lincoln	1,992.36		77,278.33		83,284.79	1,280,657.10
Nevada: Reno	3,000.00				18,918.00	121,139.40
New Jersey:						
Cape May (close l)						21,999.29
Lyons	1,126.40		629,759.37		308,408.09	6,288,733.91
New Mexico:						
Deming (closed)						3,712.35
Albuquerque					95,032.31	1,255,934.10
Fort Bayard					100,570.00	1,121,947.98

See footnote at end of table.

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New York:						
Bath			377,599.53	1,601.95	162,922.09	1,479,609.51
Batavia	2,580.00				119,013.78	1,013,587.50
Bronx	108.43		2,456,663.57		279,866.97	7,217,732.31
Canandaigua	8,745.80				142,322.23	4,835,288.53
Castle Point	113.90				358,486.85	2,881,673.32
Danville (closed)					7,504.63	83,829.64
Fox Hills (closed)						359,700.12
Hudson St. (P. H. S.)					264,462.07	6,370,098.59
Northport, Long Island	4,660.52					17,855.00
Peekskill						217,779.93
Stapleton (P. H. S.)					544,931.00	2,566,873.25
Sunmount	1,861.91					
North Carolina:						
Fayetteville	199,070.00				8,656.00	1,641,228.57
Oteen					1,071,036.38	2,972,884.49
North Dakota: Fargo	58,200.00		73,539.35		84,894.67	2,306,228.52
Ohio:						
Brecksville	3,278.50		1,348,874.41		66,279.00	1,465,941.26
Chillicothe	7,165.09		351,376.83		657,135.06	5,287,931.62
Dayton	7,320.00		346,862.80	3,458.88	507,667.69	4,594,886.89
Oklahoma: Muskogee				135,771.00	238,297.26	1,350,410.32
Oregon:						
Portland					61,102.00	1,446,429.94
Roseburg	887.86		35,000.00	122,750.35	18,974.00	1,307,943.94
Pennsylvania:						
Aspinwall	5,793.00		458,563.94		393,941.71	2,780,451.04
Coatesville	5,132.29				171,453.22	4,936,352.70
Lebanon	727,500.00					2,936,509.63
Parkview (closed)						12,643.50
South Carolina:						
Columbia					142,162.06	1,536,771.51
Greenville (closed)						610,242.89
South Dakota:						
Fort Meade						419,994.99
Hot Springs					87,856.00	870,531.83
Sioux Falls						150,000.00
Tennessee:						
Memphis					212,624.18	1,430,329.55
Mountain Home	3,217.00		13,512.53	4,975.79	53,675.00	1,431,028.65
Murfreesboro	6,345.14		569,171.64		106,907.40	3,970,969.89

Texas:						
Amarillo			962,546.28		45,979.40	1,068,525.68
Corpus Christi (closed)						139,296.11
Dallas			1,180,428.34		11,690.00	1,192,118.34
Houston (closed)						42,182.28
Legion					247,788.23	1,470,089.65
Waco	940.00		236,171.04		57,785.00	4,832,970.42
Utah: Salt Lake City					24,746.00	682,527.62
Vermont: White River Junction	682.87		175,079.42		21,490.00	832,988.08
Virginia:						
Keocoughtan			48,419.20	25,872.31	483,309.97	1,465,646.55
Norfolk (F. H. S.)						889,831.78
Roanoke			1,364,371.26	115,889.16	86,341.23	4,849,626.76
Sewells Point (closed)						69,542.38
Washington:						
American Lake	2,000.00				399,354.58	3,459,953.36
Walla Walla					316,446.00	1,093,141.66
West Virginia: Huntington			182,289.76		152,346.46	1,219,868.91
Wisconsin:						
Mendota					3,000.00	3,000.00
Tomah						4,551,485.00
Waukesha					50,998.00	778,163.97
Wood			62,852.57	2,147.00	354,455.59	2,383,921.89
Wyoming:						
Cheyenne					29,263.77	576,097.30
Sheridan					389,991.00	1,377,146.36
Equipment						494,921.34
Technical Services	317,130.00	2,535,000.00				8,401,229.90
Surplus			82,031.60			993,119.54
Unobligated	8,451,143.37	79,043,831.74	15,435.93			103,293,911.07
Miscellaneous	4,734.00					35,453.28
Total	10,571,000.00	84,500,000.00	16,309,850.00	1,133,448.00	27,764,494.54	364,347,560.14

<sup>1</sup> This figure includes \$3,041,650 from National Recovery Act of 1933 and \$13,268,200 from Public Works Administration Appropriation Act of 1938.

<sup>2</sup> This figure is the amount obligated or expended since consolidation of veterans' activities, July 1930.

<sup>3</sup> This amount is for additions and betterments.

BOARD OF VETERANS' APPEALS TABLE

TABLE 56.—Analysis of decisions on cases disposed of by Board of Veterans' Appeals, fiscal year 1945

Claims involved	Decisions							
	Total	Pre-vious decisions af-firmed	Pre-vious decisions re-versed	Pre-vious decisions re-versed in part	Modi-fied deci-sions	Re-manded	With-drawn	Dis-missed
Disability:								
World War I.....	5,132	4,552	239	61	33	176	47	24
World War II.....	13,278	11,442	575	186	13	905	146	11
Regular Establishment.....	1,145	1,051	55	10		18	8	3
Spanish American War.....	57	55	2					
Indian Wars.....	1	1						
Death:								
World War I.....	1,697	1,595	74	2	3	11	8	4
World War II.....	232	195	16		2	10	7	2
Regular Establishment.....	128	119	5		1	1		2
Spanish American War.....	161	160		1				
Civil War.....	6	6						
Insurance:								
War Risk Term and U. S. Government Life Insurance.....	101	82	4	1		10	4	
National Service Life Insurance.....	46	43				2	1	
Vocational rehabilitation (Public No. 16).....	474	382	44			39	5	4
Service-men's Readjustment Act of 1944 (Pub. No. 346).....	76	70	2			2	2	
Adjusted compensation.....	2	2						
Emergency officers' retirement.....	19	13	1				5	
Civil service retirement.....								
Miscellaneous.....	30	25	4				1	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>22,585</b>	<b>19,793</b>	<b>1,021</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>50</b>
Review cases.....	15							
<b>Grand total.....</b>	<b>22,600</b>							
Total cases considered.....	17,470							
Ratio of decisions to cases.....	1.29							

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