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U. S. ENTERS YEAR WITH HUGE DEBT

Country Owes Five Times as Much as Twelve Months Ago.

DISBURSEMENTS FALL

Estimates Not Reached in Expenditure for Military Establishment.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The United States enters the new year with a national debt of \$5,615,000,000, more than five times greater than when it entered the war, nine months ago, but only one-third of the debt which promises to develop by the first of next year. The debt per capita is about \$91 and the percentage of debt to estimated national wealth is \$12.2 per cent. The treasury financial summary statement issued today for the first time since last year 30, shows that actual disbursements during the first half of the fiscal year have fallen far below the estimates, particularly for the military establishment. An enormous prospective increase in war department expenses, for munitions and materials, contracts to be filled in the spring will raise the government outlays at that time, but officials feel some doubt that ordinary disbursements will reach the \$12,316,000,000 estimated for the fiscal year ending next June 30. The actual outlay for the military establishment up to Dec. 1, was \$1,311,000,000; the estimated outlay for the whole fiscal year is \$3,790,000,000. The navy spent \$428,000,000 and the estimate for the year is \$1,000,000,000. Shipping board expenditures were \$118,000,000, while the year's estimate is \$301,000,000. Each of these three principal departments has outstanding contracts for which big expenditures will have to be made within the remaining half of the fiscal year, however, and the aggregate of these is the uncertain element which makes it impossible to determine at this time precisely how many additional liberty bonds must be issued between now and next June 30.

NEW ITALIAN LOAN

Rome, Jan. 1.—The government has promulgated a decree for a new five per cent loan. The issue price will be 95 lire, and subscriptions will be open from Jan. 15 to Feb. 3.

INDOOR CELEBRATIONS MARK NEW YEAR'S DAY

Frigid Weather With War-Time Economics Dampens Ardor of New York's Welcome.

New York, Jan. 1.—Frigid weather and war-time economies combined to dampen the ardor of New York's welcome to 1918. It was largely a subdued indoor celebration. Instead of the thousands of merry-makers thronging brilliantly-lighted Broadway to greet the new year with horns, cow bells, and other no-se-making devices as in other years, only a comparatively few braved the chilling wind, and the celebrant on was but an echo of former ones. The almost deserted thoroughfares, darkened by the fuel administrator's edict, was a forbidding, and the celebrators hurried to restaurants and cabarets. War-time menus greeted the diners, and many establishments paced restrictions on drinking, the 1 o'clock closing law being enforced. Consequently, when the new year came into being fewer corks popped than usual, and instead of the usual riotous cheering the crowds leaped in their feet and sang "The Star-Spangled Banner". Watchnight services in the churches were better attended than usual and New York seemed to be more in the mood for sober reflection than in a night of revelry.

GERMAN PEOPLE FEAR BRITISH AERIAL RAIDS

Exposed Parts of Kaiser's Realm Afraid of Reported Intentions of Americans.

London, Jan. 1.—Allied air raids over Germany are awakening the people to a recognition of their ruler's mistaken air ruthlessness, according to The Times. There is great nervousness throughout Germany, especially in the more exposed parts, he says, owing to the reported intention of the Americans to invade Germany by air. The subject is discussed universally, the efforts are made to calm anxiety by declarations about "American bluff". The frequent explosions in munitions factories, the correspondent adds, are causing the German military authorities anxiety, not only because of the interference with the supply of munitions, but also because of unrest in the districts where the explosions occur. The unrest has been acute since the advent of frost.

MEXICAN TAX ON GOLD

Mexico City, Jan. 1.—The government announces that the tax on gold and silver produced in Mexico during January will vary but slightly from the rates in force in December. This makes the tax on gold and silver and on other metals about five per cent.

UNABLE TO WORK WEEKS AT A TIME

Ince Says He Hasn't a Sign of Rheumatism Since Taking Tanlac.

"By the help of Tanlac," said Joseph Ince recently, "I have gotten entire relief from rheumatism, and this to my mind is proof that the medicine is unusual, as I had tried numbers of other things with no results." Ince lives at 308 Weston road, and is employed by the Consolidated Paper Company. "Some months ago," Mr. Ince continued, "I was attacked with rheumatism, and the muscles and leaders of my hips and legs hurt me so bad I could hardly hobble around. I have never suffered such pains in all my life. It was almost unbearable, and I couldn't stoop over and lift a small empty box from the ground. My condition can be understood better when I say for ten weeks previous to the time I began taking Tanlac I was unable to do any work at all. I was in so much pain I couldn't get any sound sleep and could hardly raise up in bed. One day a friend told me about Tanlac, saying he had taken it with fine results, so I decided to see what it would do for me. Well, it's no imagination, I actually began to feel better before I finished my first bottle. Two weeks after I commenced taking it I was able to go back to my work, and I haven't missed a day since that time. I have taken four bottles now, and my rheumatism is gone—clean gone—I don't even have a sign of it. Now, this is just what Tanlac has done for me, and a medicine that will do such things is certainly worth a try-out by anyone." Tanlac is sold in Toronto by Tamblin's Drug Store and by one regular establishment in every town. (Advertisement.)

ARTILLERY DUELS RAGE

Berlin, Jan. 1.—All day yesterday violent artillery duels raged in the Monte Tomba section of the northern Italian front, where the French took the offensive on Sunday. The official statement given out today by the German general staff reads: "Italian front: In the Tomba region there were violent artillery duels throughout the day." BIG BRIDGE OPENED. Chicago, Jan. 1.—A railroad bridge across the Ohio River, which is expected to expedite traffic between the north and south, was formally opened today. It spans the Ohio between Metropolis, Ill., and Paducah, Ky., is one mile and a quarter in length and was built jointly by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroads. The structure cost \$1,100,000.

TROTSKY FOMENTING REVOLT IN GERMANY

Enormous Quantity of Revolutionary Literature Being Distributed Among the Enemy.

London, Jan. 1.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Daily News wonders whether the danger of a separate peace is realized in England. He says it would be a defeat for German democracy in addition to inspiring the virtual enslavement of Russia, as it would be a victory for the military caste in Germany. "It may mean," he adds, "much more than Russia's neutrality. If we may make no move, it seems possible that the Germans will ask the Russians to help them in enforcing Russian peace terms on the entente allies. Trotsky is well aware of the danger and, to face the necessity of conceding peace, is doing his utmost to stimulate revolution in Germany. Fraternization at the front already has passed beyond control of enemy officers, and enormous quantities of revolutionary newspapers printed in German are being distributed. "I am convinced that our only chance of defeating German designs is to publish terms as near the Russian terms as possible, and by taking a powerful hand in the proposed conference, help the democratic movement in Germany while helping the Russians to force the German Government in the direction it has had to take. "Whatever party might be in power in Russia, it would be compelled to conclude peace, and Trotsky's method is more likely to manage Germany than the method of any more polite person in his place. The nationalization of the banks puts a weapon more powerful than the gullotine in the hands of the government, and probably will end much of the present sabotage. "The writer foresees a further lease of the military by men from other parties joining the government. The Petrograd correspondent of The Times who is visiting in London continues his anti-Bolshevik statements today. He says it is not unlikely that the Germans, who are now working upon the great advantage they expect from the Russian revolution, will suffer a grievous disappointment if the Russian nation offer it a helping hand. He implies the Russian people will not continue to submit to German exploitation thru Bolshevik adventures. If a closer union is established between Russia and the entente allies.

PREMIER ASKS ALL TO DO FULL DUTY

Lloyd George Asks Britons to Practice Economy and Save.

ROAD CLEAR AHEAD

United States Receives Thanks for Fortitude of Forces.

London, Jan. 1.—Premier Lloyd George, in his New Year message to the nation, appeals to Britons to do their utmost for the cause for which the democracies of the world are leagued together, especially by practicing economy and saving money to lend to the government. His message concludes: "To every civilian I would say that your firing line is the work of office, that you do your bit in the shop or in the kitchen, that you spend or save in the bank or office where you buy your weekly bonds. To reach that firing line and to become an active combatant yourself there are no communication trenches to grope along, no barrage to face, no horrors, no wounds. "The road to duty and patriotism is clear before you. Follow it and it will lead ere long to safety for our own people and victory for our cause." Message to U.S. The New Year's message sent by the premier to the United States is similar in tenor to messages sent to all the entente nations except Russia. The premier thanks them all for the fortitude of their military and naval forces. The communication to the United States is the only one which mentions the league of nations standing as the guardian of justice and liberty. The despatch to Japan is somewhat shorter than the others, mentioning only that nation's naval services. All of them except the ones sent to America and Japan close thus: "No words of mine can adequately convey our sense of what we owe to the forces which are fighting and suffering so that those behind the lines may enjoy liberty and peace. We can only thank them from the bottom of our hearts, in full confidence that the new year will see the fruition of their sacrifices in victory." In his message to Italy Mr. Lloyd George adds the following: "The successful stand made during the last month by the Italian troops, despite the recent reverses, against the continuous and desperate enemy assaults filled the world with admiration. I am confident Italy will not only withstand all further attacks, but will ere long strike another mighty blow for the liberation not only of their own country but of Europe from the militarist domination which has menaced it so long."

MEMORIAL SERVICES IN HALIFAX CHURCHES

Various Clergymen Pay Special Notice to Recent Disaster.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 1.—Solemn and impressive services in memoriam of the victims of the explosion of Dec. 6, were held in churches of all denominations this morning. Eloquent sermons were delivered at St. Paul's Cathedral (Anglican), St. Paul's Church (Anglican), Fort Massey (Presbyterian), Granby Street Methodist and the West End Baptist Churches, and special music and choral services were provided. At St. Mary's Cathedral (Roman Catholic), a memorial service was held at Pontifical High Mass. All the churches were thronged with worshippers. Among those attending were Lieut.-Gov. Grant, representatives of the civic and provincial governments and military and naval officers. The collection at all the churches was for those blinded in the great disaster.

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT HAS WAR COMMITTEE

Rome, Jan. 1.—A decree creating an Italian war committee, to be presided over by Premier Orlando, was published today in the official journal. The committee consists of Baron Sonnino, the minister of foreign affairs; Senor Meda, minister of finance; General Alfieri, minister of war; Vice-Admiral Debono, minister of marine; General Dabelli, minister of munitions, and another minister to be nominated by the premier. The chiefs of the naval and military general staff will act as the committee in an advisory capacity. The committee does not diminish the authority of the staff to whom its decisions will be communicated by Premier Orlando.

U. S. ARMY TRUCKS EASTWARD TO COAST

Large Convoy Leaves Buffalo by Ordinary Roads for New York.

Buffalo, Jan. 1.—The largest convoy of army trucks yet to be sent overseas because of lack of other transportation facilities left here at noon today for New York. It was made up of 50 machines manned by 92 men of the 20th Engineers. The trucks will travel over state roads by way of Rochester and Albany to New York, where orders will await them.

DEATH OF DR. REMINGTON

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Dr. Jos. Price Remington, dean of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and a pharmacist of international reputation, died today after an illness of about five months. He had suffered from heart trouble. He was 70 years old. Dr. Remington was a member of the revision committee of the United States Pharmacopoeia since 1880, and was president of the first international pharmaceutical congress in 1892.

PEACE TERMS APPROVED

Rotterdam, Jan. 1.—Mathias Erzenberger, of the clerical party; Friedrich Ebert, of the Socialist party; and Herr Flachbeck, of the progressives, have informed the Berlin correspondent of the Nijspe Rotterdamse Courant that the German declaration at Brest-Litovsk is approved unreservedly by the members of the reichstag majority committee. The members of this committee represent the majority of the parties responsible for the reichstag peace resolution of July 19.

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HINDENBURG PRAISES GERMAN NAVAL DEEDS

Submarines Have Given Relief in Action on Western Front. Amsterdam, Jan. 1.—In a telegram to Admiral von Holtzendorff, head of the German naval general staff, as forwarded from Berlin, Field Marshal von Hindenburg declares the capture of Oesel and Dago Islands, off the Russian Baltic coast, brought the German army and navy still closer together. The German submarines, the field marshal says, have given considerable relief in the action of the western front. The message continues: "Hand in hand, with God's help, we shall gain victory in the coming year." Admiral von Holtzendorff replied, thanking the field marshal for his words, which "will spur us to our utmost effort."

RECORD BOND SALES

Victory Loan's Success Brings Total to More Than \$725,000,000. With its Victory Loan allotted to the extent of about \$400,000,000, Canada last year sold more bonds than in any other year of its history, according to detailed figures in The Monetary Times.

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