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OTTAWA'S EXCUSE.

VICTORY LOAN TOTAL

REACHES \$687,077,500

TORONTO, Dec. 5. — There have various provinces, which bring the total for the second Victory Loan up to \$687,-077,500, with 1,067,879 subscribers. The returns are yet by any means complete, and the above total will without doubt be increased.

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## REPRISALS WILL BE TAKEN FOR **RECENT ACTIONS**

Incidents of Serious Gravity Reported From the Prison Camp in Saxony.

PARIS, Dec. 5 .- (Havas.) - Incidents of serious gravity occurred within the last few days in a prison camp in Saxony, where Allied prisoners are confined, the Echo de Paris declares. The Allied Governments, it adds, are reported to have decided to act energetically in that connection.

After declaring that protests come from all parts of France against the terrible treatment of French and other Allied prisoners by the Germans, the paper says that Marshal Foch and the Allied Governments doubtless will be able to take all necessary measures. Talks of Seeing Wheat Drop to REGINA, Sask, Dec. 5.—(Canadian Press Dispatch.)—Hon. George Langley stated today he was strongly of the opinion that the price of wheat for the Canadian crop of 1919 should be fixed at the American level of \$2.20 to avoid the discontent that would follow in Canada if this action was not taken.

and more, people with chest and throat troubles have tried to cure them by pouring cough syrups, lung tonics and the like into their stomachs. All a mistake! The Peps way is different.

OTTAWA'S EXCUSE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 5.—An official statement issued tonight denies that the Government has been negligent in not fixing the price of wheat for 1919; explains that the question has been under consideration, but that it has been surrounded by difficulties which have been complicated by fixing of the price in the United States, and points out that should the Canadian Government do likewise and the price of wheat in the open market fall to \$1.50 a bushel, the Government would lose perhaps \$200,000,000.

More Junket Trips.

Prices under regulation for war purposes, it is emphasized, and prices in competition in time of peace present entirely different considerations. In the circumstances the Government came to the concluson that the regulations for the flow and price of wheat for immediate purposes of Europe, if attemped at all, should be undertaken by the Allies at the peace conference. In order that the interests of the middle west, being the more particularly affected, should not be overlooked, two representatives named by the farmers and grain dealers themselves, are to be appointed to proceed overseas with a view to taking the matter up with the prime minister and the British authorities and Allies. Peps are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes — not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing. Try a 50c. box of Peps for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Peps Co., Toronto, will supply

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SUGAR WAREHOUSE BURNS. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5. - Two ion pounds of sugar destined for

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FOUR STEAMSHIP LINES

RELINQUISHED BY GOVT. OTTAWA, Dec. 5.—Ministers of the crown state that the cabinet has not yet given serious consideration to the fixing of the date for the opening of Parliament. As there is no necessity for giving members more than 30 days notice there is still time in which to

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